

Dear Band Director:

We are hosting the 8th Annual Emporia State University Marching Festival on Wednesday, October 7, 2015 and we hope that you consider joining us! The festival will be held at Welch Stadium on the ESU campus from 7am-2pm.

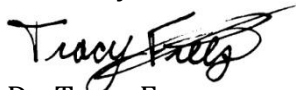
The ESU Marching Hornets will perform an exhibition in the morning and for the students after all the high school bands have finished, while the judges are tabulating the sweepstakes results. Trophies will be awarded for outstanding drumline, colorguard, drum majors, and bands. Each band will receive ratings from the judges and recorded comments. The allotted time for each band is 15 minutes (including getting on the field, performance, and getting off the field), with a prior 30 minute warmup on the practice field northeast of the stadium.

We are offering a reduced pre-registration fee of \$150 if postmarked by August 15. Normal registration is \$200, due September 1. Checks need to be made out to the ESU Department of Music. Please send money and the enclosed form with your preferred performance times to:

ESU Marching Band Festival
Emporia State University
1 Kellogg Circle, Box 4029
Emporia, KS 66801.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you and your students next fall!

Sincerely,



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EMPORIA STATE UNIVERSITY 2015 Marching Festival

Registration Form

October 7, 2015 (Wednesday) 7:00 am to 2:00 pm at the ESU Football Stadium

School/Band Name	_____
KSHSAA Classification (circle one)	1A 2A 3A 4A 5A 6A
Director(s) Name(s)	_____
Phone # & Email address	_____ _____
Drum Majors (optional)	_____
Additional Staff (optional) (Please Specify)	_____ _____
Show Theme/Music (optional)	_____
Number of Students in Band (circle one)	0-50 51-99 100 or more
School Colors	_____
School Mascot	_____
List Awards/Honors	
Preferred Performance Time	

Festival Fee: \$200 *Early Registration Discount Price if paid by August 14, 2015* \$150

Registration & Payment Due No Later than: Sept. 4, 2015

Mail Form & Payment to:

ESU Marching Festival
 Music Dept. Campus Box 4029
 1 Kellogg Circle
 Emporia, KS 66801