

Barry Goldwater Pride Regiment

2025 Membership Contract

In an effort to lessen the disparity between our team ideals and individual behavior, and to personalize these ideals for the 2025 marching season, Barry Goldwater Pride Regiment Marching Band will adopt the following expectations of its members:

SCHOOL BEHAVIOR

1. I will respect and abide by all school rules, regulations, and policies as required by DVUSD.
2. I will respect the dignity of all persons; therefore, I will not physically, mentally, or psychologically abuse or bully any person.
3. I will follow all mask and social distancing policies as required by DVUSD and the State of Arizona.
4. I will neither use nor support the use of illegal drugs, alcohol, or the smoking of any substance.
5. I will be in school on time every morning and I know I must be in school to be eligible to practice or participate in rehearsal that day.
6. I will strive for academic excellence and therefore; I will do my homework, go for extra help when needed, and do whatever it takes to strengthen my high school experience.
7. I will comply with instructions from all teachers immediately.
8. I will respect the property of others; therefore, I will neither abuse nor tolerate the abuse of property.
9. I will use language that is socially acceptable. Profanity, vulgar talk and obscene gestures will not be tolerated.
10. I will maintain a grade of C or higher in every class and understand if I do not, the instructor has the right to suspend me from participating for as long as my grade remains lower than a C.
11. I understand there will be a grade check every three weeks and I will be prepared to have my grades in on time.

REHEARSAL BEHAVIOR

1. I will use language that is socially acceptable. Profanity, vulgar talk and obscene gestures will not be tolerated.
2. I will cooperate with teammates, instructors, and any special guest present.
3. I will arrive with my equipment and water for all practices and scheduled performances.
4. I will be on time for practice and team scheduled events.
5. I will comply with instructions from all instructors.
6. I will wear attire required for rehearsals.
7. I will exhibit good sportsmanship on and off the field.

COMMUNICATION

1. Rehearsals
 - a. Once a rehearsal calendar is handed out, students will be responsible for attendance to all scheduled rehearsals.
 - b. Students must turn in a list of conflicts to instructors within 2 weeks of receiving the rehearsal calendar. Absences must be explained so that instructors may determine whether or not it will be an excused absence.
 - c. Missing rehearsal without at least a 2 week notice could result in the student not performing the next show. This will be decided on a case by case basis by instructors.
 - d. If missing rehearsal due to illness, please have a parent/guardian contact the instructor and Mrs. Esparza.
 - e. All communication for missing rehearsals needs to be communicated to the instructor and Mrs. Esparza through a private group message on the BAND app.
 - f. Excused absences do not guarantee performance. Instructors reserve the right to determine whether or not a student performs based on what is best for the entire group.
 - g. If students miss the rehearsal before the performance for any reason, the student will not perform at the performance.
2. Performances
 - a. Once a performance calendar is handed out, students are responsible for attendance to all scheduled performances.
 - b. Students must turn in a list of conflicts to instructors within 2 weeks of receiving the performance calendar. Absences must be explained so that instructors may determine whether or not it will be an excused absence.
 - c. Missing a performance without at least a 2 week notice could result in the student not performing the next show. This will be decided on a case by case basis by instructors.
 - d. If missing a performance due to illness, please have a parent/guardian contact the instructor and Mrs. Esparza through a private message on the BAND app.
 - e. Students must have all performance materials on the day of the performance. Failure to bring something needed for the performance will result in the student not being allowed to perform.

REHEARSALS & SECTIONALS

GUARD & PERCUSSION		BRASS & WOODWINDS	
Tuesday/Thursday Sectional	5:00pm - 6:00pm	Tuesday/Thursday Sectional	5:00pm - 6:00pm
Tuesday/Thursday Rehearsal	6:00pm - 9:00pm	Tuesday/Thursday Rehearsal	6:00pm - 9:00pm
Wednesday Sectional	2:30pm - 4:00pm		
<i>Due to performance events and holidays, there are some adjusted days. It is the responsibility of the members to be aware of calendar adjustments, so please make sure you check the EVENTS calendar each week. This applies to rehearsals and sectionals.</i>			

PERFORMANCES

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
September 5 - FRI	Away Game v. Deer Valley	Deer Valley HS	October 18 - SAT	ABODA Invitational	Williams Field HS
September 12 - FRI	Home Game v. Skyline	Barry Goldwater	October 21 - TUE	DVUSD Exhibition	Sandra Day O'Connor
September 19 - FRI	Home Game v. Campo Verde	Barry Goldwater	October 25 - SAT	Rumblin' Drums Invitational	Barry Goldwater
October 3 - FRI	Home Game v. Dobson	Barry Goldwater	October 31 - FRI	Home Game v. Paradise Valley	Barry Goldwater
October 4 - SAT	AZMBA Invitational	Mountain Ridge HS	November 1 - SAT	State Semifinals	Gilbert or Tempe HS
October 10 - FRI	Homecoming Game	Barry Goldwater	November 15 - SAT	State Championships*	Glendale College

FAIR SHARE PAYMENT SCHEDULE

GOLDWATER FAIR SHARE FEES & DISCOUNTS		
Payment 1 - August 8	\$75	\$50 SIBLING DISCOUNT \$400 for 1st student \$350 for every sibling after
Payment 2 - August 22	\$65	
Payment 3 - September 5	\$65	
Payment 4 - September 19	\$65	
Payment 5 - October 10	\$65	
Payment 6 - October 24	\$65	
Total Fair Share	\$400	

The FAIR SHARE fees do not include the \$100 DVUSD Athletic Marching Fee.

We have read and agree to abide by the following terms above.

- We understand that member attendance at rehearsals and competitions listed above is mandatory.
- We understand if the member fails to demonstrate the expectations listed above, the instructors have the option to take appropriate action which may include suspension from the team.
- We agree to pay the FAIR SHARE fee, and understand that if the member is suspended or departs from the team, that it does not excuse us from our financial obligation to the Barry Goldwater Pride Regiment.
- We agree to pay the DVUSD ATHLETIC MARCHING FEE and understand that it is not included in the FAIR SHARE.
- **We understand that we are responsible to communicate with Mrs. Esparza in the event of schedule conflicts and/or if we are in need of financial arrangements.**

Printed Student Name

Student Signature

Date

Printed Parent/Guardian Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Mrs. Esparza, I have some concerns and questions. Please contact me at _____ .

Phone or Email