



ATASCOCITA HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Military Marching Band ~ Concert Band ~ Jazz Band ~ Percussion Ensemble ~ 100% Pride

UIL AREA MARCHING CONTEST **ITINERARY**

Saturday, October 29, 2022

Performance Site: Galena Park ISD Stadium

15025 Wallisville Rd, Houston, TX 77049

Performance Time: 9:00

- **5:00am Arrival time**
- **5:15 Rehearsal on the AHS FOOTBALL FIELD (1 warm-up, 2 runs - one with track, one with music)**
 - *Parents and students: a rehearsal run-through the day of the performance is critical to the success of our performing members on the field. I know that our call time is very early, but our draw time for Area is completely randomized and out of our control. Out of 26 bands that advanced, we drew 3rd to perform for the day. To have the best performance possible, we need the time on the field to run through the performance before we depart to the competition site.*
- **5:45 Rehearsal over, head to the band hall.**
 - SUIT UP - in all the things - all parts of the uniform.
 - SUMMER BAND UNIFORM - Wear your summer band uniform underneath - dryfit under shirt, black shorts, white marching shoes, TALL WHITE SOCKS
 - INSTRUMENT - Make sure your instrument is ready to go in working order.
- **6:15 Inspection**
 - section leaders, take this time to check all uniform parts of all performing members.
- **6:25 Roll Call and Bus Loading**
 - Grab a breakfast item on the way in the bus - thank you Boosters!
- **6:40 Bus roll taken, depart to Performance Site (40 mins)**
- **7:20 Arrive at Performance Site (50 min window)**
 - All hands on deck! Any percussion, large equipment, unload quickly. Instruments out, line up orderly in a parade block. Hand out plumes once trucks are finished. Stay on the bus until your section is called
- **8:10 Scheduled Music Warmup - Area 1 (30 min warmup, travel to the gate at 8:40)**
- **9:00 Contest Performance**
- **9:10 Performance over**
 - Load up equipment. Head to the busses quickly.
- **9:20 Depart to go home**
- **10:00 Home at AHS - read the next page for further instructions.**

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Students are free to go home and rest during this time - they have roughly 4 hours. The truck should stay loaded - we will not be unloading the equipment truck at this time, as we will need to return to the stadium for area performance results and a potential area finals performance.

The band hall will close during the hours of 11:00am to 1:30pm. **The band hall will re-open at 1:30pm** for students to arrive back at the school for final rehearsal of the day.

- **2:00 Arrive back at AHS** - head to the practice field for a rehearsal run through with click track.
- 2:30 Back to the band hall
- 3:00 Roll call - with garment bags and instruments. (uniforms do NOT need to go on)
 - Drum majors need to suit up for the drum major retreat.
- 3:10 Load busses, 3:20 Depart back to Galena Park Stadium
- 4:00 Arrive at Galena Park Stadium.
- 4:30 Wait for announcements of band placements and finals advancement.
 - Drum majors, please report to the holding area for retreat.

The Atascocita High School Band will wait to see if they are one band out of 10 bands selected to perform for the Finals round of UIL Area Marching Contest. **Schedule continues on the next page...**

If the band IS SELECTED to advance to UIL Area Finals:

- 5:00PM - Head to the buses for a debriefing of instructions.
 - The first warm-up for draw no. 1 starts at 5:10PM.
 - If it is an early performance, we will suit up quickly, so straight to music warm-up, perform. After the performance, we will have drinks and snacks. Concessions will be available to students.
 - If the band performs late, we will do drinks and snacks early, then go to music warmup then perform.
- _____ Music Warmup (site _____)
_____ Contest Finals Performance
- 9:15 Announcement of UIL State Advancing Participants with Drum Major Retreat
- 9:45 Depart to AHS
- Around 10:30 Return to AHS

If the band IS NOT SELECTED to advance to UIL Area Finals:

- 5:00 Head to the buses for a debriefing of instructions from the directors
- 5:10 Depart to AHS
- 5:50 Return to AHS