



## UIL Region 6 South Zone Marching Contest October 14, 2023 - San Angelo Stadium

- ❖ Bus parking and equipment truck/trailer will be on the visitor's side of the stadium. Please enter from Knickerbocker Rd. A parking lot guide will be there to assist your parking. Personal vehicles are NOT allowed to park in the parking lot with the buses. This is for the safety of the students walking through the parking lot and warm up areas.
- ❖ Upon arrival, submit your Form 1, Statement of Compliance, and any outstanding entry fee checks to the office. Bands will not be permitted to perform without these items.
- ❖ Please arrive in time to unload, restroom and change in order to be at your warm-up area in time for your scheduled warm up.
- ❖ Warm Up Procedures – Due to the proximity of the warm up areas to the stadium, playing warm ups will only be allowed between band performances. Playing warm up times will be signified by a green flag from the top of the visitors stands. Once the red flag has been waived, all playing, clicks, etc, must be stopped. You may continue to warm up visually during a band's performance. Once the green flag has been waived again, regular playing warm ups may resume. No playing is allowed in the parking lot outside of the warm up areas.
- ❖ If needed (not required), front ensembles will be able to warm up inside the fenced area near the ramp. Those areas will be clearly marked. The same warm up procedure for when and when not to play applies here as well.
- ❖ Bands are not required to use their entire allotted time for warm up. The time designated "ramp" on the schedule is when you will be required to be out of the warm up area, moving toward the stadium.
- ❖ Restrooms will be open on the visitor's side of the stadium for band use. Students should refrain from walking in the middle walkway on the visitors side. Bathroom access is up the ramps on the side.
- ❖ Bands will enter and exit the field from the south side ramp next to the field house near Gate 3. A water station will be available for bands AFTER their performance. If you need water during your allotted warm up times, you must provide your own.

- ❖ There is power at field level. Please bring all necessary equipment needed to plug in your sound systems.
- ❖ All parents and group supporters must pay an entrance fee. Spectators must enter through Gate 1, not the band entrances.
- ❖ All students, directors, and chaperones should re-enter on the visitors side, north gate (Gate 2). This will allow students to return to the home side for concessions, souvenirs, and watch other bands. Only bands going to and from performance will be allowed to enter on the visitors south side (Gate 3). No access to the home side will be available through gate 3
- ❖ Gate 4, the southwest entrance will be closed and not open for use. Please advise students, staff, parents, and chaperones that there is no access to the parking lot from this end of the stadium. Only bands entering and exiting performance should be on the track.
- ❖ TMF will be onsite for shirts, patches, and other souvenirs.
- ❖ Concessions will be offered throughout the day. There will be *no pre-order meals*. Please make whatever arrangements you need for full meals offsite. Many local restaurants will deliver to the stadium.
- ❖ No official video will be made of your performance. Each school may send one representative to record from the designated video area in the press box.
- ❖ Upon completion of your performance, the head director from each school should report to the press box for retrieval of ratings sheets and judges comments.
- ❖ Ratings will be announced at the conclusion of class 1A, 2A, and 3A. Ratings for 4A, 5A and 6A will be announced together at the conclusion of class 6A.
- ❖ Ticket cost for entry is \$5 per person. Children under 6 get in free. School administrators with proper school identification will be admitted for free. No other district/athletic/UII passes will be accepted.

