

Edina Hornet Marching Band State Fair Info

Marching Band Rehearsal at EHS turf field

Friday, August 26

3 – 5 pm

Minnesota State Fair Parade

Saturday, August 27

11:20 am – 9 pm

11:20 AM Arrive at ECC and change into uniform (have a big meal before you leave).

12:30 AM Load busses

12:00 PM Depart ECC

1:00 PM Arrive at Fairgrounds

2:00 PM Parade followed by performance at Carousel Park

3:30 - 8:00 PM Free time after the parade to see the fair

**(See Mr. Kile to sign up for a spot on the 1 returning early bus)*

8:00 PM Bus leaves State Fair to return to ECC

9:00 PM Arrive back at ECC

Reminders:

-You **MUST** wear your green marching band t-shirt under your uniform

-Bring your lyre and marching band music folder

-Wear your uniform on the bus going to the fairgrounds; keep your hat/plume in its box and hold it in your lap

-Remember to bring your uniform bag on the bus- have a change of clothes in it so you can change after the parade. Remember shoes.

-Bring white socks from home (or for percussion black socks) to wear with your uniform. **NO ANKLE SOCKS**

-Large instruments may go on the trailer (drums, tubas, trombones), all others go with you on the bus

When we get home after the fair...

-All students must take their instruments home

-Return your uniforms to the uniform room in ECC

-Please **DO NOT LEAVE** anything on the busses!!

Driving: If you are not going to the fair on the bus or returning on the bus, **you must bring an *alternate transportation form* signed by your parents.** (Available in the band office or on the website under **Forms**)

If leaving at 3:30: If you are only playing in the parade and then leaving at 3:30, you are responsible for getting your uniform back to ECC and your instrument back home. You may arrange specifically for someone else to take your uniform and instrument for you.