

Become a member of the

MacArthur
Orchestra
Parents
Association

This membership is our main fundraiser for the school year . . . and it's tax-deductible!

Your generous contributions to MOPA help provide financial support to the MacArthur Orchestra program. Please help us continue this support. *Members receive a SUPPORTER OF THE MACARTHUR ORCHESTRA sticker*.

Anyone can join . . . you do <u>not</u> have to have a child in the orchestra to help support our outstanding, award-winning orchestra!

Please complete this form and return it with payment (check payable to MOPA) to Dr. Garverick or mail to: MacArthur High School Orchestra, 2923 MacArthur View, San Antonio, TX 78217

 $MacArthur\ Orchestra\ Parents\ Association\ (MOPA)$ is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt corporation; donations are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Joining MOPA is required should your child wish to apply for the Summer Orchestra Camp Endowment. You must be a member <u>no later than December 14, 2017</u> for your child to be eligible for the endowment.

MOPA membership dues help pay for: Accompanists/clinicians/judges who work with all of our students, out-of-town trip transportation and instrument rentals, concert supplies, end-of-the-year keepsake program, summer music camp endowments, meal for musical pit/cast/crew, and many other items which support <u>ALL</u> orchestra students. **Please help us continue this support!**

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We welcome your participation in MOPA. Please join us at a meeting or just help out at an orchestra event. Monthly meetings are usually held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. in the orchestra room.

Questions or just want to learn more? Please contact Katherine Seddighzadeh (kitseddighz@gmail.com), Sarah Nawrocki (nawrockicarroll@att.net), or Rachel Jackson (onemaj4me@yahoo.com).

MOPA 101: What is MOPA? How can YOU help?



The MacArthur Orchestra Parents Association was founded in 1996 by orchestra parents who wanted to form an organization to financially support and further promote our talented orchestra students. Thanks to the support of MOPA, including parents, family, alumni, friends, and faculty members, along with fundraisers and donations, we have been able to maintain our mission.

Mission

- Provide support and assistance to the MacArthur High School Orchestra Program
- Provide volunteers to help the program function
- Provide supplemental financial support to enrich the MacArthur music education program
- Encourage deserving students to further their learning and appreciation of music by providing summer camp scholarships

Anyone can join! MOPA = MacArthur Orchestra Parents People Association

Membership levels: Music Patron, \$25-49

Music Lover, \$50-99

Music VIP, \$100+

Members receive a *Supporter of the MacArthur Orchestra* sticker and recognition in concert programs. Membership is required (by December 14, 2017) for your student to apply for a Summer Orchestra Camp Scholarship.

Financial support to the MacArthur Orchestra

- Accompanists, clinicians, and judges
- Transportation for out-of-town symphony trips
- Scholarships for three students toward Texas summer music camps
- End-of-year Spring Concert and Senior Showcase keepsake program
- Meal for musical pit, cast, and crew

Volunteer support: Help needed daytime, evening, and weekend. Look for Signup Genius invitations to volunteer or provide donations for upcoming events.

- · Evening concerts at MacArthur, fall, winter, and spring
- Daytime concerts for cluster elementary schools, November and April
- MAC IDOL ballot counters, January
- BBQ dinner featuring Middle School Orchestra performances, February
- Meal for musical pit, cast, and crew, February
- NEISD Middle School Pre-UIL Tape Clinic, February
- Chaperones for symphony trips, fall and spring
- Cookies for the reception after the December concert

Attend MOPA meetings: A great opportunity to be involved and informed

Consider joining the MOPA Board: Open position for First VP, Fundraising.

MOPA website: www.mopa.sa-arts.net

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