

Dear Director,

On behalf of Countryside High School, we would like to thank for you choosing Music In Motion as part of your 2010 winter guard season. Enclosed should be all the information you will need in preparation for your trip to our school, driving directions, campus maps, and other details pertaining to our event.

Please feel free to contact me by e-mail at [PARRULLIV@pcsb.org](mailto:PARRULLIV@pcsb.org)  
We look forward to seeing you on March 6!

Sincerely,

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# Musicin Motion

School Address:        Countryside High School  
                                 3000 State Road 580  
                                 Clearwater, FL 33761

Date and Time:        March 6, 2010  
                                 Show begins at 2 pm

Tickets:                \$10.00 ages 6 and over  
                                 Free 6 and under

**UNIT CHECK-IN:** Performers and seven (7) staff will be admitted at guard check-in. All guard members and staff must be wrist banded when checking in. Additional staff members and chaperones must purchase tickets from the ticket booth. Units must check-in one (1) hours prior to their performance time. If you have any circuit obligations you will be asked to take care of them at that time. Check-in will be open at 12:00 noon.

**GUIDES:** A student guide will be assigned to each guard unit on arrival to assist you until you perform.

**PARKING:** All equipment trucks will need to enter at the traffic light off SR 580 and will park in the north parking lot located in back of the school. Spectators will park in the west lot. Please review the map included in this packet for details on parking at Countryside High School. THERE IS NO PARKING ALLOWED IN THE EAST PARKING LOT.

**SEATING IN THE GYM:** Judges will be located in the center of the south bleachers and will be marked off. Seating will be on a "first come, first served, basis. Participating units will be asked to sit in the north bleachers. There will be door monitors to check that all spectators have paid admission. Doors will be closed during performances and NO entry will be allowed during performances.

**DRESSING FACILITIES:** Locker rooms will be open for performers. Please vacate in a timely manner to allow space for other performing units. Countryside High School and the Florida Federation of Colorguards Circuit will not be responsible for lost, stolen or damaged property.

**FOOTWEAR & EQUIPMENT:** All equipment, tips of poles, sabers, and rifles must be properly taped. Any props used must be protected to avoid damage to the gym area. Soft-soled shoes need not extra protection. Hard-soled shoes must be taped. All floor carts and rolling equipment or instruments must have clean working wheels. All equipment must also be removed from the gym immediately following your performance.

**INSPECTIONS:** Equipment and props will be inspected in the holding area prior to the performance time. Questions regarding your equipment's legality will be determined by the Contest Director and Chief Judge assigned by the FFCC.

**FLOOR SIZE:** Contest floor will be 60' X 90'. A floor covering measuring approximately 50' X 80' will be down for the entire event. Units with their own floor covering will put theirs on top of this one.

**TABULATING AND JUDGING AREA:** Only authorized personnel will be allowed in the tabulation and judging area. DO NOT APPROACH THE TABULATION AREA AT ANY TIME! You may pick up your judges commentary CD's at the trophy table approximately 30 minutes after your units performance.

**SHOW MUSIC:** Show music CD's should be turned in to the sound table at least 30 minutes prior to the unit's performance time. If you are using an MP3 player the circuit can connect it to the sound system, but will not be responsible for its operation. A guard staff member must be present to operate the player.

**SOUND CHECKS:** Sound check will take place from 1:00pm - 1:55pm. After this time, sound checks will only take place during official breaks when the sound technician is available.

**WARM-UPS:** There will be ample space provided for your unit's preparation for the show. Colorguards will do body warm and equipment warm up in the west end of the school concourse. We request that you adhere to the rotation schedule to keep the show on schedule. There is also ample outside space for warm-up. However, you will still need to report to the holding area at your designated report time.

**AWARDS CEREMONY/RETREAT:** We will be having 2 awards ceremonies. The first will be for colorguards at approximately 6:30 and the second for percussion units at the conclusion of the contest.

**SHOUT-OUTS:** Will be available for \$1 each. The announcer will use discretion when reading happy grams. Inappropriate messages will not be read and no refund will be provided.

**FLOWERS:** Will be available for purchase in the gym lobby area.

**VIDEO TAPING:** Each unit will be given a video pass at check-in. This allows one person to video that unit only. Cameras must be hand-held or mounted on a unipod or folded tripod. No other videotaping is allowed.

**PHOTOGRAPHY:** Photography is allowed, but we do ask that for the comfort and safety of both the performers and the spectators, NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY!!!!

**CONCESSION STAND:** Our concession stand will be open during the entire event. We regret that food and drink are not allowed in the gymnasium.

**CRITIQUE:** Critique will be held after the competition for those units which have previously signed up. Critique will be held in the judges' hospitality room. The critique schedule is available on the event page at the FFCC website.

**CONTACTS:** Tracie Moore – [tmoos869@aol.com](mailto:tmoos869@aol.com)  
Carol Lynch – [clynchc@tampabay.rr.com](mailto:clynchc@tampabay.rr.com)

**EMERGENCY NUMBER:** Vince Parrulli (Band Director) 727-725-7970  
(for directors only)  
Brian Fisher (Contest Director) 727-460-6431

**ADJUDICATION PANEL:**

Color Guard:	Percussion
IAE - Tom Hillenbrand	PA - Kent Morrow
IAM - Rhonda Hines	Vis - Tom Slaughter
EA - Tom Slaughter	GE - Ralph Venezia
GE - David Cook	
GE - Ron Coleman	
TP - John Meyers	
CJ - Slaughter	

**DIRECTIONS:**

Coming from Tampa and points east:

Take I-4 west to I-275 south to SR-60 west over the Campbell Causeway to Clearwater,  
Turn north on McMullen Booth Road (CR-611) approx. 4 miles.  
Turn left on SR 580 to school entrance,  
Enter at traffic light.

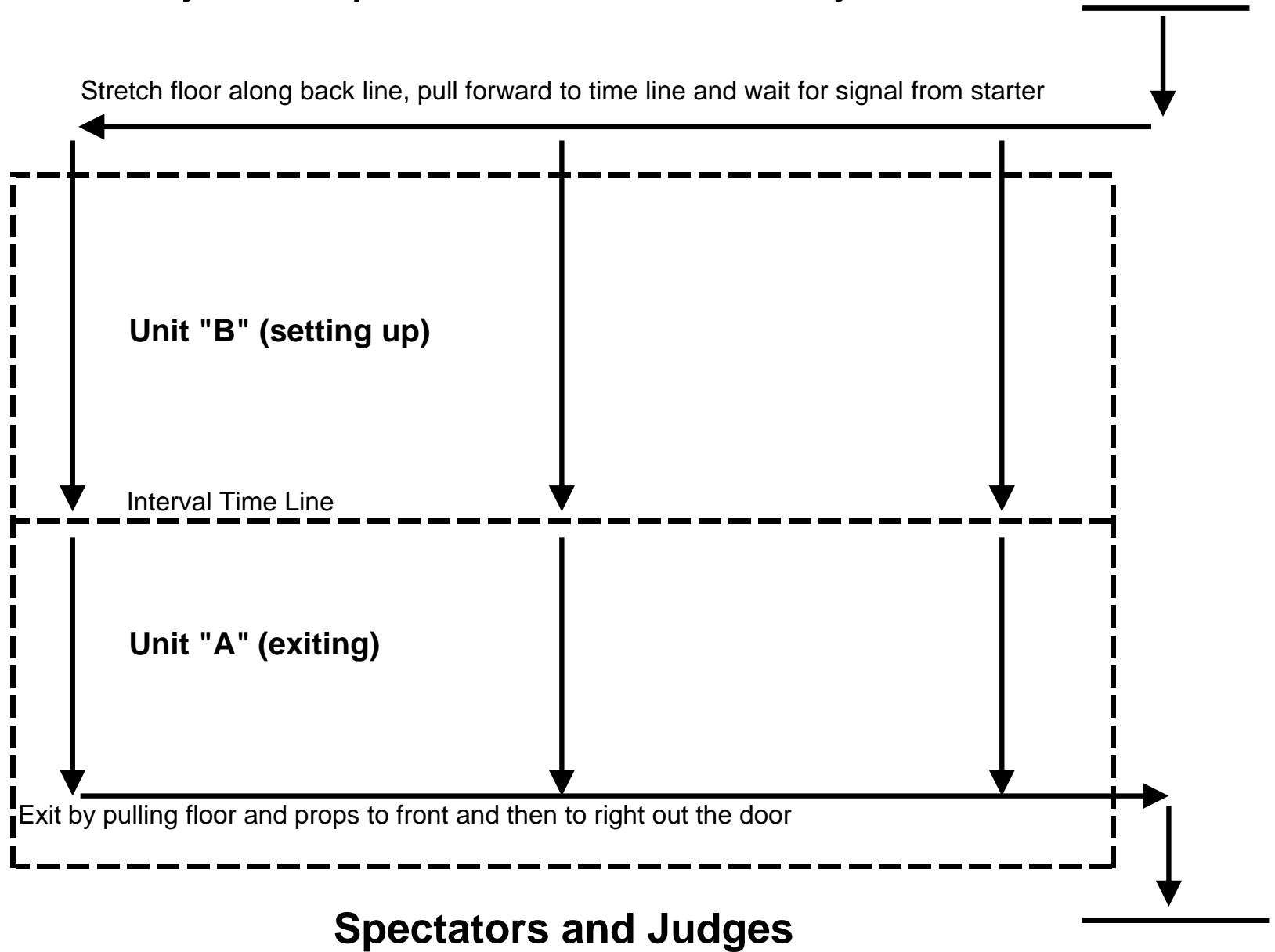
Coming from points north:

Take I-75 south to I-275 south to SR-60 west over the Campbell Causeway to Clearwater,  
Turn north on McMullen Booth Road (CR-611) approx. 4 miles.  
Turn left on SR 580 to school entrance,  
Enter at traffic light.

Coming from St. Petersburg and points south:

Take I-275 north to SR-686 west to CR-611 over the Bayside Bridge,  
Continue north on McMullen Booth Road (CR-611) approx. 4 miles.  
Turn left on SR 580 to school entrance,  
Enter at traffic light.

# Entry / Exit procedure for Countryside HS



# Countryside High School—Competition Traffic Flow

