



Pittsburg State University
"Pride of the Plains" Marching Band
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2021
Homecoming Parade Information
Date: October 16, 2021

Dear Band Director,

On behalf of the university and the entire Pittsburg community, I would like to cordially invite you to participate in the 2021 Pittsburg State University Homecoming Parade. All bands who march will get a nice award for their participation and will receive valuable critique from professional adjudicators. Further, awards will be given for the top three bands in each class as well as a sweepstakes trophy for the top score of the day. If you prefer, adjudicating can be comments only instead a rating.

Typically, there are well over 20 bands marching in the parade.

Below is specific information on this year's parade:

1. A complete set of instructions will be sent to those of you who are participating approximately two weeks prior to the event.
2. The starting time of the parade is 9:00 a.m. again this year. A list of bands, fall-in points, and reporting times will be sent later. The parade route contains no corners once you have joined the parade on Broadway.
3. Judges for the bands will be located on the West side of the street at approximately 6th and Broadway. There will be a sign 1/2 block before you reach the judging stand to alert you.
4. AWARDS CEREMONY: We will not have an awards ceremony this year due to an earlier start time for the football game. Please pick up awards at the Judges Booth.
5. Thank you for helping keep PSU's homecoming a premier event in the 4 state region!

I hope you will accept this invitation to participate in the PSU Homecoming and I am looking forward to meeting and talking with you in the future. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (620) 235-4070.

Sincerely,

A. Douglas Whitten
Director of Athletic Bands

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