

We are kicking off our annual **Butter Braid** fundraiser today, Monday, February 1, 2021!
There are two options for placing orders this year: paper order form or the online store.

Paper Order Forms: Your student has either received an order form with the information about due dates and delivery or can download the form from our website: www.elkgrovebandboosters.com
Please make sure your student prints his/her name on the order form along with a contact phone number in case we have questions. Also, your student should print his/her name on the envelope that is included with the form. **All orders are due by February 12th.** Pick-up will be at EGHS on March 3rd between 3:00 and 5:00 p.m. by Door 4. The boxes are small enough that small orders can be easily picked up by the students themselves. The butter braids will need to be frozen immediately upon arrival home.

Please note: All checks and money orders need to be made out to **EGBA**, put into an envelope with the order and then placed in the EGBA box in the band room or mailed to us at EGBA, P.O. Box 148, Elk Grove Village, IL 60009. If mailing the checks, please allow a few extra days so that we receive the orders and money on time. Even if you do not want to order online, you can share the link below with family and friends, so they can see what is being offered.

Online Orders: To order Butter Braids using the online store, please follow this link:

<https://store.myfundraisingplace.com/cbd6b901-6670-4912-b3c9-54c922af711a>

When you click on this link, search for your student's first name and initial of last name. You can then add items that you would like to order. You can pay online using a credit card. All orders will be delivered to EGHS on March 3rd between 3:00 and 5:00 p.m. at door 4. The boxes are small enough that small orders can be easily picked up by the students themselves. They will need to be frozen immediately upon arrival home. **Please note:** there is a \$2.00 convenience fee that is charged per **online order.** You are welcome to share the online information with friends and family members. You can combine orders with them to avoid multiple convenience fees. You can also avoid the convenience fee by using the paper order form.

This is an important fundraiser and is one in which the students not only earn money to help offset the cost of many of the band activities, but they also earn money toward their student accounts. With each butter braid sold, the band clears \$5.60, half of which goes into the student's account. That money can then be used toward band fees, private lessons, a band trip etc. The more pastries you're able to sell, the more money that is raised for band and for your student's account! Talk about a win, win!

These butter braids are delicious and are great to have on hand to take to a Sunday brunch or serve as a special breakfast treat. They come to us frozen and double in size as they rise overnight when you're ready to bake them.

If you have questions about this fundraiser, please contact Sue Affleck at:
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