

Colorado Bandmasters Association
State Marching Band Championships
CSU-Pueblo Stadium, Pueblo, Colorado
November 1, 2021

1A, 2A, 3A Directors Packet

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

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.

Spectator Parking- is available next to the stadium

Cooking, Food Serving Area- all food vehicles will be in the designated lot. Refer to map.

Ticket Prices- ticket prices are listed at the end of this document. Credit cards are accepted.

Concessions- there will be concessions available in the stadium.

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

Music Warm Up - there are two areas labeled A and B the map. Steve Martin will be supervising these areas. You have 30 minutes in your assigned area for music warm up. Please depart the warm up area on time as the time for the next group starts at your departure time.

Warm Up Areas- There are four areas labeled A, B, C, D on the map. You have one hour in your assigned area for color guard, body and music warmup. Please depart the warmup area on time. No gock blocks, metronomes, long rangers, sound systems, etc. are allowed.

Percussion Warm Up- There are designated warm up areas, this is the only place that any portion of your percussion can do any warmup. Ward Durrett will be supervising these areas.

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 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 or superintendents. These will be honored for that person only.

Prestaging and exit- please stage your band and front ensemble one performance (15 minutes)

before your performance time. Bands will enter at the back of the field or back half of the end zone from the southeast. Bands will exit to their left (south) after their performance.

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- Jolesch 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, pit/prop parent wristbands and finals comp tickets.

Finals Retreat- The CSU-P ThunderWolves 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.

Please feel free to contact me with questions:

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Semifinals Ticket Prices:

Adults	\$11.00
Students	\$9.00
Seniors (60+)	\$9.00
Nine and under	Free

Finals Ticket Prices:

Adults	\$12.00
Students	\$10.00
Seniors (60+)	\$10.00
Nine and under	Free

Semifinal and Finals Combo Ticket Prices:

Adults	\$20.00
Students	\$17.00
Seniors (60+)	\$17.00
Nine and under	Free