## **IMPORTANT EVENT INFORMATION**



**Parking:** Spectator parking will be located in the parking lot in front of the stadium and in the parking lot behind the high school. To access the parking lot in front of the stadium, please enter from Pennington-Titusville Road. To park in the back lot behind the high school, please enter from Timberlane Drive. Spectators should not park in the Mercer County Library lot

**Restrooms:** Upon arrival, band members may use the restrooms in the middle school which can be accessed by the main entrance. Volunteers and spectators may use the restrooms in the high school, but the gymnasiums.

**Member Re-Entry:** Marching band members will have their hands stamped upon arrival for entry to the stadium without uniform.

**Tickets:** Tickets will be \$12 for Adults and \$10 for Student/Senior Citizens. Tickets can be purchased at the stadium entrance.

**Warm Up:** Bands (non pit) will be warming up across from the high school on the middle school campus. Band guides will outline the warm up area to directors upon arrival. Pits will rehearse in front of the middle school (there is a large grass island), on the side of the high school (in the bus loop), or in the parking lot in front of the high school (near the equipment trucks). There will be band guides to lead the bands from location to location.

Field Surface: The field is artificial turf, and will have high school hashes.

Power on field: There will be a power source on the turf near the 50 yard-line.

**Competition Suite:** Adjudicator commentary for all USBands ensembles can be located in Competition Suite shortly after the conclusion of each ensemble's performance. Directors may grant access to the ensemble's portal with staff/instructors, and may request help from USBands representatives to resolve any issues accessing Competition Suite.

**Retreat/Critique:** For retreat, Drum Majors/Guard Captains only will report to the score board end zone upon announcement. Critique will take place in room 116/118. Adjudicators and directors will be given directions in their welcome packet and signs will be posted to help show them the way.

Awards: Trophies will be awarded for placements and captions.

**Hospitality:** Directors and staff members are encouraged to enjoy some complimentary food and drink from our hospitality room, across from the Old Gym in the high school. Check the map and look for signs posted around the school.

**Concessions:** Concessions will be located inside the stadium next to the bleachers just past the entrance to the stadium.

**Credentials/Access:** Stadium – students with stamps, adults with USBands staff passes. Hospitality Room – adults with USBands staff passes or adjudicator passes.