

2024 TRWEA Championships Show

Kiski Area High School

Hello Unit Directors!

On behalf of the Kiski staff, guards, and parents, welcome to Kiski Area High School and the 2024 TRWEA Championship Show. Below is some information that will help your visit to Kiski Area High School go smoothly.

General Information:

Show Date: Saturday, April 6, 2024

Doors Open: 1:00 pm

Opening Ceremonies: 1:45

Location: Kiski Area High School, 240 Hyde Park Rd, Leechburg, PA 15656

Emergency Contact: Frank Stanko - (412) 498-8731

General Admission:

CASH - Adults - \$13, Students and Seniors - \$11

CARD - Adults - \$13.75, Students and Seniors \$11.75

Performers and Staff

All performers will be free of charge. Ten (10) staff or personnel will be admitted free of charge. FLOOR CREW beyond the ten (10) personnel will be admitted, but will be required to pay normal spectator entrance fee. Anyone that is not one of the personnel or paying FLOOR CREW will not be admitted at the unit entrance. Please note the locations of the entrances and exits for unit members, spectators, and equipment on the flow map as we have changed many areas for a better flow. Directors should check their groups in at unit registration **prior** to taking any performers to the equipment drop-off area. Performers will not be able to enter the building if they are not checked in.

NOTE - Championships will be a **FULL RETREAT**. Line up will be in Gym B after the Golden Triangle performance. Units need to line up by finding their unit name posted on bleachers/wall. Please line up with the first person close to the center of the gym.

Spectators

Spectator parking will be in the front lot and the administration lot. All spectators will enter through the main entrance of the school as indicated on the flow map.

Buses and Equipment Trucks

Color Guards

Buses should enter the front circle of the school to head to check-in. After dropping off performers at check-in, buses should park in the Bus/Truck Parking Lot. If needed, performers can meet their equipment trucks by traveling through the school with their show host to the athletic circle to assist with unloading.

Equipment trucks for color guards should head to the athletic circle to drop off equipment, and then park in the Bus/Truck Parking Lot. **NOTE - Equipment trucks should not head to the Athletic Circle any sooner than one hour before warm-up time.**

Percussion Groups

Buses should enter the front circle of the school to head to check-in. After dropping off performers at check-in, buses should park in the Bus/Truck Parking Lot. If needed, performers can meet their equipment trucks by traveling through the school with their show host to the athletic circle to assist with unloading.

Percussion groups warming up in the Aux Gym will park equipment trucks right outside the Aux Gym. Percussion groups warming up in Gym B will park equipment trucks in the Athletic Circle. After performances are complete and your trucks are loaded, please park near the football stadium if remaining on campus.

Groups can begin entering designated warm-up areas 10 minutes before warm-up begins. Please do this quietly, as another group will be in their actual warm-up. Here are those times:

Group	Unload Start Time	Enter Warm-up Location
Kiski	N/A	1:10
McKeesport	12:45	1:20
PT	12:55	1:30
Greenville	1:09	1:44
Baldwin	1:15	1:50
Gateway	1:24	1:59
EF	1:33	2:08
Hampton	1:42	2:17
NA	1:51	2:26
Mars	2:00	2:35
Nomad	2:09	2:44

Minor Changes to FLOW regarding percussion equipment/props/floors/tarps

When unloading or picking up props/floors for performance in the back of Gym B, please do it quietly due to units warming up in this same area.

Props/floors exiting Gym B for units using the Aux gym for warm-up will need to exit out the doors on the side of prop/floor storage. **DO NOT USE THE DOORS WHERE UNITS ARE WARMING UP!** Once out the doors, turn right and follow the hallway down to the gym ready area to meet your unit coming out of the Aux gym warm-up area upstairs.

For guard and percussion units exiting out of the gym (Side 1 rear), the equipment/props should stay to the left side, and floor to the right side. This will allow the floor to go out the door and up the angled sidewalk to the right to be refolded on a cart, while percussion front ensemble equipment and guard props can stay on the sidewalk to the left that goes up to the tennis courts and turns left to be loaded on your truck. Guard members can go back into warm-up GYM B, quietly, to drop equipment.

Concessions

There is a concession area located in the cafeteria. Due to school policy, all food and drinks must remain in the cafeteria. There is no food or drink permitted in the gymnasium at any time. There will also be several areas to purchase merchandise for parents, group members, staff, friends and family.

We ask all performers viewing the show be seated in the back bleachers. Lastly, the Kiski Area School District will not be responsible for any lost or stolen valuables. If you have any questions or concerns about the show, please feel free to contact us anytime. We look forward to seeing all of you!

Sincerely,

Kiski Area Winter Guard Staff and Parents