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Dear Director,

On behalf of the University of Louisville School of Music and the UofL Band Department, we would like to cordially invite you and your high school band students to participate in the 12<sup>th</sup> annual CMB Band Day on **Saturday, November 8, 2025**, at L&N Federal Credit Union Stadium at UofL. All parents and students in your program are welcome to attend. Registration materials will be emailed to area high school directors. You will also find information on our website at [UofLBands.com](http://UofLBands.com) (special events/band day). Tickets are available on a first-come, first-served basis. The **postmark deadline for the application is October 18, 2025.** Payment is required to reserve seats. Space is limited, so please return your reservation information as soon as possible.

The cost is \$20 for each adult/student. The cost includes a t-shirt for each student musician and a ticket to the game. We will confirm the exact schedule once the official kickoff time is announced, two weeks before the game. Here is the general schedule:

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|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| 6 hours prior to kick-off   | Registration        |
| 5 hours prior to kick-off   | Rehearsal           |
| 2.5 hours prior to kick-off | Observe Card March  |
| 20 minutes prior to kickoff | Observe Pregame     |
| Halftime                    | Perform at Halftime |

We will contact participating school directors concerning bus parking, stadium directions, and other pertinent information.

We hope to have you with us! Thank you for the many ways you positively impact students each day!

Sincerely,--

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