

## **The Kroger Gift Card fundraiser program**

- Each card costs \$1.00 and can be paid for with cash or check through the TWHS Band Boosters Club.

Initial cost for the card is \$1.00. You must “recharge” this card before use. **Before purchasing groceries**, have your card “recharged” at the Customer Service Booth or at any register (tell the checker ahead of time) for an amount up to \$500.00. You can have more than one card. You can “recharge” cards with cash, check, or credit card (for airline miles!) I have heard that at times, Kroger will not allow checks for reloads. This varies and is fairly inconsistent among stores. Just be prepared in case you run into this circumstance.
- For each \$100.00 recharge, the student you designate receives \$5.00 credit. You get the full \$100 worth of groceries!
- When the card is depleted, recharge and continue using.
- You can buy Kroger Cards from the following locations:

Wells Fargo Bank, 4880 W. Panther Creek (in the Professional Plaza, contacts are Jerilynn Litterer (Band Mom) and Mrs. Mary Page – 281-362-2400

You may also purchase Kroger Cards at all Band Booster Meetings!

## **The Randall’s Gift Card fundraiser program**

- Each card costs \$100.00 and can be paid for with cash or check through the TWHS Band Boosters Club.
- For each \$100.00 card you purchase, the student you designate receives \$5.00 credit. You get the full \$100 worth of groceries!
- When the card is depleted, throw it away and buy a new card.
- You can buy Randall’s Cards from the following locations:

Wells Fargo Bank, 4880 W. Panther Creek (in the Professional Plaza, contacts are Jerilynn Litterer (Band Mom) and Mrs. Mary Page – 281-362-2400

You may also purchase Randalls Cards at all Band Booster Meetings!

## **The HEB Gift Card fundraiser program**

- Each card costs \$100.00 and can be paid for with cash or check through the TWHS Band Boosters Club.
- For each \$100.00 card you purchase, the student you designate receives \$3.00 credit. You get the full \$100 worth of groceries!
- When the card is depleted, throw it away and buy a new card.
- You can buy HEB Cards from the following locations:

Wells Fargo Bank, 4880 W. Panther Creek (in the Professional Plaza, contacts are Jerilynn Litterer (Band Mom) and Mrs. Mary Page – 281-362-2400

**Please read the back of the card for other details!**

## Frequently Asked Questions

Can I buy more than one card? Yes. Each card will be assigned to one student. (When you first buy a Kroger rechargeable card, ensure the card number matches the sign-up sheet line number.)

Do the cards expire? A Kroger gift card with a zero balance for over 90 days will be voided out of the system. You must then buy a new card. Try to keep at least \$1.00 balance on the card or recharge it regularly to maintain its currency. Randall's and HEB cards do not expire, but may become "dormant" after twelve months of non-use.

Can the credit for my card go to more than one student? No. You must buy a card for each student.

How does my child receive credit for my Kroger recharges? TWHS Band Boosters receives a monthly statement from Kroger indicating the card number (on the back of the card,) a "recharge" date(s) for that card number, and the dollar amount. (When you buy the card the number on the back of the card will be assigned to a student you designate.)

Can I recharge the Kroger card for amounts other than increments of \$100.00? Yes.

Can I recharge the Kroger card when I checkout with my groceries? The Kroger gift card must be recharged and paid for **PRIOR** to being used as payment for groceries. In other words, you must tell the cashier you wish to recharge the card as a separate transaction from the grocery purchase. You can only recharge a card at the checkout for a maximum of \$100.00. Requests for more than \$100.00 must be processed at the Customer Service desk.

I have lost my card. Can it be replaced? No. If you lose the card, you must purchase a new one. However, the balance of your lost Kroger rechargeable card can be transferred to your new card. Please buy the replacement card from our regular outlets.

Can I buy a card at a Kroger or Randall's or HEB store and tell them it is for TWHS Band Boosters? **NO!! Cards must be purchased from our organization to receive credit.** You can buy them at the outlets listed on the preceding page.

What can I purchase with the card? You can purchase anything in a Kroger/Randall's/HEB store (and other participating stores nationwide listed on the cards) with a gift card with the exception of Courtesy Booth services. Services include: money orders, lottery tickets, stamps, hunting/fishing licenses, and Western Union. If you are unsure, ask someone at the Customer Service counter. Fuel can be purchased at Randall's and HEB only if an attendant is present.

How do I know the balance of the card? The balance of the card is always printed at the bottom of the last receipt. See the back of the card for other methods of obtaining your balance.

Can friends or relatives use a card? Yes. The gift cards are accepted in all Kroger/Randall's/HEB Stores and affiliates throughout the U.S. They can be sent to friends or family locally or out of state and still benefit your student.

If you have any further questions or problems call DeeAnne Fritz, 281-296-2158 – home or 832-428-9564 - cell, or email at [grocerv@twhsband.com](mailto:grocerv@twhsband.com). I will have all gift cards available at booster meetings and other events. The businesses that allow gift cards to be sold at their locations do this as a service to TWHS Band Boosters. They **cannot** answer questions about the program. Please show your appreciation for their help by patronizing their businesses. **Please remember that the bank is doing this as a courtesy only-you may have to wait until they finish with a customer before they can help you purchase any grocery cards.**