

***Carolina Winter Ensemble Association
2007 Championships***

Winthrop University Coliseum

Location of Competition:

Winthrop Coliseum
1000 Eden Terrace
Rock Hill, SC 29733

Date and Time:

April 7, 2007
Beginning at 8:59 am

Tickets: \$10.00 ages 13 and up; \$5.00 ages 6-12; under 5 admitted free

Performer Check-in: Performing members will receive wristbands in the registration packet. Please place them on their right wrist. There will be ten (10) passes in the director's packet at registration to be given out by the director to staff, chaperones, etc. All performing members and staff must have a wristband to enter the performance floor and the coliseum. Additional staff members or parents may purchase tickets at spectator entrance gate. Please make sure everyone in your group understands this process. Units must check in one (1) hour prior to their performance time. If you owe any fines to CWEA, it must be taken care of at this time or you will not be allowed to register and compete.

Dressing Facilities: Dressing rooms / restrooms will be open for the performers to change. They are located to the left of Unit Registration. Males - Section 109 and Females - Section 106. Do not congregate in the hallways to get ready, there is not enough room for everyone. Please vacate the dressing facilities in a timely fashion to allow space for other guards and percussion groups. Winthrop University and Carolina Winter Ensemble Association will not be responsible for any lost, stolen or damaged property.

Footwear and Equipment: All equipment tips of rifles, poles and sabers must be padded. Any props used must be protected to avoid damaging the floor. Soft-soled shoes need no protection. Hard-soled shoes must be taped. All carts and rolling equipment must have clean, working wheels.

Inspection: Equipment and props will be inspected in the holding area prior to the performance.

Floor Size: Contest floor will be at least 55' x 80' with sufficient room at the end. Winthrop Coliseum will have a tan floor covering the gym floor for protection. If you are bringing a floor, your floor will go over the tan floor.

Equipment Removal: All equipment **MUST** be removed from the gym immediately following your performance.

Tabulating and Judging Area: Only authorized personnel will be allowed in the tabulating and judging area. **DO NOT APPROACH THE TABULATION TABLE!** You can pick up your judges tapes and show music at the announcer's table approximately 30 minutes after your performance.

Show Music: If you have competed in a CWEA Event this season, the sound tech will have your music on file. Any changed music should be turned into the sound technician at least 30 minutes prior to the unit's performance.

Sound Check: Sound checks will occur before the contest begins and during official breaks during the day only. The sound booth will be located on the same side as Spectator Entrance, but inside the arena.

Power: For percussion units, power will be available from the front side of the competition area only. It's located in the center of the floor. If you need power on the sides or back area of the floor, please bring an adequate length of **your own** extension cords.

Warm-ups: There will be a Body warm-up area on the main concourse to the RIGHT of Unit Registration. Equipment warm-up area will follow. Space is very tight in these areas! CWEA will not be responsible for any damage done to the facility. The volunteer doing timing will be watching closely to see if any damage is done by your group. If so, a damage control form will be in your packet at the end of the evening and **YOUR UNIT** will be responsible for paying Winthrop University. If you like, Equipment warm-up can be done outside the coliseum. We request that you adhere to the rotation schedule to keep the show on schedule.

Percussion Units will warm-up outside or in the main concourse area in case of bad weather.

Retreat: Retreat will be at approximately 9:00 pm. It will be a full retreat. All performers will report to where all units exit behind the coliseum. You will find an area marked for your class division. Directors of those classes, please put the units in performance order to enter the coliseum.

Videotaping: **Videotaping units is not allowed during the competition. All units are being professionally recorded. Directors will receive a free DVD copy that day of their performance. Orders will be taken for DVD's at Championships or online at www.cwea.us**

Photography: No flash photography will be allowed. This is very dangerous to the performers. A professional photography company will be making group photos after performances and action shots during their performance. These photos will be sold outside on the main concourse level.

Concession Stand: Concessions will be available to purchase by Winthrop Coliseum. CWEA has no control of items for sale or the cost of these items.

Hospitality Room: There will be a hospitality room available for Judges only, which will include food and drink.

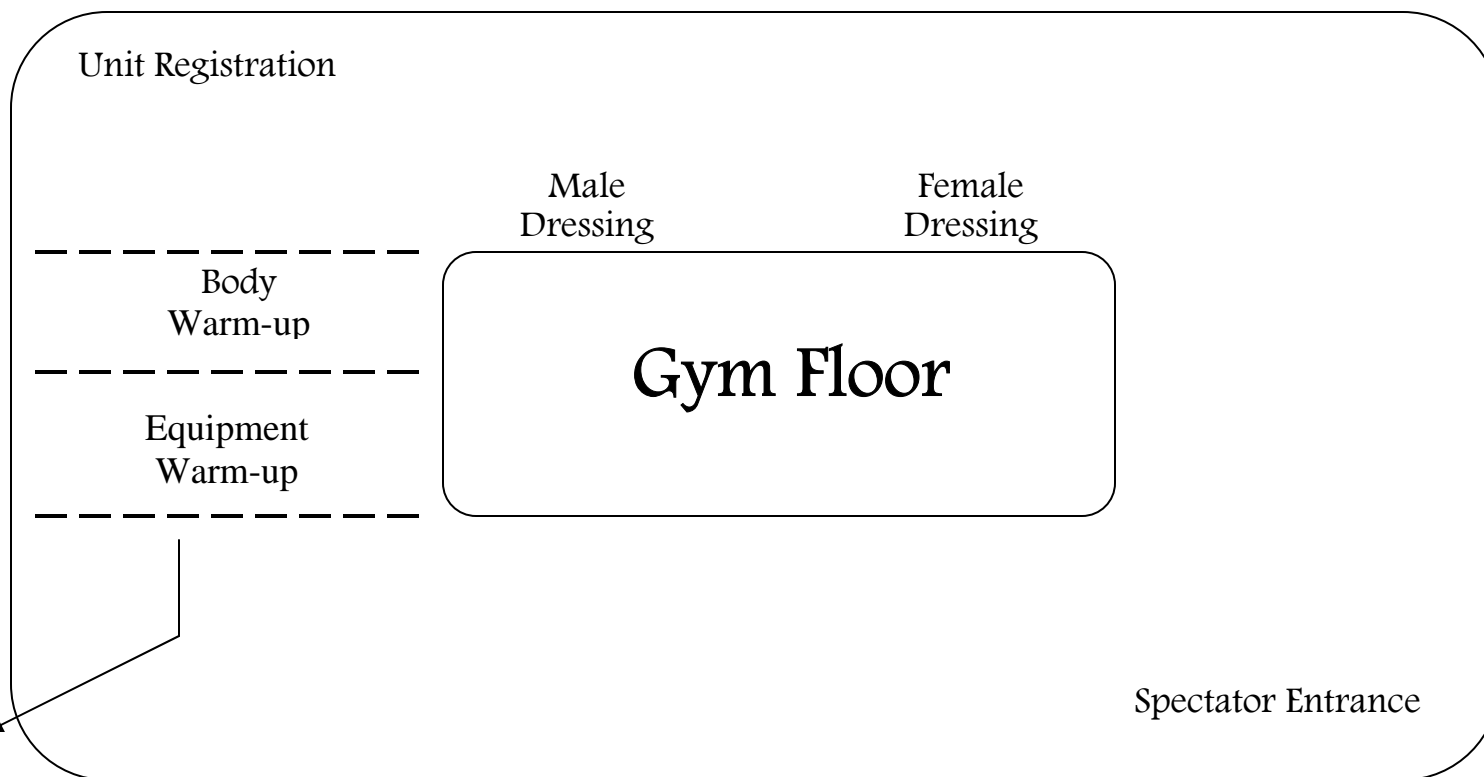
Emergency Numbers: Only use in case of EXTREME EMERGENCY
Brian McMath (336) 312-7749

Special Note: Winthrop Coliseum is a Smoke Free environment and we will enforce a NO SMOKING policy. Thank you for your cooperation.

Directions: Check the CWEA Website.

Flow of Warm-ups

Bus &
Equipment
Parking

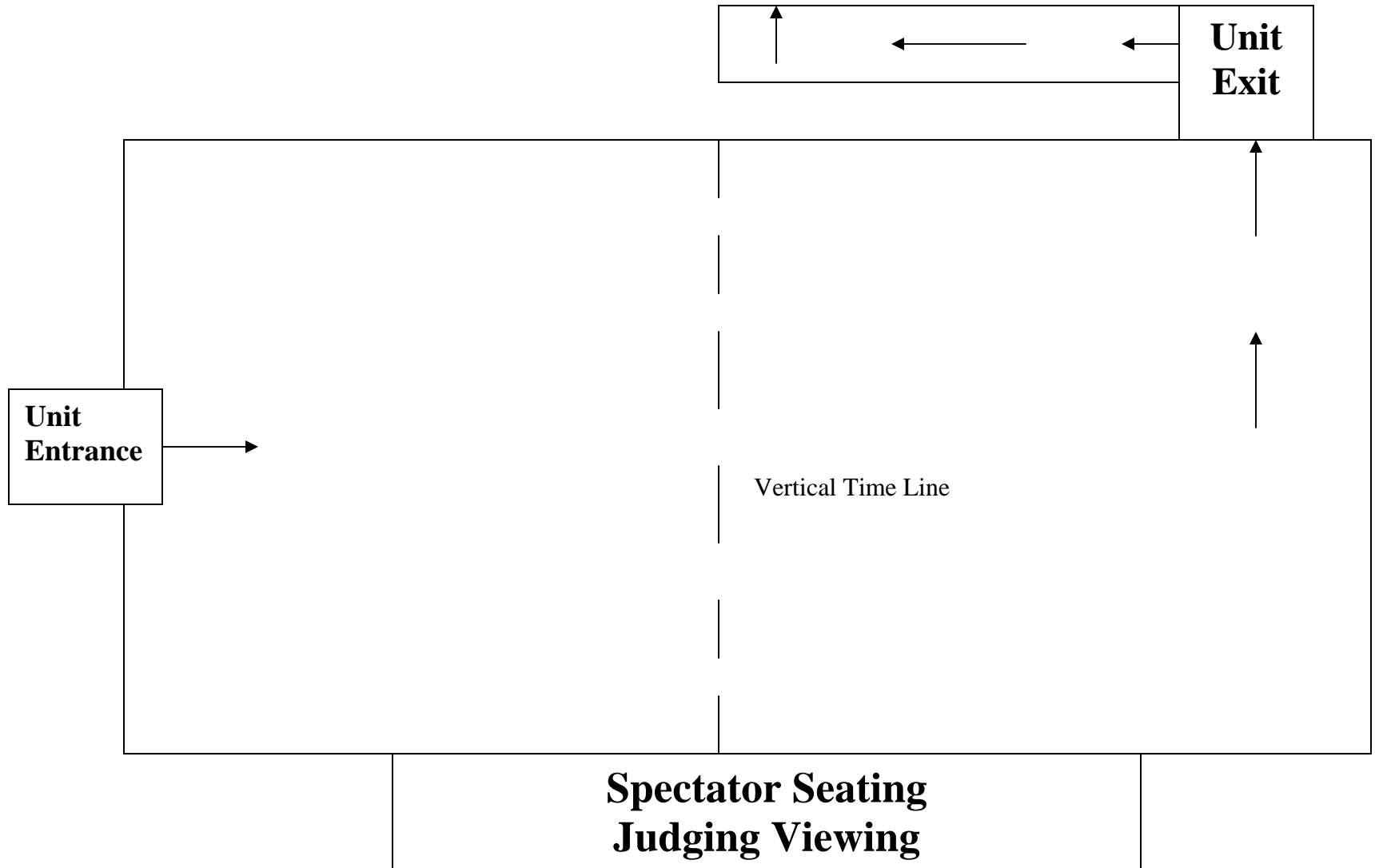


Spectator
Parking

Percussion
Warm-Ups
(outside)

Spectator Entrance

- There are no Prop or Equipment Storage Facilities
- Dressing Rooms/ Body & Equipment Warm-ups are on Main Floor Concourse
 - Equipment Storage is outside.
- There is a Floor Refolding area behind coliseum in the grass
 - Percussion Unit Warm-ups will outside in parking lot



Music Selection #1

Song Title _____

Composer _____

Licensing Organization _____ **Publisher/Arranger** _____
(ASCAP, BMI, SESAC; ect)

CD Recording Company _____

Song Artist _____ **Length Used** (min/sec) _____

Music Selection #2

Song Title _____

Composer _____

Licensing Organization _____ **Publisher/Arranger** _____
(ASCAP, BMI, SESAC; ect)

CD Recording Company _____

Song Artist _____ **Length Used** (min/sec) _____

Music Selection #3

Song Title _____

Composer _____

Licensing Organization _____ **Publisher/Arranger** _____
(ASCAP, BMI, SESAC; ect)

CD Recording Company _____

Song Artist _____ **Length Used** (min/sec) _____

Unit Contact Signature _____

Date _____

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3. Save \$\$ by pre-ordering

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C) 3 carnations, greenery, & ribbon	\$ 3.50	\$ 4.00
D) 2 carnations, 1 rose, greenery & ribbon	\$ 4.50	n/a
E) 3 roses, greenery, & ribbon	\$ 5.50	n/a

- Carnations available in most colors
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- Due to holiday weekend, roses must be pre-order only
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