

WGASC Percussion/Winds Signature Show Rain Plan

Dates: April 11–12, 2026

Location: AB Miller High School

General Preparation

All ensembles are responsible for bringing supplies needed to keep performers, equipment, and personal items dry.

Recommended items include:

- 1 Plastic tarps
- 2 Towels/rags
- 3 Containers for shoes, tarps, and other items
- 4 Instrument covers
- 5 Umbrellas
- 6 Pop-up tents for the lot
- 7 Ponchos

Indoor Warm-Up

An indoor warm-up space will be available for interested ensembles. Availability of this space will be scheduled, allowing ensembles timing of 2 intervals. In this time ensembles must enter, warm-up, and exit. It is the responsibility of each ensemble to ensure they have completely cleared the warm-up space of all personnel and equipment by the end of their scheduled time.

- 18 minutes: PSSJH, PSSHS, PSJ, PSN, PSRA, PSA, PIA, PSCA, WSA, WIA
- 20 minutes: PSO, PIO, PSCO, WSO, WIO
- 22 minutes: PSW, PIW, PSCW, WSW, WIS

While inside the warm-up space, ensembles must face the exit door during the warm-up.

Ensembles should be respectful of groups entering and exiting the warm-up space.

Upon exiting the indoor warm-up area, ensembles will have one interval time to move to the ready area. Once at the Ready Area, ensembles will have one interval before entering the gym.

Ready Area

A 20' x 40' tent will be provided at the ready door. Ensembles must provide their own means to keep items dry. While at the Ready Area and during your performance all wet items that do not have to do with your performance should be left outside. This includes but is not limited to plastic tarps, towels/rags, containers for shoes, tarps, and other items, instrument covers, umbrellas, pop-up tents for the lot, ponchos, etc.

Entering the Performance Area

Groups are encouraged to bring battery instruments directly into the gym to keep equipment dry and reduce transition time.

Exiting the Performance Area

Ensembles should plan to fold their floor as neatly as possible at the completion of their performance as indoor floor folding may not be available and the ground outside may still be wet from the weather.

ALL ensembles are responsible for keeping the performance space in the gym dry when leaving. This would include being responsible for having towels and rags available to help dry off the floor. WGASC will have a limited inventory of towels.

Questions or Issues

Contact the Contest Director at 818-967-1034.