

Red Oak High School Band

Area Marching Contest Itinerary

Saturday, October 29 2011

9:00 a.m.	Pit / Equipment Crew Call Time at band hall – move instruments and equipment to field
9:30 a.m.	Call time for everyone else on the field * As before, wear show shirt, black marching shoes, black socks, black gloves
10:45 a.m.	Light lunch / sandwiches / load equipment / into uniform
11:40 p.m.	Inspection/announcements/traditions ~ make sure your uniform and instrument look GREAT!
12:00 p.m.	Load buses
12:15 p.m.	Depart for Mesquite Memorial Stadium
12:45 p.m.	Arrive / unload (pit truck has to wait to unload until a bit later.....we'll explain)
1:20 p.m.	Ready to move into warm-up
1:40 p.m.	Official warm-up time
2:10 p.m.	Leave warm-up
2:30 p.m.	PRELIMS PERFORMANCE!
2:45 p.m.	Exit field / load instruments and truck
3:00 p.m.	Watch bands / some free time / concessions / patches
5:00 p.m.	TCU Band performance – all Red Oak together by this time
5:15 p.m.	Announcement of prelims results / finalist bands
5:30 p.m.	Meeting to determine plans for the evening (based on results, finalist times, etc.)
7:45 p.m.	Finals begin (earliest warm-up possible would be 6:55 pm)

** If we make finals, we will find out our warm-up and performance time after the prelims results. We would be home around 11:00 p.m. Dinner concessions will be on your own, depending on when we warm-up and perform.

** If we don't make finals, we will head back home to Red Oak and be back about 6:30 pm.

Notes and Reminders

- Again, make sure your uniforms and instruments look GREAT!
- Bring \$ for concessions (dinner) and Area patches and souvenirs if you choose.
- Spectator ticket prices are \$5.00 (5 and under are free). The tickets are good for both prelims and finals. Let's maroon out the stadium for Red Oak!!!
- As always, be a MODEL of character and class. If we make finals, yell excitedly but be gracious to the other bands not making finals. If we don't make finals, we will certainly be very disappointed, but don't allow your disappointment to turn into a loss of class.
- The address of Mesquite Memorial Stadium for GPS or Internet Maps: 2411 Scyene Rd, Mesquite, 75149

Thank you Red Oak Band for making "The Wind and the Lion" a special marching show and season!! Let's go to Area this weekend and DO THIS!!