



Leigh High School PAPA

Performing Arts Parents Association

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Dear Valued Community Member,

We are writing to you on behalf of the Leigh High School Performing Arts Parents Association (PAPA), a volunteer-run, non-profit group, which supports the performing arts students, teachers and staff. LHS serves 1,700+ students and their families from the San Jose/Los Gatos area. We invite you and your business to be part of our biggest event of the year.

On Saturday, February 1st, 2025, LHS PAPA will host its 34th Annual Benefit Auction and Crab Feed

This event draws over 300 guests from across the Bay Area and is our largest fundraiser each year. Our long standing tradition includes live entertainment by LHS performing arts students, a silent auction, numerous drawings and sweepstakes, and of course delicious crab. To donate see the instructions in the last paragraph.

Please support LHS Performing Arts programs with a tax deductible donation:

- Donating physical or digital goods, gift certificates, and/or services (to be used as auction/drawing items at the event).
- Donating cash to support the organization. Even the smallest donation will make a world of difference!
- Advertising in our community brochure and invitations (contact us for details and ads may not be tax deductible.)

All sponsors will be mentioned in event materials to be advertised to the entire Leigh Community. This includes numerous social media posts leading up to and after the event.

This year we are raising funds for new marching band uniforms and to send our theater students to the International Thespian Festival. Money raised at this event will also make it possible for over 500+ Leigh High School students to participate in the school's many music, guard, and theater programs. The training given by these programs enable our students to be selected for the following prestigious groups:

*Award-winning LHS Longhorn Marching Band

*Collegiate-level LHS Wind Ensemble

*Award winning Musical & Theater Ensembles

*All State LHS Thespian Troupe

*All-State Choir and Orchestras

*San Jose Jazz High School All-Stars

Please let us know if you are interested in donating by emailing to the address below. To be included in this year's event program, donations must be received **by January 7th, 2025**. Please mail to the address above c/o Lisa Schwantz, or we are happy to come by in person to pick up. If you have any questions, please feel free to email the auction committee. Your generosity will enable the Leigh High School PAPA to more confidently face its future by making sure that it will maintain a high quality enrichment program for all LHS performing arts students. Thank you in advance for your generous support of the LHS Performing Arts program. We are proud to have you on our winning team!

Sincerely,

Crab Feed and Auction Committee
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