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DRIPPING SPRINGS TIGER BAND 2007 STATE MARCHING FINALIST 2009 STATE HONOR BAND FINALIST 2009 STATE MARCHING CHAMPIONS

December 10th, 2009

Dear Tiger Band Supporter,

The Dripping Springs Band Boosters will hold our **10th annual Tiger 5K Fun Run on Saturday, April 10th 2010** as part of the exciting Dripping Springs Founders Day Weekend. After much deliberation we have decided that this will be the final time Band Boosters hold this fundraising event, as we will be concentrating our volunteer efforts to develop our new Drumline Contest in the fall.

Once again this year, our band programs have continued to represent DSISD with an award winning presence. The program continues to excel and exceed all expectations this year with the HS Symphonic Band achieving 4th place in the State Honor Band contest and most recently the **HS Tiger Band being crowned the 2009 UIL 4A State Marching Champions!** This was the pinnacle of an incredible marching season, which included highest ever placings as a 4A school at the USSBA Central Texas Preview, Westlake Marching Festival and UIL Area Marching Contest and multiple outstanding caption awards.

We would like to invite your business to help support the DSISD award winning band program by becoming a sponsor of our Final Tiger 5K Run. This highly successful program serves over 350 district students in grades 6 through 12. It is through the generosity of businesses and individuals within our community that we are able to provide the additional financial support needed to maintain our outstanding band program. In the past few years, the Band Boosters have raised money to purchase Marching Band music and drill programs, contract music instructors for the Middle School and High School, the Smart Music Program for the Middle School, additional percussion equipment and a new instrument and equipment trailer to accommodate our growing band. To continue to be able to provide these students with not only their music and marching skills, but the priceless life skills acquired through team work, community, cohesiveness, hard work and reward, requires significant outside funding, with limited tax dollars available for our program.

The Band Boosters, directors and students ask for your help to provide our program with the resources needed to continue the exemplary standards and award winning tradition. We realize that these are challenging economic times, but please consider how important and worthy this program is to so many youth in our schools and their future. The attached information sheet describes four different levels of sponsorship and advertisement. The higher the level the more promotion you will receive. Please look over these sponsorships and support these young musicians with your kind donation. The Dripping Springs Band Boosters is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization, which means any donation is tax deductible to the extent of the law.

We would greatly appreciate your support of the Dripping Springs Band Program. **The deadline for sponsorship donations is February 12th 2010.**

Kind regards

Vicky Mathews
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