

November 22, 2008

Dear Band Director:

Thank you for participating in the WBA 2008 Band Championship. Below are some important points to make your Championship experience more enjoyable.

### **SATURDAY**

1A 2A 3A Class Championships  
Cal State East Bay  
25800 Carlos Bee Blvd, Hayward

#### **Emergency contacts**

**George Lindstrom 303/550-4123 (site manager)**

**Sue Masias (site assistant)**

**Kathy Whitcomb 925/330-2163 (chief judge)**

### **SATURDAY AND SUNDAY**

4/5A Class Championships and Combined Finals  
Diablo Valley College  
321 Golf Club Road, Pleasant Hill, CA

#### **Emergency contacts**

**Lynn Lindstrom 303/819-4252 (site manager)**

**Dennis Aquilina 408/373-6944 (site assistant)**

**Shirlee Whitcomb 925/997-9508 (chief judge)**

**1/2/3A Combined Grand Championships Sunday begin at 10 a.m. Retreat & Awards at 1 p.m.**

**4/5A Combined Grand Championships Sunday begin at 2 p.m. Retreat & Awards at 6 p.m.**

**Admission Price:** \$15.00 for Adults for both Saturday and Sunday; \$10.00 for Senior Citizens & Children under 12, Children 5 and younger are admitted free. (This provides 1 wrist band to be worn both days at either location)

**Pit pass wristbands included in your packet are to be used for both days. You will not get "finals" pit passes**

**Schedules** of prelims and finals are included on a separate page in this packet.

## **2008 CHAMPIONSHIP JUDGING ASSIGNMENTS**

	<b>1-2-3A Prelims</b>	<b>4/5A prelims</b>	<b>1/2/3A finals</b>	<b>4/5A finals</b>
GE MUS	S Abrams	G Runsten	J Bocook	J Bocook
Ens Mus	D Smith	A Kristensen	J Phillips	J Phillips
Ind Mus	M Bacciarini	C Erker	M Wamhoff	Wamhoff
Perc	S McNeal	V Angelo	T Tolbert	Kristensen
GE Vis	R Kramer	S Whitcomb	S Whitcomb	G Oliviero
Ens Vis	S Pizani	G Oliviero	K Whitcomb	K Whitcomb
Ind Vis	J Dangerfield	R Solomon	J Bradford	J Bradford
Aux	R Hahn	J Bradford	T Prince	T Prince
T/P	G Robinson	L Carpenter	G Robinson	G Robinson
Tab	D Ariza	R Nankirves	R Nankirves	R Nankirves
Chief Judge	K Whitcomb	S Whitcomb	S Whitcomb	S Whitcomb
Announcer	T Prince	A Armstrong	A Armstrong	A Armstrong
Digitab	M Moore	J Crichton	M Moore	M Moore

**JUDGES COMMENTARY AND SCORE SHEETS** will be presented to each band at the retreat ceremony. All judges commentary will be on a flash drive and not downloaded to the web page for immediate access.

**SCORES:** will not be posted. They will be announced at the Retreat ceremony. All Bands must have representation at Retreat. Saturday night retreat will include only DMs and COs.

**WRISTBANDS:** The members' wristbands are enclosed in the packet you will receive when you check in at your site. Please see that every band member gets one, this is their only way back into the stadium to watch other performing units. The one plastic wrist band is to be used for both days and are water proof. The numbers of wrist bands is determined by the numbers you filled out on the application at the beginning of the season. If your numbers have changed please advise the WBA office ASAP. If you have defective wrist bands bring them to the WBA check in representative and they will be replaced.

**PIT PASSES:** Pit passes are also enclosed in the packet, and will serve you for both days.

**PATCHES:** All patches will be distributed at the Retreat ceremony on Saturday.

**PIT EQUIPMENT:** Pit carts will use the performer entrance into both facilities. Prior to entering the performance area, (the goal line) wait for the timing and penalty judge to give you the go ahead to proceed. After unloading the equipment, move pit carts to the end of field, opposite the stadium pit cart entrance, make a U-turn and wait for the completion of the performing band. Stay off of the performance field. **NO CARTS MAY BE ON THE TURF. YOU MUST STAY ON THE TRACK**

**BUS DRIVERS:** Will be allowed free access to the show. They must be in uniform or have an I.D. showing they are a driver.

**OVER NIGHT EQUIPMENT VEHICLE PARKING :** At the DVC site only, if you wish to leave your equipment truck, overnight after the Saturday event, it must be moved to the overflow parking area across the street and then reentered with the busses upon your return. When arriving to park for the day at either site, all vehicles must arrive together in order to ensure that they can all be parked together. You may NOT send your equipment truck ahead of the bus arrival. **Repeat: All vehicles must enter together.**

**WARM-UP AREAS:** Are designated on the enclosed maps for both sites. Please do not deviate from this. Be sensitive to sound interference with bands already in competition. It's a bit of a walk for students at the 1/2/3A site so please allow ample time.

**GATE TIME:** Please be at the entrance gate no later than 13 minutes prior to your performance.

**PERFORMERS RE-ENTRY ON SATURDAY: 1/2/3 A** Performers and band Chaperones, who are wearing pit pass wrist bands are offered seating in the **lower tier of the stadium seating only**. Please remind your students to keep noise levels down when bands are on the field. **4/5A** bands will be seated in the back side bleachers due to limited space at DVC.

**On Sunday, Non-Finalist Bands wearing their participant wristbands at FINALS** are invited to attend finals free of charge. Show your wristband at the **performer gate**; move directly to the performer seats designated above on the back side bleacher area.

**FOLLOWING YOUR PERFORMANCE:** Please have your students **completely exit the performing area**. They are welcome to watch other bands **ONLY** from the appropriate assigned seating for non-performing band.

**JOLISH PHOTOS:** WBA will receive a fee from Jolish Photography, for every band whose group picture they take. PLEASE be supportive of this effort and take your students to this photo area after your prelim performance.

**SOUVENIRS:** WBA has expanded its product line of T-shirts, sweatshirts, and pins, etc. These items will be available for sale in the general Vendor Area at both sites. For the first time this year, they will also be available for purchase on-line following the event.

**CORPORATE SPONSORS:** WBA is honored to have Corporate Sponsorship. Please visit these Sponsors In the Vendor's area and let them know that we appreciate their support.

**DVD Taping:** Each band will receive a complimentary copy of their performance. There will also be the opportunity for your members to purchase a copy of their performance at the site shortly following their appearance. This year's expanded service to our members includes a professionally shot multi-camera record of the individual bands as well as the Championship Contest. You can pre-order at the site or order on-line after the event.

**CLASS CHAMPIONSHIP RETREAT (Saturday):**

**AWARDS FOR CLASS CHAMPIONSHIPS (Saturday)**

**Banners**

- ◆ Class champion banners will be presented to each of the class champions

**Trophies**

- ◆ 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> place trophies & caption awards will be presented in each class.
- ◆ Yamaha Corp is donating the high percussion trophies at this event

**Plaques:**

- ◆ Participant plaques will be given to bands placing 4<sup>th</sup> and lower

**Patches:**

- ◆ WBA Championship 2008 patches will be presented to all students who participate on Saturday. We are not differentiating between finalists and non finalists.

**Ziljian Awards:**

- ◆ First Place band in each Class -- 22" gig Cymbal Bag (\$74.95 Value)
- ◆ First Place Percussion in each Class -- 16" Spiral Trash Cymbal (\$240.00 Value)

## **AWARDS FOR COMBINED GRAND CHAMPIONSHIP (Sunday)**

### **COMBINED GRAND CHAMPIONSHIP RETREAT (SUNDAY)**

Each contest will have an award ceremony at the conclusion of the competition consisting of Drum Majors, Guard Captains, seniors and scholarship recipients. At this time we will announce scores and award the class Champion banners, placement, special awards trophies, and participant plaques, and patches, and scholarship. The top three bands in each event will receive bronze, silver or gold medals for each of their members.

#### **Banners**

- ◆ Combined Class champion banners will be presented to each of the combined class champions

#### **Trophies**

- ◆ 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> place trophies & caption awards in each class.

#### **Zildjian Awards:**

- ◆ First Place band in each Class -- 18" Classic Orchestral Suspended Cymbal (\$403 Value)
- ◆ Second place band in each class -- 16" Classic Orchestral Suspended Cymbal (\$343 Value)
- ◆ First Place Drumline in each Class
  - a) 22" Zildjian Gig Cymbal Bag (\$74.95 Value)
  - b) 1 pair 18" Stadium Series Cymbals (\$686 Value)
  - c) 1 set of Straps and Pads (\$38 Value)

#### **Plaques:**

- ◆ Finalist plaques will be given to bands placing 4<sup>th</sup> and lower

#### **Medals**

- ◆ Championship gold medals will be issued to the members of each combined class champion band (1A/2A/3A Champions and 4A/5A Champions.)
- ◆ The 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> highest scoring bands will receive silver and bronze medals in each combined class.

### **GRAND CHAMPION**

- ◆ The Grand Champion Trophy will be presented to the highest scoring band overall. We no longer do a sweepstakes award.
- ◆ Grand Champion Banners will be presented to each of the combined Champions.

**Scholarships:** Each band in finals will receive one \$200 scholarship. These will be handed out with each band's plaque and sheets and tapes.

**Site Managers:** The site managers are George **Lindstrom** and Sue **Masias** at the 1/2/3A site at Cal State East Bay College and Lynn **Lindstrom** and Dennis **Aquilina** at the 4/5A site at Diablo Valley College. Any problems or questions should be directed to them. Both Lynn and George will be at the Sunday Site.

**Bands moving into the Sunday Combined Grand Championship will receive specific directions for retreat and timelines following the Saturday contests.**

**THANK YOU AND HAVE A WONDERFUL PERFORMANCE**

# CHAMPIONSHIP ORDER OF APPEARANCE

## 1/2/3A Class Championships 11/22/2008

UNIT NAME	READY LINE	PERFORMANCE
Arroyo Marching Dons	08:47 AM	09:00 AM
Fallbrook HS Marching Warriors	09:00 AM	09:13 AM
Taft High School Marching Band & Color Guard	09:13 AM	09:26 AM
Live Oak Emerald Regime Band & Guard	09:26 AM	09:39 AM
El Modena Vanguard	09:39 AM	09:52 AM
Modesto HS	09:52 AM	10:05 AM
Mater Dei HS Marching Monarchs	10:05 AM	10:18 AM
Independence 76th Cavalry Band & Color Guard	10:18 AM	10:31 AM
Peninsula High School	10:31 AM	10:44 AM
Newbury Park HS	10:44 AM	10:57 AM
Selma High School Black Bear Brigade Marching Band and Color Guard	10:57 AM	11:10 AM
Thomas Downey HS	11:10 AM	11:23 AM
Grace Davis HS	11:23 AM	11:36 AM
Huntington Beach Oiler Band & Color Guard	11:36 AM	11:49 AM
Ceres High School Marching Band	11:49 AM	12:02 PM
Gilroy HS Mustang Band & Guard	12:02 PM	12:15 PM
<b>LUNCH 12:28</b>		
Turlock High School Marching Band and Colorguard	01:20 PM	01:33 PM
Laguna Hills High School Marching Band and Colorguard	01:33 PM	01:46 PM
Los Banos HS	01:46 PM	01:59 PM
Merced HS	01:59 PM	02:12 PM
Los Gatos HS Wildcat Marching Band & Guard	02:12 PM	02:25 PM
Costa Mesa H.S. Marching Band	02:25 PM	02:38 PM
Hanford HS Marching Band	02:38 PM	02:51 PM

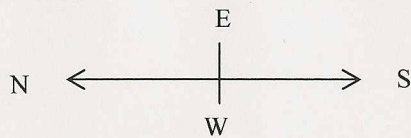
Palm Desert marching Aztecs	02:51 PM	03:04 PM
Adolfo Camarillo	03:04 PM	03:17 PM
<b>Break</b>		
Capistrano Valley Black and Gold Brigade	03:33 PM	03:46 PM
Paso Robles HS	03:46 PM	03:59 PM
James Enochs HS	03:59 PM	04:12 PM
Pacifica Mariner Band	04:12 PM	04:25 PM
Madera South HS Stallion Band	04:25 PM	04:38 PM
Fremont Firebird Marching Band	04:38 PM	04:51 PM
Arroyo Grande Eagles Marching Band and Colorguard	04:51 PM	05:04 PM
Madera HS Marching Band & Guard	05:04 PM	05:17 PM
Valley Christian High School	05:17 PM	05:30 PM
<b>DINNER 5:45</b>		
Knight H.S. Destiny Alliance Regiment	06:32 PM	06:45 PM
Mt. Whitney High School Pioneer Marching Band	06:45 PM	06:58 PM
South Pasadena HS Tiger Marching Band & Guard	06:58 PM	07:11 PM
Cerritos Regiment of Gold Marching Band	07:11 PM	07:24 PM
Los Alamitos Entertainment Unit	07:24 PM	07:37 PM
Sanger HS	07:37 PM	07:50 PM
Palmdale Falcon Pageantry Corps	07:50 PM	08:03 PM
Clovis East	08:03 PM	08:16 PM
Los Altos HS Eagle Marching Band & Guard	08:16 PM	08:29 PM
Beyer HS	08:29 PM	08:42 PM
Ridgeview Wolf Pack Vanguard	08:42 PM	08:55 PM
Aliso Niguel HS	08:55 PM	09:08 PM
<b>AWARDS AT 9:45PM</b>		

## 4/5A Class Championships November 22, 2008

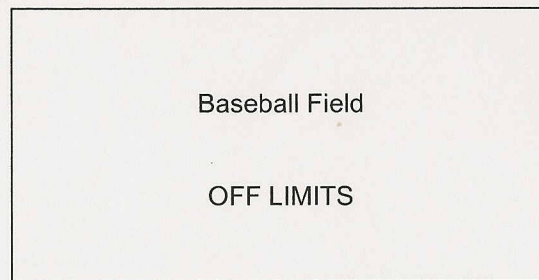
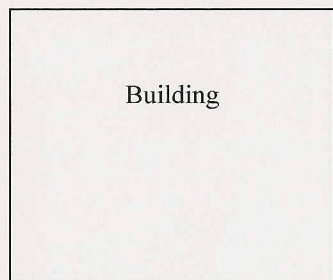
Unit	Ready line	Performance
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<b>AAAA</b>		
Evergreen Valley	12:45 PM	01:00 PM
Rancho Cucamonga Marching Cougars	01:00 PM	01:15 PM
Trabuco Hills HS Thundering Mustangs	01:15 PM	01:30 PM
Nogales Noble Regiment	01:30 PM	01:45 PM
Tulare Western	01:45 PM	02:00 PM
Tulare Union Redskin Band & Colorguard	02:00 PM	02:15 PM
Chino Hills HS Marching Band	02:15 PM	02:30 PM
John North Blue Star Regiment	02:30 PM	02:45 PM
Lynbrook HS	02:45 PM	03:00 PM
<b>Break</b>		
Lemoore HS	03:15 PM	03:30 PM
Arroyo Knights Band & Colorguard	03:30 PM	03:45 PM
El Diamante Marching Miners	03:45 PM	04:00 PM
Clovis HS	04:00 PM	04:15 PM
Westlake Regiment	04:15 PM	04:30 PM
Oak Grove High School Marching Band & guard	04:30 PM	04:45 PM
Santa Teresa	04:45 PM	05:00 PM
Leigh High School Band	05:00 PM	05:15 PM
Canyon HS Golden Warrior Regiment	05:15 PM	05:30 PM
Bullard HS	05:30 PM	05:45 PM
<b>Dinner 6 p.m.</b>		
Upland Highland Regiment	06:30 PM	06:45 PM
Clovis West High School Marching Band	06:45 PM	07:00 PM
Ayala HS	07:00 PM	07:15 PM
Amador Valley HS	07:15 PM	07:30 PM
Fountain Valley HS Royal Regiment	07:30 PM	07:45 PM
Homestead HS	07:45 PM	08:00 PM

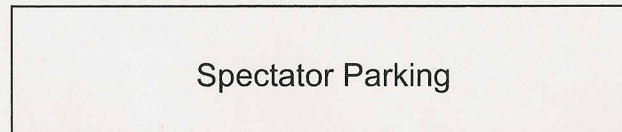
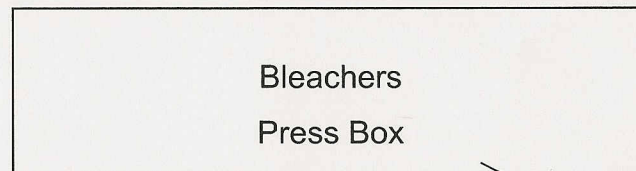
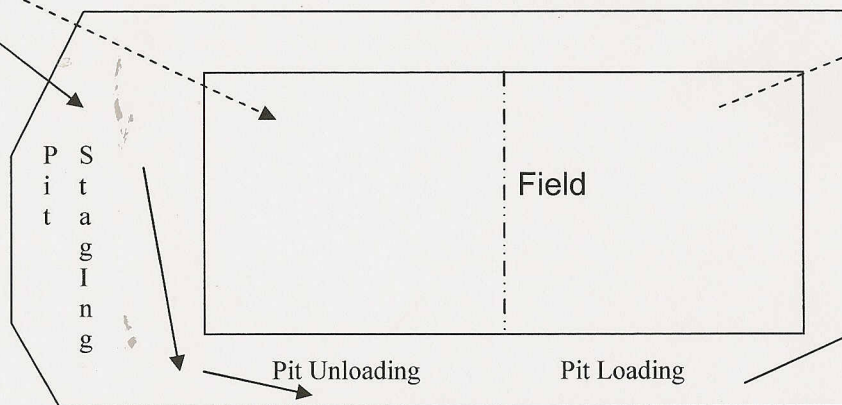
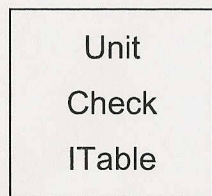
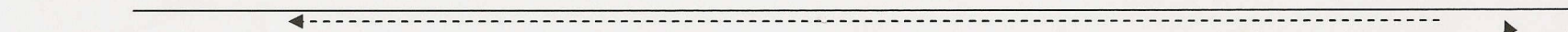
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Buchanan HS Band & Colorguard		08:15 PM	08:30 PM
James Logan		08:30 PM	08:45 PM
Mission Viejo Diablo Marching Band & Guard		08:45 PM	09:00 PM



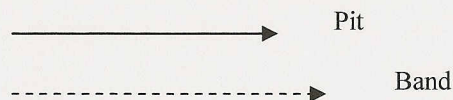
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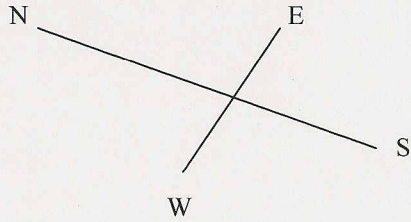


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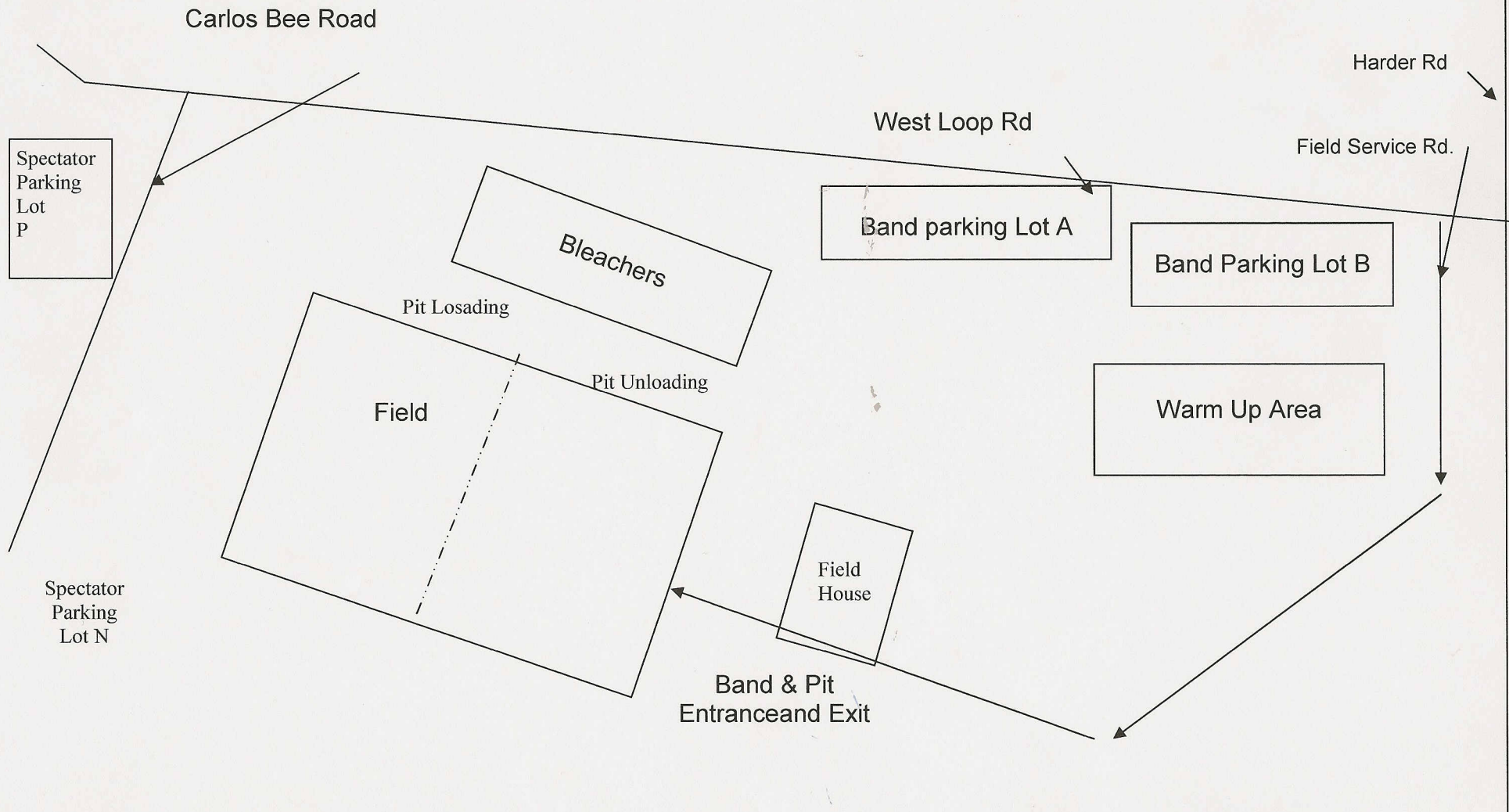
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# California State University East Bay

Bands come in Harder Road Only  
Turn onto West Loop Road  
Turn into Parking Lot B (parkers will be  
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321 Golf Club Road  
Pleasant Hill, CA 94523  
(925) 685-1230

[www.dvc.edu](http://www.dvc.edu)**Registration**

- Admissions Office  
SSC 1<sup>st</sup> floor  
at the Quad
- Parking permit  
machines  
(8 quarters)

- Public phones
- Emergency Alert

Smoking is only  
permitted in the  
central Quad and  
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**Division offices**

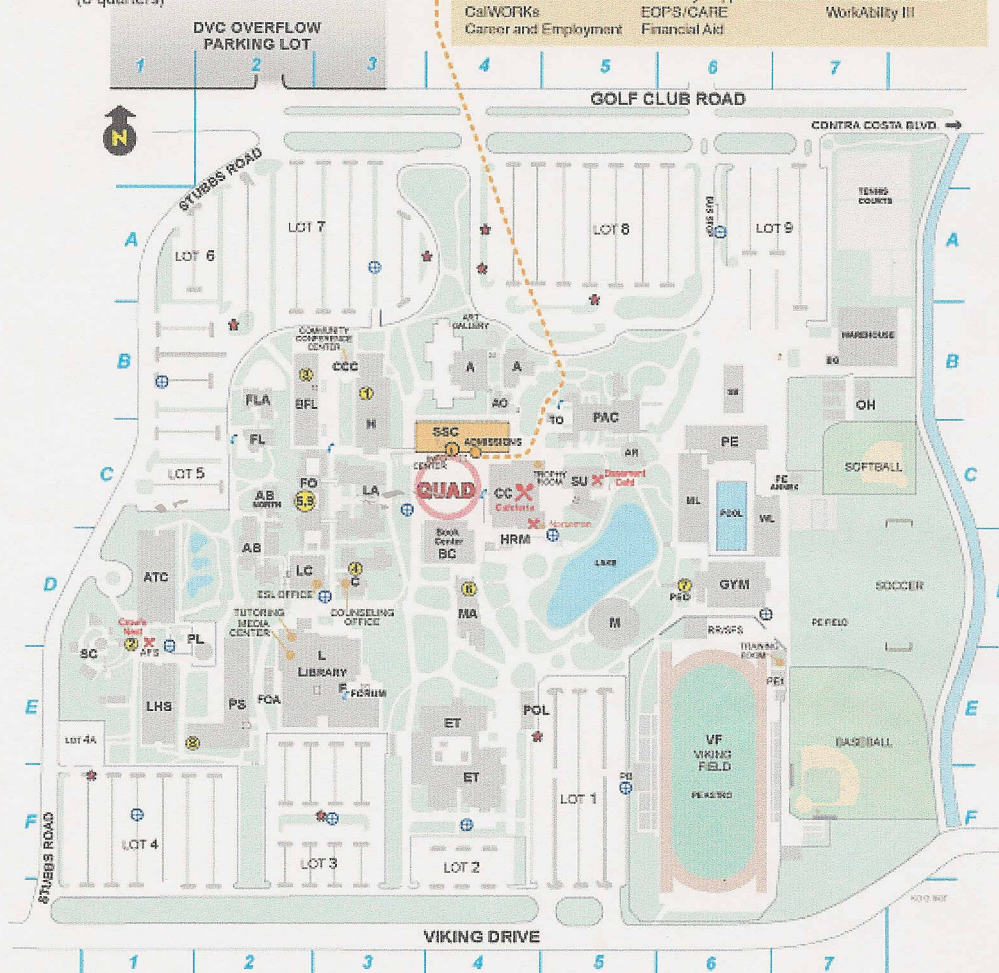
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- 6 Math & Computer Science — MA 267 D 4
- 7 Physical Education, Athletics & Dance — PE 104 D 6
- 8 Physical Science & Engineering — PS 263 E 2
- 9 Social Science — FO 136 C 2

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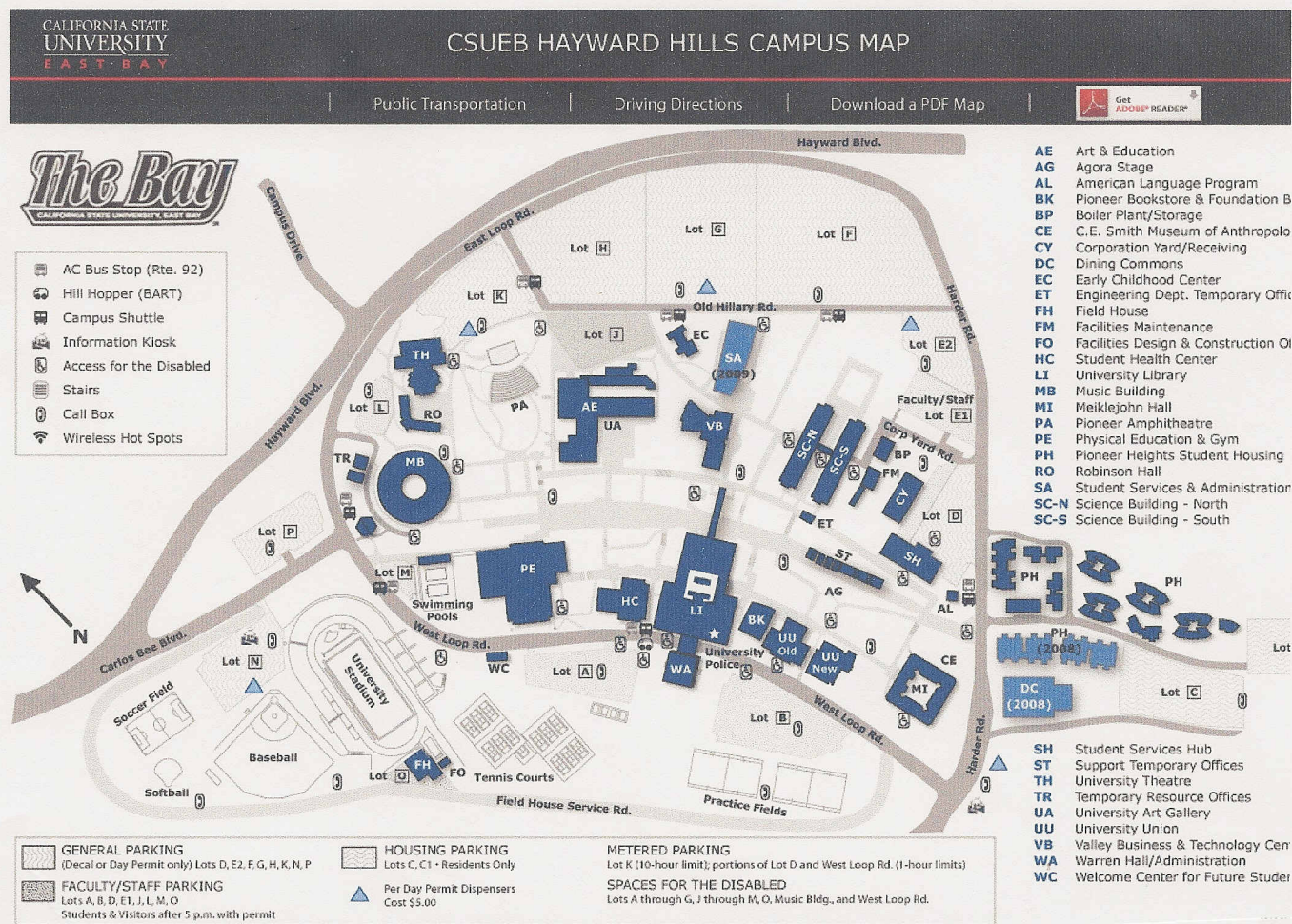
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**Building/Room**

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**Grid**

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### Parking direction for Cal State East Bay

Spectator Parking will be in lots N & P

Bus and equipment vehicles will park in Lots A & B

Band that have Semis for their equipment vehicles will park in lot D

Director Check will be at the intersection of Harder Rd and West Loop

Spectator arrival needs to be via Carlos Bee Blvd.  
Bands need to arrive on Harder RD