Wyoming East High School



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Dear Band Directors:

As you finalize your Fall schedules in what WE all hope is a grand return to normalcy, please consider coming to the Inaugural year of the *Wyoming East High School "Warrior Classic" Marching Band Competition* on Saturday, October 2, 2021.

The Warrior Classic will be held in "The War Zone" at Wyoming East High School starting at 11am. Thanks to the completion of the Coalfield Expressway into Mullens, we are now just a few minutes away from EXIT 42 off Interstate 77. This gives bands more than enough time to perform and watch *The Warrior Classic* and then head to Beckley for the "Soaring Sounds" Marching Band Competition at Woodrow Wilson High School starting at 6pm.

WE will provide areas for your band to get dressed and warm-up as well as a hospitality room for directors, staff, and bus drivers. There will also be T-shirts available, and concession stands with food from local Wyoming County businesses as well as regular concession favorites.

The Warrior Classic will have 4 class options:

Class A: 85+ Class B: 55 – 84 Class C: 31 – 54 Class D: 1 – 30

The Warrior Classic will also have prize money as it is part of the Governor's Cup series of Band Competitions. We will provide \$1000.00 per contest to award to the top West Virginia bands.

- \$300.00 Grand Champion 5 points toward overall Governor's Cup Standings
- \$200.00 1st Runner-Up 4 points toward overall Governor's Cup Standings
- \$100.00 2nd Runner-Up 3 points toward overall Governor's Cup Standings
- 3rd Runner-Up 2 points toward overall Governor's Cup Standings
- 4th Runner-Up 1 point towards overall Governor's Cup Standings

• \$100.00 – Each Class Champion – A, B, C, and D Classes – 1 point towards overall Governor's Cup Standings

The Governor's Cup Finals will be held at Philip Barbour High School this year and the most points will be awarded over \$3000!

The Warrior Classic will have **NO REGISTRATION FEE!!!** Registration is due on Friday, September 3, 2021.

Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns. My email is down below and my cell phone number is in the letter head.

WE hope to see you there!!!

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Warrior Classic Marching Band Competition **Band Application**

Applications Due: September 3, 2021

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Name of High School:	
School's Address:	
Name of Band Director:	
Band Director's Email:	
Telephone Number: Work#:	Cell#:
Name of Marching Band:	
Competition or Exhibition:	Number of Students in Ensemble:
Assistants Name(s):	
Show Title:	
Musical Selections:	
Please Mail Applications to: Samuel Dobson Wyoming East High School	Or email to: samuel.dobson@k12.wv.us

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