

Schedule:

Pride of the Valley Marching Competition 2023	Class	Warm-up (A or B)	Gate	Performance
Tarrant High School	A	9:00	9:40	9:45
Childersburg High School	A	9:15	9:55	10:00
Cleveland High School	A	9:35	10:15	10:20
Northside High School	A	9:55	10:35	10:40
Locust Fork High School	A	10:15	10:55	11:00
Dora High School	A	10:35	11:15	11:20
John Carroll Catholic High School	A	11:05	11:35	11:40
	Lunch			12:00-1:00
Carver High School	AA	12:25	12:55	1:00
Ranburne High School	AA	12:45	1:15	1:20
Leeds High School	AA	1:05	1:35	1:40
Brookwood High School	AA	1:25	1:55	2:00
Valley High School	AA	1:45	2:15	2:20
Ardmore High School	AA	2:05	2:35	2:40
	Spin Off			3:00
	A-AA Awards			3:30-4:00
Benjamin Russell High School	AAA	3:45	4:15	4:20
Decatur High School	AAA	4:05	4:35	4:40
Corner High School	AAA	4:25	4:55	5:00
Grissom High School	AAA	4:45	5:15	5:20
Tuscaloosa County High School	AAA	5:05	5:35	5:40
	Dinner Break			6:00-7:00
Pike Road High School	AAA	6:25	6:55	7:00
Mortimer Jordan High School	AAA	6:45	7:15	7:20
Pell City High School	AAA	7:05	7:35	7:40
Auburn High School	AAAA	7:25	7:55	8:00
Pinson Valley High School	Exhibition	7:45	8:15	8:20
	Spin Off			8:40
	AAA-AAAA Awards			9:00-9:30

FAQs from Parents at Pride of the Valley

1. **How much is admission, parking, and how can I pay?** Gate admission is \$5 and free for children under five. There is no charge for parking. The Pinson Valley Band Boosters can take cash and cards. Programs will be \$2.
2. **Can we bring outside food into the stadium or in the parking lot?** The only outside food or drink in the stadium will be water bottles. No band has to stay for the whole day because of the split awards ceremony. Because of this we are asking all parents and students to remain in the stadium.
3. **Can we set up tents, tailgates, chairs, grills, taco bars, etc.?** NO. Please do not bring large tents to set up in the stadium, it obstructs the view for the people around you. If you want to bring chairs to set up you can, as long as you stay out of the way and in the stadium.
4. **What access will parents and students have to the main building?** None. After a band uses restrooms and or changes for their performance or after the performance, there is no reason for students or parents to use the main building. Concessions, restrooms, and seating is all in the stadium.
5. **Where can I get a schedule?** There will be programs for \$2 at the gate and the schedule will be posted on the Pride of the Valley Facebook page.
6. **Which parents can go to the hospitality room?** None. The hospitality room is for directors, judges, and staff. They will have a different wristband than chaperones. This includes parents on the band boosters board, please do not come to the director's hospitality room. Thanks!
7. **Why are people stopping me at the bottom of the stadium during the competition?** Once a band enters the field, it is customary for everyone to wait to go in or leave the stadium seats. Every student deserves your attention and to be free from distraction. Once the stop signs are up, please wait for the performance to be over.
8. **If I have an issue or emergency, who can I talk to?** In the case of a true emergency, medical or security-wise, we have SROs and EMT available. Please ask one of the Pinson Valley band members or parents working. If you need something, please find a parent. The students are there to help, but they do not have control of things in the stadium. Also understand that parents are not trained medical personnel. We can get professionals as quickly as possible, but we cannot perform anything without consent.
9. **Where can I sit in the stadium?** The middle of the stadium is open for spectators. The other sections are labeled for the number of students, directors, chaperones in the band that day. You are welcome to sit with your band, but we ask that you move if you end up in another band's section.