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Foothill High School Band Heads to Tournament of Roses Parade

HENDERSON, NEV. – The Foothill High School Marching Band will perform in the Tournament of Roses Parade on Jan. 2, 2017 in Pasadena, Calif. This year is the 128th Rose Parade celebration and will feature floats, marching bands and much more along a five and a half mile route.

The band is raising money to participate in upcoming tournaments in addition to the parade. Today, there are over 350 students in the band, making it the largest in the state's history. Budget limitations have been a problem for the band's ability to keep up with the growth and success.

Despite monetary setbacks, the band is receiving support from the community. Recently, businessman, Robert Ellis donated a trailer and \$10,000 to the band to relieve the stress of traveling with hundreds of instruments. Additionally, several community businesses have donated their time, money and materials into renovating the trailer.

The Foothill Marching Band is excited to announce the unveiling of the new trailer at 4 p.m. on Oct. 7 at Foothill High School before the football game. The community is invited to come out to celebrate the revealing of the new trailer.

For more information about the band, please visit FHSBands.com or Falconbandboosters.org.

About the Falcon Band Boosters:

The Falcon Band Boosters is a nonprofit corporation organized for the public benefit as described in NRS 82.021 and solely for general charitable purposes, more specifically for the purpose of providing educational and charitable opportunities and for the advancement of religion, science, and the arts. The Falcon Band Boosters is also established for the purpose of investing and disbursing funds and to hold property to benefit charities which qualify under Sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1), (2), and (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and any corresponding provisions of any subsequent federal tax laws dealing with exemptions of organizations from tax.

The Falcon Band Boosters support the Foothill High School Band program, in Henderson, Nevada, which includes the marching band, color guard / drill team, indoor drum line, concert band, jazz band, pep band, percussion, and all related ensembles (collectively the "Band") by: Supporting the financial needs of the Band; Arousing and maintaining an enthusiastic interest in the students, staff, parents, and community in all aspects of the Band, and provide the highest quality and most positive experience to all Band members by supporting the Band and its directors.

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