

# We need your help!

*Support our Elementary Instrumental Music Programs*

**We cannot continue to provide a quality music program without your support!**

*Please also note that while SEF donations support the elementary school "General Music" program, SUSD's band, orchestra, and Redwood music programs are SMB-supported.*

## Program Contributions

"Which SMB-supported programs support my child?"

**Program contributions are essential to our ability to offer these programs.**

**The voluntary program contributions listed under your student's group(s) directly support your child's ensemble(s).**

<b>5th Grade Band &amp; Strings AKA "Beginning Instrumental Music Exploratory"</b>
<b>Helps Fund:</b> "Academy" Instructors, Clinicians & Coaches Music Accessories Rehearsal Equipment etc.

All music classes are held throughout the entire school year. Your contributions to Saratoga Music Boosters (SMB) allow us to fund instructors, music, equipment and supplies as necessary. Each member is essential to the success of our programs. Your support and membership helps to ensure that every interested child receives a quality music education. Please note that our programs are limited to Saratoga USD students.

Contributions are non-refundable and only partially help cover students' participation.

**Head to [bit.ly/smb95070](https://bit.ly/smb95070) to access our online contribution system.**



## Benefactor Donation Drive

Saratoga Music Boosters is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization supporting music programs in the Saratoga Union School District and Saratoga High School.

**SMB Benefactor Donation Drive donations support all Saratoga music.**

**Donations are tax-deductible and eligible for corporate matching!**

"What do SMB Membership donations support?"

SMB Benefactor donations cover full-program support including instruments, software, sound system and other large-ticket equipment purchases, music awards and scholarships. SMB also subsidizes the Beginning 5th Grade Band and elementary school Orchestra programs. Your support of SMB Membership is essential to keeping music alive in Saratoga.

**In just the past couple of years alone, SMB purchased the following items for SUSD/Redwood thanks to your support:**

120 beginning band instruments • 130 beginning orchestra instruments • 8 string basses • 2 cellos • 5 violas • 5 tubas • 4 euphoniums • 3 F horns • 2 bassoon • 1 bass clarinet • 1 tenor sax • 1 oboe • and more!

**Head to [bit.ly/smbmembership](https://bit.ly/smbmembership) to donate to the SMB Benefactor Donation Drive online.**