



GOSHEN HIGH SCHOOL

Crimson Marching Band

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To: Crimson Marching Band members
From: T. Cox and J. Kaufman
Re: **Penn Invitational on 9/23/17**
Date: Handed out 9/20/17



Parents buy your PENN tickets from us—we keep half of the money!!! Checks payable to Penn Band Boosters. See Mr. Cox in the band office. \$6.00 per ticket!

The CMB is on a roll!!! Congrats on the big win, but remember you are really only competing with yourself. We MUST continue to rehearse like champions! The points don't matter if we know in our hearts that we gave our best effort. Success is defined by doing your best and continuing to improve from week to week. Remember that please. Penn is a great stadium and should be a great place to see all of the shows. We hope many of your family and relatives can make it to this show. Please share the info below. Let's OWN that field and PERFORM like CHAMPIONS!!! We are proud of you!! Remember to rehearse like you want to perform this weekend!!!

PARENTS: CHEER FOR US!!!!!! IF YOU HEAR SOMETHING YOU LIKE CLAP!! WATCH THE STAFF ON THE TRACK IF YOU ARE NOT SURE WHERE TO CLAP! ☺ MAKE SOME NOISE GOSHEN!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Friday, September 22

- 4:00 p.m. Rehearsal ends for winds/percussion.
- 5:30 p.m. Arrive back at GHS/Get in uniform
- 6:00 p.m. Warm-up on the practice field
- 7:00 p.m. Home football game begins (Homecoming)
Change out of uniform after halftime. You should have your RED parade shirts to change into for the 3rd/4th quarter. You can wear shorts/jeans as well.
- 9:30 p.m.ish Game ends. Go home and get some rest. We have a long day Saturday! ☺

Saturday, September 23

- 10:00 a.m. Rehearsal starts. BE ON TIME. SET AN ALARM...MAKE A PLAN!!!
- Noon Lunch break. Bring your lunch or have it delivered to you. We do not want you to be in a rush. You are to eat in the cafeteria only. Not on the carpet or in the music rooms. **DO NOT go anywhere else in the school, but the music wing and the cafeteria. BE AWESOME OFF THE REHERSAL FIELD!!**
- 1:00 p.m. Rehearsal resumes.
- 4:30 p.m. Rehearsal ends. You are to put your instruments/uniform bags/shako boxes next to the semi **BEFORE YOU LEAVE TO EAT!!! You are responsible for your own stuff. A parent/director will not load it for you. PLEASE follow directions! IF you stay here you may only be in the music wing.**
- 6:15 p.m. Students arrive at GHS/Busses arrive on the marching band parking lot.
- 6:30 p.m. Trucks leave for Penn.
- 6:35 p.m. Load busses (NO CHANGING!!) REMEMBER YOUR LONG BLACK SOCKS!
- 6:45 p.m. Leave for Penn. Parents are in charge. You can help by being mature young adults. Foul language, PDA (affection), or other deviant behavior NOT will be permitted. BE GOOD KIDS!!
- 7:30 p.m. Arrive at Penn HS. Unload. You are free to walk around in show shirts. Represent us well please!
- 8:00 p.m. Get in uniform
- 8:35 p.m. Move to visual warm-up. Area A

- 8:43 p.m. Visual Warm-up. Area A
- 9:07 p.m. Move to music Warm-up. Area A
- 9:19 p.m. Music Warm-up. Area A
- 9:43 p.m. Transit to field-move quietly and professionally!
- 9:54 p.m. Enter field
- 9:57 p.m. A GREAT GOSHEN PERFORMANCE! Set the field ON FIRE!!
Go to the track and wait for awards.
- 10:30 p.m. Awards for class A—After awards, head back to busses. Wait for directors to come expand on results.
Remember to be gracious no matter what. A director will meet you back at the buses to talk to you.
Parents are in charge. Please listen and follow directions.
- 11:15p.m.ish Leave for Goshen HS. Staff will stay at Penn for critique.
- 11:50 a.m. Arrive at Goshen H.S. You MUST clean the room before you leave! HANG UP UNIFORMS NEATLY!!!!
Remember we are sharing this space and others do not want to see (and smell) our mess. Help each other out!
- 12:15 a.m.ish Parents/Drum Majors will dismiss you once everything is unloaded and put away.

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Parent Information

- **Tickets can be bought ahead of time. If you buy them from us we get to keep half of the profit. See Tom Cox or Kristy this week at practice or Saturday to get your tickets. WE SOLD OUT LAST WEEK...GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!!**
☺ **Cost is \$6.00 We ONLY have adult tickets to sell. Checks payable to Penn Band Boosters. Get yours early!**
- You might want to ride in carpools to save space. Parking may be hard to find by the start of class A.
- **GET YOUR SEATS EARLY!!** By the time we perform the place will be packed! Get there at the start of class A if you want to sit together and **CHEER!**
- We get a boost from you!! Please yell/clap/scream during the show!! You are not being rude, you actually add to the score when you cheer loudly.
- PLEASE come and support your children!! They perform better when you are there!
- Do you have a red band shirt or a show shirt? If so wear it to the show!
- Attendance is extremely important! Please have your child at rehearsal...we can only get better if everyone is here all of the time! Thank you!
- The kids are doing great! Please remind them that no matter the outcome they are winners because they are working hard and getting better! That is success!

Crimson Marching Band Directors

Portage	William Timmerman	Open Class A	6:52pm		8:02pm	8:14pm	8:38pm	8:49pm	8:52pm
Chesterton	Michael Scheiber	Open Class A	7:05pm		8:15pm	8:27pm	8:51pm	9:02pm	9:05pm
Laporte	Mickey Stisher	Open Class A	7:18pm		8:28pm	8:40pm	9:04pm	9:15pm	9:18pm
Concord	Scott Spradling	Open Class A	7:31pm		8:41pm	8:53pm	9:17pm	9:28pm	9:31pm
Carroll	Doug Hassell	Open Class A	7:44pm		8:54pm	9:06pm	9:30pm	9:41pm	9:44pm
Goshen	Tom Cox	Open Class A	7:57pm		9:07pm	9:19pm	9:43pm	9:54pm	9:57pm
Penn	Glenn Northern	Exhibition			9:20pm	9:32pm	9:56pm	10:07pm	10:10pm
Awards for Open Class B and A									10:30pm