



**URBANDALE HIGH SCHOOL**

*Urbandale, Iowa*

October 2, 2021

## Menu

Hamburger . . . . .	\$5.00
Chick Fil-A . . . . .	\$6.00
Pizza . . . . .	\$3.00
(Cheese, Sausage, or Pepperoni)	
Nachos . . . . .	\$4.00
Chilidog. . . . .	\$4.00
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Popcorn / Candy / Cookies . . . . .	\$1.00
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**DR. ROSALIE DACCA**  
*Urbandale Community School District Superintendent*

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Welcome to the 23rd Annual Urbandale Marching Invitational! Many moons ago, I was part of my high school marching band. When I think of marching bands, the music of Old Man River still plays in my head almost 40 years later! Our band was filled with rich tradition that I believe helped mold me into who I am today. The dedication of the musicians, the color guard, the focus of the drum major and more all taught me commitment and collaboration. Amazing friendships came out of that experience. Many of those friends are still in touch today.

These students have put thousands of hours into their work. They are here to perform and compete as they share those talents with us. I am excited to see the fruits of their labor. We

are proud of every one of them!

This event couldn't happen without the adults as well. The volunteers and directors have also spent a great deal of time working to create this stellar event. I want to especially say a big thank you to the Urbandale music staff for their leadership and commitment to our students and this event. Your hard work has not gone unnoticed! At the high school, a big thanks goes to: Louis Dupuis, Tommy Doggett and Dana Andrews. From the middle school,

Daphne Monson and Nancy Schultz deserve a round of applause. Finally, another big thanks to Emily Wells at the elementary level. You are examples of what dedicated teachers look like!

Welcome to everyone. Let's sit back and enjoy this day showcasing our students. Enjoy the show!



**TIM CARVER**  
*Urbandale High School Principal*

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On behalf of Urbandale High School's staff, students, and entire school community, welcome to Frerichs Field, home of the Urbandale Marching J-Hawks! As hosts of this terrific event that enters into its 23rd season this year, we are honored to have you as our guests to not only support your school's marching band, but also to appreciate each and every band as well as all of the individual students and directors who put so much time and effort into practicing and honing their per-

formance.

We also want to recognize that these student-performers not only demonstrate the fruits of their labor on the field during the shows you will see today as they perform to inspire, but also achieve at great levels in the classroom and around the each of our schools in other activities.

Thank you for choosing be a part of the Urbandale Marching Invitational! Enjoy the beautiful surrounding of Frerichs Field as you take in some amazing performances.



**MARC MOLIS**  
*Urbandale Performing Arts President*

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Welcome to the 23rd annual Urbandale Marching Band Invitational!

On behalf of the Urbandale Performing Arts Booster Club, I am so excited to have everyone here to enjoy these wonderful performances from these talented bands. This event showcases the artistry and talent from bands around the state of Iowa. These students have put in countless hours in rehearsal to give us an incredible day of music and performance. The bands level of commitment to their music and their fellow bandmates demonstrates the

importance of the performing arts, and we are so glad that you are here to celebrate that dedication in what we at Urbandale feel is one of the best musical events of the year!

So, we would like to say thank you to all the directors, musicians, and performers for providing us with an incredible day of musical entertainment. Thank you to all the parents, friends, and family for your support of your students and the performing arts. Thank you to the volunteers who are helping us today to make this a memorable event for all. Enjoy your day here, and be prepared to be moved, inspired, and entertained by these amazing performances!

## The Urbandale J-Hawk Marching Band



The 150-member Urbandale High School Band Department collectively performs at more than 30 local and regional events throughout the year, including parades, classical concerts, jazz concerts, contests, and chamber ensemble performances.

With 150 members, the J-Hawk Marching Band is the largest single performing group at Urbandale High School. The band performs at all varsity home football games, four regional festivals and is proud to host the 23rd Annual Urbandale Marching Invitational. They also perform at the Urbandale Homecoming Parade and at the Urbandale Independence Day Parade.

Balancing a comprehensive approach to music with the additional goal of entertaining all J-Hawk fans, the band performs music that balances educational relevance with audience appeal.

Lead by Field Commanders Autumn Sheppard, Addie Kerr, Michael Andrews, and Sahithi Narmnada, the J-Hawk Marching Band's performance entitled Birdsong will include "Birdland" by Weather Report, "Blackbird" by The Beatles, and "Red - Themes from

Stravinsky's Firebird." Featured soloists will include Katelyn Knight on flute, Cory Pair on clarinet, Will Schumacher on trumpet, and Sia Smith on baritone.

**Concert Bands** The Urbandale High School Instrumental Music Department offers three concert bands. The Wind Symphony, Wind Ensemble, and Symphonic Band are the central focus of the J-Hawk Band department. In these groups students delve deeply into the art and discipline of ensemble performance. These groups will perform three local concerts and at State Large Group Festival, where in the spring of 2021, the Wind Symphony was awarded its 28th Division I rating in 29 years.

In the spring, the Wind Symphony performs an additional concert alongside Urbandale's 5th grade band.

**Jazz Bands** Three Urbandale Jazz Bands will perform at three local concerts and three regional contests. They will also host the Urbandale Jazz Summit - an educational workshop for students interested in jazz throughout the district. The Jazz Bands also perform at several community events such as elementary school assemblies and service club events.



# PERFORMING TO INSPIRE

The mission of the Urbandale J-Hawk Bands, is driven by the principles of student ownership and a commitment to contribute to something bigger than one's self. Student ownership is promoted through increased leadership opportunities and training, educational choice, and growth-based learning goals.

We strive to study high quality literature and perform it with deep understanding of all its aesthetic qualities and complexities. Whether in marching band, concert band, jazz band, or chamber ensembles, the decision-making process remains focused on the inherent benefits music imparts on its students.



“Music education fosters creativity, teaches effective communication, provides basic tools for a critical assessment of the world around us, and encourages the abiding values of self-discipline and commitment. Music is, furthermore, an important means to self-discovery and self-expression. Therefore, instruction in music and other arts must be viewed as central to a complete education – not only by virtue of their intrinsic worth, but also because they are fundamental to what it means to be an educated person.”

The Report of the National Commission on Music Education. *Growing Up Complete: The Imperative for Music Education*. Virginia: Music Educators

## Urbandale J-Hawk Band Senior Class of 2022

The Urbandale band staff would like to extend a personal note of appreciation to the students of the class of 2022. Your presence in the program has been very meaningful to us and we thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Michael Andrews	Akira Gunn	Jonathan Lingg	Megan Sawyer
Hannah Auxier	Jacqueline Hernandez	Elizabeth Luke	William Schumacher
Tayden Baccam	Tristan Holman	Dylan Luong	Autumn Sheppard
Kylie Bakke	Jessica Hoye	Elise McDowell	Aaron Spidle
Elijah Brockman	Cody Iwig	Sahithi Narmnada	Macy Stutler
Hayden Childes	Finley Jacobson	Brad Pettit	Maya Vanderleest
Alivia Cronk	Luis Jimenez	Ciri Quirk	Jacob Walters
Asher Darsee	Alexis Judge	Crystal Ruden	Geni Williams
Kaylee Fletcher	Addie Kerr	Alec Rullman	
Bryce Getz		Alayna Sand	

## JIM GOSNELL, Music Execution

Mr. Gosnell is retired and taught for 38 years in Iowa. He taught 3 years in Swea City (now North Kossuth) as 5-12 band director and then worked in Sumner for three years as high school band director. In 1980, he moved to Cresco, and became 10-12 band director and music department chair for the Howard-Winneshiek Community Schools. In 1986, Jim moved to Cedar Falls where he taught for 26 years.

An Army veteran, Mr. Gosnell did his basic training at Fort Campbell in Kentucky, and is a graduate of the Navy School of Music in Norfolk, Virginia. He was a member of the Fifth Army Band at Fort Sheridan in Chicago. In addition he served a year with the Fourth Infantry Division Band in Vietnam.

Jim graduated with honors from the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis completing a Bachelor of Science in Music Education in 1973 and a Master of Arts in Music Education in 1978. He has completed all coursework toward an Ed.D. in Curriculum and Instruction at the University of Northern Iowa.

From 1973 to 1977 he taught applied clarinet and saxophone at Gustavus Adolphus College in St. Peter, Minnesota. He was also the director of the jazz ensemble at the

University of Minnesota from 1973-74 while in grad school. He recently served as the director of the Knightlites jazz band at Wartburg College.

Jim is proud of being a Past President of Iowa Bandmasters Association and has also served that organization as Elections Chair. He is a Past President of NEIBA, Past Chair of the Iowa Alliance for Arts Education, and a Past State Band Chair and All-State Band Chair for the Iowa Music Educators Association. In 1988, Jim was one of six state recipients of the University of Iowa Distinguished Teacher Award and in 1991 he received the Blackhawk County Gold Star Award for Outstanding Teaching. He has been nominated three times by NEIBA for the Karl King Distinguished Service Award - Active and received the IBA state Distinguished Service Award for retired directors in 2014.

An active clinician and adjudicator, Jim has directed Honor Bands in Iowa and Minnesota, and has judged Marching, Jazz, and Concert Bands in Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Missouri and Colorado.

Jim and his wife, Caroline, have two children, Erik and Amy, and 4 grand children.

## JOHN GOSNELL, Marching and Maneuvering Execution

John Gosnell is a graduate of the University of Minnesota where he studied trumpet with Ronald Hasselman and Charles Schlueter, retired principal trumpet of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. John maintains an active performance schedule as a member of numerous ensembles including Dale Menning and the Starbusters, Jazz Coalition Big Band, Plymouth Church Brass Consort, and A Touch of Brass. He also performs as a guest conductor and featured soloist with numerous bands and festivals across the Midwest.

John serves as an auditor for the Iowa All-State Music Festival, a position he has held the past 35 years, and has been an All-State preparation consultant for Valley High School the past 7 years. As an adjudicator and clinician of marching bands, jazz bands,

and concert bands he is highly regarded and maintains an active schedule throughout the year.

Having taught instrumental music for 38 years John recently retired from education. He began his career at North Kossuth Community Schools (Swea City) and then taught at Iowa Falls Senior High School. The last twenty years of his public school teaching career were spent at Parkview Middle School in Ankeny, Iowa. He also served as the band director at St. Augustin School in Des Moines for six years.

While teaching in Ankeny, John assisted with the award winning Ankeny Marching Hawks for many years. His duties included Brass and Woodwind instructor and also assisted with Marching Execution and Color Guard.

## **JOHN ABOUD, Music General Effect**

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After a successful 33-year career as an instrumental music teacher in Bennett, Belmond and finally 30 years in Algona Iowa, John Aboud retired from teaching. He earned a BM and MM in Music education from the University of Northern Iowa and was a National Board-Certified Teacher.

He is Secretary of the Iowa Bandmasters Association Endowment Foundation and served the Iowa Music Educators Association as All-State Band Chair and President. John received

a number of professional awards in his career including the 2004 Iowa Bandmasters Association Karl King (Active) Award and the 2010 Iowa Music Educators Association's Distinguished Service Award to Music Education.

John continues to be active as a guest conductor, clinician, and mentor and has judged bands in Iowa, Illinois, Minnesota and Missouri. He currently stays active as a tour consultant for Bob Rogers Travel.

## **PAUL BRIZZI, Marching and Maneuvering General Effect**

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Paul Brizzi completed both his BA and MA at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls, Iowa. He taught in Iowa high schools for thirty-five years serving high schools in Newton, Oskaloosa and Ankeny. He was interim Symphonic Band and Marching Band Director at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls in 2006-07. He also taught on the band staff at Iowa State University as well as supervising Iowa State music student teachers. He is presently teaching instrumental education classes

at Drake University. Mr. Brizzi is past-president of the Iowa Bandmasters Association and has served on the Board of Directors of the National Band Association. His many honors include: the Distinguished Service Award for active as well as retired teachers by the Iowa Bandmaster Association; the Silver Baton Award from the Kappa Kappa Psi National Band Fraternity; and a recipient of the Legion of Honor Award from the Sousa Foundation.

## **MARK DORR, Percussion**

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Mark Dorr is active as a guest conductor, clinician, and adjudicator throughout the United States. He is currently Principal Percussionist and Orchestra Manager with the Des Moines Metro Opera and performs with Orchestra Iowa. He is also Percussion Instructor at Waldorf University. Mark has formerly written for and instructed drumlines at the University of Iowa,

Drake University, and Iowa State University as well as serving as a volunteer field logistics coordinator for national Bands of America marching competitions. He is an active member of the international Percussive Arts Society and has performed with over a dozen touring Broadway shows such as "Wicked" and "West Side Story".

## **JEFF STOREY, Color Guard**

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Jeff Storey is a graduate of the University of Illinois and the Marching Illini. He has been involved in pageantry arts as a performer, choreographer, clinician, instructor, director, and judge for over 40 years. Jeff has judged marching bands, drill teams, and color guards in Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, and Iowa. As the founder and past-president for Mid Continent Color Guard Association, he has directed and instructed several award-winning color guards and drill teams throughout the Midwest. Jeff has served as a judge for Iowa

State Drill Team Association solo/team events and currently judges for the Indiana High School Dance Team Association. Jeff can be found during the day serving as a high school administrator in the Shawnee Mission Schools (KS). He attributes his expertise as a judge to the years of in-depth philosophical conversations with individuals associated with performing arts and would like to thank his fellow judges and band directors at this event for continuing those rich conversations.

# THE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA HAWKEYE MARCHING BAND

## **DIRECTOR OF BANDS**

*Dr. Richard Mark Heidel*

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*Kylene Spanbauer*

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*Ella McDaniel*

## **BAND MANAGER**

*Courtney Kelly*

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**2021 Hawkeye Marching Band Drum Major, Amanda Thomas**

*Photo: Alex Bush*

## **The Hawkeye Marching Band will perform pregame as well as featured halftime selections from the band's 2021 season.**

The 270-member Hawkeye Marching Band (HMB) is the sound of Iowa Football and the heartbeat of historic Kinnick Stadium. The HMB has traveled to 28 post-season bowl games since their appearance in the 1982 Rose Bowl game. Along with bowl travel, the HMB attends at least one away game each season in addition to performances at all home football games as well as selected marching band exhibitions. HMB members receive semester credit for their participation as well as memories that last a lifetime. As the most visible ensemble within the School of Music and the largest student organization on campus, the HMB brings all Hawkeyes together to Fight for Iowa. Comprised of students from nearly every major within the University, this time-honored organization combines quality musicianship, Hawkeye spirit, pride, and dedication to create their nationally renowned gridiron excitement for over 70,000 fans during each home game. In addition to 270 musicians, performances by the HMB include drum major Amanda Thomas, Golden Girls Kylene Spanbauer and Ella McDaniel, and the award-winning Iowa Dance Team.

**Get Ready For the Boom!**



# Performance Schedule

## 23rd Annual Urbandale Marching Invitational

	SCHOOL	PERFORMANCE
<b>Opening Ceremony</b>		<b>3:00PM</b>
2A	PCM High School	3:09 PM
2A	Ogden High School	3:26 PM
2A	Des Moines Christian School	3:43PM
<b>Break</b>		<b>4:00 PM</b>
3A	Adel DeSoto Minburn High School	4:20 PM
3A	Clarke High School	4:37 PM
3A	Oskaloosa High School	4:54 PM
3A	Winterset High School	5:11 PM
3A	Knoxville High School	5:28 PM
3A	North Polk High School	5:45 PM
3A	Pella High School	6:02 PM
<b>Break</b>		<b>6:19 PM</b>
4A	Dallas Center - Grimes	6:56 PM
4A	Waukee Northwest High School	7:13 PM
4A	Ankeny High School	7:30 PM
4A	Indianola High School	7:47 PM
4A	Newton High School	8:04 PM
4A	Southeast Polk High School	8:21 PM
EX	Urbandale High School	8:38 PM
<b>EX</b>	<b>Iowa Hawkeyes, Marching Band</b>	<b>9:00PM</b>
<b>Awards</b>		<b>9:20 PM</b>

# PCM High School

CLASS:  
2A

PERFORM:  
3:09 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Extra Terrestrial

Monroe, Iowa

## Musical Selections:

*Original music*

*Opening and closing lines are from Strauss's Zarathustra*

The PCM Marching Mustangs are a staple during the football season and have competed in many competitions in the Des Moines metro area. We are a young band this year, but full of potential and are excited to showcase our marching show!



PCM Marching Mustangs



*Michael,*

**We have been so blessed to have you as a son and brother. It has been a joy watching your achievements and many successes. We look forward to experiencing the next chapter of your life with you.**

*Love, Mom, Dad, Annika, Joel and Reed*

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# Ogden High School

CLASS:  
2A

PERFORM:  
3:26 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
80s Rock

Ogden, Iowa

## Musical Selections:

*Sweet Child of Mine*

*Livin' On A Prayer*

*We Built This City*

Ogden High School is excited to return to the Urbandale Marching Invitational. The Marching Bulldogs maintain an active marching season with performances at home football games, the North Central Iowa Marching Invite, the Urbandale Marching Invitational and the IHMA State Marching Band Festival. There are 63 members of the Marching Bulldogs who are involved in

activities outside of the band room including choir, Student Council, National Honor Society, football, volleyball, cross country, basketball, wrestling, track, golf, baseball, softball and much more. Band students participate in various performances and competitions throughout the year, including marching band, jazz band, concert band, pep band and solo & small ensemble contest. They are under the direction of Jeremy Britton. Drum Majors are Fiona Addy and Josie Hildreth. Thank you for watching and we hope you enjoy!



Ogden High School Marching Bulldogs

# Des Moines Christian School

CLASS:  
2A

PERFORM:  
3:43 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Spirits of the Night

Urbandale, Iowa

## Musical Selections:

*Toccata and Fugue in D Minor*

*Psycho Prelude*

*Night on Bald Mountain*

The DMC Marching Lions Band is made up of students in grades 9-12. The Lions regularly compete and place at area and state marching events. The DMC Lions are excited to be back and would like to thank the Music Department and boosters for putting on this event and for their support of music and the arts!





# Adel DeSoto Minburn HS

CLASS:  
3A

PERFORM:  
4:20 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Tales of Arabia

*Adel, Iowa*

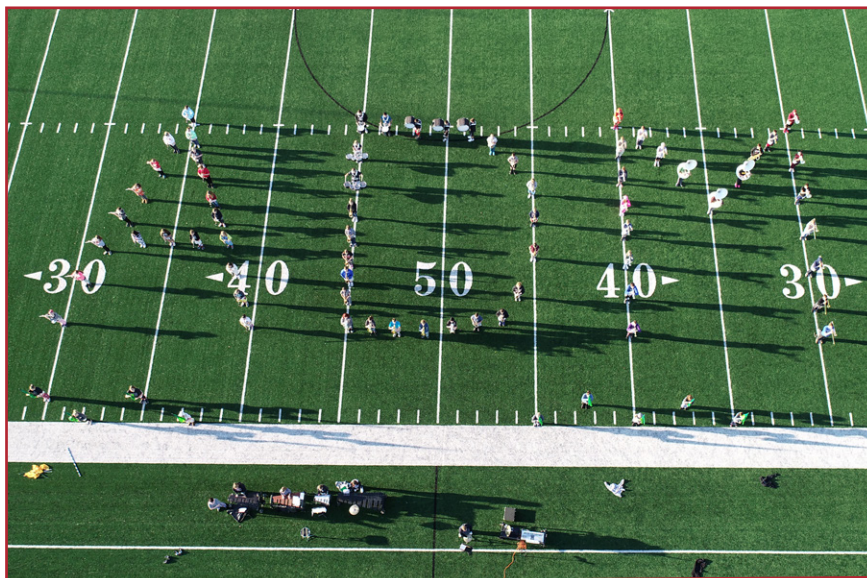
## Musical Selections:

*The Tower*

*Hanging Gardens*

*Destruction*

The ADM Tiger Marching Band has a long history in performance. The ensemble has consistently received high ratings at the IHSMA State Marching Band Festival and participated at the North Central and Valleyfest marching competitions. This group is once again excited to perform at the Urbandale Marching Invitational.



ADM Tiger Marching Band



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**Love,**  
**Dad, Mom, *and* Noah**

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# Clarke High School

CLASS:  
3A

PERFORM:  
4:37 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Shrek

*Osceola, Iowa*

## Musical Selections:

*Funkytown*

*Accidentally in Love*

*I'm A Believer*

The Clarke High School Marching Band performs at all home football games as well as several marching competitions and local parades. Students in the Clarke High School band department also participate in concert band, pep band, jazz band, solo/ensemble festival, and various honor bands. The marching band is under the direction of Karina Kelso, assisted by Christie Stortenbecker, Brad Lampe, Tanya Hardy, and Kenny Wilder.



Clarke High School Marching Band

# Oskaloosa High School

CLASS:  
3A

PERFORM:  
4:54 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Sweet Dreamz

*Oskaloosa, Iowa*

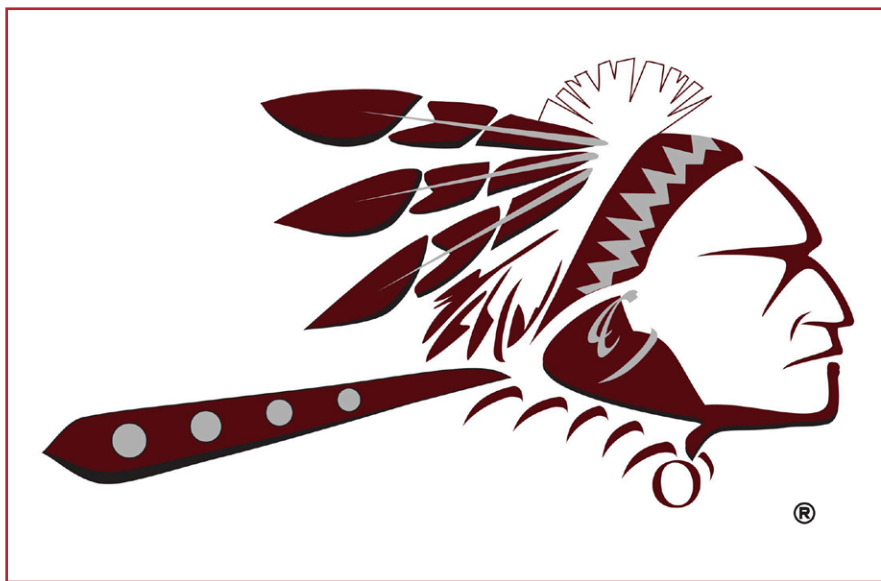
## Musical Selections:

*Falling Asleep*

*REM*

*Wake Me Up Inside*

The Oskaloosa High School band program has enjoyed a long and storied history of excellence. The Marching Indians have earned 48 consecutive division 1 ratings at the Iowa High School Music Association Marching Festival. This year, the Marching Indians are comprised of 105 members including woodwinds, brass, percussion, and color guard.



## Winterset High School

CLASS:  
3A

PERFORM:  
5:11 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Out of Darkness

*Winterset, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*Moonlight Sonata* -  
Ludwig Beethoven

*Sound of Silence* - Paul Simon

*Dies Irae* - Giuseppe Verdi

*I Dreamed A Dream* -  
Claude-Michel Schönberg

*Symphony 9* - Ludwig Beethoven

The Winterset High School band program consists of two concert ensembles, two competitive jazz bands, a competitive marching band, a non-competitive pep band, and a musical 'pit' band. Students also get the opportunity to participate in the All-State Music Festival, the SCIBA district honor band, the Raccoon River Conference honor band, various collegiate honor bands, and the IHSMA State Solo and Ensemble Festival. The Winterset Jazz Band regularly appears at the Iowa Jazz Championships, and the Husky Marching Band consistently earns Division I ratings at the state festival and places well at regional competitions. Students involved in multiple ensembles and events will perform almost fifty times throughout a regular school year.



**Winterset Marching Huskies**

## Knoxville High School

CLASS:  
3A

PERFORM:  
5:28 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Phoenix Rising

*Knoxville, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*Beginnings*

*Flight*

*Endings*

*Rebirth*

The Knoxville High School Band program includes marching, concert, jazz, and pep bands. Students in the program also actively participate in honor bands, IHSMA Solo/Ensemble Festival, and chamber ensembles throughout the year. The 2021 Knoxville High School Marching Panthers comprise of approximately 75 high school students. The band performs at all home football games and competes in several central Iowa marching band competitions each year. This year's show is entitled 'Phoenix Rising' and musically embodies the legend of the phoenix from birth, through life, to death, and a rebirth.



**Knoxville Marching Panthers**



# North Polk High School

CLASS:  
3A

PERFORM:  
5:45 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
The Dark Side of Magic

Alleman, Iowa

## Musical Selections:

*Moonlight Sonata by Beethoven*

*Uninvited by Morissette*

*Night on Bald Mountain by  
Mussorgsky*

*Requiem by Verdi*

*Symphony No. 7 Mvt. 2 by Beethoven*

*The Sorcerer's Apprentice by  
Paul Dukas*

*Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairies by  
Tchaikovsky*

*Groot Cocoon by Oldman*



North Polk Marching Comets

The North Polk High School Marching Comets are part of the rapidly growing North Polk school district in Alleman, IA. Students in North Polk High School band department all participate in Symphonic Band, The Marching Comets, and the NPHS Pep Band. They also have the option to play in two jazz bands, participate in solo/ensemble contest, and numerous other musical opportunities throughout the year. The band would like to thank the school board, administration, teachers, parents, and students in the North Polk school district for their support of our program! We would also like to thank all of the hard work of the Urbandale staff, students, and parents at the Urbandale Marching Invitational!



*Will,  
We love hearing you make music  
and are so proud of you and all  
that you have accomplished!  
May you always have a song in  
your heart! Love,  
Mom and Dad*



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## Pella Community High School

CLASS:  
3A

PERFORM:  
6:02 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Shades of Blue

*Pella, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*Rhapsody in Blue* by George Gershwin

*Blue Shades* by Frank Ticheli

The Marching Dutch have a rich tradition of musical excellence. The program features two concert bands, three jazz bands, pep band, and the Marching Dutch. The Marching Dutch have been a consistent winner at many marching band contests including the Showdown competition at Valleyfest in West Des Moines and the Mid-Iowa Band Championships in Ankeny. They have marched in many nationally recognized parades, including the Festival of States Parade, the Cherry Blossom Parade, The Citrus Bowl Parade and the Rose Parade. The band received its 45th consecutive division I rating at the Iowa High School Music Association's State Contest in 2020.



## Dallas Center - Grimes HS

CLASS:  
4A

PERFORM:  
6:56 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Tales of the Silk Road

*Grimes, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*Scheherazade* by Rimsky-Korsakov

*Caravan* by Ellington

*Bacchanale* by Saint-Saëns

The Marching Mustangs consist of 121 students in grades 9-12. Students participate in Marching Band, Concert Band, Pep Band, Jazz Band, Solo and Ensemble Contests, and various honor bands throughout the state. Students receive one lesson every 6 days each semester.

Students in the band are involved in many activities in the school including football, cross country, basketball, track, baseball, softball, student council, speech, choir, show choir, jazz choir, all-state band, orchestra and choir, drama, NHS, GSA, art club, and many other activities.

It is an honor and a privilege to perform at UMI.



**Dallas Center - Grimes Marching Mustangs**



## Northwest High School

CLASS:  
4A

PERFORM:  
7:13 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
To Plant a Garden

*Waukee, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*Feeling Good by Anthony Newley*

*Music from Candide by Leonard  
Bernstein*

Northwest High School in Waukee, Iowa opened its doors to students for the first time this August. In their inaugural year, the Northwest Royal Brigade will perform at the Wildcat Classic in Omaha, Nebraska, the Urbandale Marching Invitational, in Urbandale, Iowa, the Bands of America Regional in Cedar Falls, Iowa, and at the Waukee Marching Invitational. The band will conclude their season by traveling to Pasadena, California to march in the 133rd Rose Parade on New Year's Day, 2022.

The band would like to extend a special thank you to the Northwest Band Parents Organization for all of their help and support taking our show on the road. "We couldn't do it without you!"



## Ankeny High School

CLASS:  
4A

PERFORM:  
7:30 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Totally '85

*Ankeny, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*In the Air Tonight by Phil Collins*

*Theme from Stranger Things*

*Theme from Back to the Future*

*Open Arms by Journey*

*Original music from the arranger Jeff Chambers*

The AHS instrumental music department offers marching band, three concert bands, four jazz bands, music fundamentals, Honors AP music theory, color guard, winter guard, winter drumline, and numerous solo and small ensemble opportunities.



Ankeny Marching Hawks

## Indianola High School

CLASS:  
4A

PERFORM:  
7:47 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Music of Toy Story

*Indianola, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*Movement 1 - You've Got a Friend in Me, I Will Go Sailing No More, & We Belong Together*

*Movement 2 - When She Loved Me*

*Movement 3 - Woody's Roundup*

*Movement 4 - You've Got a Friend in Me*

The Indianola High School Band Department has a long and proud tradition of instrumental music.

Students participate in many ensembles including marching band,

color guard, 2 concert bands, 2 jazz bands, jazz combos and pep band. Students also participate in State Solo/Ensemble Contest, Large Group Contest, State Marching Band Contest, All-State and various honor bands. Under the direction of Mike Richardson, Michael Swanson, Audrey Chambers (color guard) Matt Swanson (marching percussion), the 2021 "Pride" of Indianola Marching Band consists of 148 members. They are very involved and excel in academic achievement, athletics, various school clubs, National Honor Society, FFA, 4H, dance, baton, DECA, cheerleading, UNICEF, FCA, vocal music, show choir musical and orchestra. Last year the band earned a school record 7th straight Division One Rating at the Iowa High School Music Association Marching Festival. The IHS Color Guard also won the Best Color Guard in Class 4A at the 2020 Marching Dutch Invitational and the 2019 Urbandale Marching Invitational.



**Pride of Indianola Marching Band**

## Newton High School

CLASS:  
4A

PERFORM:  
8:04 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
Andromeda and Perseus

*Newton, Iowa*

### Musical Selections:

*Release the Kraken*

*Medusa*

*Saving Andromeda*

The Newton Cardinal Regiment has a long and rich musical history. The band has consistently earned Division "I" ratings at the IHSM Marching, Jazz and Large Group Festivals as well as being among the top finishers at other adjudicated festivals across Iowa and the Midwest.

The band is comprised of 93 members in grades 9-12.



**Cardinal Regiment**



# Southeast Polk High School

CLASS:  
4A

PERFORM:  
8:21 PM

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM:  
A Pirate's Revenge

*Pleasant Hill, Iowa*

## Musical Selections:

*A Pirate's Tale*

*Find the British*

*Closing In / A Pirate's Revenge*



**Marching Rams**

The bands at Southeast Polk High School have a rich tradition of excellence. The SEP Marching Rams annually perform interesting and engaging shows and place among the top bands in local and regional competitions. Southeast Polk's three Concert Bands and three Jazz Bands are also recognized annually on the state level for their excellence. The SEP Wind Ensemble has performed at the Iowa Bandmasters Association Conference multiple times since 2008, and SEP's "Jazz One" has placed among the state's top jazz ensembles at the Iowa Jazz Championships for over a decade. The Southeast Polk communities of Runnells, Altoona, Mitchellville, and Pleasant Hill are exceedingly supportive and proud of the district's fine arts offerings.



**Sia**, you are an Extraordinary kid and a Blooming Flower. You inspire us all and are a light that shines bright when you enter any room. We are so proud of you and all your great accomplishments at school, band, mock trial, and in the community helping others. You are our Blooming Flower our Blessing from God. Keep chasing your dreams and go conquer the world with your light that shines so bright.

**We love you so much, Mom, Dad, and your entire family!!**



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The Urbandale Marching Invitational utilizes the Iowa High School Music Association 6-category judging system. Each category is judged independently by one of our top-flight adjudicators. All categories contribute to a band's final score.

In addition to trophies for overall band rankings, plaques will also be presented for the best percussion and best auxiliary in each class.

**Category 1: Music Execution - Ensemble (200 points)**

- ▶ Brass
- ▶ Woodwinds
- ▶ Overall Musicianship

**Category 2: Music - General Effect (200 points)**

- ▶ Musical Content
- ▶ Performance Effectiveness
- ▶ Coordination

**Category 3: Marching & Maneuvering - General Effect (200 points)**

- ▶ Achievement
- ▶ Composition

**Category 4: Marching & Maneuvering - Execution (200 points)**

- ▶ Accuracy and Definition
- ▶ Technique
- ▶ Visual Content

**Category 5: Percussion Execution & Analysis (100 points)**

- ▶ Composition
- ▶ Performance Quality

**Category 6: Auxiliary (100 points)**

- ▶ Program Content
- ▶ Performance Quality

The judges, as approved by the Iowa High School Music Association which is sanctioning the competition this evening, will award all the above points. Scoring will follow the IHSMA scoring system. Penalties for too much/too little time for a performance, field entrance and exit violations, and boundary violations will be noted on the score sheets provided to the directors but will not be figured in the scores for tonight's competition.



**A Note About Awards:** Some bands may be better than others, but all of the young people performing for you tonight have rehearsed many, many hours. Please be equally vocal with your positive support and appreciation for each musician and color guard performing this evening. Each band member is making a statement as to the importance of arts in education.

# You Be The Judge!

<b>School</b>	<b>Music Execution 200 pts</b>	<b>Music General Effect 200 pts</b>	<b>M &amp; M General Effect 200 pts</b>	<b>M &amp; M Execution 200 pts</b>	<b>Percussion Execution &amp; Analysis 100 pts</b>	<b>Auxiliary 100 pts</b>	<b>Your Score</b>	<b>Judge's Score</b>
PCM								
Ogden								
DM Christian								
West Marshall								
ADM								
Perry								
Clarke								
Oskaloosa								
Winterset								
Knoxville								
North Polk								
Pella								
Sioux City North								
Ankeny								
Northwest								
DC Grimes								
Indianola								
Newton								
Southeast Polk								
Urbandale (Exhibition)								



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**Paul and Brian Rye** . . . . . Transportation Managers  
**Rick Stageman** . . . . . Announcer  
**Janine Choudhry, Amy Brown Luke,  
 and Melissa Baker** . . . . . Concessions  
**Jeanette Legler** . . . . . Program Designer

**Urbandale High School J-Hawk Marching Band Staff**

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## Urbandale High School Administration

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## Upcoming Events: Urbandale J-Hawk Bands

DATE	EVENT
Oct. 9	Valleyfest Marching Festival
Oct. 15	Halftime - (vs. Waukee) (UMS Band Night + Senior Night)
Oct. 16	State Marching Band Contest Mid-Iowa Band Championships
Oct. 22	Halftime - (vs. Waukee Northwest)
Oct. 23	*All-State Auditions
Nov. 18-20	All-State Festival
Dec. 2	SCIBA HS Honor Band Auditions
Dec. 4	Urbandale Jazz Summit
Dec. 11	*SCIBA HS District Jazz Band Contest
Dec. 20	UHS & 8th Grade Concert Band Concert
Jan. 8	SCIBA HS Honor Band
Jan. 28	Simpson College Jazz Festival
Jan. 29	UHS / UMS Band Summit
Feb. 5	Jack Oatts Jazz Festival
Feb. 10	Urbandale Solo Contest
Feb. 19	Perry Band Olympics
March 4	H.S. Concert Band Concert
March 9 - 14	Southern California Tour
May 3	High School Band Awards Concert
May 7	Large Group Concert Band Contest
May 10	MS/HS Jazz Band Concert
TBD	Wind Symphony Bookends Tour

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