



2023 CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION

**Hatboro Horsham High School
899 Horsham Rd., Horsham, PA 19044**

*Welcome to the 64th Annual Cavalcade of Bands Marching Band Championships!
We hope everyone has a memorable and rewarding day.*

*On the web at www.cavalcadeofbands.com, On Facebook as [Cavalcade of Bands](#)
and on [Instagram as Cavalcade of Bands](#)*

*Performance schedules are tentative until the random draw occurs on Monday evening,
October 30th 2023. The official competition schedule will be posted Monday evening, October
30th 2023 on www.cavalcadeofbands.com, Facebook and Instagram.*

Saturday November 4th

**Afternoon – American A
Evening – Yankee A, American Open, Freedom**

BAND INFORMATION

Bus/Truck Parking – When entering the high school parking of all buses will be separate from trucks, but within proximity of each other. Please follow all attendants to the appropriate bus and truck parking locations.

Restrooms – Students – Restrooms for students will be inside the main entrance of the school lobby across from the auditorium.

Band Check In – There is no need to check in with anyone. *Should you have issues, or an emergency, please text or call Ken Brown at 215-285-1427. If Ken is busy, and you need immediate help, please call Paul Smith at 610-909-3106.*

Stadium Entrance – All pit, props and motorized vehicles will enter through the left side of the main entrance gate. Spectators will be entering through the right side of the gate.

Band Warm Up Location – There are three warmup locations in the back of the school. These will be clearly marked and are on their way to the stadium.

Travel Time to Gate – Please allow at least 15 minutes, to travel to the stadium from the warmup areas. This includes all pit equipment and props. There will not be a monitor of the warmup area but there should be parking attendants in this region to help with questions.

Band Performance Time – Please report to the entrance gate 15 minutes prior to your scheduled performance time. A Cavalcade of Bands Chief Judge will be there to guide you through this area, into the end zone staging area and proper entrance onto the field.

Pit Equipment, Props and Motorized Vehicles

- **All pit, props and motorized vehicles will enter through the left side of the main entrance gate**
- Spectators will be entering through the right side of the gate
- **All equipment and props must have air pressure wheels**
- *Please be flexible with any last-minute requirements from Hatboro Horsham ground staff*
- Please exercise extreme caution when entering and exiting the field

Wristbands – Will be provided to all students upon arrival or at the band entrance gate.

Announcer – Your announcer will be provided by Cavalcade, and they will be located on the track (weather permitting). Every band must use this announcer, who will use the Cavalcade standard announcement procedures outlined in our marching band rules.

Stadium Judging Area – Will be inside the press box and on the outer wings of the press box.

Field Exit – Bands will exit the field and stadium through the side 2 exit gate.

Band Re-entry – For bands and staff, who have performed and are reentering the stadium, **please use the band exit gate on side 2 of the stadium.** Wrist bands will be needed for all students and Cavalcade season passes will be needed for all staff.

Band Seating – All bands must sit in the very outer edges of the spectator stands, and must have adult supervision. Noise in this area should be constantly monitored throughout the show, and kept to a minimum, especially when other bands are performing. Overflow seating, after the front stands are fully occupied, will be on the visitor side of the stadium.

Director and Staff Hospitality – There will be a hospitality room in the building behind the stadium for directors, band staff, judges, and administration ONLY.

Student and Parents Stadium Food – There will be concession stand vendors and food truck vendors outside the main entrance of the stadium for your enjoyment. Cavalcade has no control of the food or prices being offered at this event. Wrist bands will be needed to reenter the stadium.

Awards Ceremony – *Band Directors are encouraged to present their school awards with the Cavalcade representative.*

BAND and SPECTATOR INFORMATION

Emergency Services – This will be provided by Horsham Township Fire Company and Horsham Township Police Department.

Inclement Weather – In the event of inclement weather, Cavalcade administration, board members and Hatboro Horsham school staff will meet to address the situation and determine an action plan. This could be a delay, postponement, or cancellation of the event. Information will be communicated to directors through Competition Suite text messaging and the stadium announcer.

Official Merchandise Vendor – NorthWest Designs Inc will have t-shirts, sweatshirts, and other items for sale at the event. While they do have a web site, we encourage everyone to purchase a championship item at the event throughout the day. Their website is: <https://nwd.ink/>

Official Pictures – Lifetouch Photography will take photos of every band after their performance. These will be taking inside the Auxiliary Gym, which is very near bus parking. Please go directly there before loading trucks. Band members will be provided with QR codes to order photos after the event. Their website is: <https://my.lifetouch.com/>

SPECTATOR INFORMATION

Spectator Parking – Parking is free and directed by local police and school staff. The parking lot is past the school and there will be directional signs and staff to assist with all parking.

Handicap Parking – There is plenty of handicap parking located in the staff, judges, and handicap parking area. This is the closest location to the main entrance of the stadium.

Tailgating – There is no tailgating permitted on the Hatboro Horsham school grounds.

Spectator Ticket Booth – There is only one ticket booth and entrance to the stadium. This is also the same entrance for all the bands. This is located near the staff, judges and handicap parking lot and will be clearly marked.

Tickets

- All seating is general admission
- Please order your tickets on line to avoid a line entering the stadium
- Tickets are good for the entire day/evening

2023 Cavalcade of Bands CHAMPIONSHIP TICKET PRICES

Category	Online/Mobile Ticket Price	Box Office Ticket Price
Students/Senior Citizens <i>(Students = K - 12 / Senior Citizens = Over 65)</i>	\$18.00*	\$20.00*
Adults - Online/Mobile Tickets	\$20.00*	\$25.00*
Non-School Age Children (Age 5 and under)	Free	Free

**price listed is cash price – see fee explanation below*

- Spectators may pre-purchase tickets at ShowClix:
<https://www.showclix.com/event/cavalcade-of-bands-championships-hatborodkgyXz4>
Or call 1-888-4253 from 9AM – 9PM (Customer Service fee applies)
- Tickets purchased via website or mobile are subject to \$2.10 convenience fee
- Credit Card purchases are subject to 3.0% Visa/Mastercard/Discover card fee
- Tickets may be purchased at the gate on the day of the event using cash or credit card
- **Spectators purchasing tickets at the gate may experience delays when entering the stadium until ticket details are uploaded to scanners**
- **We encourage EVERYONE to purchase tickets online prior to the show**

Championship Souvenir Program Books are FREE, on our website!

Wristbands – Wristbands will be provided to everyone as you enter the stadium with a ticket. You will need these to get back into the stadium.

Security and Bag Checks – There are no security or bag checks at this venue.

Restrooms - Spectators – These are located inside the stadium in the main concourse area before entering the bleachers.

Handicapped Spectator Seating – The handicapped viewing area is at the end of the stadium, closest to the scoreboard. There is a wheelchair ramp in this location.

Videoining / Copyright

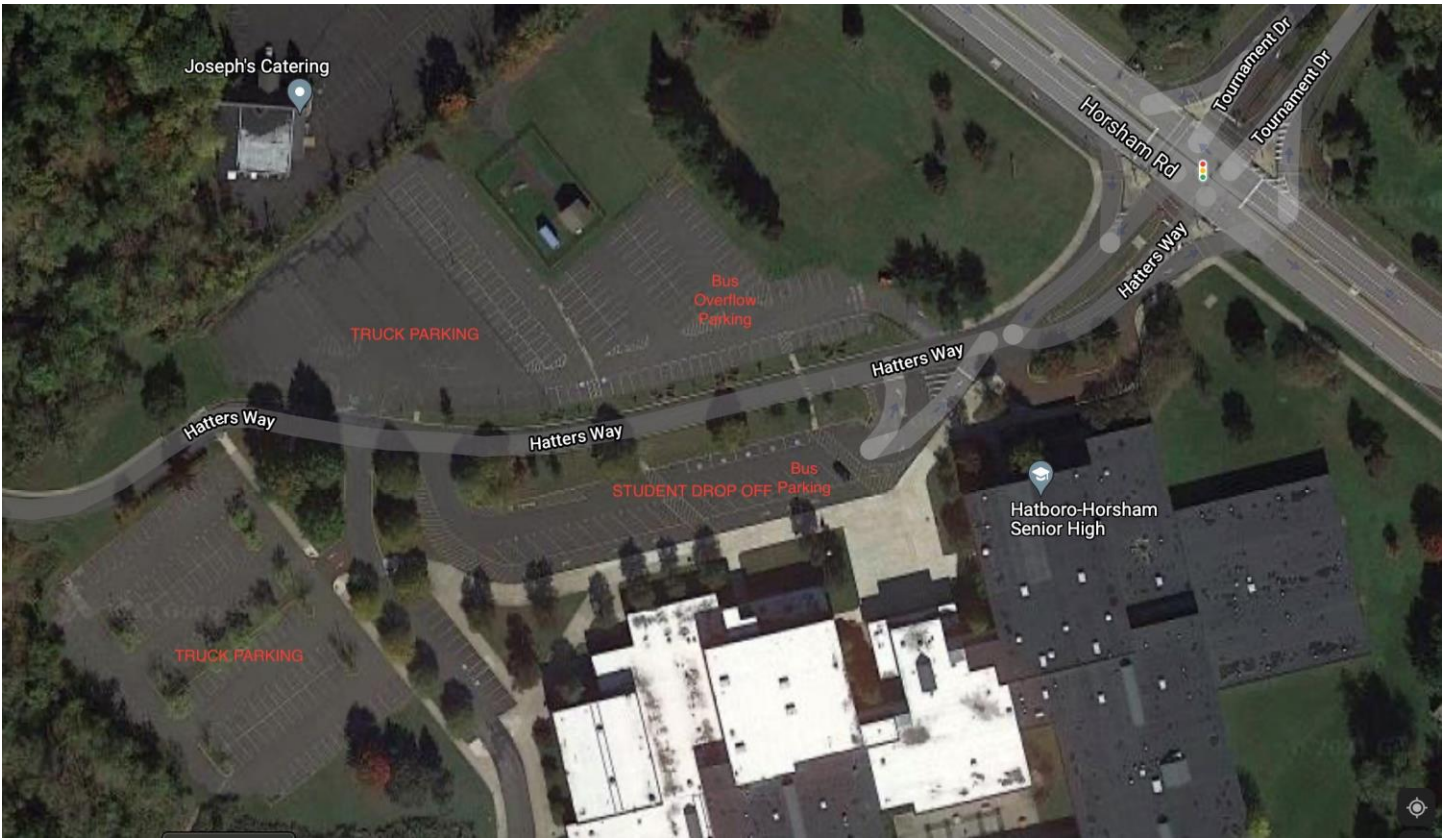
- Out of respect for the music and visual copyright holders, and to ensure adherence to the law, videoing of any kind by spectators is prohibited.
- Bands are allowed one (1) staff member, with proper Cavalcade credentials, to record only their performance for internal use.
- *Copyright compliance is the responsibility of everyone in the creative process including the marching band director, arrangers, Cavalcade, and anyone who records, duplicates, or distributes content protected by copyright holders. Cavalcade of Bands is committed to full compliance with the copyright laws of the United States and requires all member bands to comply with all copyright laws which include visual images, audio or spoken text and the display of copyrighted words and images.*
- Personal videoing (cell phones, video camera, go pros, etc..) is Not Permitted at championships. Each band will be permitted to have one person to record their band's only, for educational and historic purposes.
- Cavalcade of Bands is fully committed to ensuring that our events are compliant with all music, video, and performance rights copyright laws. This is at the request of our band directors, staff, and Board of Directors. There are serious financial consequences for anyone breaking these laws.

Campus Maps

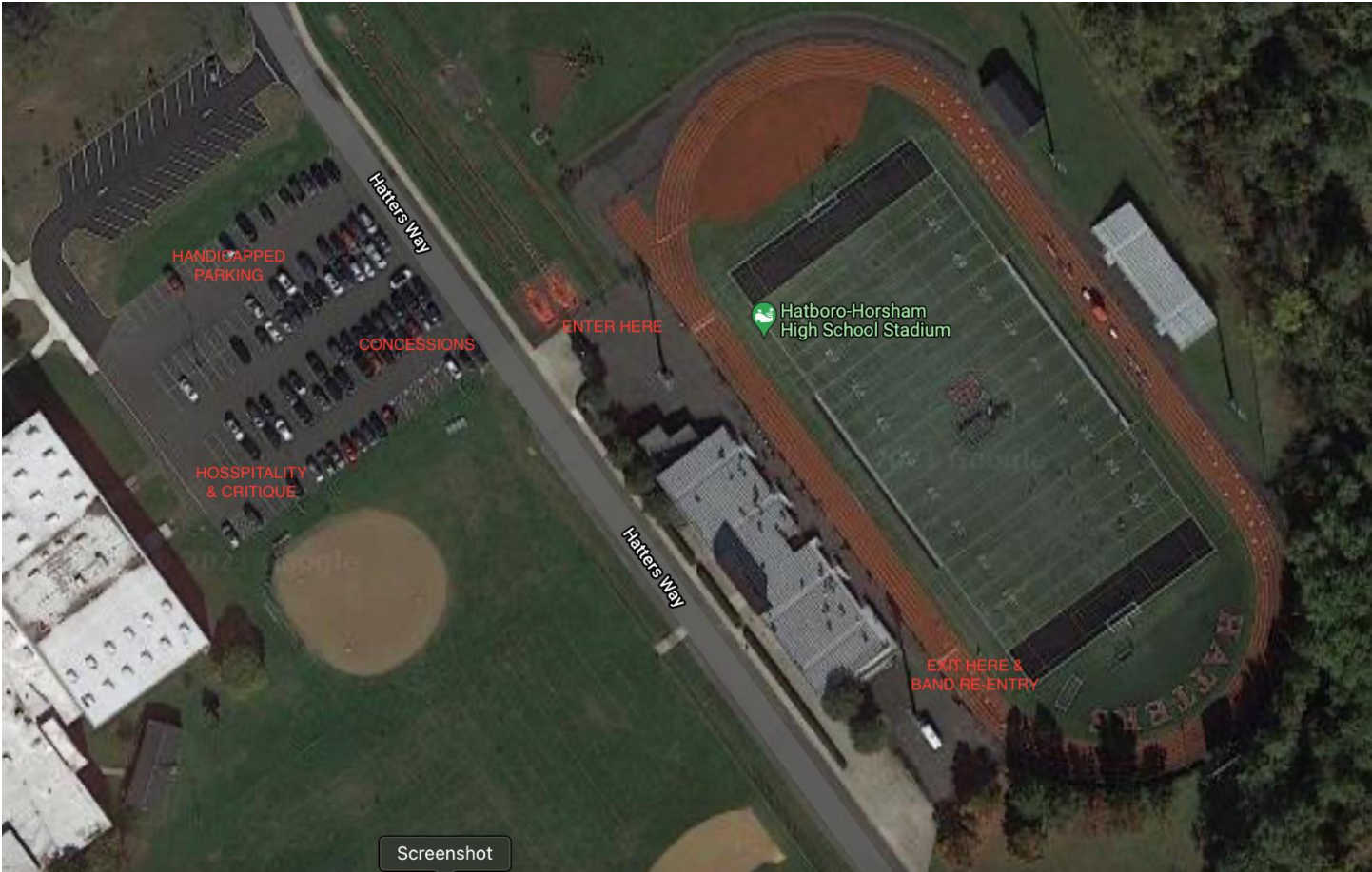
Airel Campus View



Truck Bus Parking



Stadium Area



Band Warm Up Areas



As we move closer to championships, please check our website (www.cavalcadeofbands.com) and Facebook page (Cavalcade of Bands) often for updates and additional information.

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