

SOUNDS OF SPRING BAND FESTIVAL 2017

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Dear Director,

You are invited to attend the 22th annual ***Sounds of Spring Band Festival***. We are very excited to be hosting this at the Princeton High School Auditorium in Princeton, Texas on **Wednesday, March 22 and Thursday, March 23**. This festival provides an opportunity for small schools, younger programs, or new directors to experience a serious evaluation by an award-winning panel of judges with hands-on knowledge of the small school environment. This is also a great warm up contest for bands preparing for their UIL Concert and Sight-reading Contest.

Your band's musical selections should include: a march, at least one piece from the UIL PML, and a third selection of your choosing (prior arrangements may be made for alternative formats). For second bands or especially young bands, music should be selected to fit the band (not necessarily from the PML). **Pop music is not appropriate**. Schools will need to provide three original scores with the measures numbered.

Please complete your entry at www.princetonband.org. Performance times are limited and are filled in the order the entries are received. Our goal is to keep a progressive class performance order (C-CC-CCC-A-AA-AAA, etc.). However, please advise me of any serious scheduling conflicts, so we can accommodate your program's needs. Included with this information is a *Summary Sheet* for your business office. This should aid in expediting check approval.

Entry Fee: \$300 per band (payable to "Princeton Bands").

Entry Deadline: February 24, 2017

All bands will receive an audio recording of their performance and written comments from each judge. Those bands receiving a 1st Division will be awarded a plaque or trophy.

Please return:

School Check for \$300

(made payable to Princeton Bands)

Address entries fees to:

Princeton Band

Attn: Brandon Brewer

Princeton High School

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All entries should be postmarked on or before February 24, 2017. Morning performance times will fill very quickly so please be punctual and include all materials with your entry.

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INVOICE

School City Classification

List Groups Performing Description (1st Band/2nd Band/etc.)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

_____ X \$300.00 = _____
Number of Groups Total Entry Fee

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