

Colorado Bandmasters Association  
State Marching Band Championships  
DeRose ThunderBowl Pueblo, Colorado  
October 29, 2018

1A, 2A, 3A Directors Packet

**Schedules-** All semifinal and finals schedules are posted on the CBA marching band website.

**All personal vehicles** will be asked to park in the spectator parking lot. **Food vehicles/trailers** will need to park in the north stadium parking. **There will be no food/food distribution allowed in the bus and/or equipment truck areas.**

**Spectator Parking-** is available next to the stadium.

**Bus/Truck Parking-** refer to the map for location and entrance. **No private vehicles will be allowed in this area for the safety of students.** Please plan with your boosters accordingly.

**Cooking, Food Serving Area-** the only location will be in the north bus lot.

**Concessions-** there will be concessions available in the stadium.

**Patches/Souvenirs-** Boomerang will be selling State patches, shirts, caps, hoodies, etc.

**Warm Up Areas-** there are four areas labeled A, B, C and D on the map. You have one hour in your assigned area for percussion, guard, body and music warmup. Please depart the warm up area on time as the time for the next group starts at your departure time.

**Extra Warmup-** there is a designated area for percussion sections and guards who want to warm up prior to the designated group warm up time. Refer to the map for these locations. **These two areas are the only locations where this will be allowed.**

**Stamping Policy-** we will stamp the hands of students and bus drivers. We will not stamp the hands of chaperones, truck drivers, boosters, etc. Each director will be given comp tickets (based upon a 1/15 chaperone to student ratio) to distribute as needed. Hand stamps will be honored for semifinals and finals.

**CHSAA Passes-** we will accept these passes at the gate for administrators, superintendents, etc. These will be honored for that person only.

**Prestaging and exit-** please stage your band and front ensemble at least 5 minutes before your performance time. **Refer to the site map.**

**Band Guides-** we will not have the manpower to provide guides. Please make sure you study map so you know the location of your assigned warm up area, stadium entrance, group picture site, etc.

**Power-** We will provide one power cord to the 50 yard line. Use at your own risk.

**Pit/Prop Parent Wristbands-** you will receive pit/prop wristbands in a packet upon arrival. All finalist bands will receive finals wristbands will be in a packet handed out at the semifinals awards presentations. All adults assisting with pit/props will be required to show their wristband at field gate

**Group Pictures-** Travis Sutton Events Photography will be the official group photographer. All groups are **required** to take a group photo after semifinals and again after finals. This location will be next to the red barn.

**Semifinals Awards-** this will be a retreat for drum major only. They should be in uniform. Color guard captions, percussion captains are not allowed to participate in this retreat.

**Finals Packets-** packets for directors of all finalist bands will be handed out immediately after semifinals awards. Included in this packet will be schedules, retreat instructions and finals comp tickets.

**Finals Retreat-** the CSU/Pueblo drumline will play all of the bands into the stadium for the full band retreat. If your band is in finals, be prepared to march your band into the stadium in a parade block no wider than five yards. I suggest if you have a banner, have the banner at the front of your band.

**Repair Van-** Marck Time Music will provide emergency instrument repair.

**Semifinals Ticket Prices:**

Adults	\$11.00
Students	\$9.00
Seniors (60+)	\$9.00
Under 10	Free

**Finals Ticket Prices:**

Adults	\$12.00
Students	\$10.00
Seniors (60+)	\$10.00
Under 10	Free

**Semifinal and Finals Combo Ticket Prices:**

Adults	\$20.00
Students	\$17.00
Seniors (60+)	\$17.00
Under 10	Free