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MOORPARK 2023 HIGH SCHOOL



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Welcome Message from our Music Director



A very warm welcome to all who have gathered for the 2023 Moorpark Battle of the Bands! It brings me and our community immense joy to be able to host this wonderful event that unites our community through a common goal of producing wonderful music.

I want to extend my deepest gratitude to Ellis Godard and his exceptional team for the tremendous efforts they have put into organizing this event. The outstanding hospitality and attention to detail you provide truly embodies the Moorpark spirit.

Thank you also to the numerous volunteers who generously donate their time and energy to make this event possible. Marching bands would not thrive without your help and support behind the scenes. I also want to recognize our incredible Boosters, led by President Lisa Flavin, for your dedication to keeping music education thriving in our schools. From ensuring our students are registered to building magnificent props, your commitment enables the arts to flourish.

My sincere appreciation goes to Principal Zaid Bakoo, Assistant Principals Tara Thomas, Lindsey Boyd, Michael Paris, Zasha Endres, and Jason Umansky, Superintendent Kelli Hayes, and the entire MUSD administration. Your support for the arts programs in our schools and district is crucial and deeply appreciated.

Last but certainly not least, I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to all who have come today - the fans, family members, students, staff, and visiting bands. Your enthusiasm and passion for the performing arts is what makes this event so special and memorable. Thank you for being part of this community celebration, for supporting one another, and for keeping music alive through your participation.

Let the performances begin! I wish all our talented performers the best of luck and hope you have a wonderful time here at the 2023 Moorpark Battle of the Bands.

All the best,

David Bowman
Director of Instrumental Music
Moorpark High School

Message from Our Principal

It is my privilege to welcome you to the 27th Annual Battle of the Bands at Moorpark High School! When the school opened in 1919 there were a mere 20 students and no instrumental music program. Today, over 100 years later, we recognize and celebrate our exceptional instrumental music program. Bringing music into the daily curriculum for students allows them a forum to express themselves and grow into outstanding musicians. Moorpark High School is honored to host the Battle of the Bands; we look forward to the entertainment and competition of all participants. Our hope is that your experience is a pleasant one filled with exceptional music, color guard talent, and friendly competition.

I would like to recognize and thank Moorpark High School Band Director, Mr. David Bowman, for his dedication and commitment. I am extremely proud of the MHS Marching Band and Color Guard, they have worked tirelessly and I appreciate their enthusiasm and drive. A very special thanks to the parent volunteers for their support, organization, and care for the participants; without our parents none of this would be possible.

On behalf of Moorpark High School, we wish each of you the best of luck as you march toward victory! GO MUSKETEERS

Zaid Bakoo
Principal



Saluting 28 Years of Marching Band Competitors & Champions

Moorpark held our first field show competition, the Tournament of Bands, on October 21, 1995, with 8 groups. It was renamed the Battle of the Bands in 1996, with 12 groups, and has grown to up to 35. These are the previous sweepstakes winners:

2021 Westlake (AM) West Ranch (PM)	2015 Buena (AM) William S. Hart (PM)	2010 Cabrillo (AM) William S. Hart (PM)	2005 Los Alamitos (AM) Los Osos (PM)	2000 Royal (AM) Etiwanda (PM)
2019 Canyon (AM) William S. Hart (PM)	2014 John F. Kennedy (AM) West Ranch (PM)	2009 San Marcos (AM) William S. Hart (PM)	2004 Mira Costa (AM) Etiwanda (PM)	1999 Littlerock (AM) Granada Hills (PM)
2018 Grover Cleveland (AM) Simi Valley (PM)	2013 San Marcos (AM) West Ranch (PM)	2008 San Marcos (AM) Thousand Oaks (PM)	2003 Arlington (AM) Thousand Oaks (PM)	1998 Newbury Park (AM) Granada Hills (PM)
2017 Canyon (AM) Warren (PM)	2012 Newbury Park (AM) Thousand Oaks (PM)	2007 San Marcos (AM) Thousand Oaks (PM)	2002 Serra (AM) Granada Hills (PM)	1997 Mater Dei
2016 Buena (AM) William S. Hart (PM)	2011 San Marcos (AM) Murrieta Valley (PM)	2006 West Ranch (AM) Los Osos (PM)	2001 Hamilton (AM) San Marcos (PM)	1996 Santa Monica

Message from our Drum Major

Hello everyone! On behalf of the Moorpark Marching Musketeers, and our entire MHS Instrumental Music Program, I would like to give a warm welcome to all of you that are here with us today. I'm so grateful that we are able to host our 27th annual Battle of the Bands with all of you amazing students, directors, staff, families, and friends here to join us. I wish you all the best of luck with your performances today, and hope that everyone enjoys their time here with us at Moorpark High.

Before all else, I would like to give a tremendous thank you to our new band director Mr. Bowman. Mr. Bowman has not had any marching band experience before this season, yet he has adjusted his entire schedule to fit ours; arriving at school for zero period jazz, and not leaving until the evening, after marching band rehearsal has ended. He has gone above and beyond in leading our music program, and has managed to create an even stronger family for our band even in the midst of all this craziness.

To Mr. Bowman; thank you for supporting me with every decision I've made this year, it has been even more memorable because of you. I am so grateful that we have gotten to navigate our new positions together this year- yay us!

In addition to our band director, I would also like to express how grateful I am for our wonderful staff we have in the music program. Our staff works extremely hard every single day, allowing us to have the best marching band experience possible. They are always helping us to grow not only as performers and musicians, but also as people. This year more than ever, our staff has carried us through, and have allowed the students to have an amazing year. To all of you incredible staff members; thank you for helping me in every single aspect imaginable this season. Thank you for always being there to listen to me, and to help me when I needed it most-you are the best!

I would also like to thank all of our amazing volunteers-this season would not have been possible without your support and assistance throughout the whole year. Our volunteers are there for us with anything and everything we ever need whether it's being a roadie, chuckwagon, putting together our uniforms, making our props, and so much more. We appreciate you!

Also, I would like to thank our amazing Instrumental Music Leadership Council. Each and every one of you has worked tremendously hard this season, always supporting each other, and our entire band. Thank you for all your help this year, and helping to bring our band closer together.

I would also like to thank my assistant drum major Nic for helping me lead our band through a successful season, and making this season a memorable one.

To all the members of the band, I want you all to know how much I appreciate you guys. Thank you for being patient with me as we got the season going, and continuously striving to do your absolute best throughout the course of this season. No doubt, this season has been full of challenges and difficult situations for us all, but I am so extremely proud of all of you for overcoming everything our band has been dealt. All of this has brought us even closer, and has made us an even stronger band and family. Thank you for allowing me to lead you guys this year, I have learned so much from all of you. I love you guys so much, and I hope this season was equally as impactful and special for you as it was for me.

Lastly, I would like to thank my family for encouraging me to take on this leadership role, and being with me every step of the way-I love you!

Emma Smith
Head Drum Major

Message from our Assistant Drum Major



On behalf of the Marching Musketeers and the rest of the music program, welcome to the 27th Battle of the Bands. This season has brightened the light from last year and shown how the band keeps moving forward. Each and every one of the staff has dedicated their blood, sweat, and tears into keeping the program moving forward and expanding it even more.

Absolutely none of this would be possible without our foundation: the parent volunteers who take hours out of their life to put it into this program and keep it running. Whether it's fundraising at tree lot or supplying water at football games, to all the parents, your effort and dedication never go unnoticed. Without you we would have nothing and could do nothing, so we truly appreciate your presence. Every little job has a big impact on the program, and the

community. No matter how many times we say it we will always keep saying it. Thank you parents for everything.

This season has been incredibly successful thanks to our staff and leadership. Everything that goes on the field, whether it be a flag thrown or note played. It is all thanks to the help and spirit of the staff. It's the care for each individual on the field that makes you so special. Everything you do, every decision you make, big ones or small ones. We couldn't express in words how grateful we are to have you. This season has shown Moorpark's potential, and without all you wonderful staff, we couldn't show this potential.

From my perspective, being my first year as assistant drum major, this season has been wonderful. The leadership must be acknowledged for reminding us what Moorpark is about. I couldn't have asked for a better leadership council and head drum major, whose passion for making the band greater, greases the gears that make us turn, and creates a smoother run for everything.

More and more I see motivation, effort and determination from everyone. However what truly makes me hopeful for the future is the enjoyment of the activity itself. When it comes down to it, there is no trophy or award that can truly label what this season has been. It's the people in and out of the band that quantifies the season's meaning.

Thank you for making my first year so special. All for One and One for All!

Nicolas Gonzalez
Assistant Drum Major



The 2023 Moorpark Marching Musketeers

Drum Major

Smith, Emma *

Asst. Drum Major

Gonzalez, Nicolas

Clarinets

Lumley, Gavin
Pereira Ethan #
Regla, Rafaell *+
Sanchez, Alexander

Saxophones

Avalos, Evan
Barragan, Brian #
Casillas, Nicholas
Gallo, Ronin
Margolis, Benjamin *^
Marian, Aidan *+

Trumpets

Conlin, Andrew
Llacar, Jordan
Moore, Everly
Strausman, Rebecca*+#

Mellos

Hicks, River *+
Holland, Jack
Wnedlandt, Chloe

Baritones

De La Cruz, Alejandro*+
De La Cruz, Erik
Hornyak, Katherine
Regla, Sal *^#

Tuba

De Jesus, Rolan
Harnes, Hazel *+#



Battery

Alvarado, Michelle*
Chandramouli, Maniish
Chelsa, Justin
Ficher, Werner
Huss, Natalie *^#
Silva, Riley*^

Pit

Arakaki, Kevin ^*
Arakaki, Steven*
Flavin, Anna*^#
Seguine, Shelby
Thompson, Ruby
Wutkee, Luke

Guard

Aslam, Kenna
Chen, Rita
Cruz Nunez, Marlee
Cunningham, Ashley
Davidson, Sarah
Fletcher, Makena
Friery, Samantha *^#
Gutierrez, Sophia
Hirsch, Emily
Hovey, Sophia
LaBounty, Aiden
Murillo, Camila *^#
Padfield, Mackenzie *^#

+ Section Leader ^ Captain # Senior
* Instrumental Music Leadership Council (IMLC)

CABRILLO HIGH SCHOOL
THE CONQUISTADOR MARCHING BAND
Lompac, CA

Band Director: Garson Olivieri

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Courtney Grimnes, Erika Cheney
Percussion: Christopher Raj, Victor Dominguez

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Elena Griffiths
Auxiliary: Ellie Grimnes
Percussion: Austin Mahon, Daria Batty

Musical Repertoire

With or Without You by U2, Paradiso and Inferno by Robert W. Smith, and 160bpm by Hans Zimmer.

Woodwinds/Brass: 29 Percussion: 13 Auxiliary: 6 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 42 Total Performers: 50 Class: 2A Time: 3:45*

CANYON HIGH SCHOOL
THE GOLD STAR BRIGADE
Santa Clarita, CA

Band Director: Mark de la Vega

Instructional Staff

Drum Major: Elena Griffiths
Percussion: Dominic Lipari, Michael Jeff
Other: Brian Almiron

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Landon Gibson, Libi Ippolito
Auxiliary: Rebecca Luna, Mona Bouchard
Percussion: Tyler Diaz, Kiana Funakoshi

Musical Repertoire

"Bent" by John Fannin and Matt Hightower. Percussion by Josh Powell. Drill design by Jay Kamp.

Woodwinds/Brass: 26 Percussion: 14 Auxiliary: 13 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 40 Total Performers: 55 Class: 2A Time: 5:15*

CASTLE PARK HIGH SCHOOL
THE TROJAN BRIGADE
Chula Vista, CA

Band Director: Katie Betts

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Maria Orozco
Percussion: Terrance Norris
Marching: Sami Valdez
Other: Killian Voutour, Nano Antunez

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Ason Gonzalez
Auxiliary: Ricardo Hurtado-Millan, Lilith Bravo
Percussion: Vee Reyes, Adonai Lara

Musical Repertoire

Selections from Aurora by Luke McMillan, In the Air Tonight by Phil Collins, and Rewrite the Stars from The Greatest Showman

Woodwinds/Brass: 31 Percussion: 15 Auxiliary: 11 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 46 Total Performers: 58 Class: 2A Time: 3:00*

CHARTER OAK HIGH SCHOOL
THE MARCHING REGIMENT
Covina, CA

Band Director: Joel Lopez

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Cory Campos, Jaimee Althouse
Percussion: Hector Juarez, Nick Mesa, Elijah Alvarez-Espinal, Osmar Nava
Marching: Cristian Aguilar
Other: Scotte Schwarz, Ethan Fierro, Aduia Maiorca

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Audrey Schmalzbach
Auxiliary: Marlie Cayot, Samantha Lopez
Percussion: Chris Millan, Mia Almodovar

Musical Repertoire

"Smile", "Paint it Black", "All By Myself", "Help" - Music arrangements by Scott Director, Hector Juarez, & Alex Fortunato

Woodwinds/Brass: 28 Percussion: 14 Auxiliary: 12 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 42 Total Performers: 56 Class: 2A Time: 7:30*

DOS PUEBLOS HIGH SCHOOL

THE MARCHING CHARGERS

Goleta, CA

Band Director: Aimee Ware

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Adrian Rocha, Areicy Aguirre

Percussion: Haden Lo, Jairo Perez

Marching: Vincent Gonzalez, Andrew Stone

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Lorrain Uyeno; *Asst:* Vincent Marquez

Auxiliary: Maddie Kopras, Olivia Espino

Percussion: Nick Perl, Marcel Cruz Meza, Daniela Gil Garcia

Musical Repertoire

Blue Skies, Fly Me to the Moon, Swing Swing Swing.

Woodwinds/Brass: 31 Percussion: 18 Auxiliary: 6 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 49 Total Performers: 56 Class: 2A Time: 3:15*

HUNTINGTON PARK HIGH SCHOOL

THE HUNTINGTON HS MARCHING BAND

Huntington Park, CA

Band Director: Kelly Anthony

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Juan Hernandez, Angel Flores

Percussion: Tony T. Nguyen, Ricky Paredes

Marching: Andrew Ortega

Other: Aron Adame

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Joshua Contreras, Melany Moreno

Auxiliary: Gisselle Sanchez, Chris Hernandez

Percussion: Brianna Silva, Evenny Abarca

Musical Repertoire

This is Sparta, Love of Family, The Battle for Sparta

Woodwinds/Brass: 37 Percussion: 13 Auxiliary: 17 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 50 Total Performers: 68 Class: 2A Time: 8:30*

JOHN F. KENNEDY HIGH SCHOOL

MARCHING BAND & COLOR GUARD

Granada Hills, CA

Band Director: Wilber Ibarra

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Melany Ramos

Percussion: Sidney Cruz, Daniel Cabrera, Isaiah Navarro

Other: Carl Hammer

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Seth Ceballos, Angela Garlitos, Ryan Ongsing

Auxiliary: Emily Guerrero

Percussion: Daniel Reinoza Cartagena

Musical Repertoire

Far from Over, A House is Not a Home, I'm Still Standing

Woodwinds/Brass: 17 Percussion: 20 Auxiliary: 13 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 37 Total Performers: 51 Class: 2A Time: 12:30*

LAKESWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

THE LAKESWOOD LANCER REGIMENT

Lakewood, CA

Band Director: Evan Shegina

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Jonah Batac

Percussion: Caden Bowlus, Kyla Seitz

Marching: Quinn Sandoval

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Ariana Lope, Catherine Plascencia, Morgan Sandoval

Auxiliary: Ava Knight, Arielle Manriquez

Percussion: Owen Gardner-Orr, Sandy Saad

Musical Repertoire

Sound, Shape, and Color by Steve Martin, with Percussion written by Aaron Hines & Kyle Zive

Woodwinds/Brass: 32 Percussion: 12 Auxiliary: 12 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 44 Total Performers: 58 Class: 2A Time: 7:15*

LANCASTER HIGH SCHOOL
THE LANCASTER EAGLE CORPS
Lancaster, CA

Band Director: Norman Schmidtberger
Asst. Director: Robert Bowen

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Bailey Hooper
Marching: Paul Stewart, Louie Amesquita
Percussion: Donnie Requena
Other: James Flores

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Gracie Labra
Auxiliary: Isabelle Perez
Percussion: Jeremy Clifton

Musical Repertoire

Paranormal by Randall Stanridgde

Woodwinds/Brass: 28 Percussion: 12 Auxiliary: 5 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 40 Total Performers: 46 Class: 2A Time: 1:30*

LITTLEROCK HIGH SCHOOL
THE MARCHING LOBOS
Littlerock, CA

Band Directors: Sergio Cabrera
Asst. Director: Tre Balfour

Instructional Staff

Percussion: Tre Balfour

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Austin Shepherd
Auxiliary: Juliette Fonseca, Artemis Popoca Rojo
Percussion: Joe Villafuerte, Taylor McCullough, Anabell Labra

Musical Repertoire

Persistence of Time, Racing Against Time, Memory of Time,
Borrowed Time, Seizing Time

Woodwinds/Brass: 16 Percussion: 21 Auxiliary: 14 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 37 Total Performers: 51 Class: 2A Time: 11:45*

LOMPOC HIGH SCHOOL
THE MARCHING BRAVES AND DANIELINE
Lompoc, CA

Band Director: Julia Beth King Anderson

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Alena Velasco
Percussion: Nicholas Pardini
Marching: Nicholas Pardini

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Giselle Alatorre
Auxiliary: Zyan Jackson, Reyna Espinoza, Alexa Suarez

Musical Repertoire

Phobias

Woodwinds/Brass: 33 Percussion: 10 Auxiliary: 16 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 42 Total Performers: 59 Class: 2A Time: 2:15*

MARK KEPPEL HIGH SCHOOL
THE AZTEC BAND AND COLOR GUARD
Alhambra, CA

Band Director: Justin Lee

Instructional Staff

Percussion: Cole Kim

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Justin Zhao, Yang Hai
Auxiliary: Caitlin Cheung, Tenica Zhou
Percussion: Vincent Lu, Rachael Lui

Musical Repertoire

"Looking Through the Stained Glass" by Jerbrel M. Bowens

Woodwinds/Brass: 32 Percussion: 15 Auxiliary: 23 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 47 Total Performers: 72 Class: 2A Time: 3:30*

MARSHALL HIGH SCHOOL
THE MIGHTY EAGLE MARCHING BAND & COLOR GUARD
Pasadena, CA

Band Director: David Chase

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Marissa Espinoza, Cynthia Estrada

Percussion: Victor Perria, Jenna Sing

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Trinity De La Cruz, Daniel Shopbell

Auxiliary: Kassandra Briones, Sarah Cabanas

Percussion: Daniel Dinh

Musical Repertoire

"Classic Nouveau" featuring La Vie En Rose, Clair De Lune, & Once Upon A Dream

Woodwinds/Brass: 30 Percussion: 13 Auxiliary: 11 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 43 Total Performers: 54 Class: 2A Time: 12:15*

MOORPARK HIGH SCHOOL
THE MOORPARK MARCHING MUSKATEERS
Lompac, CA

Band Director: David Bowman

Asst. Director: Benny Goodman, Marco Lopez

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Rob Guzman, Bri Vargas, Xoxhi Villabolos, Jenyl Marquez

Percussion: Cameron Ayers, Isaac Eiguea, Alex Rodriguez

Marching: Aaron Talabucon

Other: Michael Gutierrez

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Emma Smith, Nic Gonzalez

Auxiliary: Mackenzie Padfield, Samantha Friery, Cami Murillo

Percussion: Natalie Huss, Riley Silva, Kevin Arakaki

Musical Repertoire

Original music by Ian Grom

Woodwinds/Brass: 25 Percussion: 13 Auxiliary: 18 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 38 Total Performers: 60 Class: 2A Time: 6:15*

MORENO VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL
THE VIKING REGIMENT
Moreno Valley, CA

Band Director: Trevor Vasquez

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Peter Gomez

Percussion: Patrick Alvarado

Marching: Robert Treen, Alyssa Fejeran

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Angel Lopez Bautista

Auxiliary: Julia Franco Pedroza

Percussion: Dielmel Carrasco

Musical Repertoire

ArtWORKS - Randall Standridge

Woodwinds/Brass: 24 Percussion: 12 Auxiliary: 5 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 36 Total Performers: 41 Class: 2A Time: 2:00*

NORTHVIEW HIGH SCHOOL
THE SPIRIT OF NORTHVIEW
Covina, CA

Band Director: Robin Gin

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Angie Jiminez, Ashley Gonzalez

Percussion: Nick Mesa, Sharon Lau, Mario Estrada

Other: Scott Bilbruck

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Sannie Mai

Auxiliary: Victor Viera, Alina Cruz, Andrea Perez

Percussion: Victoria Dones, Elton Bryant

Musical Repertoire

The News Cycle by Ezekial Lanser

Woodwinds/Brass: 28 Percussion: 10 Auxiliary: 9 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 38 Total Performers: 47 Class: 2A Time: 12:00*

OAK PARK HIGH SCHOOL

THE OAK PARK EAGLE BRIGADE

Oak Park, CA

Band Director: Elayne Roesner

Asst. Director: Zachary Borquez

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Brynn Gorney

Percussion: Bill Garcia, Travis Galvez, Nicholas Foy

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Andrew Kunesh, Navya Sreeraj

Auxiliary: Emily Kong, Sadie Roesner, Raedyn Sorensen

Percussion: Chloe Zohar, Martin Findley

Musical Repertoire

"Rebirth" by Kevin Shah

Woodwinds/Brass: 32 Percussion: 11 Auxiliary: 13 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 43 Total Performers: 58 Class: 2A Time: 7:00*

ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL

THE ENTERTAINMENT CORPS

Ontario, CA

Band Director: Elyse Doremus

Asst. Director: Juan Velazquez

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Leslie Cates

Percussion: Alicia Femath, Brandon Aparicio

Marching: Anthony Cabrera

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Rosemary Pacheco, Omar Garcia

Auxiliary: Melanie Hernandez

Percussion: Angel Vargas, Sergio Vazquez

Musical Repertoire

Briony by Dario Marianelli, Sun Valley Flourish by Steve Rieneke, To the Stars by Randy Edelman, and Home by Person & Holden

Woodwinds/Brass: 25 Percussion: 16 Auxiliary: 13 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 41 Total Performers: 55 Class: 2A Time: 5:30*

OTAY RANCH HIGH SCHOOL

THE MUSTANG ENTERTAINMENT CORPS

Chula Vista, CA

Band Director: Shafer Burnett

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Briana Coleman

Percussion: Vanessa Mariani

Other: Brittney Jung

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Kenneth Avalos, Hannah Kim

Auxiliary: Leandra Feupe, Christelle Debanate

Percussion: Tovy Sagun, Kenneth Avalos

Musical Repertoire

Ecstasy of Gold by Ennio Morricone, The Magnificent 7 by Elmer Bernstein, The Promise of Living by Aaron Copland, and Hoedown by Aaron Copland

Woodwinds/Brass: 29 Percussion: 13 Auxiliary: 6 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 42 Total Performers: 50 Class: 2A Time: 2:30*

PASADENA HIGH SCHOOL

THE PRIDE OF PASADENA

Pasadena, CA

Band Director: Miguel Alvarez

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Arturo Castro

Percussion: William Bower, Quentin Purviance

Marching: Nalani Viray

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Maxwell Yep

Auxiliary: Selena Ruiz, Marley Thach, Scarlett Glick

Percussion: Jake Berado, Mark-Anthony Rodriguez

Musical Repertoire

Second City Nights

Woodwinds/Brass: 22 Percussion: 14 Auxiliary: 13 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 36 Total Performers: 50 Class: 2A Time: 5:00*

POINT LOMA HIGH SCHOOL

THE POINT LOMA VANGUARD

San Diego, CA

Band Director: Ben Abada

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Sammy Bothwell

Percussion: Donovan Newkirk, Alex Soto

Marching: Sidney Eun, Aaliyah Frace

?: Manny Romero

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Cole Fisher, Diego Robles

Auxiliary: Zenden Hutchins

Percussion: Enzo Bernal, Bode Lamb

Musical Repertoire

"On the Road" by Charles Kekealian, "America the Beautiful", and "Life is a Highway" by Rascal Flatts

Woodwinds/Brass: 32 Percussion: 12 Auxiliary: 13 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 44 Total Performers: 59 Class: 2A Time: 2:45*

REDLANDS EAST VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

THE MARCHING WILDCATS

Redlands, CA

Band Director: Brian Hollett

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Rachel Garcia, Peris Schaffino

Percussion: Bailey Wilkins

Marching: Brayan Rubio

Other: Emily Sipes, Michael Locey

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Johnathan Ghazal, Pearl Solis

Auxiliary: Alma Shelly King, Madison Grimm

Percussion: Judah Gabriel, Tegan Foutz

Musical Repertoire

"Wanted" by Bon Jovi, "Hurt" by Johnny Cash, and "Symphony for Organ and Orchestra" by Aaron Copland

Woodwinds/Brass: 34 Percussion: 12 Auxiliary: 15 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 46 Total Performers: 61 Class: 2A Time: 1:00*

SAN MARCOS HIGH SCHOOL

THE SAN MARCOS MARCHING BAND & GUARD

Santa Barbara, CA

Band Director: Michael Kiyoi

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Karena Quezada, Areicy Aguirre

Percussion: Vincent Gonzales, Enrique Tahuite, Ivan Esparza

Marching: Landon Parcel

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Kiela Luke

Auxiliary: Valerie Ramirez, Elisa Sanchez

Percussion: Nico Hofmeister, Andrew Anderson

Musical Repertoire

Kingfisher's Catch Fire, Beethoven No. 7, Bounce, and Pentium

Woodwinds/Brass: 31 Percussion: 16 Auxiliary: 14 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 47 Total Performers: 62 Class: 2A Time: 5:45*

SANTA ANA HIGH SCHOOL

THE MARCHING SAINTS

Santa Ana, CA

Band Director: Mark Santos

Asst. Director: Jeremy DelaCudad

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Cynthia Najera

Percussion: Adam Van Boerem

Marching: Arturo Huerta Castro

Other: Matthew Nelson, Jorge Melchor

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Yamilett Melendez, Asst: Nereyda Garcia

Musical Repertoire

Pictures at Bald Mountain (Parts I-IV) by Randall Standridge

Woodwinds/Brass: 32 Percussion: 18 Auxiliary: 12 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 50 Total Performers: 62 Class: 2A Time: 6:00*

SIMI VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

THE MARCHING PRIDE

Simi Valley, CA

Band Director: Clinton Cody

Asst. Director: Hunter Avellona

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Nova Pedraza-Alamillo, Oliver Euan

Percussion: Drew Kosman, Daniel Nuefeld, Jonathan Palmquist

Marching: Ian Carranza, William Flannery

Other: Dayanara Aespeitia, Rylie Vantz, Xane Tamparong

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Delaney Welsbie, Daniel Levy, Kate Sterling

Auxiliary: Breanne St Laurent

Percussion: Zachary Orr, Sawyer Degan

Musical Repertoire

Pouring Out the Pieces: Discovery, The Disagreement: Conflict, Picking Up the Pieces, Putting it All Together: Resolution

Woodwinds/Brass: 22 Percussion: 14 Auxiliary: 2 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 36 Total Performers: 38 Class: 2A Time: 8:00*

TAFT CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

THE MARCHING TOREADORS

Woodland Hills, CA

Band Director: Daniel Gruber

Asst. Director: Sam Potts

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Dennis McKinnley

Percussion: David Frankel, Brendan Thompson

Marching: Sam Potts

Other: Anthony Pina

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Joie Alcantara, Asst: Natalia Guillen

Auxiliary: Elena Hampton, Hazel Perez

Percussion: Oz Shemesh

Musical Repertoire

Atmadja, Ninkou Latora, Quidam, Incantation

Woodwinds/Brass: 25 Percussion: 17 Auxiliary: 9 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 42 Total Performers: 52 Class: 2A Time: 12:45*

UNIVERSITY CITY HIGH SCHOOL

THE CENTURION SOUND

San Diego, CA

Band Director: Brandon Rhinehart

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Tracy Williams, Jisselle Cardenas

Percussion: Adrian Araiza

Marching: David Cardoze

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Joanna Herrera, Kaitlyn Dennis

Auxiliary: Jenna Smith, Killian Plascencia, Sage Romero,

Katelyn Timple, Kelsey Ho

Percussion: Eleanor Huntsman, Mattias Schmidt, Carly Cima

Musical Repertoire

A Thousand Cranes by Michael Pote

Woodwinds/Brass: 29 Percussion: 12 Auxiliary: 20 Other: 1
Total Musicians: 41 Total Performers: 62 Class: 2A Time: 1:15*

VALENCIA HIGH SCHOOL

THE PRIDE OF THE VIKINGS

Valencia, CA

Band Director: Kelvin Flores

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Lorraine Kohagen, Megan Gade, Olivia Siroky

Percussion: Benjamin Upchurch, Karl Taoatao, Aubre Balfour

Marching: Gerardo Hernandez, Andrew Shousha, Ethan Orlandes

Other: Anita Harvell

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Adani Ahmad, Abigail Michaelides

Auxiliary: Caitlin Williams, Julie Shim, Lindsay Hersh, Anaya Cole

Percussion: Madeline Kracht, Jonathan Collier

Musical Repertoire

"Rocky Point Holiday" by Ron Nelson, "Everything in Its Right Place" by Radiohead, "California Love" by Tupac Shakur, and "California Girls" by Katy Perry

Woodwinds/Brass: 32 Percussion: 11 Auxiliary: 23 Other: 2
Total Musicians: 43 Total Performers: 68 Class: 2A Time: 8:45*

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* All times current at press time but subject to change at the discretion of the Head Judge

VALLEY VIEW HIGH SCHOOL

THE CRIMSON REGIMENT

Moreno Valley, CA

Band Director: Andrew Silva

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Faith Huffman, Jaelyn Berney, Jenna Serna

Percussion: Cole Wheeler, Omar Mondragon, Nathan Aguirre, Josiah Sanchez

Student Leaders

Drum Major: Uriel Serna

Auxiliar: Leila Gutierrez, Heidi Reyes

Percussion: Julian Castillo, Melany Torres

Musical Repertoire

"Temptation of Sirens", original music by Key Poulan

Woodwinds/Brass: 24 Percussion: 14 Auxiliary: 5 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 38 Total Performers: 43 Class: 2A Time: 4:30*

VENICE HIGH SCHOOL

THE MIGHTY GONDOLIER MARCHING BAND

Los Angeles, CA

Band Director: Scott Sutherland

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Francis Abastillas, Candie Khoe

Percussion: Owen McKay Schultz

Marching: Russell Collings

Other: Wendy Sarnoff

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Etai Miller, Evan Doi, Dennis De Leon

Auxiliary: Leo Monterrubio, Eve Cordova

Percussion: Lisa Lopez

Musical Repertoire

In the Good Old Summertime, L'Estate (Vivaldi), Summer Nights, The Best Things in Life are Free, Venice Street Style, Echo the Victor's Cheers

Woodwinds/Brass: 24 Percussion: 11 Auxiliary: 12 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 47 Total Performers: 47 Class: 2A Time: 4:45*

WEST COVINA HIGH SCHOOL

THE BULLDOG BAND & COLOR GUARD

West Covina, CA

Band Director: Stephen Olivas

Asst. Director: Matt McGraw

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Rica Monina Anonas

Percussion: Adrian Buhac, Evan Buhac

Other: James Plunkett

Student Leaders

Woodwinds: Katie Cheng

Brass: Ansh Kumar

Colorguard: Julia Renteria

Percussion: Christopher Buhac

Musical Repertoire

"Pursuit of Happiness: You Can't Have One Without the Other", Movements I-III by Joshua Hinkel

Woodwinds/Brass: 28 Percussion: 14 Auxiliary: 2 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 42 Total Performers: 44 Class: 2A Time: 7:45*

YORBA LINDA HIGH SCHOOL

THE MUSTANG BAND & GUARD

Yorba Linda, CA

Band Director: Bincins Garcia

Asst. Director: Connor Hipwell

Instructional Staff

Auxiliary: Ariana Cruz

Other: Scott Bilbruck

Student Leaders

Drum Majors: Brady Nguyen, Hanbin Wang

Auxiliary: Naina Brar, Alexis Tetley

Percussion: Brady Nguyen

Musical Repertoire

El Matador by Randy Gilpin

Woodwinds/Brass: 38 Percussion: 10 Auxiliary: 11 Other: 0
Total Musicians: 48 Total Performers: 59 Class: 2A Time: 8:15*

2023 Moorpark Battle of the Bands Performance Schedule

Opening Ceremonies	11:30 AM
Round 1	
Littlerock HS	11:45 AM
Northview HS	12:00 PM
Marshall HS	12:15 PM
John F. Kennedy HS	12:30 PM
Taft Charter HS	12:45 PM
Redlands East Valley HS	1:00 PM
University City HS	1:15 PM
Lancaster HS	1:30 PM
BREAK	1:45 PM
ROUND 2	
Moreno Valley HS	2:00 PM
Lompoc HS	2:15 PM
Otay Ranch HS	2:30 PM
Point Loma HS	2:45 PM
Castle Park HS	3:00 PM
Dos Pueblos HS	3:15 PM
Mark Keppel HS	3:30 PM
Cabrillo HS	3:45 PM
BREAK	4:00 PM



ROUND 3	
Valley View HS	4:30 PM
Venice HS	4:45 PM
Pasadena HS	5:00 PM
Canyon HS	5:15 PM
Ontario HS	5:30 PM
San Marcos HS	5:45 PM
Santa Ana HS	6:00 PM
Moorpark HS	6:15 PM
BREAK	6:30 PM
ROUND 4	
Oak Park HS	7:00 PM
Lakewood HS	7:15 PM
Charter Oak HS	7:30 PM
West Covina HS	7:45 PM
Simi Valley HS	8:00 PM
Yorba Linda HS	8:15 PM
Huntington Park HS	8:30 PM
Valencia HS	8:45 PM
BREAK	9:00 PM
AWARDS CEREMONY	9:30 PM

Grab and Go Menu

Bagel w/ butter	\$2	Donut	\$3
w/ crm.cheese	\$3	Fresh Cookie	\$2
Chips	\$1	Candy	\$2
Drinks			
Soda or Coffee	\$2	Water	\$1
Hot Chocolate	\$2	Gatorade	\$3

Food Court Menu

Baked Potato	\$5	w/ chili	\$6
Hamburger	\$6	w/ chili	\$7
Cheeseburger	\$7	w/ chili	\$8
Hot Dog	\$4	w/ chili	\$5
BBQ Meatballs			\$5
Cup of Noodles			\$2
Vegetarian Chili			\$5
Mac N Cheese (Jalapeno & Regular)			\$4

Snacks

Soft Pretzel	\$3	Nachos	\$5
w/ cheese	\$3	Chips	\$2
Candy	\$2	Cookie	\$2

Drinks

Soda or Coffee	\$2	Water	\$1
Hot Chocolate	\$2	Gatorade	\$3

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Message from the Tournament Director

This Battle of the Bands started in 1995, as a plan to bring local bands together in a competitive event that would highlight Moorpark's music programs. In that inaugural event and 26 subsequent Battles of the Bands (every year but 2020), tens of thousands of musicians and auxiliary members have performed in this stadium. Each Battle has been another opportunity for students to demonstrate their talents, skills, showmanship, and hard work.

Today, they seize that opportunity again, thanks to your support. Today's bands come together not only for our traditional Battle, but also for the Southern California School Band and Orchestra Association (SCSBOA) 2A Division Preliminary Championships. We are honored to host many schools visiting Moorpark for the first time, and we hope to see some of them at future Battles.

Since 1995, Moorpark's music programs have grown. I have witnessed 15 years of that growth through the participation of my own children as well as many others. Their personal, emotional, and experiential development are testament to the benefits of music education, and to the impact that dedicated staff, committed administrators, and supportive local leaders have on maturing citizens.

These events are similarly testament to the ongoing support for music education within Moorpark Unified School District. They benefit in particular from the support of Moorpark High School Principal Zaid Bakoo, Assistant Principal Tara Thomas, Athletic Director Rob Dearborn, and District Superintendent Kelli Hays.

An event of this magnitude only happens thanks to hundreds of volunteers each year - staff, students, families, friends, and community members, filling over 200 specific roles, and generously giving their time and energy to support our kids and programs, as well as yours. On behalf of all of our boosters, we thank the event founders and the thousands of volunteers since for creating and continuing this important event. We hope that we have preserved and extended that legacy, and we are confident that the Battle of the Bands has the local and organizational support to continue for many generations.

Ellis Godard, 2023 BOTB Lead & Tournament Director






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