



Performance Itineraries through October 29th

Remember that Tuesday and Thursday rehearsals will now end at 7:00 p.m. This is in order for us to complete setting drill and music for the last few performances. We announced this two weeks ago.

Friday, October 21- Cherokee Game (Home)

Call time 5:30 p.m. on the practice field.

Return to the bandroom at 6:00 p.m.

Depart for the stadium at 6:50 p.m.

Saturday, October 22- West Ridge Contest

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. - Rehearsal

3:15 p.m. - Depart for West Ridge High School

Please see click the link below to view the West Ridge Schedule and information:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/15zqTXdUSvVzyTsn36ZqIOY7m uGcmLEpA?usp=sharing>

Friday, October 28th - Sullivan East (Home) I will update with times early next week, as this will be Senior Night. There will be several bits of information regarding concession stand, pit crew, and senior parents.

Saturday, October 29th - Alcoa Contest

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - Rehearsal

12:00 p.m. - Depart for Alcoa High School

Please click the link below to view the Alcoa Contest schedule and additional information:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1DE7wqVOgXUsqEwL_3ohyVxg Dppe4EaHC?usp=sharing

Please carefully read the information below concerning spectator parking and tickets:

1. Buses will need to enter into campus from the south side of campus, via Associates/Marconi Blvd (Associates becomes Marconi.). The best way is to travel south on Alcoa Hwy., veer left at the split and take a left onto Associate's Blvd from there. Please DO NOT come the old school way of getting off on Hunt Rd. and coming through the Alcoa neighborhoods. This will help us greatly with traffic flow for the contest. You can see the bus entrance on the attached map.

2. Class AA has been split into two new classes, AA-1 and AA-2, due to the large size of the class. Number of wind and percussion performers were used to determine the class split.

3. Due to the large number of bands attending this year, we will have 2 award ceremonies. Class A and AA bands, I ask that if you are able, after the afternoon awards ceremonies if you will vacate the campus so that we can accomodate parking for the later afternoon and evening bands. Class AAAA bands and bands that perform later in Class AAA, please plan to arrive around 5:00 p.m. or later so that we can assure we have ample parking space for your buses and trailers. Our campus is tight as most of you know so I ask for your patience as we work to get everyone in and parked.

4. Parking is very limited on campus for spectators. Most spectators will need to park at either the Springbrook Pool parking lot or at the Alcoa Elementary School parking lot on the other side of the duck pond and then walk to the stadium via the Bridged Walkway. We will have handicap available parking by the Main Gym next to the stadium. All other parking on the high school campus will need to be reserved for Buses and Equipment trailers. Please see the attached map for details.

5. Gate admission for spectators is \$10 this year and tickets will be sold via GoFan only. I will send out a link in the coming days that you can forward to your parents to pre-purchase their ticket. If they choose to purchase a ticket at the gate, admission will be CARD ONLY. Concessions and vendors will still take cash and/or card, but gate admission will be only cards.

I will send out a few more details as we get closer to the contest, but I just wanted to get those notes to you along with the schedule, maps, and line up for awards. Please let me know if you have any questions! Looking forward to hosting all of your groups!

*Two more weeks to go!!! LET'S FINISH
STRONG... GO BAND!!*