

BOA Muncie Itinerary

October 5, 2019 - Central Indiana Regional Championship

***This is a Prelims/Finals type of event @ Scheumann Stadium in Muncie, IN**

Schedule

*Friday's practice will go until 6pm. We will load equipment after Friday's practice.

4:00am - Call time *set two alarms and call each other
4:05am - Winds (except tubas) dismissed to Annex
4:15am - Board buses with everything you need
(This weekend, you will be required to SHOW your marching shoes to your bus chaperone before boarding.)
4:25am - Depart

6:00am - Arrive at the contest site, unload semi, and more quickly than usual get dressed into uniform
6:55am - Everyone dressed and lined up
7:00am - Transit to Warm-Up
7:10am - Warm-Up "Area B"
8:05am - Staging
8:15am - Performance! Hope you've had your coffee to help wake up and cheer loud!!!

After Performance - Return to buses, load semi, and change. Keep show shirt on. We need to depart the lot by 9:30am to go to Muncie Central HS.

9:45am - Arrive at Muncie Central, listen to tapes
11:00am - Lunch (provided) at MCHS

12:30pm - Brief Rehearsal at MCHS
2:30pm - End rehearsal, drum majors head back to stadium for Prelims awards. Load, depart to local food court area to relax, eat (**this meal is NOT PROVIDED - please bring \$ for food**), wait for announcement of finalist bands.

If we DO NOT MAKE FINALS:

5:00pm - load buses, head back to FCHS
6:45pm - arrive at FCHS and unload

If we DO MAKE FINALS:

Specific schedule will be determined by performance time.

7:45pm - First finalist band performs
10:15pm - Last finalist band ends
10:30pm - Awards presentation (all, still in uniform)
11:30pm - Load buses and depart
1:00am - Arrive at FC and unload

Show Day Reminders

- Bands Of America (BOA) shows run a little differently are a BLAST to be a part of. Please be ready for updates as we progress through the day. FC has only been a BOA Regional Championship Finalist ONCE in its history - last season! I'd say our chances are good to repeat that same achievement this year, but as with all judged events strange things do happen and there are never any guarantees.
- Parents are welcome to join the band at off-site locations, but all band members are required to stay with the group.
- **ALL STUDENTS ARE TO RIDE THE BUS TO AND FROM THE CONTEST. STUDENTS ARE NOT TO LEAVE THE FC GROUP AREAS. ALL SCHOOL RULES ARE IN EFFECT THE WHOLE DAY.**
- Be respectful and listen to chaperones, prop crew, parents, staff, contest officials, and leaders.
- You represent your school, your community, and yourself with pride and dignity. Act professionally on Saturday from the moment you arrive at FC until the dismissal time.
- All uniform changes should occur in the specified locations. You should always have clothing on under your uniform and when changing on the bus. No visible undergarments at any time.
- Leave buses PERFECTLY clean.
- Have your show shirt, fitted gym shorts, and long black socks to wear underneath your uniform, as well as your marching shoes.
- You are responsible for bringing your own instrument, as well as a mouthpiece, extra reeds, and anything else you need. Do not expect anyone to load/unload your equipment for you.
*Please see additional pages for the Prelims Schedule and the Daily Schedule of events.
Tickets can be purchased ahead of time by visiting:
<https://marching.musicforall.org/schedule/>

