



RIVERSIDE CITY COLLEGE
4800 MAGNOLIA AVE
RIVERSIDE, CA 92506

MARCH 17TH, 2019

Percussion



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EVENT PACKET



WELCOME

Greetings and Welcome!

All of us with System Blue would like to congratulate you on your decision to join us in what we believe are the finest educational events in the world of marching arts! Regardless of the specific track, you'll soon discover that we offer real-life experiences along with the tools to become better leaders, better musicians, and better performers. You'll find that we all share information freely and that there are no secrets to becoming your best.

You'll have direct access to some of the most honored and accomplished instructors in the drum corps and marching band arenas, and they'll lead you down the path that helped them get where they are. But prepare to be challenged! You'll soon find yourself charting new territory on your own personal path toward excellence.

To help you get the most out of the experience, look carefully at the information provided in this event packet. Pay particular attention to the "What To Bring" page. The more prepared you are upon arrival, the more you'll get out of the experience. If we can be of further information or service to you, please let us know.

Welcome to the System Blue family

Sincerely,

Frank Troyka
Director of Education
System Blue



SCHEDULE

Sunday, March 17th, 2019

9:00am – Registration

10:00am – Morning Sessions

11:00pm – Lunch (Provided by System Blue)

2:00pm – Afternoon Sessions

3:30pm – Side-by-Side with RCC

4:15pm – RCC Performance

5:00pm – Event Concludes



LOCATION

RIVERSIDE CITY COLLEGE
4800 Magnolia Ave
Riverside, CA 92506



Parking Information

- There will be parking enforcement 24/7 in March. \$5 for an all-day pass.
- Some machines take card, some take cash. Pre-purchase a pass online.
 - NOTE: Select the correct date for use when purchasing online and print at home then bring to display on dash. Here's the link for that:

<https://www.credentialsops.com/CGI-BIN/gacqiord.pgm?ALUMPPD01270>



INFORMATION

CHECK IN

- Please refer to the map to find parking and check-in location.
- If you haven't paid your registration fees, please make sure to bring cash or check made Payable to "System Blue".
- YOU MUST HAVE A SIGNED MEDICAL FORM TO PARTICIPATE, if you are under 18 years old a parent/guardian must sign this form as well.

FOOD AND WATER

- System Blue will provide the meals listed in the schedule. You should have listed if you were a vegetarian on your registration. We will make sure that there is a vegetarian option for everyone that asked for it on their registration.
- If you have any other food allergies, please let us know at check in on your medical form.
- If you need to bring your own food, we can help find a place to store it for you.
- You will NEED a water jug to use and refill for the day.
- We will have snack breaks throughout the day as well as any meals listed in the schedule.

INSTRUMENTS

- System Blue cannot provide instruments and equipment, so please make sure to bring your instrument unless you have made other arrangements with System Blue staff.

PARENTS

- You are more than welcome to come and watch any of the event. We will do a brief/informal show and tell at the end of the event. If you come to the "check in" area (see map), we can tell you what building/classroom each session is in.

FIRST AID

- We will have a first aid kit on site, but we cannot pass out pain killers/aspirin/muscle relaxers.
- If you are hurt or feeling sick, please tell someone on the System Blue staff!
- Please make sure that you are prepared to spend most of the day in the sun — sunscreen (re-apply), hats, sunglasses and PLENTY OF WATER! This is something that each attendee should take care of throughout the event.

EMERGENCY/DAY OF CONTACT

- Lainey Braatz
System Blue Event Manager
lbraatz@systemblue.org
(850) 320-0099



WHAT TO BRING

MEDICAL FORMS

You will not be able to participate in the event if you don't have a signed medical form. Please find the forms at the end of this event packet.

ATHLETIC SHOES

Proper footwear is a **MUST** for health and safety during visual rehearsals (marching technique sessions). Sandals, flip-flops, boots, and other non-athletic footwear is not permitted.

ATTIRE SUITED FOR MOVEMENT & FOR OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

- Shorts and light-colored T-shirts are best suited for outdoor activities. Freedom of movement is essential for stretching and visual block (marching/movement technique). **Please, no jeans!**
- Sunglasses
- Cap or visor

OTHER ITEMS FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY

- Insulated water jug (half-gallon or larger).
Though water will be provided, it is essential that you have own personal water supply for outdoor rehearsals.
- Sunscreen (for skin and lips!)
- Personal medication (ibuprofen, acetaminophen, etc.). System Blue cannot provide medication of any kind.

MONEY (OPTIONAL AND APPLIES TO SUMMER EVENTS THAT COORDINATE WITH A DRUM CORPS SHOW)

Concessions are available at the stadium. Most of the drum corps performing will have souvenirs for sale.

COLOR GUARD

- **YOUR OWN EQUIPMENT-** A flag pole with a silk attached that you are

comfortable with — any size, any color. If you would like to learn rifle and/or sabre, please bring that equipment as well — any size, any brand. We encourage everyone to try all 3 pieces of equipment, no matter your previous experience.

- If you spin with gloves at your school, please bring them.

LEADERSHIP

- **YOUR MARCHING INSTRUMENT -** Since we'll have music rehearsals indoors and outdoors, be sure you bring an instrument appropriate for both. Bring your own reeds, valve oil, and other accessories.
- **If you have a music stand please bring it.**
- **PLEASE NOTE:** If you play oboe, bassoon, or another "concert-only" instrument, and you play a secondary instrument in marching band (flute, clarinet, saxophone, etc.), please bring your secondary instrument only.
- If you do not have access to an outdoor instrument, you are still welcome to observe (and participate as is practical) in music rehearsals. Unfortunately, System Blue does not have instruments available to loan.

PERCUSSION

- **DRUM & STAND -** Bring a drum and a stand that is appropriate for your needs. Any brand, size or color is acceptable. We will not do any marching, so don't need carriers, but will use stands. You can securely store you drum at the school for multiple day events.
- **Bass drum players:** Please bring appropriate mallets – any brand is acceptable.



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EDUCATIONAL CAMP MEDICAL AND RESPONSIBILITY RELEASE FORM

STUDENT INFO

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Email _____

Street Address _____

City / State / Zip _____

Phone _____ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

Gender _____ Shirt Size XS S M L XL XXL _____

Instrument _____ School _____

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

EMERGENCY CONTACT #1

Name _____ Relationship _____

Phone Number _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT #2

Name _____ Relationship _____

Phone Number _____

MEDICAL / INSURANCE INFO

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| Medical History | <input type="checkbox"/> Convulsions | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart defect/murmur |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Mumps |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Bleeding disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> Surgery in past 2 years |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Chicken Pox | <input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Neurological diseases |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Measles | |

Allergies _____ Current Medications (type, dose and frequency) _____

Date of Last Tetanus Immunization _____

Insurance Carrier _____ Member/Policy/Group Number _____



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PARTICIPANT CONSENT AND RESPONSIBILITY FORM

I, the undersigned participant with System Blue, or the parent/guardian of the above listed participant with System Blue (if participant is under the age of eighteen), acknowledge and fully understand that each participant with System Blue will be engaging in activities that involve the risk of serious injury, including permanent disability or death, which might result not only from the participant’s action, inaction or negligence, but also from the action, inaction or negligence of others, the condition of any premises (including, without limitation, football fields), risks created by the forces of nature, and hazards of travel by air, train, bus, automobile and other means, including, without limitation, walking and/or driving, or being driven to and from rehearsals and other activities. Furthermore, there may be other unknown risks that are not reasonably foreseeable at this time. Accordingly, I acknowledge, fully understand and agree that I assume all of the foregoing risks and accept personal responsibility for any and all damages following such injury, permanent disability or death, and hereby release, discharge and covenant to indemnify and not to sue System Blue, its instructors, managers, employees and associated personnel, officers, directors, agents, members, volunteers and representatives, from any and all liability to the undersigned, and to his/her heirs and next of kin, against any and all claims by or on behalf of the participant as a result of the participant’s participation with System Blue. I agree to indemnify and defend System Blue against all claims, causes of actions, damages, judgments, costs or expenses, including attorneys’ fees and other litigation costs, which may arise in connection with the participant’s participation with System Blue.

It is understood that System Blue will make every effort to contact the undersigned prior to taking any such action, but in the event I cannot be reached for an emergency, I hereby authorize any of the directors, officers, managers, instructors or chaperones of System Blue who are present to consent to whatever x-ray, examination, anesthetic, medical, surgical, or dental diagnosis, treatment, pain control, other invasive treatments and/or hospital care that may be considered necessary for the participant in the reasonable judgment of the attending physician, surgeon, or dentist and to be performed by or under the supervision of a member of the medical staff of the hospital or facility furnishing such medical or dental services. I agree to be financially responsible for the cost of such assistance and/or treatment. I recognize and agree that the directors, officers, managers, instructors and/or chaperones of System Blue consenting to such health care may reasonably and in good faith rely upon the advice furnished to him or her by the attending licensed health care provider(s).

I also give permission for my personal, protected medical information provided on this form, and any personal protected health information collected by personnel of System Blue, to be released to any hospital and/or clinic providing treatment, to System Blue management, and to any insurance company representing System Blue. This form may be photocopied for use while participant is at a System Blue event

I agree that all claims that may arise from participant’s participation with System Blue shall be resolved under California law.

I have read the above waiver/release and understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing this release and sign below voluntarily. I understand that this document may not be altered in any manner without the express written consent of the President of System Blue and that any unauthorized alteration will cause the participant to be removed from System Blue.

NOTICE: THIS AUTHORIZATION FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE MEMBER MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE BLUE DEVILS. TREATMENT FOR INJURY WILL BE BASED UPON INFORMATION PROVIDED HEREIN. IF MEMBER IS UNDER 18, A PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST SIGN THIS FORM.

I hereby grant System Blue the perpetual, fully-paid, exclusive and worldwide right to make still-photo, video, film, audio and/or other recordings (collectively, the “Recordings”) of my participation in performances, rehearsals, camps, clinics and other events with System Blue (collectively, the “Performances”) and to use my name, voice, likeness and image in connection with the production and commercial exploitation of such Recordings, and to grant others the right to make and commercially exploit the Recordings. The rights granted to System Blue hereunder shall include the perpetual, fully-paid, exclusive and worldwide right to edit, televise, broadcast, record, publish, copy, use, license, print, sell, distribute or otherwise exploit the Recordings in any manner and in any medium, format, form or forum, whether now known or hereafter devised, without any further compensation to me. No casual or inadvertent failure, nor the failure of any third party, to give me the applicable credit in any television program, motion picture or other work produced hereunder, shall constitute a breach of this Agreement by System Blue.

We acknowledge that the undersigned and participating student is responsible for the safety and security of his/her personal belongings and effects and for loss or damage and will not hold System Blue responsible for these items. We the undersigned understand that System Blue is a drug-free environment and that consumption of unlawful drugs, alcohol or the smoking of any substance is prohibited and will be grounds for immediate dismissal from the program without refund. If a serious problem of misbehavior should arise and in the judgment of System Blue the undersigned’s child should be sent home before the end of the program, we authorize System Blue to take such action.

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| Student Signature | Print Name | Date |
| Parent/Guardian Signature | Print Name and Relationship | Date |

(A parent or legal guardian must sign if the student is under 18 years old.)