Overview

This audition is for all Brass, Percussion and Color Guard auditionees of the 2022 Cadets. During the camp all attendees are expected to remain on campus. You may not leave campus unless the Corps Director has given express permission directly to you before you leave. We operate as a closed campus.

Everyone is required to have signed up and paid the audition fee before arriving at this audition. Upon successfully completing the registration process, you will be provided a wristband and name tag to participate in the audition and meals.

Transportation / Shuttles

**** You MUST fill out a Shuttle Request Form on our website by Wednesday, November 17th. When completing the shuttle request, please list your exact arrival time AND complete your departure request with your exact departure time. We will get you to the airport/train/bus station in time for your departure. ****

We will be providing shuttle service in the Philadelphia area with 2 12-Passanger Vans. You MUST fill out a shuttle request form to be picked up by the van.

If you experience changes or delays to your travel, please TEXT Michele Teevan at 914-774-9908 with your name, original arrival time, and new estimated arrival time.

Arriving at Philadelphia International Airport (PHL):
After you collect your luggage, please WALK TO TERMINAL C, BAGGAGE CLAIM F FOR PICK UP. Go outside of baggage claim F at Terminal C to Zone 5 and await the white van. There will be a sign in the passenger side windshield.

Arriving on a bus or train (to Philadelphia area):
If arriving by bus or train to the following stations:

Philadelphia Greyhound Terminal: 1001 Filbert Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107
Philadelphia Amtrak (30th Street) Station: 2955 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104
Please take the SEPTA airport line train from the 30th Street Station to Philadelphia International Airport to meet the shuttle. See above for exact pick-up location at the airport.

**Housing**

THIS WILL BE AN OVERNIGHT STAY AT THE REHEARSAL FACILITY. We are guests at all facilities we use and it is very, very important that we treat the facilities with the utmost care and respect. Pickup garbage and avoid tracking dirt or mud into the indoor facilities. NO SMOKING IS ALLOWED ON THE SCHOOL CAMPUS.

PACK LITE, PACK SMART! If you are flying, make sure you know the airline and TSA rules about what to pack in a carry-on bag. You should only be bringing one small carry-on suitcase/bag and a backpack. Remember, you only need one weekends worth of clothing, bedding and supplies. Put your name on everything of value you bring with you to the camp.

**Things to bring:** Sleeping bag/single wide air mattress, blanket, pillow, showering toiletries (shampoo/soap), towel, toothbrush/toothpaste, deodorant, tennis shoes, shower sandals, water jug, audition packet, workout/rehearsal clothes (hot, cold and maybe rainy weather), sweatpants, t-shirt, shorts, jacket/sweatshirt, athletic apparel for rehearsal (No Jeans or clothing that binds your movement during rehearsal).

**Brass players:** Trumpet players must bring their own instrument and mouthpiece. While there will be some instruments available to use, brass players must attempt to bring a marching instrument (bell front mellophone in F, Bb baritone/euphonium, or contra) or their own personal concert instrument (French Horn, trombone, concert baritone/euphonium, or tuba). Everyone should bring their own mouthpieces, tag their personal horn case and know their personal serial number of the horn they bring. Everyone is required to wear gloves while playing whether it is your own personal horn or a corps horn. We will have gloves available for sale at registration for $3.00 a pair, cash or card. Also, please remember to bring your maroon towel, a music stand, 3 ring white binder and tuner. Specifics can be found in the brass manual.

**Percussionists:** Drummers, please bring your own pad and sticks. Front Ensemble participants should bring their own mallets. While there will be some instruments available to use, battery attendees should attempt to bring a marching snare, tenor or bass drum with stand and harness. Also, please remember to bring a music stand.

**Color Guard:** Flags, Rifles and Sabres will be available to use. The Cadets guard spins DSI 39” Rifles and 39” King Sabres if you want to bring your own weapon. Everyone is required to wear gloves when spinning. We will have gloves available for sale at registration for $20.00 a pair, cash or card. Please remember to wear black form fitting dancewear.

**Things not to bring:** Queen or king-sized air mattresses, cots, laptops.
Merchandise will be available for sale this weekend.

***The Cadets and Salem High School are not responsible for any lost or stolen items***

**Meals**

All meals during the camp are included with your audition fee. There are meal breaks scheduled throughout each day (snack on Friday, breakfast, lunch, dinner and snack on Saturday, breakfast on Sunday) please eat before you arrive for the audition on Friday. It is important that you eat at every meal. The energy you will need for this audition/clinic is critical and without eating you will not be healthy, productive or successful. Meals will be served for the first 45 minutes of your designated meal time (see schedule below), please make sure you eat first and don’t wait until the end of any meal break. Seconds are allowed after all sections have gone thru the line once. We pride ourselves on not wasting food, so please don’t take more than you need and waste it. We can accommodate vegetarians, vegans and gluten-free diets.

**Camp Tips**

- In case of emergency, call 484-773-1916 and leave your contact information.
- If you have any schedule problems during the weekend, let the Corps Director and your Caption Manager know.
- Drink plenty of water before and during the camp weekend.
- Stay warm, so you don’t get sick. **Bring warm clothes! It will be chilly this weekend**
- Pass a copy of this information onto your parents, family, roommates, etc.
- Don’t leave campus once camp starts.
- Do not eat or drink in the gymnasium or rehearsal areas, water only.
- Do not arrive to the camp school site until Friday after 5:00pm.
- Don’t forget any prescribed medicine.

**Camp Schedule**

**Friday, November 19th**
5:30pm Check In  
6:30pm Welcome Meeting  
7:00pm Block  
11:00pm Snack  
12:00am Lights out

**Saturday, November 20th**
8:00am Breakfast  
9:00am Block  
1:00pm Lunch (Full Staff Meeting)  
2:00pm Block  
6:00pm Dinner

7:00pm Block  
10:00pm Meeting with Management  
10:30pm Snack  
11:30pm Lights Out

**Sunday, November 21st**
7:30am Breakfast  
8:30am Block  
11:00am Volunteer and Parent Meeting  
12:00pm Show and Tell  
1:00pm Meeting with Management  
1:30pm Clean up  
2:30pm Released