



Percussion/Winds Evaluation Day Contest Information Saturday, February 11, 2023

LOCATION

Santan Junior High School
1550 E Chandler Heights Rd
Chandler, AZ 85249

EMERGENCY CONTACT (DAY OF SHOW ONLY)

Contest Administrator: Robin Montoya 915.494.8232

Event Partner: Travis Breedlove (Basha HS Booster Vice President) 480.390.7613

Jeanette Kalivoda (Basha HS Booster Secretary) 480.415.1364

FAN PARKING

Fan parking is located on the west side of the school off of Adams Ave.

BUS/TRAILER PARKING

All buses and equipment trucks should enter through the south lot off of Chandler Heights Rd. After checking in and unloading you will be directed to the north side of the school. If your unit members are traveling individually there will be parking spots available in the spectator parking lot.

CHECK IN & VIDEO

There will be a station near the bus loop at the south end of the school for unit check-in. A unit representative must check in and pick up a unit packet that will contain wristbands for both staff and performers.

Directors will be given 7 wristbands for admission to the event. Additional staff/parent helper passes can be purchased at the through GoFans.

There is **NO** video recording or flash photography allowed.



PASSES

Units will be given 7 staff wristbands in addition to the performer wristbands for entrance passes. These will be distributed at Unit Check-in. Your unit badges **WILL** be recognized this year. **PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR BUS/TRUCK DRIVERS!**

- To prevent a delay in show, WGAZ asks that all performers, staff and parent/volunteers to be wearing their wristbands at all times during WGAZ Events.
- WGAZ is requesting anyone wearing a performer wristband to sit in their designated areas while inside.

WARM UP

Warm-up will be on football field (east side of campus), basketball courts (northside of campus). Units may **NOT** open performance floors on the outdoor courts or parking lots. Please refer to the maps provided for specific warm-up locations.

STAFF VIEWING LOCATIONS

There will be one staff viewing area located at the top of the bleachers. There is to be no sitting on the stairs or aisles.

The staff viewing area is reserved for staff of the currently performing unit's performance. After your unit has performed, please find an alternate seating location to enjoy other performances.

PERFORMANCE ENTRANCE

The performance entrance is on the west side of the performance gym.

PERFORMANCE EXIT

Units will exit through the doors located on the southwest side of the performance gym. They will then proceed to the floor folding area located at the tennis courts.

DIRECTORS HOSPITALITY

There will be a hospitality area located in the cafeteria.



CONCESSIONS

We will have a limited concessions located just outside of the performance gym entrance.

Cash and cards will be accepted | *No food is allowed in the Gym.*

RESTROOMS

Performer restrooms are located near the main gym.

WATER

WGAZ highly encourages you to provide water for your performers.

TICKET SALES

General Admission - \$10

5 and under – Free

WGAZ is ready for the new indoor season and excited for all the events to come. To ensure students, staff, and fans are safe and can easily access events, we have partnered with GoFan to provide digital tickets and contactless payments. To buy tickets, visit our GoFan page. <https://gofan.co/app/school/AZ86318%E2%80%8B>

Please note:

- Check standard schedule of the event to confirm ticket purchases.
- Ticket purchases will be online or through a QR code only
- Show proof of tickets on GoFan App to receive a wristband
- Masks are highly encouraged at WGAZ events.
- Limited seats will be available

WGAZ recommends all fans to arrive 30 minutes before units performance

COMPETITIONSUITE DETAILS

ACCESSING YOUR GROUP - <https://help.competitionsuite.com/article/16-accessing-your-group>

ADDING YOUR STAFF - <https://help.competitionsuite.com/article/61-adding-staff-members>

ACCESSING COMMENTARY - <https://help.competitionsuite.com/article/17-accessing-commentary>

MUSIC UPLOADS - <https://help.competitionsuite.com/article/74-uploading-performance-music>

Score Summary Sheets are also located in your CompetitionSuite account with your overall score.



JUDGE PANEL

PERCUSSION/WINDS CLINICIANS

Lauren Teel
Don Click
Dakota McConnell

OUTDOOR CLINICIANS

Sierra Rogers
Vision Percussion

EVENT STAFF

Contest Admin: Robin Montoya
T&P: Bryan Scheidecker
Sound Engineer: Shawn Shive
Tabulator: N/A

Judge and Staff assignments and schedules subject to change

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SITE

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DIMENSIONS 90' X 60'

FRONT SIDE BLEACHER ROWS 9

SEATING CAPACITY appx 1200

APPROXIMATE CEILING HEIGHT appx 40 ft

There are no stairs to contend with in the competition area.

There are retractable hoops above the competition floor.

Units enter the competition area directly from outside.

There is electrical power available at the front and back sidelines.

Units exit the competition area straight to the outdoors.

There is no indoor prop storage available before your performance.

There is a designated floor fold area outside the exit after the performance.

There will be a black, appx 60'X90', vinyl tarp covering the performance gym floor.

The distance from the warm up area to the competition area is less than five minutes.

Both performer entry points to the gym are double-door with the bar removed. The dimensions for each door opening are 68"x96".

WARM UP AREAS

Basketball Court, Football Field

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PERFORMANCE GYM-SPECTATOR VIEW



PERFORMANCE GYM-PERFORMER VIEW



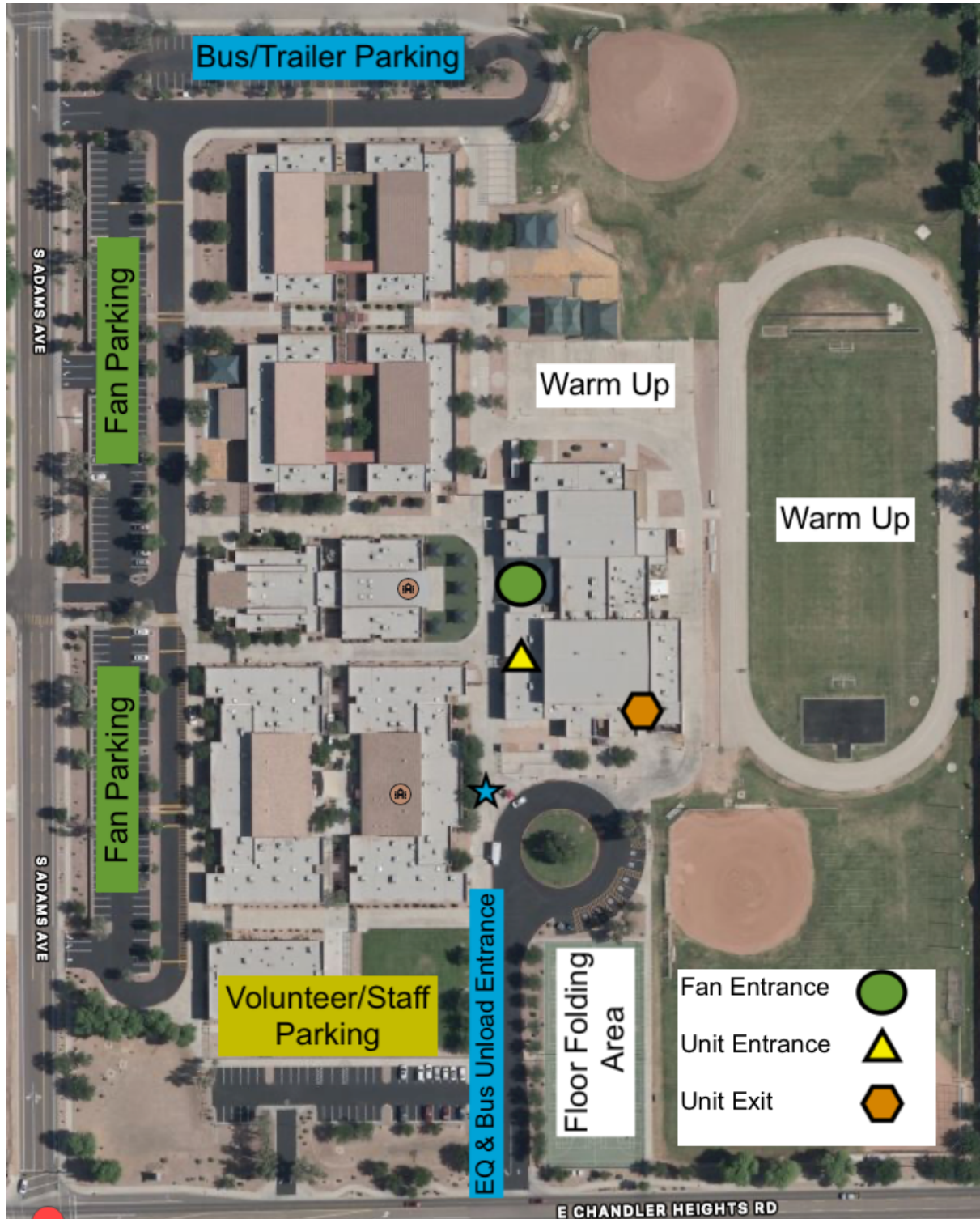
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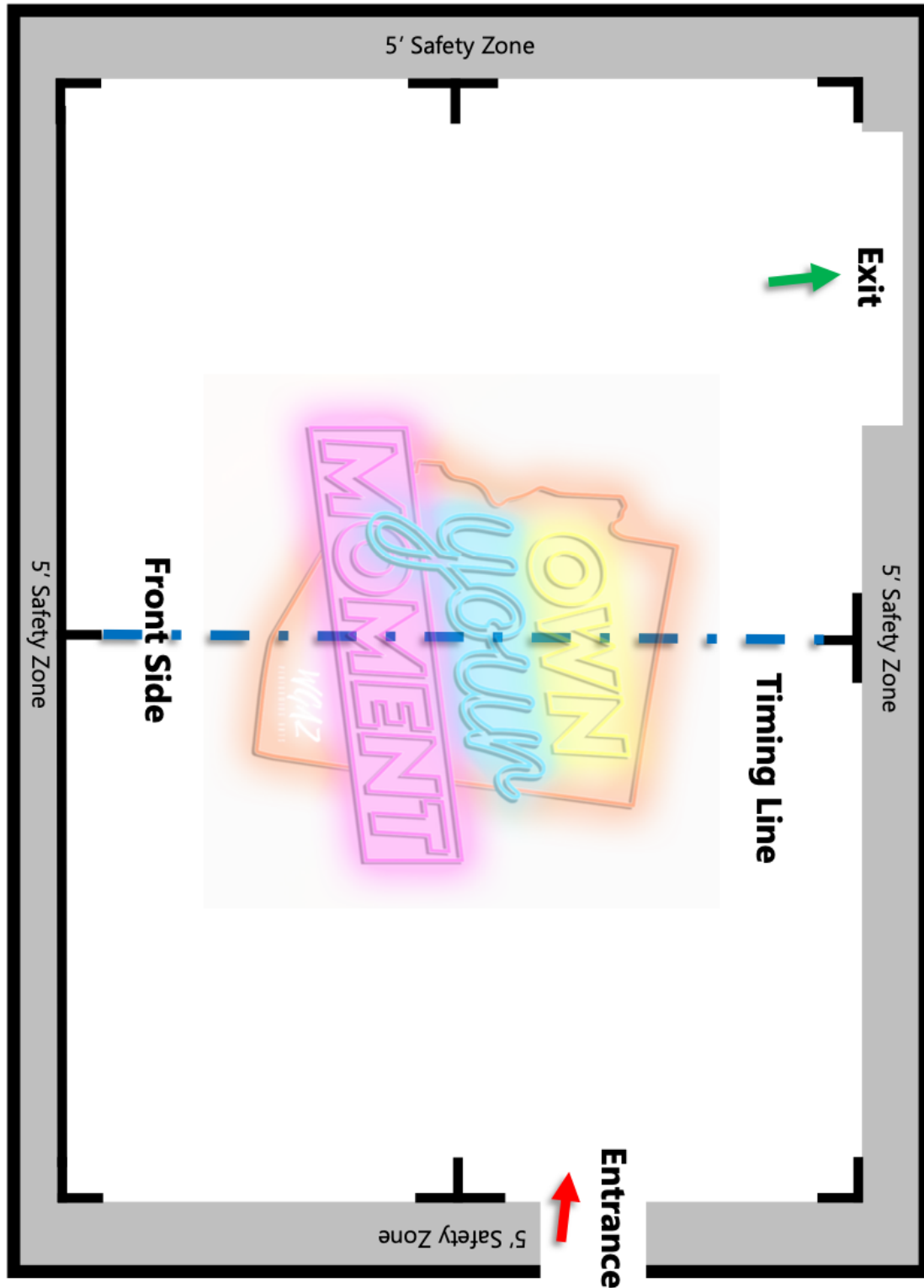
PERFORMANCE GYM-OTHER VIEW



SANTAN JHS PASSAGEWAY
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GYM FLOW



2023 Director/Volunteer of The Year

Each year, WGAZ honors:

Colorguard Director of The Year

Percussion/Winds Director of The Year

Volunteer of the Year

These individuals are outstanding members of the community who have made an impact on the lives of their students and those around them. Their dedication to the activity, their unit, and their students go above and beyond.

To show their impact, the nomination must be accompanied by a letter of recommendation, and at least two student testimonials.

Nominate a Director: <https://forms.gle/m2ktVuEzSD7ZS8R18>



Nominate a Volunteer: <https://forms.gle/xzJedb4r1QNACdep9>



More info:

<https://wgaz.compsuite.io/2023-Nomination-for-Director-and-Volunteer-of-the-Year-Now-Open>

2023 WGAZ Scholarship

WGAZ is looking for scholarship applicants for the 2023 season! We encourage all current seniors and college students to submit their applications.

For more information please contact Amy Kochis at scholarship@wgaz.org.

This application process requires the applicants to sign in with a valid G-Mail account.

Each applicant must provide the following in PDF Format:

Two (2) letters of recommendation from individuals other than the group director
High School and/or College Transcript
SAT/ACT Scores OPTIONAL

Please have these items ready before completing the form as they will need to be attached when filling it out.

Applications are **due March 16th, 2023**.

Apply here: <https://goo.gl/forms/RYCt0xEK55LKUh0j1>



More info: <https://wgaz.compsuite.io/2023-Scholarship-Application>