



Top 10 items you need to know about 2010 Championships

- 1) Check-in will be the same as all regular RMCGA contests. There is no need for any group other than MS and Novice to check-in for finals. The stamps the performers will receive at Prelims are good for Finals.
- 2) Performers will be allowed to sit in the front stands at Prelims (as long as the stands do not get full of paying spectators). For Finals everyone must sit on the back side.
- 3) If you need to refold your tarp prior to finals, you may do so at the breaks. The breaks are fairly short so please be ready to fold as soon as the last unit is finished. All non-finalists units can use the grassy area outside to refold tarps.
- 4) We will be posting prelims scores in the cafeteria as there will be no retreat for prelims. Prelim score packets and judge commentary may be picked up at the tab area approximately 30 min after your class has ended.
- 5) There will be one awards ceremony at the end of the night. All non-finalist units are invited back to celebrate their accomplishments this season. Please let us know at Unit Check-in if you will be returning to be a part of this event. We will crown champions and also hand out special awards at this time.
- 6) The Unit Director and Band Director badges you received at the beginning of the year are valid. You will receive 7 wristbands, valid for all day admission, at check-in to be used for bus drivers, principals and anyone else you are inviting to the contest. If you would like to leave passes at either the unit check-in or the spectator entrance, you may do so. Please coordinate with the person you are leaving them for. Check-in and spectator entrance are on opposite ends of the school. If you ordered participant patches, you may pick them up at unit check-in.
- 7) We have extra space secured at the school for your 'hang out' space. However, we have extra units at this contest as well. Please vacate your space as soon as possible after your performance to allow for the next unit to have their space. Each unit is responsible for leaving your area clean and free of trash. If you plan to eat at the facility, you MUST clean up your trash. All non-finalists units will need to remove all of their items (Props, tarps, coats, equipment etc.) as soon as possible after prelims.
- 8) There are limited changing facilities available, please arrive as prepared as possible.
- 9) Jolesch Photography will be taking group and action shots throughout the day. RMCGA benefits financially from this so please ensure you plan to have your group photographed. Each director will receive a free photo of your group. This will be done after your performance in the Auditorium. If you would rather have your photo taken prior to your performance, please work out a time with the photographer.
- 10) Joyco Multimedia will be filming all performances and a Director copy will be provided in your Score Sheet packet. Director copies will be provided of your first performance only. Each unit will receive one video pass that will allow a video camera to be brought in. We would prefer that cameras not be brought in through the spectator doors. As RMCGA is selling these videos, please only video your unit and do not make copies of this for your members.

Enjoy this final performance and make it fun and special for your kids.
Congratulations on a great season! If you have any questions, email or call me.
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