



Marriotts Ridge Music Foundation, Inc.

12100 Woodford Road
Marriottsville, MD 21104



Dear Music Families,

As the parent of a Marriotts Ridge High School musician, you know how important music can be in the lives of our students. The directors and students have great expectations for a successful year in the Marriotts Ridge High School music program.

To reach high standards of excellence requires a huge investment of time, energy, and money. We are committed to providing the best facilities, training, and equipment for our performers who proudly wear the colors of Marriotts Ridge High School. The students dedicate enormous amounts of time to their music. However, it takes more than practice to reach an elite rank. The incredible performances you will enjoy each year will be the result of thousands of volunteer hours and the financial support of parents and additional volunteers throughout our community.

We are inviting you, to become a Marriotts Ridge Music Patron for the 2009-2010 school year by making a donation -- any amount is appreciated -- and helps to support our musicians.

We also encourage you to invite other potential donors such as family members, businesses or employers to support our music program. Many employers have matching community service programs that allow you to double your donation.

Your gift to the Music Boosters helps us provide support for Marriotts Ridge's band, orchestra, and choral programs in numerous ways including buying and maintaining instruments, equipment, and uniforms, assisting with transportation, and providing quality instruction to Marriotts Ridge musicians.

Our Patrons program allows you to contribute at several levels...

- Maestro Level \$500 and above
- Concertmaster Level \$250
- Whole Note Level \$100
- Half Note Level \$50
- Quarter Note Level \$25
- Instrument Adoption Program (call for current needs)
- Other (A donation of any amount is appreciated)

As a Music Patron, you will receive:

- Your name printed in our music department's concert programs through spring 2010.
- For gifts of \$100 or more, you will receive a patron card which admits two people free of charge to each of our student concerts, in both fall and spring.
- The satisfaction of knowing that you are helping to build tomorrow's leaders.

We look forward to a fantastic year in Marriotts Ridge's Music Programs. With your continued support, together we can have a wonderful year. Please use the attached patron form and return with your donation.

Sincerely,
Dawn O'Haro, Patrons Program Coordinator
and
Marriotts Ridge Music Foundation Executive Board
and
Music Directors Mr. Eberhardt, Mr. Ellis, and Mrs. Lather



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 Yes, I would like to support the music programs at Marriotts Ridge High School.

 Maestro \$500 or more Whole Note \$100 Quarter Note \$25
 Concertmaster \$250 Half Note \$50 Other Donation _____

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____ email: _____

Name as you want it to appear on the concert programs:

*Please make your tax deductible contribution payable to the
"Marriotts Ridge Music Foundation, Inc."*
Mail in the enclosed envelope to MRHS Music Foundation – Patrons Program
12100 Woodford Road, Marriottsville, MD, 21104

If you have additional questions, please contact:
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Thank you for your support!!!



*"Long after the toys of childhood are forgotten, the gift of music will remain."
Anonymous*