

# IHSMA Large Group Festival

## ALHS Center Information Letter

April 20, 2022

Dear directors,

Welcome to Abraham Lincoln High School, the host of this IHSMA Large Group Festival. Enclosed you will find information regarding the contest. If you have any questions please email me immediately and we will try to resolve your concerns. Our scheduling guidelines are set by Alan Greiner at the state level. All ensembles **MUST** perform within their class. This year, the day begins with 4A bands/orchestra and 2A choirs. It ends with 2A bands and 4A choirs. (*The schedule alternates annually from morning to afternoon; this eliminates conflicts for students who participate in multiple ensembles*).

All bands and orchestras will warm up in the band room and perform in the cafeteria. (We do numerous performances there and you will find it to be a good performance venue). The band room, however, is up one flight of stairs. There is a small elevator for handicap access and limited equipment portage.

The choirs will be warming up in the choir room and performing in the Auditorium. The performance area will be a 4 step riser format and will include an acoustic piano and six additional music stands.

In the instrumental performance center you will find the following items for your use:

4 timpani	Glockenspiel	Crash cymbals
Bass Drum	Vibraphone	Tam-tam
Marimba (4.3)	Snare drum	Chimes
Xylophone	Suspended cymbal	

If you have concerns or other needs concerning your percussion section, please let me know and I'll do what I can to accommodate them.

Instrumental ensembles, please complete the seating chart and return to: [tmatuszeski@cbcsd.org](mailto:tmatuszeski@cbcsd.org)

The large gymnasium will serve as home-room for all schools. Concessions will be limited to drinks and snacks. In Council Bluffs, you will find several fast food restaurants close to ALHS.

We have limited changing room facilities. Our restrooms will be made available for dressing but they are small in size. If you believe that you will need special space for dressing please call ahead of time.

Respectfully,

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# 2022 IHSMA Large Group Festival Schedule

## Council Bluffs ALHS Site

### Bands/Orchestras

Band/Orchestra	Class	Warm-up Band Room	Move	Perform Cafeteria
TJHS String Orch	4A	7:35	7:55	8:00
ALHS String Orch	4A	8:00	8:20	8:25
TJHS Band II	4A	8:25	8:45	8:50
ALHS Band II	4A	8:50	9:10	9:15
TJHS Band I	4A	9:15	9:35	9:40
ALHS Band I	4A	9:40	10:00	10:05
Break				
Lewis Central II	4A	10:15	10:35	10:40
Denison II	4A	10:40	11:00	11:05
Lewis Central I	4A	11:05	11:25	11:30
Denison I	4A	11:30	11:50	11:55
LUNCH				
Southwest Valley	2A	12:30	12:50	12:55
Underwood	2A	12:55	1:15	1:20
Mo. Valley	2A	1:20	1:40	1:45
AHSTW, Avoca	2A	1:45	2:05	2:10
Shenandoah	2A	2:10	2:30	2:35
Red Oak	2A	2:35	2:55	3:00
BREAK				
WM Onawa	2A	3:10	3:30	3:35
Clarinda	2A	3:35	3:55	4:00
Treynor	2A	4:00	4:20	4:25

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### Choirs

Choirs	Class	Warm-up Choir Room	Move	Perform Auditorium
Southwest Valley	2A	8:45	8:55	9:00
Underwood	2A	9:00	9:10	9:15
Southwest Valley	2A	9:15	9:25	9:30
Underwood	2A	9:30	9:40	9:45
Southwest Valley	2A	9:45	9:55	10:00
Break				
Mo. Valley	2A	10:10	10:20	10:25
AHSTW, Avoca	2A	10:25	10:35	10:40
Red Oak	2A	10:40	10:50	10:55
Shenandoah	2A	10:55	11:05	11:10
Clarinda	2A	11:10	11:20	11:25
Treynor	2A	11:25	11:35	11:40
Lunch				
TJHS III	4A	12:25	12:35	12:40
ALHS	4A	12:40	12:50	12:55
TJHS II	4A	12:55	1:05	1:10
Lewis Central IV	4A	1:10	1:20	1:25
TJHS I	4A	1:25	1:35	1:40
Break				
Lewis Central III	4A	1:50	2:00	2:05
Denison II	4A	2:05	2:15	2:20
Lewis Central II	4A	2:20	2:30	2:35
Denison I	4A	2:35	2:45	2:50
Lewis Central I	4A	2:50	3:00	3:05