

# Creative Arts Parade & Rockford Competition Itinerary

OHS Marching Band

Saturday, September 22, 2018

- 8:15am Colorguard warm up and equipment check.
- 8:20am Percussion (Sideline and Battery) warm up.
- 8:50am Full Band report in parade formation behind the OHS band room for warm up and rehearsal.
- 10:50am Rehearsal finished.
- 11:00pm Load equipment on trailer.
- 11:15pm Lunch in cafeteria. You must bring your own food and it must be consumed in the cafeteria, not the school hallway.
- 11:50pm Meet back at the HS band room, final equipment check. Make sure you have your gloves, socks, theme t-shirt (wear it) and shoes. Get uniform on.
- 12:20pm Load Buses and depart for downtown.
- 12:30pm Line up in parade formation
- 1:00pm Parade begins.
- 1:20pm Our portion of the parade ends.
- 1:35pm Return to OHS. Change into regular clothes.
- 1:55pm Load Uniform (and instruments if necessary) on trailers. This may take a little while, be flexible – it is the first time the trailer will be loaded with props!
- 2:10pm Relax in cafeteria. You may eat a snack. You are not to roam the HS building, go outside of it, or leave the campus.
- 2:30pm Attendance. Please be in your seat at this time with all accessories and instruments.
- 2:45pm Load bus and depart for Rockford High School.
- 3:50pm Arrive at Rockford. Directors will check in, please remain on bus. You may eat a clean snack on the bus, but please keep the bus nice and free from garbage. If this does not go well, we will not be allowed to eat on the bus anymore.
- 4:15pm Unload bus, get uniform and change in the HS building.
- 5:00pm In full uniform, get your instrument/equipment.
- 5:25pm Move to warm up.
- 5:35pm Warm up begins, area C.
- 6:20pm End warm up, move to performance
- 6:25pm Staging.
- 6:35pm PERFORMANCE!!!!**
- 6:50pm Performance finished, return to busses and trailers.
- 7:00pm Pack away instruments
- 7:05pm Change out of entire uniform in the high school building.
- 7:25pm Load your uniform on the trailer.
- 7:45pm Meet as a group by busses. Wear your theme t-shirt and/or sweatshirt! Move to stadium.
- 7:55pm Eat dinner at concession stand.

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- 8:25pm Move to fence at the north end of the stadium to listen POLITELY to Rockford. There is NO TALKING while Rockford's performance or the awards ceremony is taking place. Their band is really good, you will enjoy their show!
- 8:45pm Awards presentation
- 9:10pm Awards finished. Walk as a group back to busses.
- 9:25pm Leave for Otsego.
- 10:30pm Approximate arrival at OHS.

Upon arrival, make sure you put your uniform away and take care of all instruments and equipment. This includes percussionists and sideline members. Make sure everything is off the trailer and in the proper storage area. ALL STUDENTS MUST RIDE THE BUS TO AND FROM ROCKFORD (except athletes coming from a game, meet, or tournament). There will be a brief meeting afterward – please sit in your assigned seats in the band room once you have taken care of everything.

Have rides ready and waiting by 10:40pm. Eyes with Pride and make the Otsego community proud by your behavior. **LET'S GO!!!**