

ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL

"Jaquar Band"

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To Whom It May Concern:

To be a member of the OHS Entertainment Corps is both an honor as well as hard work! We consistently train hard, endure physical conditioning, review and master technique as well as build life-long friendships. As a team, we work towards competing against other schools and entertaining our own school with our impressive skills. Each team member is required to learn how to handle equipment such as wind, brass and percussion instruments as well as flags rifles and sabers. Practices include perfecting tricks and tosses with equipment, learning marching drill and memorizing music. Through all of this hard work and practice, the bond between each member of our team grows.

The OHS Entertainment Corps has developed into one of the top programs here at Ontario High School. Over the past 5 years, the Entertainment Corps has won numerous 1st place awards, sweepstakes awards, national championship award and have also been recognized by the city of Ontario and the Ontario Montclair School District for our hard work and dedication. In 2006, 2008, and 2012 the OHS Color guard attended the Winter Guard Association of Southern California (WGASC) Championships and took 1st place, bringing home the gold medal. In 2008, the OHS Entertainment Corps was invited to perform at the Southern California State Championships and brought home 1st place, having won the title of State Champions. Our drum line has performed at the NAMM (National Association of Music Merchants) show as well as for the Mayor at his annual Esperanza Scholarship Awards. This truly is a talented and well-polished organization. In addition to the competitions we travel to, the Entertainment Corps also performs on campus. These performances include: The Holiday Showcase, The Annual Pops Concert, Basketball/Football games, School Rallies, Disneyland, as well as our Music Americana concert. The members of the OHS Entertainment corps are terrific ambassadors. They represent our school and community with superior performances, quality, and dignity.

The Entertainment corps, as many other high school performing arts programs, is faced with great financial difficulties. For us to perform in the competitions and other school functions, the equipment and costumes are valued at approximately \$600.00 per member, per school year. Each Entertainment Corps team member is being asked to help raise as much money as they possibly can so we can continue the high level program that we love. I am asking for your help to sponsor us, so I can do my part for the team. Any donation amount would be greatly appreciated. Your sponsorship will be printed in our upcoming show program.

A receipt will be issued upon your donation submission. Please indicate below if the Tax ID number is needed along with a copy of your receipt. Please make checks payable to "Ontario High School Entertainment Corps" and send donation, along with this form to:

Ontario High School OHS Entertainment Corps Attn: Elyse Doremus 901 W. Francis Street Ontario, CA 91762

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