



Dear Valued Partners:

As part of the annual Taste of Aliso Niguel event, which takes place Saturday, October 8, 2011 at the Summit Campus Offices in Aliso Viejo – the ANHS Instrumental Music Boosters are asking for donations from businesses and individuals to be awarded in a 'silent auction' held in-conjunction with the event. Items (gift cards, tickets, gift baskets, products, gift certificates, etc) donated will be displayed at the event, along with the name of the donor – where visitors will enter their bid for the item. The bidder with the highest bid at the end of the night can claim the item, upon payment of the amount bid. ALL funds raised by this auction will be used to support the Instrumental Music programs of Aliso Niguel High School. Receipts will be provided after the event, on written request to [treasurer@anhsmusic.com](mailto:treasurer@anhsmusic.com), to donors in the amount paid for the item.

Funding for education in the performing arts has been under attack for many years, with school districts' budgets being cut by the state and donations from business and families suffering from the current economic condition. While we're thankful that the Capistrano Unified School District provides a credentialed teacher and classroom space – it is important to know that these are the ONLY funds they provide for our students' music education. If our students are to receive anything more than the most basic level of instruction – we must provide ALL financial support to cover those expenses.

The Aliso Niguel High School Instrumental Music Boosters were incorporated as a California non-profit organization in 1997, with the sole purpose of providing funding for music coaches and teachers, music purchases and licensing, equipment purchase and repair, transportation of students and equipment to performance and competition events, and all of the other things necessary to provide our students with an incredible music education and life-changing experiences.

The Aliso Niguel HS Instrumental Music Boosters are recognized by the Internal Revenue Service as a 501(c)3 public benefit corporation (Tax ID: 33-0778424) – meaning that your donation is fully tax-deductible, to the extent of the law. Our administrative expenses are kept to an absolute minimum and all non-teaching work is done by volunteers, in order to maximize the benefit to our students.

Please consider making a generous gift to our organization today and help us provide the education our students deserve and want so badly. It will help enrich our community and our future generations.

Visit us on the web at <http://www.anhsmusic.com> to learn more.

For more information about the Taste of Aliso Niguel, visit <http://tasteofalisoniguel.com/>

THANK YOU for your support.