



Dade County Bands



September 22, 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are pleased to announce that the Dade County Bands will be selling Indian River Groves Citrus again this year! This is a wonderful fundraiser for our program and we hope that everyone enjoys the fruit. The sale will include Navel Oranges, Juice Oranges, Pink Grapefruit, Mandarin Oranges, and Washington Red Delicious Apples. The price per carton is \$30 - \$35 depending on the product.

The dates for the sale will be **September 22 – October 14**. **Please have all orders and money turned in no later than 3:10 p.m. on October 14. Anything turned in after that date will not be included in the order.** All money must be turned in with the order. **The fruit will be available for pickup starting at 7:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 1st at DCHS.**

The students will be given an incentive to sell as much as they can. A credit of \$1.00 per case will be added to the student account with the band boosters. Every student is encouraged to sell a minimum of 10 cases. There will be a cash prize of \$100 for the top sellers at each school (one for DMS and one for DCHS). The top sellers will be announced and awarded at the Christmas Concert at DCHS (The DMS and DCHS band concerts are December 7th).

This year, Florida Indian River Groves has an awesome fundraising app to help with sales. Please see the flyer in the sale materials envelope for more information on downloading and using the app.

The monies raised from this fundraiser will help the band to purchase much needed materials for the program. Many items used by the band currently need repair or to be replaced. We need **YOUR** help to make this happen.

We ask that every child attempt to sell at least 10 cases of fruit (15 per family if you have multiple children in the program). If you would rather not participate in this fundraising opportunity, we ask for a donation to the Dade County Band program to help fill this gap. A donation of \$100 to the band would take care of your child's fundraising portion (\$150 if you have multiple children in the band).

We thank you so much for your support in the band program. It would be impossible to run the band program without the support each and every one of you gives.

Thank you!

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