



PACE HIGH SCHOOL BANDS

*The Pride of the Red, White & Blue Marching Band
Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, & Concert Band
Pace Jazz Ensemble and Combo
Pace Indoor Guard & Percussion*

Dear Pace High School Band Alumnus,

Greetings! We hope this letter finds you doing well.

The Band Directors, Parents, and Students of the award-winning Pace High School Band program are reaching out to you for your financial support. As an alumnus of the "Pride of the Red, White, and Blue," we know you understand that the band program provides our students with musical experiences that no other school in our area can match. However, these experiences come at a higher price tag each year with cuts to music programs getting deeper each school year.

It takes a lot of funds to successfully run an organization of our size and caliber. Each student in the Pace High Band program is asked to fundraise anywhere between \$400-600 annually. Students wishing to participate in additional performance ensembles such as our Indoor Percussion and Color Guard groups are asked to fundraise an additional \$600-800 each year.

Annual costs include transportation expenses to local, regional, and national performances and competitions that are separate from the school district funding criteria, instrument repair and maintenance, sheet music, arranging and copyright fees, district and state circuit fees, uniform fees, and classroom supplies. As our program continues to grow, we also struggle to make sure that every student has access to their own instrument and necessary instrument accessories.

We are asking all band alumni to consider giving back to a band program that has provided so much to each of you by giving a donation of \$100 dollars, but of course we will accept donations of any amount. Checks can be made out to "Pace High Band Boosters" and should be mailed to the address listed on the donation form. Please include the attached Alumni Donation Form. If you would prefer to make an online credit card contribution to the Pace High Band Program e-mail the form to pacebandboosters@gmail.com and a Square Donation link will be sent to you.

Thank you for your support of music and the students of the Pace High School Band program in Pace, Florida.

Sincerely,

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PACE HIGH SCHOOL BAND ALUMNI DONATION FORM

NAME: _____ **CLASS OF** _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP CODE:** _____

**I AM MAKING A DONATION OF \$_____ TO SUPPORT THE
“PRIDE OF THE RED, WHITE, AND BLUE” BAND PROGRAM.**

Please mail your donation & this form to:

*Pace High Band Boosters
Attn: President
Pace High School
4065 Norris Road
Pace, FL 32571*