



Cheshire High School Band Parents' Association, Inc.

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CHS Marching Band Earns Its Best Score This Season

Ram Band Readies For USSBA New England States Championship This Saturday

Cheshire, CT – The Cheshire High School Marching Ram Band received a score of 89.6, its best rating this season, at Southington High School's US Scholastic Band Association Competition this past Saturday night. The event was the Ram Band's 8th regular season competition for the year.

The band is now focusing on the USSBA's New England States Championships on October 25th in New Britain, CT, which will be followed by the Northern States Championship on November 2nd in Allentown, PA.

The band's 2008 field show is entitled "C2 Code" and features an outstanding musical score by noted arranger and composer Frank Sullivan. This musical masterpiece, well suited to Cheshire's avant-garde style, delivers a spectacular musical and visual interpretation of the evolution of communication, starting with the Morse code and then progressing to the present computer age of binary code. The field show includes four movements and features powerful techno-percussion effects as well as the band's award-winning color guard.

About the CHS Marching Ram Band

The 2008 Marching Ram Band, under the direction of John Kuhner, is considered one of the top high school marching bands in the Northeast. The band is a member of the US Scholastic Band Association and competes in its Class IV division. In recent years, the CHS Marching Band has participated in Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, the Tournament of Roses Parade, and the 53rd Presidential Inaugural Parade. The Ram Band has been the Champion of its USSBA Division in five of the last nine years and won the 2007 Outback Bowl Grand Championship. Visit www.ramband.com for more information.

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