

## Welcome home, Golden Lions Alumni!

We are glad to have you back with us for the homecoming game. Here are the important details:

**Let us know you are coming!** - Please take a minute to fill out the Google survey ([click here](#)). We need this information so we can prepare for you.

**Music** - You can download your own music from the website ([click here](#)). There are four separate documents: Pregame music, Halftime music, Stand tunes, and Flag routines. Instrumentalists will need to download their parts from the first three documents (each one will have two pages of music for your instrument) and Flag Corps/Colorguard alumni will need to get routines from the fourth document. We will have paper copies at rehearsal, but it will be quicker if you download your own.

**Instruments** - the alumni set up area will be H-145 (current orchestra room, previously the English work room, previously the choir room). If you need a school instrument, you will find it there. Please return it to that room at the end of the evening.

**Flip folders and lyres** - You may borrow these in H-145 as well.

**T-shirts** - The dress for the game is the same as last year - blue jeans and the alumni t-shirt (available for \$8.00 at the game). Feel free to wear long-sleeve t-shirts/Under Armour/etc. under the t-shirt for your own comfort. I'm hoping for comfortable weather.

**Food** - We will distribute food coupons (good for a sandwich, chips, and a drink) that you can use at the concession stand anytime throughout the evening. If you're going during 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter, I recommend using the home concession stand--the sugar shack will be very busy with high school students.

**What are we playing?** - This year will feature favorite tunes from years gone by: *Me and Julio Down by the Schoolyard*, *Brass Roots*, and *The Lion Sleeps Tonight*. Jim Singer will announce and Bob Kessler will conduct the Star-Spangled Banner.

### Schedule -

- 5:15 Rehearsal starts on the grass field behind the stadium near Lincoln Elementary.
- 6:10 Rehearsal concludes. Get food coupons from Brian Pruitt. Bathroom break.
- 6:30 Meet Mr. Bradshaw at south end zone behind band bleachers.
- 6:40 Pregame begins. During *Across the Field*, alumni move up to sideline in two-step spacing with outer people on the 40's. As HS band does the GLHS cadence ("Beat the Hawks!") alumni turn and face the home stands. Alumni join HS band as cadence immediately transitions into *GL Fight*. "Wait, down, touch-out-2-1-2-2-2-down." Move to the sides for homecoming court procession. Return after court announced. Play Alma Mater. Right face on whistle. Play SSB.

6:55 HS band transitions into tunnel. Alumni march down sideline to band bleachers. Sit on end closest to goal post.

Qtr2 With 5:00 left, begin to form up on track. When HS band moves to away sideline, alumni move to home sideline.

Half Alumni will line up 14 across on the sideline (2-4-6 spacing, leave the 50 empty. End people 2 steps inside 40's.) Clarinets and horns on north side, low brass and flutes on south side. Sax and trumpet can be either side. Brass in front, ww behind, perc in back, sousas find HS sousas to move next to outside of the 40's.

Show Play three tunes, order is *Julio*, *Brass Roots*, *Lion Sleeps*. Left face. March off with HS band.

Qtr 3 Enjoy complimentary beverage and cookies at Sugar Shack.

Qtr 4 If desired, play stand tunes with HS band. Cheer team to victory!

After March back to band room in the middle of HS band, behind percussion. Return equipment to orchestra room.

- **Thanks for joining us! Check [gahannabands.org](http://gahannabands.org) for information about next year and other band info. Give your contact information to Brian Pruitt.**
- **Questions or suggestions? Contact Rob Cebriak at 614-478-5519 or [cebriakr@gjps.org](mailto:cebriakr@gjps.org)**