

Edison High School
Festival of Marching
Competition

Saturday, September 20, 2025 | 3:00 PM



\$12 Admission | \$8 For Students and Senior Citizens
Tickets Available at the Door

Concessions
50/50



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Edison High School
50 Boulevard of the Eagles, Edison, NJ, 08817

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Aurora Loufek, Assistant Principal
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September 20, 2025

Dear Participants and Friends,

Welcome back to the annual magnificent Festival of Marching at Edison High School. We are glad to be here and proud of our championship band and excited to see everyone perform. Thanks go out to America's best Band Parents (www.ehsbands.org), Mr. DeNicuolo, Mr. Dillman, Mr. O'Leary, all the other staff and most of all to our new and returning Marching Eagles. I am so proud of all the work that has put this show together. No group works as hard as our band and band parents. Please get some food at the snack shack while you are here and support our vendors. Go eat!

Welcome to our Supervisor of the Arts, Mr. Thomas White. Thanks to our Superintendent Dr. Alderelli our Board of Education and Central office for their continued support. Thanks also to visiting bands and their parents.

Good luck to you all. Enjoy the fellowship and performances and long bus rides. You are leaders on the fields and in your schools. Practice, practice, practice and stay involved after your graduation in music and the arts.

To our Marching Eagles, keep being so much of "What's Great About Edison High!". I can't wait to see your success all season long. Is the band ready? I know I am.

Sincerely,



Charles K. Ross
Principal



September 20, 2025

To Our Seniors,

We've had hard times and great times together over these past few years, and we're very proud to know how much you've all grown to be better musicians and young adults. Your hard work, dedication, and leadership have brought this band to new and higher levels. We will hold the upcoming memories of the class of 2026 closely. You will all be missed in the years to come, and your quirks and personalities will forever stay with us. Thank you for being the best you could be and for continuing to give us your time and dedication.

Good luck in the future, as we know you will all make us proud.

Your Band Directors,
Marc DeNicuolo, Derek Dillman and Michael O'Leary

2022 Chaos Order
2023 Bridges
2024 The Evil Within Us
2025 Coven





EDISON HIGH SCHOOL BAND PARENT ORGANIZATION

50 Boulevard of Eagles
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- ❖ **Damaris Ledesma**, Corresponding Secretary corresponding1@ehsbands.org

September 20, 2025

Welcome Marching Band Participants and Guests!

It is my honor, as President of the Edison High School Band Parent Organization, to welcome you to the Annual Edison High School Festival of Marching. We are excited to host today's event and thrilled to showcase the premiere of our 2025 production: **COVEN**

This festival is about more than music on the field. It's about the countless hours of practice, the friendships built, the lessons in teamwork and perseverance, and the pure joy of performance. We hope you'll join us in celebrating every student who has worked so hard to bring these shows to life and continue to support the arts by attending the many competitions happening across New Jersey this season.

Our heartfelt gratitude goes to the Edison High School music directors and staff, who guide and inspire our students every day. Thank you as well to Edison's Board of Education Members, Council Members, Supervisor of Music & Visual Arts, and our Principal Mr. Ross for their ongoing commitment to music education. Behind the scenes, the custodial and security staff of Edison High School also play a vital role in making sure today runs smoothly. We appreciate your efforts more than you know.

I also want to recognize our parent volunteers. Whether you're working concessions, helping with parking, or lending a hand wherever needed, this day is only possible because of you. Your time and dedication are what keep this program strong.

To our spectators and guests, thank you for being here. By purchasing tickets, enjoying concessions, or picking up spirit wear, you're directly supporting our students and helping to grow the Edison High School Band Program.

Wishing all the bands performing today a fantastic show and a safe, successful marching band season!

With appreciation,

Kerel Cooper

President, Edison High School Band Parent Organization



2025 Edison High School Marching Eagles

Denotes Section Leader 🎵

Drum Majors

Josiah Ledesma
 Fei hao "Ryan" Li 🎵 Conductor
 Emily Shiju Thomas

Piccolo/Flute

Charlie Kersting 🎵 Piccolo
 Sheila Lin Piccolo/Flute
 Heidi Pellek Piccolo/Flute
 Madhuhasini Venkateswar Piccolo/Flute
 Navaneeth Krishna Flute
 Joshua Raj Flute
 Manshi Shekhadia Flute
 Coral Westwood Flute

Clarinet

Chetan Chintalapudi Clarinet
 Vidhi Ganti Clarinet
 Aayush Gupta 🎵 Clarinet
 Archit Makode Clarinet
 Tisha Shekhadia Clarinet
 Taylor Welsh Clarinet
 Sophia Wu Clarinet
 Tiah Mehta Bass Clarinet

Saxophone

Ayana Arora Alto Sax
 Vibnav Janaki Ashok Alto Sax
 Soleil Quinones Alto Sax
 Hernan Reyes Alto Sax
 Pranav Venkataraman Alto sax
 Eden Cheow Tenor Sax
 Fernando Salazar Tenor Sax
 Enrique Gutierrez Bari Sax
 Josiah Ledesma 🎵 Bari Sax
 Diya Shah Bari Sax

High Brass

Matthew Biskupek Trumpet
 Ashley Monroy Trumpet
 Suri Neoh Trumpet
 Tara Parekh Trumpet
 Parth Shah Trumpet
 Anika Yadavalli 🎵 Trumpet
 Matthew Grayson 🎵 Horn
 Sai Raval Horn

Low Brass

Josh Abuan 🎵 Trombone
 Zachary Crawford Trombone
 Daniel Luistro Trombone
 Oyindamola Ayeni 🎵 Baritone
 Jhanvi Kapadia Baritone
 Brayden Villasista Baritone
 Averi Ghosh Tuba
 Ryan Marques Tuba
 Rishith Ravi Kiran Tuba

Drumline

Kaitlyn Fallon Snare
 Shreyaan Pagnis 🎵 Snare
 Samuel Ziegler Snare
 Izaiah Martinez Tenor Drums
 Alex Vasquez Tenor Drums
 Zoreena Scott Bass 1
 Reeya Patel Bass 2
 Aidan Banks Bass 3
 Johan Naveen Anto Johnson Bass 4
 Ahmed Ayouh Bass 5

Pit

Aaren Agarwal Pit
 Reem Babekir Pit
 Skye Bristow-Cabrera Pit/Drum Kit
 Priscilla Go 🎵 Pit
 Glaurieta Goliath Pit
 Rithika Gunasekaran Pit
 Camila Matista Pit
 Heet Patel Pit
 Amaryllis Ramos Pit
 Emily Shiju Thomas 🎵 Pit
 Jayden Stochel Pit
 Jillian Wengert Pit

Color Guard

Natalia Alli Guard
 Ashley Chen Guard
 Vinny Cooper 🎵 Guard/Rifle/Saber
 Emiliette deVillers Guard
 Samantha Eng Guard
 Shruthi Jaganmohan Guard
 Maya Magnuson 🎵 Guard/Rifle/Saber
 Selina Naidoo Guard
 Pauline Obare Guard/Rifle
 Megan Sahadi Guard/Rifle
 Sarah Sharif Guard/Rifle/Saber
 Nico Sookoo Guard/Rifle/Saber
 Mia Zapata Guard



EDISON HIGH SCHOOL FESTIVAL OF MARCHING

50 Boulevard of Eagles
Edison, NJ 08817



Event Host Contact	USBands Contacts
Kerel Cooper, <i>President EHS BPO</i> president@ehsbands.org / 732-742-4524	Ginny Kraft, <i>Ensemble Relations</i> (610) 379-2848 vkraft@usbands.org

SPECTATOR INFORMATION

Parking: Spectator parking will be available in the lot across the street from the school.

Tickets: Tickets will be \$12 general admission, and \$8 for students and senior citizens. These can be purchased at the ticket booth outside of the stadium or you can also purchase in advance by sending payment via Venmo or PayPal (QR Codes below):

Concessions: Concessions will be available at the concession stand, adjacent to the field. We will be accepting payments in Cash, Venmo or PayPal

Restrooms: Portable restrooms are available inside the stadium. Additionally, restrooms inside the school will be available for use. Signs will be posted.



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ENSEMBLE INFORMATION

Bus & Truck Parking: See map below for bus parking and equipment trucks.

Performer Restrooms: Performers will have the opportunity to use restroom facilities inside the school, upon arrival.

Warm Up: Warm up areas will be available in the front of the school. In the map below where band drop off is indicated is where each ensemble will check in and be greeted by a guide to help them go from location to location.

Field Surface: The field is artificial turf, and will have high school hashes. No motorized vehicles are allowed on the field. **All golf carts, trailers, etc. are to remain on the track area only.** Fines may be incurred if your vehicle damages the turf field.

Power on Field: Power will be available at the front sideline near the 50 yard line.

Medical/EMS: We will have EMS coverage. They will be located in the dugout in the baseball field next to the concession stand. We will have visible signs and there will be an ambulance on site.

Retreat: Drum majors and ensemble captains should report to the flagpole area prior to the final performance to begin preparing for retreat.

Hospitality: Hospitality will be located in an outdoor location in a tent near the field. No hospitality available for directors and staff members.

Meet & Greet: Meet and Greet with the Adjudicators and up to 5 ensemble staff will take place in the school choir room at the end of the competition. The choir room is next to the Director Check In as shown on the map below.

Credentials: All Ensemble staff and Chaperones should have a USBands Credential for entry into the stadium. Anyone without a credential will be asked to purchase a ticket. Directors, Staff, USBands Event Staff, and Adjudicators should have USBands Credentials in order to enter the Hospitality area.

Competition Suite: Adjudicator commentary for all USBands ensembles can be located in Competition Suite shortly after the conclusion of each ensemble's performance.

WIRELESS FREQUENCY GUIDELINES FOR BANDS

To help keep the event running smoothly and prevent wireless interference, here's a quick overview of the wireless systems in use inside the stadium—and how your band can help make sure everyone has clear, reliable connectivity throughout the day.

Frequency	Purpose
2.4 GHz	USBands Staff/Adjudicator WiFi
5 GHz	USBands Staff/Adjudicator WiFi

1. Run a Frequency Scan

If your wireless system supports it, run a frequency scan in the warm-up area before using your equipment. This helps identify open frequencies in real time.

2. Program Your Wireless System

After scanning, program your wireless mics, in-ears, or other devices to the appropriate frequencies.

3. Keep Transmitters On

Once your wireless is programmed, do not turn off the transmitters. You may change batteries as needed, but try to keep devices powered on. This helps other bands' scans detect your signals and avoid interference.

4. Power Off After Your Performance

As soon as your performance is finished, turn off all transmitters. This frees up those frequencies for the next band to use.

For any questions related to stadium frequencies at USBands Events, please contact Operations@usbands.org.

SITE OVERVIEW



FIELD FLOW





EDISON HIGH SCHOOL

SEPTEMBER 20, 2025

3:00PM EDT

Edison High School
50 Boulevard of the Eagles
Edison, NJ 08817

Silver Event

Schedule

3:00 pm	John P Stevens High School Edison, NJ	Exhibition
3:15 pm	Long Branch High School Long Branch, NJ	II / A
3:30 pm	Cranford High School Cranford, NJ	II / A
3:45 pm	Tottenville High School Staten Island, NY	IV / A
4:00 pm	North Brunswick Township High School North Brunswick, NJ	IV / A
4:15 pm	Watchung Hills Regional High School Warren, NJ	IV / A
4:30 pm	INTERMISSION	
4:45 pm	Matawan Regional High School Aberdeen, NJ	I / Open
5:00 pm	Old Bridge High School Matawan, NJ	I / Open
5:15 pm	Metuchen High School Metuchen, NJ	IV / Open
5:30 pm	South Brunswick High School South Brunswick, NJ	V / Open
5:45 pm	Edison High School Edison, NJ	Exhibition
6:15 pm	AWARDS	

Edison High School

Saturday, September 20, 2025 - Edison, NJ



Group Name	Division	Suggested Arrival	Warm Up Area	Enter Warm Up	Depart Warm Up	Gate	Perform
John P. Stevens High School	O-V	12:40 PM	Warmup area	1:40 PM	2:40 PM	2:50 PM	3:00 PM
Long Branch High School	A-II	12:55 PM	Warmup area	1:55 PM	2:55 PM	3:05 PM	3:15 PM
Cranford High School	A-II	1:10 PM	Warmup area	2:10 PM	3:10 PM	3:20 PM	3:30 PM
Tottenville High School	A-IV	1:25 PM	Warmup area	2:25 PM	3:25 PM	3:35 PM	3:45 PM
North Brunswick Township High School	A-IV	1:40 PM	Warmup area	2:40 PM	3:40 PM	3:50 PM	4:00 PM
Watchung Hills Regional High School	A-IV	1:55 PM	Warmup area	2:55 PM	3:55 PM	4:05 PM	4:15 PM

INTERMISSION

4:30 PM

Group Name	Division	Suggested Arrival	Warm Up Area	Enter Warm Up	Depart Warm Up	Gate	Perform
Matawan Regional High School	O-I	2:25 PM	Warmup area	3:25 PM	4:25 PM	4:35 PM	4:45 PM
Old Bridge High School	O-I	2:40 PM	Warmup area	3:40 PM	4:40 PM	4:50 PM	5:00 PM
Metuchen High School	O-IV	2:55 PM	Warmup area	3:55 PM	4:55 PM	5:05 PM	5:15 PM
South Brunswick High School	O-V	3:10 PM	Warmup area	4:10 PM	5:10 PM	5:20 PM	5:30 PM
Edison High School	O-IV	3:25 PM	Warmup area	4:25 PM	5:25 PM	5:35 PM	5:45 PM

AWARDS

6:00 PM

Generation Date: 9/9/2025 1:03 PM

Adjudicators

- **Teddi Sotiropoulos** — Music Proficiency
- **Ryan Jacobs** — Ensemble Music
- **Jason Majerczak** — Visual (Chief Adjudicator)
- **Rick Fitzke Grey** — Music Effect
- **Ed Doscher** — Visual Effect

Event Staff

- **Samantha DeVos** — Adjudication Technician
- **Sheila Angalet** — Field Coordinator
- **Brittany Angalet** — Gate Coordinator



The Edison High School Band Parent Organization wishes to thank the families, friends, alumni, businesses, donors, sponsors, Edison High School staff, the band program staff, and all others who contributed in any way to make today's FESTIVAL OF MARCHING a success. Your support is greatly appreciated. We could not have done it without you! ❤️💛🦅

The Edison High School Marching Band presents



Marc DeNicuolo, Director of Bands
Krissy DeNicuolo, Show Design
Christian Martinez, Color Guard Caption Head
Aliya Lloyd, Color Guard Instructor
Nicole Reyes, Color Guard Instructor
Haley Rogers Music/Marching Instructor
Frankie Maceda, Music/Marching Instructor
Lindsay Corell, Music/Marching Instructor

Derek Dillman, Assistant. Director of Bands
Michael O'Leary, Assoc. Director of Bands
David Patterson Jr, Percussion Caption Head
Marllyn Alcine, Percussion Instructor
Peter Loeffler, Percussion Instructor
Keith So, Music/Marching Instructor
Tyler Brown, Music/Marching Instructor
Alyssa Rosenblum, Music/Marching Instructor

Drill Design by Christopher Burbank

Music Arranged by Benjamin Schwartz, Marc DeNicuolo, Michael O'Leary, David Patterson Jr

Drum Majors: Feihao Li, Emily Shiju-Thomas, Josiah Ledesma

Soloists: Zach Crawford, Josh Abuan, Dan Luistro, Vibunav Janaki-Ashok

Musicians:	65	Principal:	Mr. Charles Ross
Color Guard:	14	Superintendent:	Dr. Edward Aldarelli
Total:	79	Supervisor of Music:	Mr. Thomas White

Show Title: Coven

Step into the shadows of the forest, where whispers linger in the wind and a circle of power is about to be formed. Through moments of tension, beauty, and pure energy, the audience experiences the temptation, the journey of initiation, the struggle of dissent, and the final devotion for the coven. Join the band as they initiate their way through the coven, leaving behind a spellbinding impression of mystery and might.

ACHIEVEMENTS

The instrumental music program at Edison High School offers a comprehensive music program for all students involved. The EHS Marching Band has won the US Bands NJ State Championship for their group size in 14 of the past 23 seasons. The band has qualified for finals at the BOA Mid-Atlantic Regional in 2022 and 2023, placing 7th overall in 2022. The EHS Marching Band has also captured the US Bands National Championship for their group size in 2006, 2013, 2014, 2018, 2020 and 2022. The EHS Honors Wind Ensemble and Jazz Ensemble have both received "Superior" ratings at almost all festivals attended in the last 10 years. The Honors Wind Ensemble is routinely invited to perform at the NJ State Gala concert and the EHS Jazz Ensemble consistently placed within the top 5 at NJAJE State finals including 2nd place in 2024.

CRANFORD HIGH SCHOOL COUGAR MARCHING BAND

Director

Karen Mockoviak

Assistant Director

Daniel Chernosky

Winds Instructor

Kelsie Kreitz

Color Guard Director

Kerri Valesey

Percussion Director

Dan Frieri

Principal

Mark Cantagallo

Supervisor of Fine and Performing Arts

Jenna Kostovski

Superintendent of Schools

Dr. Scott Rubin



Drum Majors

Kendall Meixner, Emily West,
and Luca Szczepankiewicz

Color Guard Captains

Sofia Monroy, Riley Turnamian, and Liz Wallin

Woodwind Captain

Theo Janus

Brass Captain

Nora Goodwin

Pit Captain

Cole Piccuiro

Drum Captain

Gemma Alesi

Equipment Managers

Zak Aveni, Ryan Johns, and Paul Shih

Historian

Adriana Coakley

Librarian

George Sinnott

Uniform

Kai Solon and Chloe Stubler

2025 Field Show

Wild Things

"Wild Things" by Gary P. Gilroy

Drill Design by Karen Mockoviak

Trombone Soloist Luca Szczepankiewicz



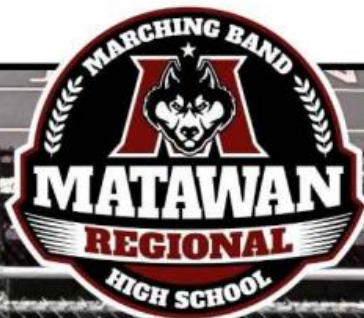
**Long Branch High School
2025**

MATAWAN REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL MARCHING BAND



MEMORIES

Director - Tyler Smayda
Asst. Directors - Noel Beers &
Curtis Clark



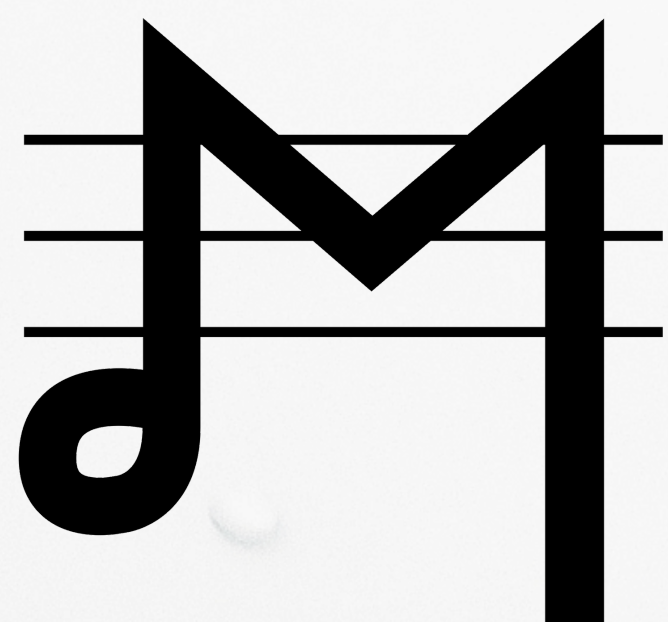
Music By:
Lukas Graham
Ed Sheeran
Israel Delgado



2025 Pride of Metuchen

Presents

THE TRUTH ABOUT WATER



Directors

John Messenger and John Flynn

Music Arrangers

Ben Schwartz and David Patterson

Drill Design

Izzy Delgado and Chris Burbank

Sound and Percussion Design

David Patterson

Guard Design and Instruction

Dillon Fernandes

Percussion Staff

David Patterson, David Bishop, Doug Sabosik

Guard Staff

Dillon Fernandes, Tara Girovasir, Fynn Nunez

Visual Staff

Josh Pagan and Daniel Kauzya

Drum Majors

Gianna Toscano, Ryan Stein, Siddhant Naik

Principal

Ed Porowski

Vice Principal

Brian Stike

Supervisor of Music, Art and World Language

Ashley Jaye

Superintendent of School

Dr. Vincent Caputo



North Brunswick Township High School Raider Marching Band
North Brunswick, NJ

FROM FIRE AND ASH:

Rise of the Phoenix

Featuring the music of
Igor Stravinsky, Pearl Jam, and Andra Day

Music arranged by Jeffrey Smith

Percussion by Jeffrey Smith, Danielle Nudelman, Joseph Scala, and Elizabeth Fackelman

Drill Design by Chris Burbank

Color Guard Design by Sarah Wilson, Kayla Wason, and Francisco Velazquez

Superintendent of Schools: Brian Zychowski

Supervisor of Fine and Performing Arts: Danielle Nudelman

Principal: Michael Kneller

Band Director: Jeffrey Smith

Assistant Directors: Chris English, Stephen Komar, Isaiah Mason, Andrea Lichtenfeld

Percussion Staff: Elizabeth Fackelman, Danielle Nudelman, Joseph Scala

Color Guard Staff: Kayla Wason, Sarah Wilson

Field Staff: Alexandra Magee-Lopes, Diana Minue, Michelle Munguia Reyes

Drum Majors

Estela Lopes and Roberto Suarez Quintana

Percussion Captains

Joshua Cho, Gabriel Lopes, and Victor Poupart

Color Guard Captains

Raeya Amin, Akshita Thakur, and Hannah Updegraff



MARCHING KNIGHTS PRESENTS

PAINT IT BLACK

**Paint it Black- Rolling Stones
Lacrimosa from Requiem- Mozart**

Band Director: Laura Nee

Asst. Band Directors: Alexander Sheetz & Stephanie Parmelee

Colorguard Director: Chantal Torchia

**Music Arrangers: Shawn Pityk, Josh Powell,
Alessandro Sestito & Gerard Brown**

Drill Design: Israel Delgado III

**Music and Marching Staff: Luke Arabia, Sara Brennan,
Gerard Brown, Katie Chow, Laura Nee, Stephanie Parmelee,
Suhani Patel, Ryan Powell, Alessandro Sestito,
Alexander Sheetz, Noelle Taqi**

Colorguard Staff: Chantal Torchia

Drum Major: Manvir Singh

SOUTH BRUNSWICK VIKING MARCHING BAND 2025

AT THE ROOT OF IT ALL

Band Directors: TJ Brungard and Joshua Oldham

Music Staff: Deivy Mejia, Samantha Chibbaro, Alan Wish, Ethan Zheng

Visual Caption Head: Justin Bogen

Percussion Caption Head: Jacob Ford

Percussion Staff: Cai Ronquillo, Mitchell Goodman-Sprouse

Color Guard Directors: Amanda El-Kadi, Jaime Lynch

Color Guard Staff: Marcus Shipp

Drill Design: Ian Flint

Musical Arrangements: Richard Guillen, Winds
Jacob Ford, Percussion

Musical Repertoire:

Song of the Plains – Karl Jenkins

Hajanga – Jacob Collier

Colors of the Wind – Alan Menken and Stephen Schwartz

Affirmation – Randall Standridge

Choose Joy – Randall Standridge

Drum Majors: Aishi Chell, Arielle Tu, Harrison Pekosz

Administration: Mr. David Pawlowski, Interem Superintendent
Mr. Peter Varela, Principal
Mr. Edward Knapp, Athletic Director
Mr. Robert Sears, Jr., K-12 Music Supervisor

Recent Accomplishments:

2025 USBands National Championships- 5th Place Group V Open

2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022 New Jersey State Champions

2014 Performed for Super Bowl XLVIII Pregame and Halftime

2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 USBands National Championships-

2nd place Group VI Open

Principal
Gina Battista
Assistant Principal/Band Director

Music Instruction
Elizabeth Schubert
Stephen Schwarz
Visual Instruction
Chloe Caputo
Peter D'Amico
Kristine Murnieks
Stephen Schwarz
Color Guard Instruction
Nicolette Manfredi
Percussion Instruction

Peter D'Amico
Danick Kelly
Ryan Murnieks
Lisa Sedita,
John Africano,
Alexa Whiteman
Student Leadership:
Senior Drum Major
Isabella LaRocca
Junior Drum Majors

Brian Yu
Paolo Cruz
Color Guard
Domenica Amato
Abby Balice
Jenna Balice
Flute
Dakota Rogan
Clarinet
Evelyn Juan
Isabella Ma
Saxophone
Sophia Cucuzza
Trumpet /Mellophone

Sophia Imparato
Sophia LaMarch
Michael O'Rourke
Low Brass
Noor Islam
Anastasia Pan
Battery Percussion
Alex Cisak
Isabella McCabe
Emanuel Rocha Rios
Front Ensemble

Rain Chen
Sydney Salinardi
Equipment Managers

Jamie Lin
Daniel Livak
Destiny Rodriguez
Band Parent Coordinator
Sherry Salinardi
Band Parent Club Treasurer
Staci Balice

**TOTTENVILLE HIGH SCHOOL
MARCHING BAND
100 LUTEN AVENUE
STATEN ISLAND, NEW YORK
GROUP IVA
SCHOOL COLORS: PURPLE & WHITE**



Composer: Michael J. Miller and Jason Palmer
Visual Design: Don Gallaher
Color Guard Choreography: Nicolette Manfredi



The Tottenville High School Marching Band is one of New York City's premier high school ensembles. Representing Staten Island with pride, the ensemble has entertained audiences at local, citywide, and national events for decades. The THSMB has won the USBands New York State Championship in 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2018, 2023, and 2024. They were the USBands National Championship Silver Medalists in 2024.

This year's field production tells a powerful story of grit, perseverance, and triumph. *The Agony & Ecstasy of Gold* follows the daily life of a coal miner - from the quiet determination of entering the mine at dawn, to the grueling labor deep underground. The tension builds as chaos erupts when a devastating explosion shatters the routine, threatening both life and livelihood. Through resilience and unity, the miners rise from the wreckage, return to their work, and against all odds, strike gold. With dramatic musical moments, evocative visuals, and intense choreography, the THSMB captures both the crushing weight of hardship and the dazzling exhilaration of victory.

We hope you enjoy our 2025 – 2026 Field Show,

"THE AGONY & ECSTASY OF GOLD"

*The Watchung Hills Regional High School
Marching Warriors*



present their 2025 production

7 Minutes to Midnight

Musical Selections

"Round Midnight" by Thelonious Monk

"Midnight from the Cinderella Suite" by Sergei Prokofiev

"Morning Passages" by Philip Glass

"A Dream is a Wish Your Heart Makes" by Jerry Livingston,
Mack David, and Al Hoffman

Arranged by Clifford Bialkin

Percussion Book by Matthew Blood

Marching Band Staff

Mr. Allan Daleus, Director

Mr. Ryan Branco, Assistant Director

Mr. Dree Dray, Color Guard,
Director/Visual Caption Head

Mr. John Molloy, Brass Caption Head

Mr. Timothy Nuzzetti, Battery Technician

Mr. Vincent Inciong, Front Ensemble
Technician

Mr. Richard Morey, Drill Designer

WHRHS Administration

Dr. Elizabeth Jewett, Superintendent

Dr. William Librera, Principal

Mr. Daniel Bertelli, Supervisor of Arts
and Co-Curricular Activities

Student Leadership Team

Julia Stine, Alexandra Glassner, Vienne

Downing, Aisling Butler, Isha Sachin,

Emily Hauck, Angelina Huang,

Nicholas Micheludis, Alexander Qi,

Marcus Shi, Victoria Fumoso,

Benjamin Webb, Jessica Szekeres,

Ethan Rajan, Cooper Morin,

Linka Shimomura, Christopher Sperry,

Alexis Hausman, Aubrey Jungels,

Jordan Brown-Denny, Adhvik Karthik,

Vedika Dave, Aadya Bhushan,

Emily Wood, Aza Chang, Isabella Chiu,
and Rainy Gualtieri





Charlie



Soleil



Elan



Josiah



Sam





Elan (Vinny), we are very proud of you. Your commitment to Marching band and Color Guard is unmatched! We love you, Dad, Mom, your Sister and Grandparents!





To our favorite Jr Drum Major, Josiah...we are
incredibly proud of you and all of your hard work!
Hope you have an amazing season! We love you!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Eliana, and Lily

From where it began ... even when you were ... you kept your
to where it is now... embarrassed by me... focus ...



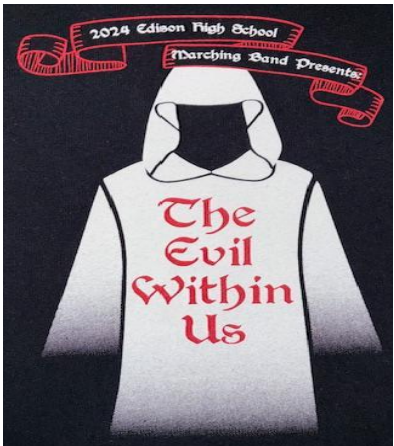
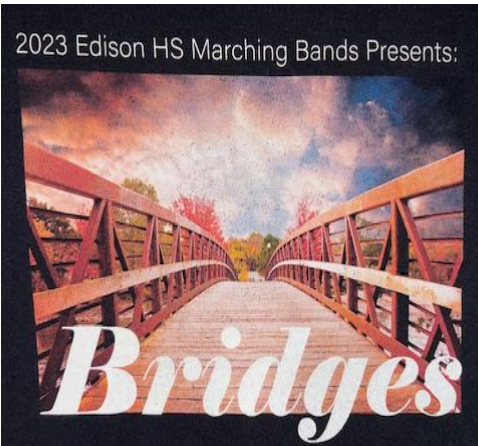
... on the prize ...

... I'll always have
your back ...

... and will always
love you!



Kaitlyn, I am so very proud of you for battling through all the obstacles of these last 4 years and I know that it'll make you a stronger person because of it. Watching you grow and mature into the strong leader and amazing young woman you've become has brought me joy. I can never have imagined how much pride one person can bring to another, and then here you came! You really are my greatest accomplishment in life, my best friend, my everything, my daughter! I love you!! - Love Dad





Looking forward to another great band season! We are proud of you Sam!
Love Mom, Dad and Ben.



Way to go Camila!!!

We are so very very proud of you! Thanks for all the beautiful music you bring to our lives! We know this will be a great year for you!
Love, Mom, Dad and Valentina





WOW!
We can't wait
to see what
the next 4
years bring.
We love you
Freshmen 🦄



Charlie, Leader of the Piccolutes! You continue to impress us with your talent, leadership and commitment. We can't wait to see what adventures are in store for your junior year. We love you! Mother, Father & Valerie

My Peanut,

I am so so proud of you and all the hard work you've put into your education. I know you are going to do amazing things in life. You're a leader, you're so smart, beautiful, courageous, creative, dedicated, loyal, and amazing in percussion. I love watching you perform. I'll always see you as this little girl, dancing around being funny and creative. Your loyalty and dedication to Marching Band & Indoor Percussion is so inspiring & admirable. Please know, I will always love you. I'll always be here when you need me, and you'll always and forever be my peanut. I love you so very much!!

From Lana - I love you Kaitlyn so much. I'll miss you when you go to college!

Love always,
Mom & Lana aka "Tiny"





Our dearest Zachary,



From your **first** trombone note back in **4th grade**,
to the **2025 Festival of Marching** (yay!!!)

This, my son is your **3rd Home Show** under stadium shade—
We've watched you **grow** with every **stride**,
With **music and passion**, you cannot hide.



Your **dedication** and **heart** shine through and through,
And we couldn't be **prouder** of all that **you** do.
Keep **marching strong**, we'll always cheer—
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Love Always & Forever,
Mom & Dad
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Seniors, It's been an absolute joy watching you grow into the young adults you are today. You're smart, talented, and passionate, and I know you'll continue to do amazing things. Wishing you a senior year that's not only productive, but also filled with fun, memories, and success.

Sincerely,
Mr. Kerel Cooper



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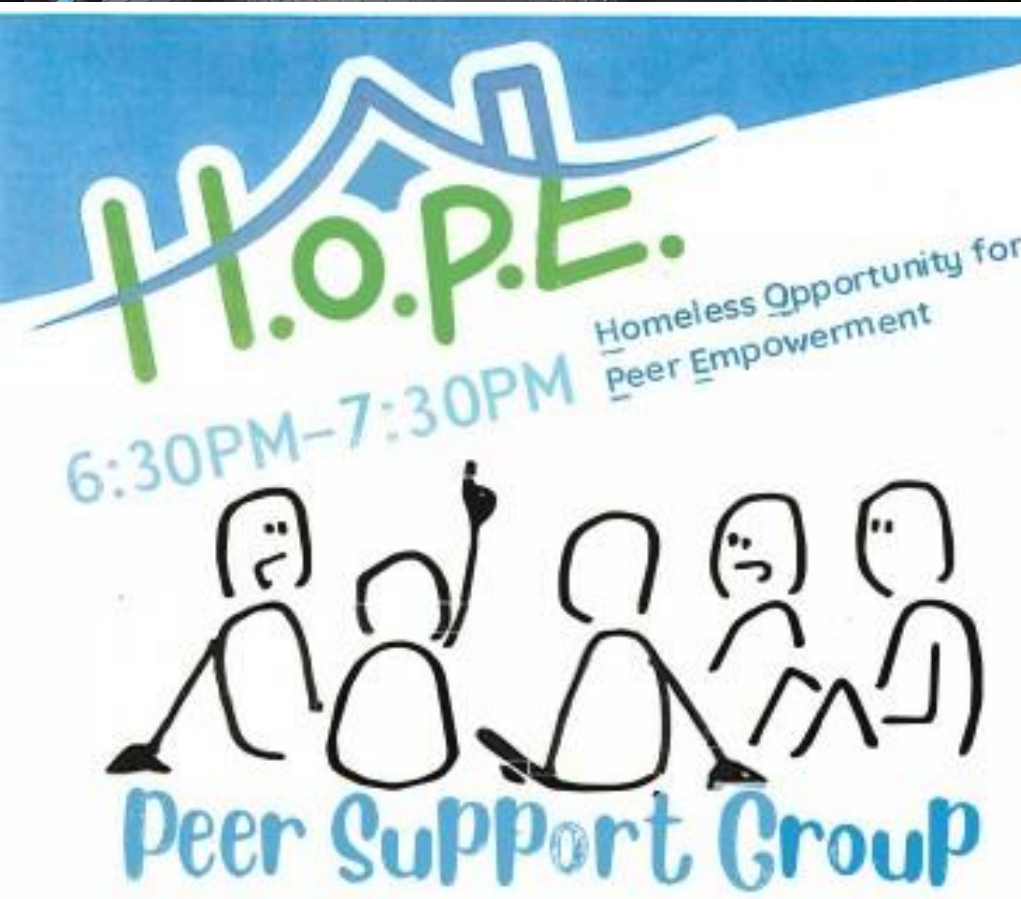
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Jillian,
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Love, Mom and Dad



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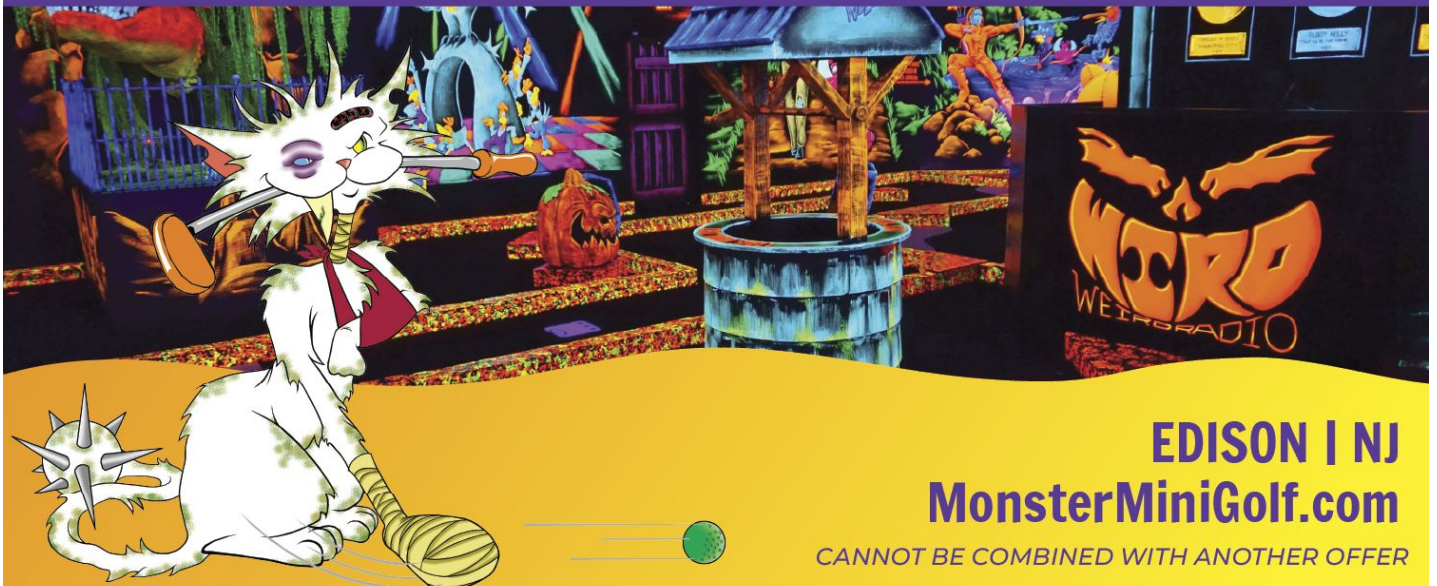
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