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**2019 TCGC Morton Ranch HS Information**  
**Saturday, January 26**  
**Show Start Time: 9:00AM**

**Facility** Morton Ranch HS  
21000 Franz Rd,  
Katy, TX 77449

**Ticket Prices: \$10**

Cash or credit, booster organizations can make checks payable to

Please contact the show sponsor PRIOR to the show if you have any questions or have a special circumstance.

**Contest Director**

Sara Bryant  
[eastcd@texascolorguardcircuit.org](mailto:eastcd@texascolorguardcircuit.org)

**Show Host Contact**

Kyle Coleman  
[KyleFColeman@KatylSD.org](mailto:KyleFColeman@KatylSD.org)

**Judging Panels**

**Color Guard**

EQ Michael Levesque  
MV Patty Beggy  
DA Kathy Whitcomb  
GE Kendall LeJeune  
GE Keith McKeachie (LJ)  
TP Kayley Hendrix  
Over Mike Lopinto

**TO LISTEN TO JUDGES COMMENTARY:**

Each director should be set up with an account through CompetitionSuite. This is the ONLY WAY to receive judge's commentary for any TCGC event.

**SOUND TESTING:**

One hour prior to the start of the contest and during breaks at the discretion of the contest director. Music should be uploaded to CompetitionSuite.

**WARM-UP AREA:**

All maps are in this packet. Color guards should report one hour prior to performance time. The Show Host will provide sound equipment with auxiliary cords for MP3 or iPod use in both Warm-Up areas no CD capability will be available.

**RECAPS:** Recaps will be available through CompetitionSuite only

**CRITIQUE:** Is only offered to World Class units if applicable.

**VIDEO TAPING:**

**No video cameras allowed and no authorized video space will be provided. TCGC does not condone nor accept liability for any unauthorized recording during an event.**

Don't forget to review the  
[Keys to a Successful Contest Day!](#)





## MORTON RANCH HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Kyle F. Coleman – Director of Bands

Alex Hedden – Assistant Director of Bands

Andrew Barlow – Assistant Director of Bands

### WELCOME TO THE MORTON RANCH HS CONTEST!!!

All of us here at Morton Ranch HS would like to welcome you and hope that your visit to our campus and your first contest of the season is a successful one.

We have been working very hard to insure that the event runs smoothly and is as stress free as possible for you and your unit. If at anytime you have a question, please feel free to ask any adult or student volunteer. If we do not know the answer, we will find out. If you have any questions, please visit unit check-in in the Main Commons.

**Unit Check-in** will be located just inside the doors coming in from the bus parking area at the back of the school.

**All buses** will need to park in the parking lot behind the school next to the tennis courts and stadium. Enter on the WEST side of the campus and go behind the building then turn just prior to the tennis courts.

All color guard units have been assigned a classroom to prepare for the upcoming performance. Please help us keep our building in excellent condition by discarding any trash in the appropriate places and report any "accidents" to a volunteer so that it may be dealt with appropriately. **NO FOOD SHOULD BE IN ANY CLASSROOM AT ANY TIME.**

All floor carts and large props will be stored in the 1600's classroom hallways. There are no specific spaces assigned for this, simply find a blank section of hallway and store your carts/props until time to perform. We ask that after your performance all carts and props be returned to your bus/truck for storage.

The Main Commons will be used for color guard general warm-up. It can easily accommodate 3-4 units at one time. Please be fair and do not occupy this area for more than 25 minutes. No spinning will be allowed in any hallways as this would create a safety hazard. If you need additional warm-up time, there is lots of space outside. (Weather permitting)

A lounge for directors will be located across from the library in Room # 1324. A lounge for bus drivers will be located in the LGI which is on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor overlooking the central rotunda. A **first aid** table will be set up on the Stage in the Main Commons (right by general warm-up) throughout the day.

We have a full concession stand next to the Main Commons/vendor area along with the "Maverick Café" for your enjoyment.

We do have a boxed meal option for performers of all competing units. This info was sent out in an email from TCGC on Jan. 16. If you utilized this option, you will turn in payment and pick up your boxed meals in the director lounge. (ROOM 1324)

**WiFi Information:** Network - KISDBeThe Legacy Password: bethelegacy (*all lower case*)

### **CONCESSIONS**

The menu will include numerous food and beverage choices throughout the contest.

**NO OUTSIDE FOOD MAY BE BROUGHT INTO THE BUILDING.** Hosting this event is a huge effort and is a fundraiser for our band program, please respect this policy and inform your parents prior to attending the event so we do not have any surprises upon arrival. If you do not choose to utilize the boxed meal option or our concessions, units are certainly welcome to leave the campus and return if they wish. There are many excellent restaurants in the area – mostly on Fry Road and on Mason Road at I-10.

**VENDORS** – several will be available for your convenience and shopping pleasure!!!

**Again, we hope you have a great performance and we wish you the best of luck.** If you have any questions prior to your arrival, contact Kyle Coleman at [KyleFColeman@KatyISD.org](mailto:KyleFColeman@KatyISD.org)

Sincerely,

The Morton Ranch HS Band Staff, Band Members, and Band Booster Organization

## DIRECTIONS TO MORTON RANCH HIGH SCHOOL

◆ Morton Ranch High School is located at 21000 Franz. Road in Katy, TX 77449. The school may be accessed from I-10 by using Westgreen or Mason Road and turning north. The school may also be accessed from Fry Road. (See enclosed map)

◆ For those using Westgreen or Fry Road: Take Westgreen or Fry Rd. North off I-10 to Franz Rd. and turn left. The school will be on your right. Bus parking entrance will be on the far side of the campus. Turn right into the driveway and then right again just before the tennis courts into the parking lots. Spectator Parking is in the front East side of the school

◆ For those using Mason Road: take Mason north off I-10 to Franz Rd. and turn right. The school will be on your left. Bus parking entrance will be on the near side of the campus. Turn left into the driveway and then right just before the tennis courts into the parking lots. Spectator Parking is in the front East side of the school.

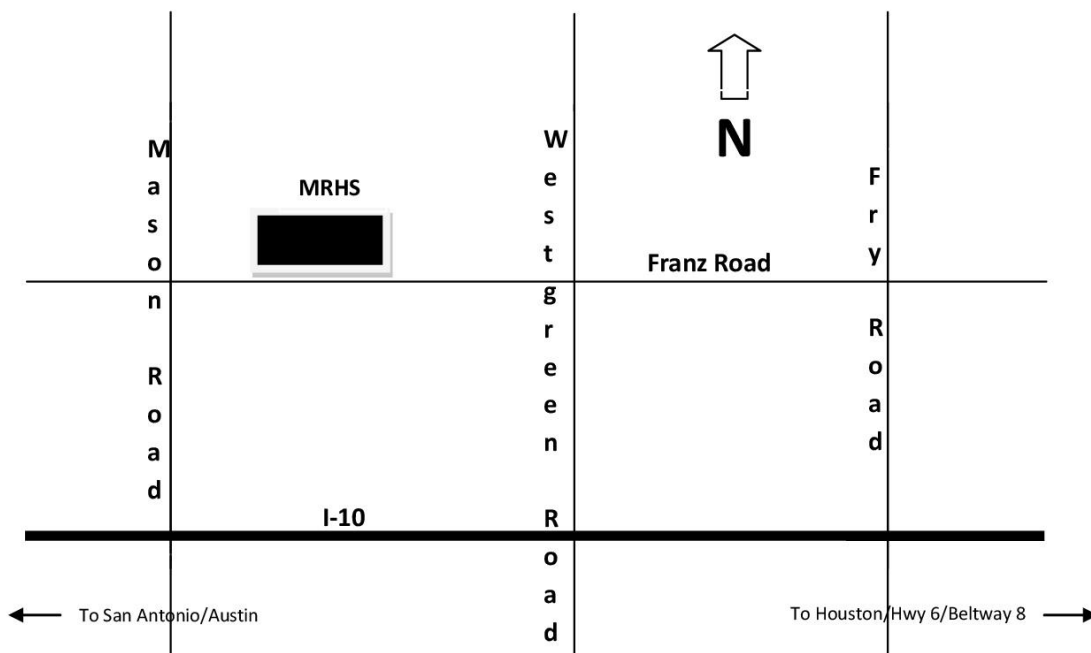
### PARKING:

◆ Automobile parking will be in the main (front) parking lot, just off Franz Road.

◆ ALL Buses should unload and park in the rear parking lots behind the school. Buses should enter using the West entrance off Franz Road, turn just before the tennis courts and proceed to the parking area. The parking lot attendant will show you where to actually park and leave the vehicle.

◆ Color Guard Equipment truck parking will also be in the rear parking lots behind the school. Trucks should enter using the West entrance off Franz Road, unload and move to the parking area.

◆ Percussion Equipment truck parking will also be in the rear parking lots behind the school. Trucks should enter using the West entrance off Franz Road, unload and move to the parking area. There is plenty of space in this area for outdoor warm up if weather permits.



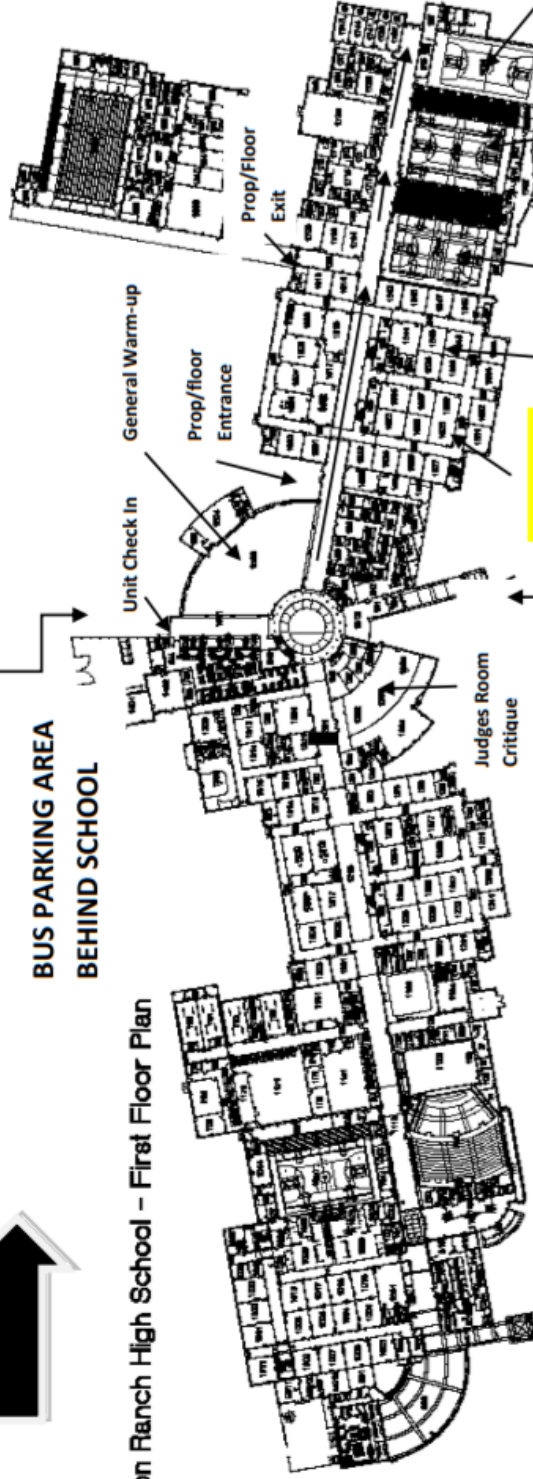
Morton Ranch High School  
21000 Franz Road  
Katy, Texas 77449

## COLOR GUARD CONTEST MAP

Bus Parking  
Equipment Trucks

BUS PARKING AREA  
BEHIND SCHOOL

Morton Ranch High School - First Floor Plan



FLOOR  
FOLDING  
GYM

PERFORMANCE  
GYM

WARM UP  
GYM

Prop/floor  
Storage

Spectator  
Entrance

Body Warm Up

Spectator Parking

← To Mason Road and Hwy 99

FRANZ ROAD

To Westgreen Rd. and Fry Rd. →

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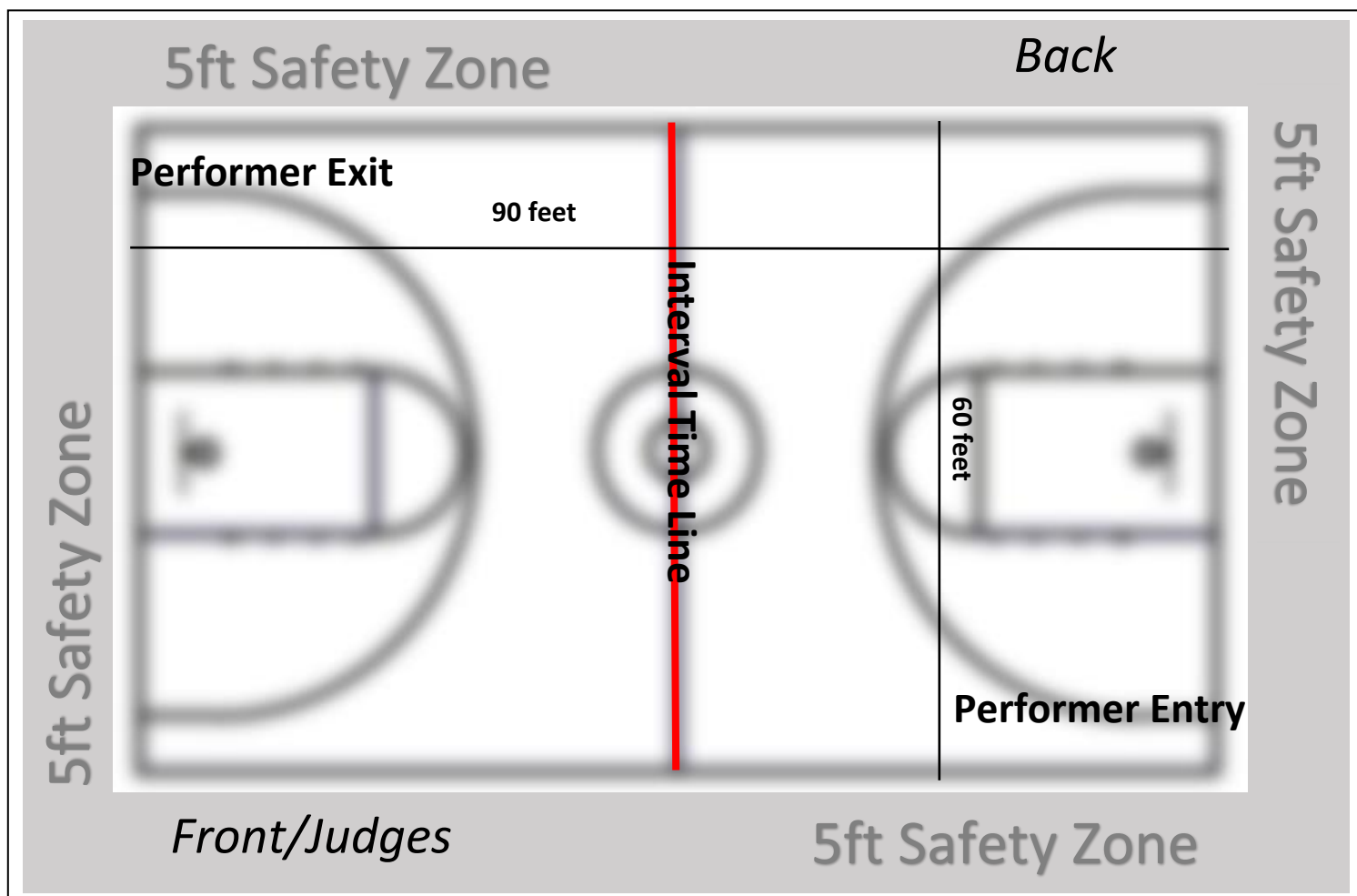


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### Competition Area

All TCGC contest sites must have a minimum of seventy by one hundred feet (70' x 100') to accommodate a "safety zone" of five (5) feet from any spectator seating. If no spectators are seated on the left and right sides, then the safety zone will be eliminated on the left and right sides of the competition area and can extend to a maximum of 100' x 70'.

The "competition area" at this event measures 90' x 60'. All performing groups must be prepared to perform within that area. Floors (tarps) may not extend into safety zones per rules found in the WGI Adjudication Manual and Rulebook.



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