

Scrip Program

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Dear Band Parents and Supporters,

Hi, just a quick note to let everyone know that the Scrip Program is alive and well. Since taking over the scrip program last July we have ordered \$148,969.00 in scrip with \$6,546 going into student accounts. With the big band trip next June we would like to invite all band families to participate in the scrip program. This is an easy-to-do fundraiser (its like free money) where we can benefit through scrip by purchasing cards ahead of time for places where we will spend money anyway.

I have edited the forms and they are currently posted on the band website at www.fzwband.net, click on the fundraising tab. I try to keep the order form on the band website up to date so it is the best place to find the most current information and forms. I appreciate all of the families that have been participating in the program helping keep costs down by printing the order sheets at home. With most folks preferring to only print one sheet I've changed the two-page order form to just one page, this will give us all of the information we need on that one sheet that gets turned in.

For those of you who are new or have never used the program before, the program is simple; you plan your upcoming purchases one-week or more in advance. Select from your favorite Grocery Stores, Restaurants, Retailers, Travel/Hotels, Gas, and Entertainment by purchasing Face Value (**Same-As-Cash**) coupons/gift certificates. Each of them is used just like cash. The bonus is that our band kids earn a percentage of your total purchases directly deposited into the student's band account. This is not limited to you either; you are more than welcome to ask family/friends if they want to participate.

Enclosed with this letter is a copy of the Weekly Scrip Order Form and Participating Retailers listing complete with instructions on each form. In order to participate, you can have your student bring your orders to school each week (by Friday during the school year) and put them in the black mailbox in the band room, or mail your orders to me (Connie Krull), or you can drop off orders in a FZW box located on my front porch. All orders must be to me by **3pm** on Sundays to be included that week. Orders will be distributed the following Friday at school to your child, unless you specify differently on the order forms. (Occasionally there are shipping delays.)

Please remember, no orders will be accepted via email. Checks or Money Orders **must** accompany each order.

Again, I look forward to another great year of utilizing the scrip program and hope that it is very profitable and successful for our children in the FZW Silver Jaguar Band.

Sincerely,

Connie Krull
Scrip Program Coordinator