



# DVHS Music

BAND . ORCHESTRA . CHOIR

August 2022

## MUSIC BOOSTER PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Welcome back! We hope you had a wonderful summer. Let's celebrate the return to school with music and food!

On Saturday September 10, from 8:30 to 11:00 AM, join us for the annual Music Booster Pancake Breakfast at the DVHS quad.

DVHS Orchestra, Band, and Choir will perform throughout the morning while our volunteers serve plates of hot pancakes! [Click here](#) to help!



Tickets are \$10 per person but included in Platinum Level Music Booster Membership. Contact [dvhvmusicboosters@gmail.com](mailto:dvhvmusicboosters@gmail.com) if you would like to upgrade your membership. Tickets will be available soon on the [webstore](#). All proceeds will benefit the music programs.

## BECOME A MUSIC BOOSTER MEMBER

Please become a Music Booster Member! Your [membership](#) is used for sheet music, instruments, instrument maintenance, concert attire, transportation to events, competitions, and other music program expenses.

Depending on your pledge level, you will receive tickets to our concerts and have priority admission. A win win!

**Music Booster Board Meetings are held monthly in the band room.** During the meetings, we discuss upcoming events, identify any support needed, and help make DVHS music program the best-in-class. All parents welcome!



### Upcoming Meeting Dates:

- Tuesday, August 30, 5:30 PM\*
- Thursday, September 1, 5:30 PM\*
- Tuesday, September 27, 6:30 PM
- Tuesday, October 25, 6:30 PM

\*Shorter meetings to accommodate Incoming Family Nights

## How You Can Help

Our school has outstanding music programs because of support from parents like you. Can you please help us with these upcoming events?

Pancake Breakfast food donations, set up, cooking, ticket sales, and clean up [Sign up here](#)

Concert attire measurements for advanced music groups, August 24 to 26 [Sign up here](#)

Assist the Pep Band during football games by supervising and serving food [Sign up here](#)

Become a Music Booster Member [Sign up here](#)

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# IMPORTANT DATES

**Incoming Band Family Night** - Tuesday, August 30, 6:30 PM, Band Room

**Back to School Night** - Wednesday, August 31, 5:30 to 7:00 PM

**Incoming Choir and Orchestra Family Night** - Thursday, September 1, 6:30 PM, Music Rooms

**Pancake Breakfast and Performance** – Saturday, September 10, 8:30 to 11:00 AM, DVHS Quad

## MEET OUR TEACHERS

### *Ms. Teri Musiel*



#### **Band Director**

Concert Band  
Symphonic Band  
Wind Ensemble  
Jazz Band

Teri Musiel is one of four music directors at our school, and currently teaches 4 levels of band and jazz band. She started the music program here 16 years ago when the school opened and taught band, choir, orchestra, jazz, and steel drum band. The program has grown from less than 80 music students to currently over 800. The bands have traveled to Los Angeles, Hawaii, Canada, Boston, and a trip to New York with a performance in Carnegie Hall.

Ms. Musiel has been a music teacher for 26 years in the San Ramon Valley USD. She received her Bachelor's degree and teaching credential in Music Education from the University of the Pacific in Stockton, California; she also received her Master's degree in Conducting from the American Band College in Ashland, Oregon. Ms. Musiel has played trumpet and percussion in professional and local groups including the Diablo Light Opera Company, Piedmont Light Opera, Diablo Symphony Orchestra, Contra Costa Chamber Orchestra, Contra Costa Wind Symphony, Diablo Valley College, Los Medanos Educators Band, and the Danville and San Ramon Community Bands.

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### *Mr. Paul Rhodes*



#### **Orchestra Director**

Blue Orchestra  
Silver Orchestra  
Chamber Orchestra

Paul Rhodes received a Bachelor of Arts in Music from Dominican College, where he studied cello with Margaret Rowell and conducted with Hugo Rinaldi, and the Master of Music in Cello Performance from the University of Texas at Austin as the graduate assistant to Paul Olefsky.

Paul is a member of the Oakland Symphony and, in the summer, the Carmel Bach Festival. Locally, he has worked with the symphonies of Berkeley, Marin, California, Sacramento and San Jose, as well as with the New Century Chamber Orchestra, Opera San Jose, San Jose Chamber Orchestra, and Earplay.

Outside the area he has served as Principal Cellist with the Austin Symphony during their tour of France and Germany, and has also appeared with the San Antonio Symphony, Brandywine Baroque, Orchestra of Santa Fe, Reinische Philharmonie, and the Jugend im Musik festival in Vienna, on both modern and baroque Cello.

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## Mrs. Diana Walker



### Choral Director

Vocal Ensemble  
Treble Clef  
Concert Choir  
AP Music Theory

Diana Walker is a California credentialed teacher and has a Bachelor of Music degree in Vocal Music Education from the Biola University Conservatory of Music. In 2008, she went on to pursue her Master of Arts degree in Education.

Diana has performed in numerous vocal ensembles for the past 20 years. Recent performances include a guest appearance with the Biola Chorale for The Tonight Show with Jay Leno. Diana has taught vocal music for the Cypress School District and the Norwalk-La Mirada Unified School District in Southern California before coming to the SRVUSD in 2009. She has taught all grade levels from Pre-Kindergarten to undergraduate courses since 2006.

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## Mr. Marc Walker



### Band Director

Concert Band  
Symphonic Band

Born and raised in North San Diego County. Musician since I was 10 years old. Played in numerous rock/alternative bands. Signed a record contract when I was 19 years old. Met my wife, Diana Walker in college.

I want all students to know their value and their value is NOT related to a letter grade on a report card.

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*Did you do something fun  
with music this summer? Let  
your music teacher know!  
With your permission, we will  
share your stories and pictures  
on the September Music  
Booster Newsletter!*

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This summer Aditya Satish participated in the Golden Classical International Music Awards and was selected to perform violin solo at the Carnegie Hall

