

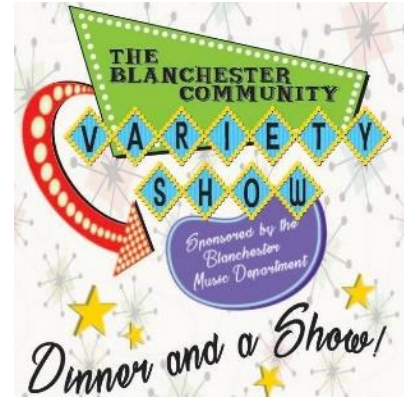
January 29, 2018

Dear Business and Community Member,

***Goodness, Gracious, Great Balls of Fire!***

***The Blanchester Music Department is hosting the Blanchester Community Variety Show on Friday, April 20.***

***This year, it is a retro 1950's themed event...and the music students need your help to make it a success!***



The Blanchester Local Schools Music Department, with assistance from the Blanchester Music Boosters, is asking area businesses to partner with us in sponsoring the Annual Variety Show. **You can support the music students today by giving a monetary donation or by providing items for our raffle fundraiser.** Your donation to the Music Department is tax deductible.

The Blanchester Community Variety Show is a true neighborhood collaboration, showcasing talent acts not only of Blanchester Students, but of community members as well. The success of this event hinges on folks – like you – giving of their time, talent and resources.

The Music Boosters work hand-in-hand with the Blanchester School Administration and Music Director(s) to support our young music students by providing financial, logistical and moral support.

**When you sponsor the Blanchester Community Variety Show today, this is what will happen...**

- ♪ **You will help purchase uniforms, instruments, and equipment**
- ♪ **You will help repair and maintain overly “loved” uniforms, instruments and equipment**
- ♪ **You will help feed and hydrate students during summer band camp and other music events**
- ♪ **You will help pack up and haul instruments and equipment to every football game, competition, and music event**
- ♪ **You will help buy awards for the young musicians who compete in solo and ensemble competitions**
- ♪ **You will help ensure that a lack of funds doesn’t keep a student from participating in music**

**And most importantly...**

- ♪ **You will help provide the opportunity for students to participate in an excellent music program and benefit from all it has to offer: achieving self-confidence, learning discipline, fostering responsibility and hard work, practicing teamwork, mastering music, and developing life-long friendships and memories.**

You can make your donation today by filling out the attached sponsorship form and returning it with your monetary donation or raffle item. If you have questions or need more information, please email [blanchestermusic@gmail.com](mailto:blanchestermusic@gmail.com). We appreciate any gift you have to give!

Thank you for joining our team!

Sincerely,

Stephanie Black and Kelly Trivett  
Variety Show Co-Chairs  
Blanchester Local School District Music Boosters