



Maynard Music Association

Keeping the Music Playing in Maynard Schools
Supporting our student musicians in grades 4-12

Check us out on the web: www.maynardmusic.org

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Welcome to the Maynard Music Association for the Fowler School and Maynard High School. We are a 501c3 charitable organization & volunteer parent association that supports the needs of band and choral students at both schools. Our mission focus is on recognition, enrichment, scholarship, and musical support of students and teachers through our volunteerism, advocacy, and annual fundraising. We are in need of parent volunteers and encourage you to join us in support of your student musicians.

Our officers:

Fowler School

Chair: Renee Lilley

Treasurer: Bill Freeman

Secretary: Marc Cryan

Maynard High School

Chair: Bonnie Wilson

Treasurer: Stephanie Gavin

Secretary: Annemarie Caloggero

Meetings: Please join us! All band & chorus parents from grades 4-12 are encouraged to attend. Maynard Music Association meetings will be held on the **first Wednesday of each month** at 7 pm on Zoom until further notice. The link can be found on the website on the day of the meeting.

Ways to contact Maynard Music Association:

All parents: Please email us with the best email address with which to contact you, the names of your student, and grade/graduation year so we can update our contact list

Our goal is to provide the parents, students, and community with information regarding MMA, fundraising news, plus MHS and Fowler Music program news and updates. See the points of contact at the top of this page to see the latest or to contact MMA officers! Emails that you will receive include:

- Monthly updates are sent to your email
- Music Grade-level emails and volunteer requests
- Fundraising updates

Website: www.maynardmusic.org Our website has been updated with the following information:

- MMA information and the latest music news
- Calendar of MMA meetings and Fowler/MHS music events
- Meeting minutes
- Casino Game Night Fundraiser updates
- How to donate to MMA
- Awards/Scholarships - Great East Festival
- Private lesson teacher information, summer music, other music programs for enrichment
- Photo Gallery
- Forms needed as posted
- Student testimonials

Facebook and Instagram:

- "Music Monday" weekly updates
- Photos and/or videos of events
- Casino Game Night Fundraiser updates
- Current events: concert updates, trip updates, volunteer requests



Update: Maynard Music Association Annual Casino Game Night Fundraiser

In consideration of these uncertain and challenging times during the Covid-19 pandemic, Maynard Music Association has thoroughly discussed the effects of the restrictions upon our annual fundraiser, Casino Game Night, which supports music students and programs in grades 4-12.

In reality, the planning for the event typically begins in the summer months with numerous volunteers seeking program advertisements, auction items, table sponsorships, and prizes from families and local businesses that have, for over ten years, helped us to raise over \$15,000 each year for the music programs for Fowler and MHS.

This year, asking our many generous families and local businesses for financial support in the same way, while finances among us are uncertain, feels insensitive, and challenging. Additionally, a commitment to a gathering of 250 people at the Elks in November was uncertain in the timeframe in which planning needed to begin.

Our plan, however, is to present an alternative in deference to the challenges that this particular year brings. **In October**, we will be sending an annual appeal to businesses who have generously supported Casino Game Night fundraiser in the past through advertisements or by Gaming Table Sponsorships. Additionally, we look forward to launching our online “**Donate to MMA**” link on our website for families to give what they can from mid-October through our original Casino Game Night fundraiser event date on November 7th.

We are committed to maintaining Casino Game Night as a Maynard Music Association fundraiser for years to come and will book ahead in order to resume with a celebratory evening of fun and games on November 6, 2021.

Regards,

Bonnie Wilson + The Casino Game Night Team

MMA Chairperson MHS & MMA Casino Game Night fundraiser



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MMA Meetings for Fowler School and Maynard High School

Volunteers are always welcome! Please join us!

Mark your calendars for the First Wednesday of each month from 7-8 pm

Until further notice, meetings will be held via ZOOM

The link will be posted on the MMA website on the day of the meeting

Wednesday, October 7

Wednesday, November 4

Wednesday, December 2

Wednesday, January 6

Wednesday, February 3

Wednesday, March 3

Wednesday, April 7

Wednesday, May 5

Wednesday, June 2

