

October 18, 2023

Dear Friend -

We would like to take this opportunity to introduce you to the MHS Backstage Boosters!

The Backstage Boosters was formed a few years ago by Milton families to support and enhance the theatre program at the high school. We believe that a vibrant theatre program provides meaningful learning, community, and performance experience for so many students at MHS and are committed to building a strong theatre program with multiple performances per year. Since the theatre program is run as an after-school club, is not part of high school courses or curriculum, and has limited financial support from the school, much of the Backstage Boosters' support is focused on fundraising to address financial shortfalls. We do this by promoting ticket sales, running raffles, and – in its second year – a membership program. Not only do we help fund programming, but we also award four scholarships to graduating seniors each year!

With a new creative team in place last year, we had a sold-out season of *Beauty and The Beast, Badger, and Mamma Mia!* We are <u>so thrilled</u> to continue building momentum for the 2023-24 season:

Fall Musical: Seussical! November 16th, 18th, and 19th

Winter Play AND Musical: METG competitive play and the regional teen premiere of SIX!! February 2nd, 3^{rd,} and 4th

Spring Musical: Footloose! April 26th, 27th and 28th

Please consider becoming an MHS Backstage Boosters Member by making a monetary donation. No amount is too small, and 100% of the proceeds go directly to our programming. One musical alone can cost upwards of 25K to produce. There will also be opportunities for volunteering at the productions throughout the year – more to come as we start the planning process!

Memberships will be open until Friday, November 10th.

Thank you in advance for your help!

-The Backstage Boosters Board

2023-2024 Milton Backstage Boosters Membership Benefits

Taymor Membership \$1,000	Sondheim Membership \$500	Paulus Membership \$250
Season Tickets to all Performances (4 per show)	4 tickets to show of your choice	4 tickets to show of your choice
20 Raffle Basket entries*	15 Raffle Basket entries*	10 Raffle Basket entries*
MHS Theatre Swag Bag	MHS Theatre Swag items	MHS Theatre Swag items
Fosse Membership \$100	Larson Membership \$50	
2 tickets to show of your choice	1 ticket to show of your choice	
5 Raffle Basket entries*	3 Raffle Basket entries*	
MHS Theatre Swag	MHS Theatre Swag	

*We will raffle off three amazing gift baskets throughout the artistic season. The number of entries you have to win a basket will depend on your donation amount. Drawings will be held at the close of each show run.

**Memberships are valid for 1 year and good for the entire household.

Sign up online today:

Larson: https://square.link/u/VSmUvnzQ Fosse: https://square.link/u/ZIiOgfTD Paulus: https://square.link/u/2FG3fApG Sondheim: https://square.link/u/5dTxin14 Taymor: https://square.link/u/MimquDTM