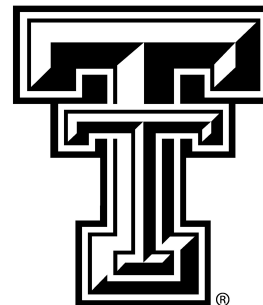


# 2018 INFORMATION PACKET

## TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY | GOIN' BAND FROM RAIDERLAND

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### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### **Saturday, July 14 - Mini-Camp Lubbock**

3-6p | TTU School of Music at 18th and Boston in Lubbock, TX 79409

#### **Saturday, July 21 - DFW Mini-Camp**

10am -1pm | Sheraton Arlington at 1500 Convention Center Drive in  
Arlington, TX 76011

#### **Sunday, July 22 - Central Texas Mini-Camp**

11a-2p | Grand Hyatt San Antonio at 600 E. Market Street in San Antonio, TX  
78205

#### **Monday, July 23 - Clothing Orders Close at 5 pm**

*NOTE: If clothing is not purchased before this deadline, then you may not have the mandatory clothing needed to begin band. Please come prepared.*

#### **Wednesday, August 1 - Band Fee DEADLINE**

When you fill out the online membership form, you will receive a payment link for the band fee. Band Fees can only be paid via this link. **Late Fee** will be added if deadline not met.

#### SUMMER BAND | SATURDAY, AUGUST 18-25, 2018

Saturday, August 18 - Residence Hall Move-in, GB Check-in & Marching Band Instruction

Sunday, August 19 - Goin'Band Auditions

Monday, August 20 - Saturday, August 25 - Marching Band Instruction

Monday, August 27 - First Day of Classes

## **GB18 GENERAL INFO**

Thank you for your interest in auditioning for the award winning Goin' Band from Raiderland. As a potential member of Goin' Band, you are invited to share in the "Foot and a Half" experience which is guaranteed to each member who earns a position in the band. This represents your place in the band that is the oldest and largest student organization on campus. There is no limit to how many students are accepted into the program, but there are musical and visual expectations associated with the selection process. The Goin' Band seeks students who are actively engaged in making positive contributions through music and service.

### **MUSIC: WOODWINDS & BRASS**

Goin' Band is a music ensemble that also supports school spirit at athletic and other university events. Great value is placed on your musical contribution. Please make every effort to prepare the assigned music audition excerpts to ensure a success. Audition music will be available on the website beginning June 2, 2018.

1. The music component is 60% of your overall audition.
2. Auditions are not blind. School of Music faculty and/or a designated graduate student will adjudicate your audition.

### **VISUAL COMPONENT: WOODWINDS & BRASS**

Three optional instructional camps will be offered this summer to provide all potential members an opportunity to learn the Goin' Band marching techniques before summer band. These include a combination of traditional high step (Tech Step) and corps-style technique.

1. The visual component is 40% of your overall audition score.
2. Graduate assistants and student leaders will evaluate all visual auditions.

Audition results will be posted ASAP after the auditions are concluded.

### **INSTRUMENTS**

Piccolos (you may play your own Piccolo), Mellophones (adaptors are provided but you will need a personal horn mouthpiece), Trombones, Baritones and Sousaphones will be available on the first day of summer band. There is a \$25 rental fee for school owned instruments. Additional information can be found on the Equipment Needs Check List.

### **PERCUSSION**

Prospective drumline members must attend the general Goin' Band and percussion meeting on August 18th. Following the meeting, equipment will be made available for audition preparation. Audition music will be available beginning June 2, 2018. Music auditions are heavily weighted and occur on August 19th. The audition will also include a basic marching assessment.

### **COLOR GUARD & TWIRLERS**

Color Guard and Twirlers must attend the general Goin' Band meeting on August 18th. Review the General GB18 Schedule.

### **INTERESTED IN AUDITIONING FOR COURT JESTERS?**

Court Jesters is our indoor pep band which plays for athletic special events such as basketball and volleyball games. Your GB music audition can serve as your CJ audition.

## GB18 | CHECK LIST

### 1. COMPLETE THE ONLINE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

>Go to [www.goinband.com](http://www.goinband.com) click "2018 Season" and then "Online Membership Application" or here: <https://goo.gl/58ul72>

In addition to basic information given in this application, you will also need to provide your medical history (insurance information, all medical conditions, etc). It is very important that you complete this information. The Online Membership Application link can be found at goinband.com.

**BAND FEES:** Social Dues \$100 | Uniform Fee \$125 | \*Instrument Rental \$25 | **TOTAL: \$225** (plus rental=\$250)

\*Social Dues include the cost of social activities, food, hydration, etc.

\*\*Uniform Fee is for the multiple cleaning of the uniform throughout the season

\*\*\*Instrument Rental Fee is for Piccolos, Mellophones, Trombones, Baritones and Sousaphones

**NOTE:** There will be a **LATE FEE** added if payment is received after August 1st deadline.

### 2. SIGN UP FOR A MINI-CAMP on the Online Membership Application

We are offering three optional instructional marching camps for Woodwind and Brass players only. These mini-camps will give all potential members an opportunity to learn our marching techniques before summer band.

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### 3. REGISTER FOR GOIN' BAND AT RED RAIDER ORIENTATION

Detailed information on Page 4

Since Goin' Band is a course, you will need to sign up for the class. Details can be found in the attached Registration Helper below. Take it with you to your advisor. If you have any issues, please contact our office immediately.

### 4. PURCHASE THE GAME DAY and TRAVEL ATTIRE

Information with a link to the clothing website to purchase game day and travel attire is included. The following items need to be purchased through the Cardinal's website prior to **JULY 23, 2018:**

*NOTE: Full refunds will be available from Cardinal's if you do not make the band.*

> Under Armour Red shirt

> All weather apparel (jacket & pants)

\*Optional items are also available for purchase on the Cardinal's website.

### 5. PURCHASE GAME DAY ACCESSORIES

The Game Day Accessories will need to be purchased directly from the uniform team after auditions and during your designated uniform fitting time. Checks or cash only. Please come prepared to purchase these accessories.

Gloves (two sets) \$8 | Spats \$15 | Goin' Band Visor \$22 | \$45 TOTAL

## GB18 | REGISTRATION HELPER

Hello and thank you for your consideration in joining the Goin' Band from Raiderland! We know you have several options in your collegiate career and there is no doubt Goin' Band will be one of the best experiences in your life. Below is an easy guide for you and your advisor as you register for classes this Fall semester. If any questions arise, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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**ALL STUDENTS - Woodwinds, Brass, Percussion, Guard & Twirlers**

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**Everyone must register for band.**

**Rehearsals are MWF, 12-12:50p and TTH, 12:30-1:50p**

**Please avoid any labs or classes on Thursday evenings (7-9:30p).**

*This is the only time for our stadium rehearsals before each HOME football game*

There are three options for enrollment:

- 1) *One credit*      **MUEN 3103-201 [CRN - 15745]**
- 2) *Two credits*    **MUEN 3203-201 [CRN - 21189]**
- 3) *One PE credit* **MUEN 1103-201 [CRN - 31491]**

*NOTE: Use this option if a PE credit is required for your degree otherwise use #1 or #2*

### **PERCUSSION Only**

In addition to enrolling in the band class above, you will also need to register for the percussion sectional class listed below.

**Percussion.....MUEN 3103-204 [CRN-15754]**

It meets **MWF 11:00-11:50** for one hour credit

*\*If you do not make the band, you will be automatically dropped from the class at no additional charge*

**GB18 | EQUIPMENT NEEDS**

- PICCOLO** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
Limited Piccolos are available for a \$25 rental fee
- CLARINET** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
Lyre  
Plastic Reed (optional)
- SAXOPHONE** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
Lyre  
Plastic Reed (optional)  
No instruments are available through TTU  
*NOTE: Contact Tarpley Music for an Alto or Tenor Saxophone rental*
- TRUMPET** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
Bach 3C mouthpiece or the equivalent  
Silver Trumpets are available for a \$25 rental fee  
*NOTE: All GB Brass are on silver instruments*
- MELLOPHONE** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
Mellophones will have an adapter (you will need your own mouthpiece)
- TROMBONE** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
You will need your own mouthpiece  
Silver Trombones are available for a \$25 rental fee  
*NOTE: All GB Brass are on silver instruments*
- BARITONE** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
You will need your own mouthpiece  
Silver Baritones are available for a \$25 rental fee
- SOUSAPHONE** Flip folder with at least 20 sheets  
You will need your own mouthpiece  
Silver Sousaphones are available for a \$25 rental fee

## **GB18 | GOIN' BAND REQUIRED APPAREL**

# **ORDER YOUR GOIN' BAND APPAREL TODAY!!**

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

Go to the website below,

<https://mycardinalssportcenter.itemorder.com>

Enter the Sale Code below to buy your Goin' Band Apparel

Some items are **required** and others are **optional**

### **Ordering of required clothing**

**EXPIRES:7/23/2018**

*Items ordered with the following sales code will be shipped directly to the Band Department and will be distributed on the first day of summer band on August 18th.*

Women Package Code | **3GKFQ**

Men Package Code | **VF4K9**

Color Guard | **E5WVU**

Drumline | **5Q6BS**

*\*Male Guard members should order from the men's package code\**

## **OPTIONAL ITEMS**

Optional items are also available for your purchase online. These items are non-refundable.

