



Dear Band Directors, thank you so much for attending this year's Crystal City Competition. We are excited to provide our venue for your band.

Tickets: Please push these tickets! They are \$7 each. Regardless of how many you sell, please have them ready to hand in at check in when you arrive. Be sure to have the documentation with the amount sold and the money collected upon checking in. All tickets must be accounted for. Please make any checks out to *CPP Band Boosters Inc.* **Gates open at 5:00pm.** Students will receive a dob which will allow them to re-enter and watch bands/get concessions. (We encourage this!)

Logistical Coordination: The address you want to use is Aisne St, Corning, NY, 14830. Included in this packet is a map of the highway system around Corning (I-86), a map showing you where to park, and lastly, a logistical map including warm up zones and show-travel flow. Please do your best to follow the dictated flow of traffic; if bands do not follow the flow, it will get cramped. **Please read this packet carefully as some things have changed from previous years.**

Candy-Grams! This is an exciting way for students to recognize and gift each other with some tasty sweets. Your Drum Majors will receive your Candy-Grams at the retreat ceremony.

Judges Audio Comments: We will be utilizing Competition Suite for all Judge's commentary. Please make sure your staff is registered on the web site

Videoing: Your videographer may go up to our press box. Please make sure they have the proper credentials. To enter, use the door at the top of the stands.

Field Rules: Only rubber/plastic flats are allowed, no high heels. Please only cross the track on plastic-protected areas; please do not bring food or beverages onto the field.

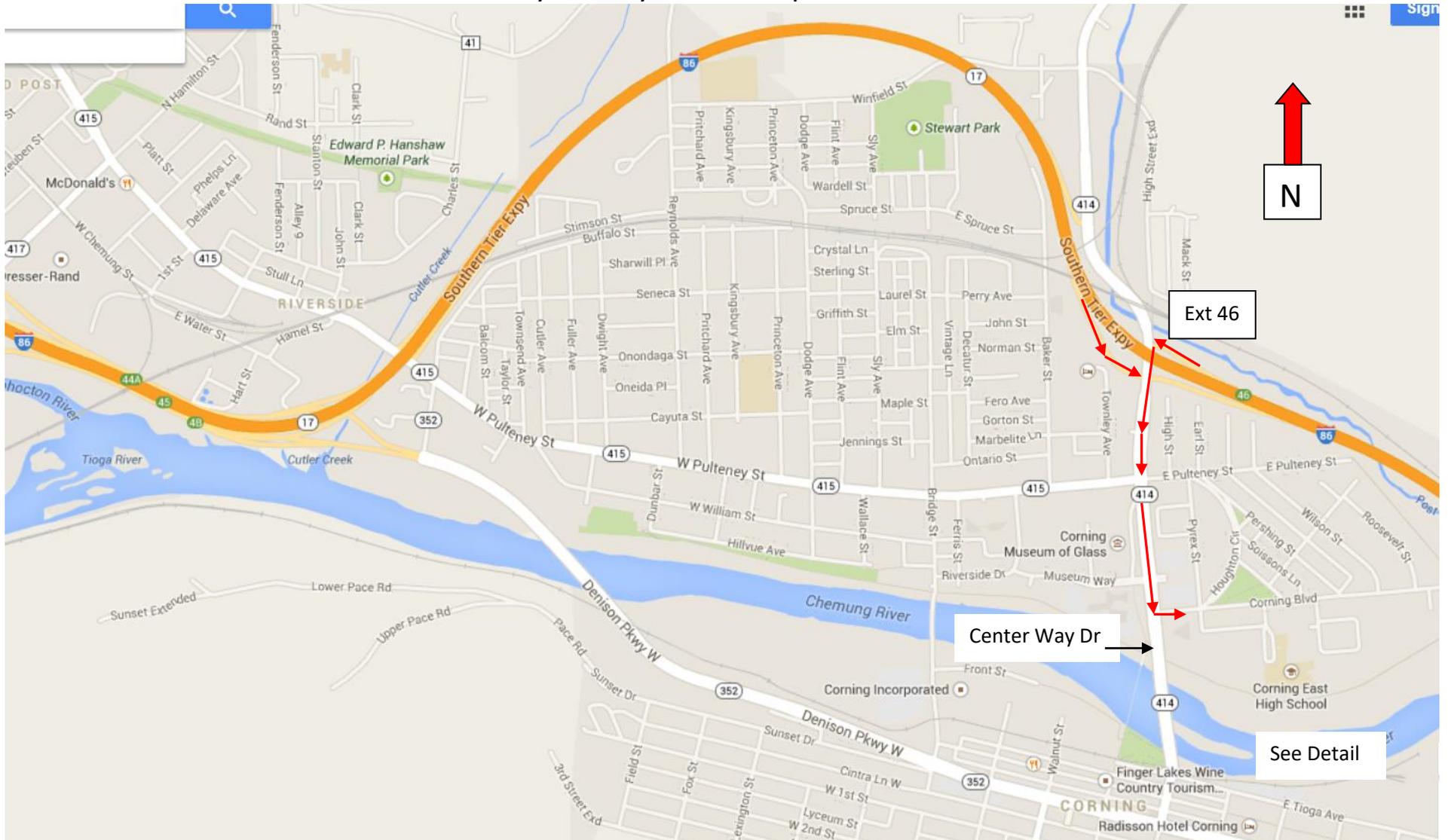
Critique: Will follow the following order based on distance traveled. Critique will take place in the media center (library). There will be three bands in critique at a time with a maximum of five staff members per judging area. The judging areas are Music, Visual and General Effect.

1. Webster, 109 miles
1. LeRoy, 88 miles
1. Johnson City, 72 miles
2. Union-Endicott, 68 miles
2. Vestal, 67 miles
2. Southern Tioga, 36 miles
3. Horseheads, 15 miles
3. Corning, 0 miles

Contact Point: Joe Stork, Competition Band Director, jstork@cppasd.com, 585-737-2999 (cell) Thank you again so much and please reach out if you have any questions!



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Hwy I86, Take Ext 46

Head South on Center Way Drive (Rt 414S)

Turn left at 4th Light (from the West), 5th light from the East (Fire Station on the Corner)



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Band	Gate Time	Performance Time
Williamson	5:50	6:00
CPP Performance Band	6:03	6:13
Leroy	6:16	6:26
Southern Tioga	6:29	6:39
Union-Endicott	6:42	6:52
Johnson City	6:55	7:05
Vestal	7:08	7:18
Webster	7:21	7:31
CPP Competition Band	7:34	7:44
Horseheads	7:47	7:57

Arrival

- Bus drops offs will occur at the Gym parking lots (Aisne St. entrance). **See the parking map for your parking spot.**
- Equipment trucks should follow the buses to the Gym parking lot (Aisne St. entrance)
- After the trucks are unloaded, the trucks will then move around the back of the school to the parking lot behind the stadium. **See the parking map for your parking spot.**

Warm Up

- Warm Ups will occur on the practice field to the East of the school, located right next to Bus Parking.
- Depending on the weather, the warm up zone may be moist/muddy.
- Please leave plenty of travel time from the warm-up zones to the stadium, as it is about a 10 minute walk.
- Only the first band is permitted to warm up in the Equipment Parking behind the stadium.

Hospitality

- We pride ourselves on our great hospitality. Please invite your staff/boosters and drivers to our hospitality located in the Café.

On and Off the Field

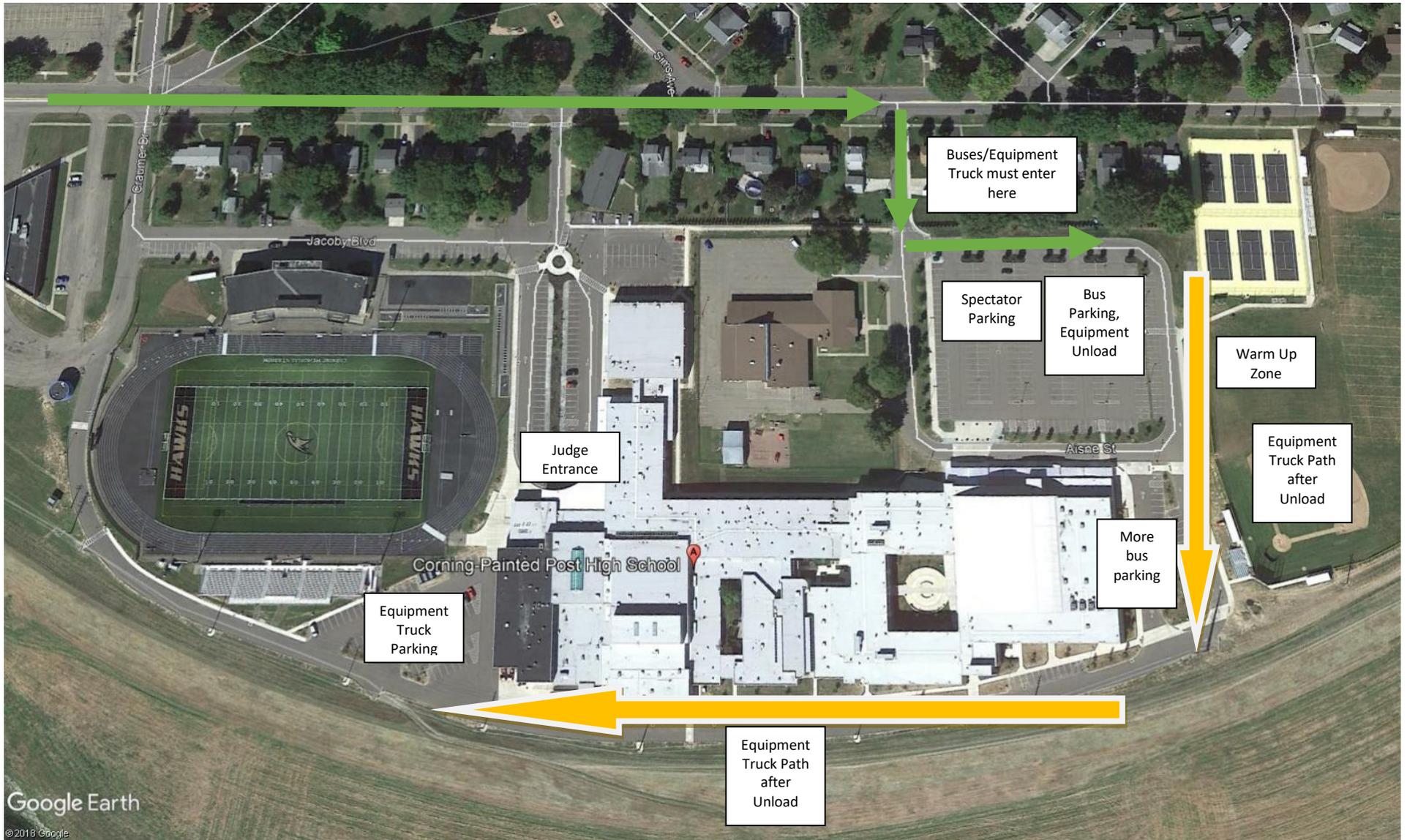
- Bands will enter and exit from the *Side 1 (Stage right)* endzone. The bands just have to pass the 30 yard line and then come down front, on the track. **This is a change from previous years.**

Rain Out Plan

- We will follow the rules in the NYSFBC Blue Book when it comes to calling a rain out.
- In the case of a rain out, the show will be hosted in our Theater.
- The band rooms and the gym will serve as ensemble warm up areas.



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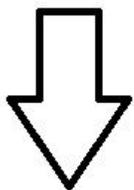




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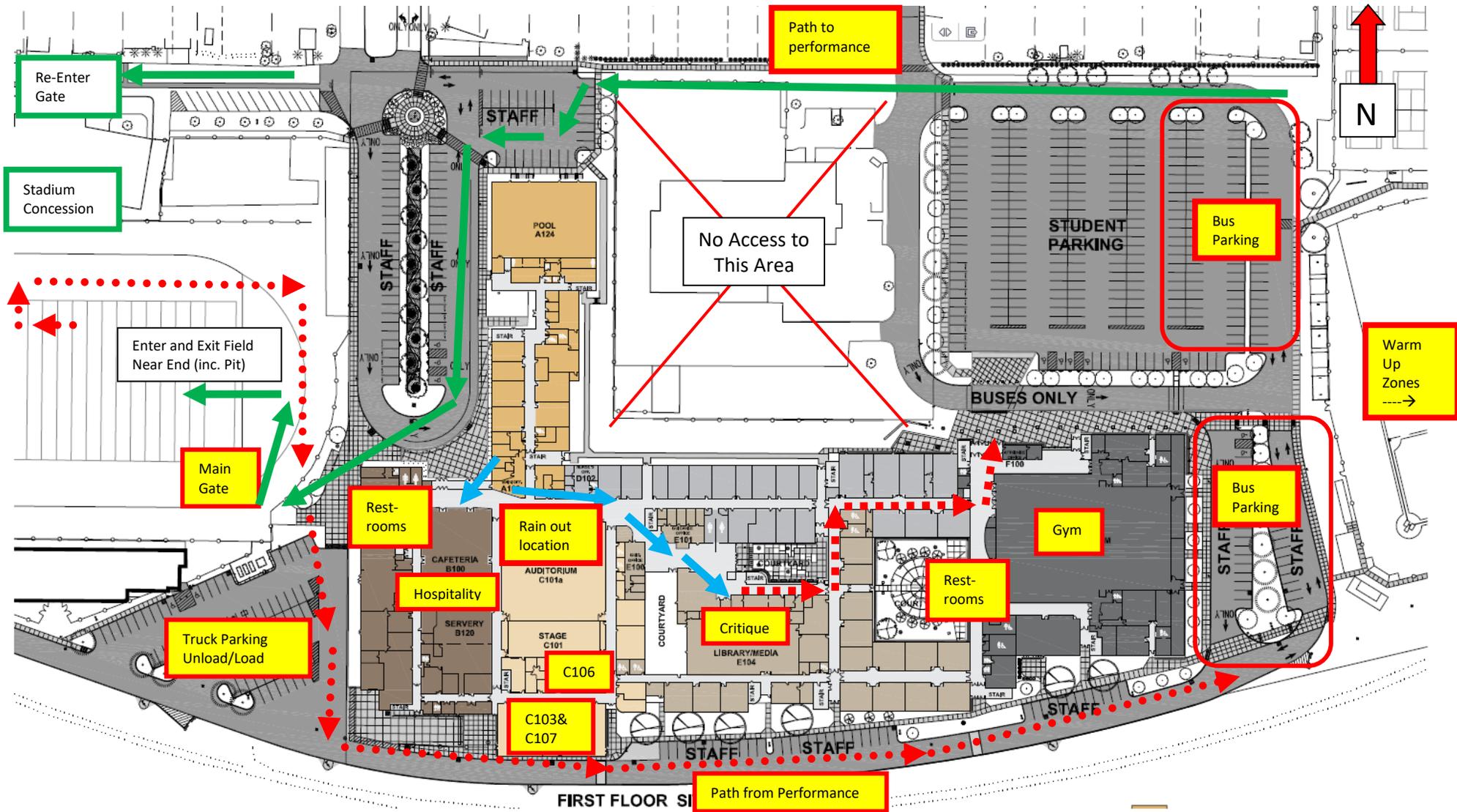
Aisne St Bus Parking →

**Behind the Stadium
Truck/Trailer Parking**





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Band	Warm Up Time	Performance Time	Warm Up Room
Williamson	5:00-5:45	6:00	C107
CPP-Performance Band	5:13-5:58	6:13	Gym
Leroy	5:26-6:11	6:26	C103
Southern Tioga	5:39-6:24	6:39	C106
Union-Endicott	5:52-6:37	6:52	C107
Johnson City	6:05-6:50	7:05	Gym
Vestal	6:18-7:03	7:18	C103
Webster	6:31-7:16	7:31	C106
CPP-Competition Band	6:44-7:29	7:44	C107
Horseheads	6:57-7:42	7:57	Gym

Rain Out Procedure

- In the case of inclement weather, please keep your students on the bus for as long as possible. Reference the map on the next page to see where your warm up area is located (behind the theater).
- Please enter with your equipment at the field house location and push down to the band rooms.
- Please then have your equipment trailers move to the parking lot behind the stadium.
- Please enter the stage, stage right and exit stage left.
- Large percussion equipment will have to go down the ramps on the side and then through the middle aisles to ensure safety of the equipment.
- The café will serve as the concession spot.
- Please be patient and text or call Joe Stork, **585-737-2999** with any concerns.



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