2026 WBA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS & 34TH ANNUAL TOURNAMENT IN THE HILLS

Saturday, November 14, 2026
Trabuco Hills High School
27501 Mustang Run
Mission Viejo, CA 92691

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Dear Directors,

We welcome you and your group to the **2026 WBA Regional Championships & 34th Annual Tournament in the Hills**!!! We are pleased to have your group perform and hope this will be a positive experience for you, your staff and your students. Our tournament chairs and music boosters are always available to answer your questions and would be happy to provide you with whatever assistance you may require.

Enclosed in this packet, you will find the following items:

- Information Sheet
- *Tentative* Performance Schedule
- Directions to Trabuco Hills High School
- Map of the Trabuco Hills High School Campus
- Parking Map
- Full Retreat Staging Maps
- Ticket & Program Prices
- Concession Stand Menu
- Baked Goods Booth Menu

For more information and future updates, please consult our website at https://thhsmusic.com. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us using any one of the methods listed below:

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We hope you are having a very successful season and we look forward to seeing your programs. Best of luck to your group this fall season! We will see you on Saturday, November 14, 2026!

Sincerely,

Quincy Nguyen
Tournament Director / Assistant Director
Trabuco Hills High School

Brad Pollock
Director of Instrumental Music
Trabuco Hills High School

SPECTATOR INFORMATION

Spectator Parking: Very limited spots will be available only for vehicles with handicap plaques, which will be on the lower level of the parking structure for free. Spots will fill up very quickly, so inform your booster parents with those needs to show up early to secure a spot. Entrance to the parking structure will be at the end of Mustang Run (see included campus map). Due to the size of the event, unfortunately regular spectator parking is not available on campus and we recommend that those spectators find the best available parking. Spectators are encouraged to be in their seats early due to the level of traffic on campus.

Tickets: The Box Office is again Cashless for 2026! Tickets can be purchased at the Ticket Booth located near the south end of the stadium. A purchased ticket is valid for the entire show. Ticket prices are $27 for adults and free for children 5 years old and under. Discounts are available for Military with ID, Senior Citizens (65 years and older) and Children (6 thru 12 years old). Please inquire at the Box Office for the discounts. Souvenir Programs Booklets are $10 and cash, debit cards and credit cards will be accepted.

Concessions & Vendors: We have a variety of food available for purchase at the Concession Stands located near the Box Office. Additionally, Baked Goods will be sold within the stadium entrance. We have also retained the services of several vendors located outside the stadium gates. Encourage your students and parents to patronize and support all the vendors at the tournament. Cash, debit cards and credit cards will be accepted.

Restrooms: Spectator restrooms will be just past the stadium entrance on both home and visitor stands. Additional restrooms are located on campus (see attached map).

ENSEMBLE INFORMATION

Bus & Truck Parking: We would greatly appreciate it if you have all your vehicles (buses and support vehicles) arrive at all at once. Bus and equipment vehicle parking is assigned and very limited on our campus. **There will be NO room for rehearsing in the parking lot.** Please rehearse in the areas designated on your campus map, observing all silent zones. You will be informed of your bus parking location upon check-in. No vehicles will be allowed on the campus unless a parking pass is properly displayed.

Check-In: Check-in for all busses, equipment trucks and support vehicles is located near the parking structure, upon entrance onto the campus grounds. All vehicles will enter at the end of Mustang Run and proceed to the check-in table (see included campus map). All vehicles will obtain a parking pass at check-in based on the number supplied in the WBA application. Our volunteers will then route the vehicles to the assigned parking area. It takes about 10 minutes to walk from the Check-in table to the performance entrance, so please plan your warm-up and route accordingly.

Performer Restrooms: Performer restrooms are located on campus (see attached map).

Warm Up: Please use the upper field, quad area and any other areas on campus to warm-up, observing all silent zones and facing away from the stadium. The tennis courts are a quiet zone and are reserved as a guard warm-up area only. **Again, there will be NO room for rehearsing in the parking lot.** There will not be a concern unless the band warming-up interferes with the performing bands or other bands in the warm-up area. Please be aware of your time as your group proceeds to the warm-up area, staging area and ultimately the performance field.

Pit Equipment and Tow Vehicles: Vehicles used to tow pit equipment and/or props, which will be allowed on the rubber track ***ONLY***, may not be larger than a golf cart or quad ***AND*** must be operated by an adult.

NO CARS OR TRUCKS ARE ALLOWED IN THE STADIUM AND
NO VEHICLE OF ANY KIND IS ALLOWED ON THE ARTIFICIAL TURF FIELD!!!

This is Saddleback Valley Unified School District policy so please make sure your pit parents are aware of this special restriction. Your cooperation in this matter would greatly be appreciated.

Field Surface: The stadium has new artificial turf with high school hashes only. Please be careful as there is an incline when entering the stadium.

Power on Field: Power will be available at the front sideline near the 50 yard line (see sign).

Prop Pre-Staging: Schools can pre-stage their props on the south end inside the stadium gates, closest to the classroom buildings. Please conserve space for other schools to pre-stage their props. We kindly ask that schools adhere to the direction of the volunteers as to when they can pre-stage, to minimize disruption of the inbound and outbound traffic for the performing schools.

Performer & Chaperone Seating: ***ALL*** performing members and chaperones are required to sit on the visitor side of the stadium, until that seating area is full, at which time your school will be directed to a selected seating area. Please make sure that all performers wear a wristband provided in the packet and chaperones have a WBA Field Pass in order to gain access to the visitor's side of the stadium.

Medical/EMS: The First Aid station will be located next to the swimming pool and the vendor area. Consult the campus map for the specific location. Please see any volunteer for assistance in the case of an emergency.

Retreat: As the culminating WBA Regional Championships event for the season, we would like to celebrate the hard work and accomplishments of these talented performers. To that end, the awards ceremony will be a full retreat for all performers, without instruments and equipment.

For Class A & AA, we ask that schools are lined up behind the cone with your school name no later than 3:10pm. For Class AAA & AAAA & AAAAA, we encourage your group to watch the exhibition performance by the Riverside City College Marching Tigers in the stadium. Immediately afterwards, we ask that schools are lined up behind the cone with your school name no later than 9:10pm. Schools will either lineup in the 'Band & Pit Holding Area' on the blacktop OR on the grass on the 'Upper Field'. We will have our booster parents in these areas to help with the setup for the retreat and walk into the stadium. Please consult the maps included in this packet on your school's location for Full Retreat.

Hospitality: Hospitality will be located in the first classroom outside the stadium entrance, as well as some tables outside that area. We are here to provide you and your staff with complimentary meal service and refreshments. Please feel free to visit with your staff and enjoy a great meal! Admission to this area will be permitted to those who have an official **WBA Staff Pass ONLY** (WBA Field Pass or WBA Media Pass will not be allowed entrance).

Judges/Ensemble Critique: As a Regional Championships event, Critiques will not be offered.

Credentials: All Ensemble staff and Chaperones should have a WBA Credential for entry into the stadium. Anyone without a credential will be asked to purchase a ticket. Directors, Staff, Event Staff, Adjudicators and VIP should have their WBA Credentials in order to enter the Hospitality area.

Based on the publicity sheet, performing student members will be given a wristband in the director's packet. Per WBA guidelines, participating schools have already received WBA Field Passes. Only chaperones and field helpers with a WBA Field Pass will be allowed free entrance and must sit on the visitor's side of the stadium with their school. The videographer for your unit must have the WBA Media Pass to gain free entrance and record the performance from the stands. There is **NO** access to the stadium press box this year to record your show; please communicate this to your parents. Any chaperone or pit helper without a wristband will be asked to purchase a ticket for entrance into the stadium.

Competition Suite: Adjudicator commentary for all WBA ensembles can be located in Competition Suite (CS) shortly after the conclusion of each ensemble's performance. Directors may grant CS access to the staff/instructors, and may request help from WBA to resolve any issues accessing CS.

Cooking: The Saddleback Valley Unified School District does not allow open fire cooking anywhere on campus, other than the designated concession area. No open fire cooking will be allowed by attending schools. Please relay this message to your booster parents.

Lost and Found: Lost and found is available and will be located at the Volunteer Check-in Booth located near the main gymnasium.

Trash Disposal: Every effort is made to provide trash containers that are easy to locate and accessible. Please remind your students to use these receptacles when disposing of all trash. Also, you may use the recycle bins located throughout the campus.

Tobacco and Alcoholic Beverages: The Tournament in the Hills is held on the campus of Trabuco Hills High School. Absolutely no smoking or alcoholic beverages are permitted on the premises. Please review this very important rule with your students, staff and booster parents.

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Performance Schedule (as of 11/01/26)

CLASS	SCHOOL	PERFORM
	Welcome & National Anthem	***11:25 AM***
A	South Pasadena High School	11:30 AM
A	Don Antonio Lugo High School	11:45 AM
A	El Segundo High School	12:00 PM
A	San Marino High School	12:15 PM
A	Nogales High School	12:30 PM
	BREAK	***12:45 PM***
AA	Fontana High School	1:00 PM
AA	Leigh High School	1:15 PM
AA	Rosemead High School	1:30 PM
AA	Bloomington High School	1:45 PM
AA	Carlsbad High School	2:00 PM
AA	La Cañada High School	2:15 PM
AA	Mira Costa High School	2:30 PM
AA	Torrance High School	2:45 PM
AA	Mission Viejo High School	3:00 PM
	CLASS A/AA AWARDS	**3:35 PM**
	Welcome & National Anthem	***5:35 PM***
AAA	Grand Terrace High School	5:40 PM
AAA	North High School	5:55 PM
AAA	Trabuco Hills High School	6:10 PM
AAAA	Coronado High School	6:25 PM
AAAA	Desert Vista High School	6:40 PM
	BREAK	***6:55 PM***
AAAAA	Mountain Ridge High School	7:40 PM
AAAAA	Chino Hills High School	7:55 PM
AAAAA	Ayala High School	8:10 PM
AAAAA	Upland High School	8:25 PM
AAAAA	Gahr High School	8:40 PM
Exhibition	Riverside City College	8:55 PM
	CLASS AAA/AAAA/AAAAA AWARDS	**9:30 PM**

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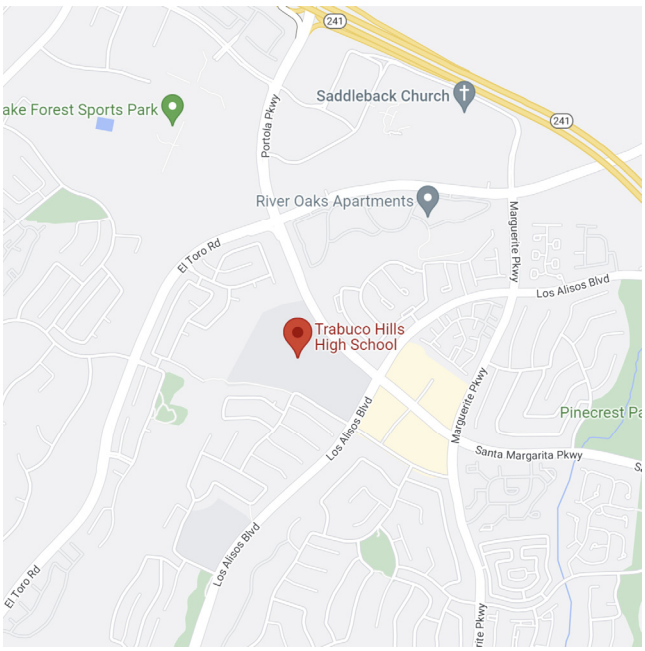
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From San Diego County

- Take I-5 Freeway North
- Exit Alicia Parkway and turn right
- Turn left on Marguerite Parkway
- Turn left on Mustang Run
- Follow the signs to enter the parking lot

From Los Angeles County

- Take I-405 Freeway South
- Exit El Toro Road and turn left
- Turn left onto El Toro Road
- Turn right on Santa Margarita Parkway
- Turn right on Los Alisos Boulevard
- Turn right on Mustang Run
- Follow the signs to enter the parking lot

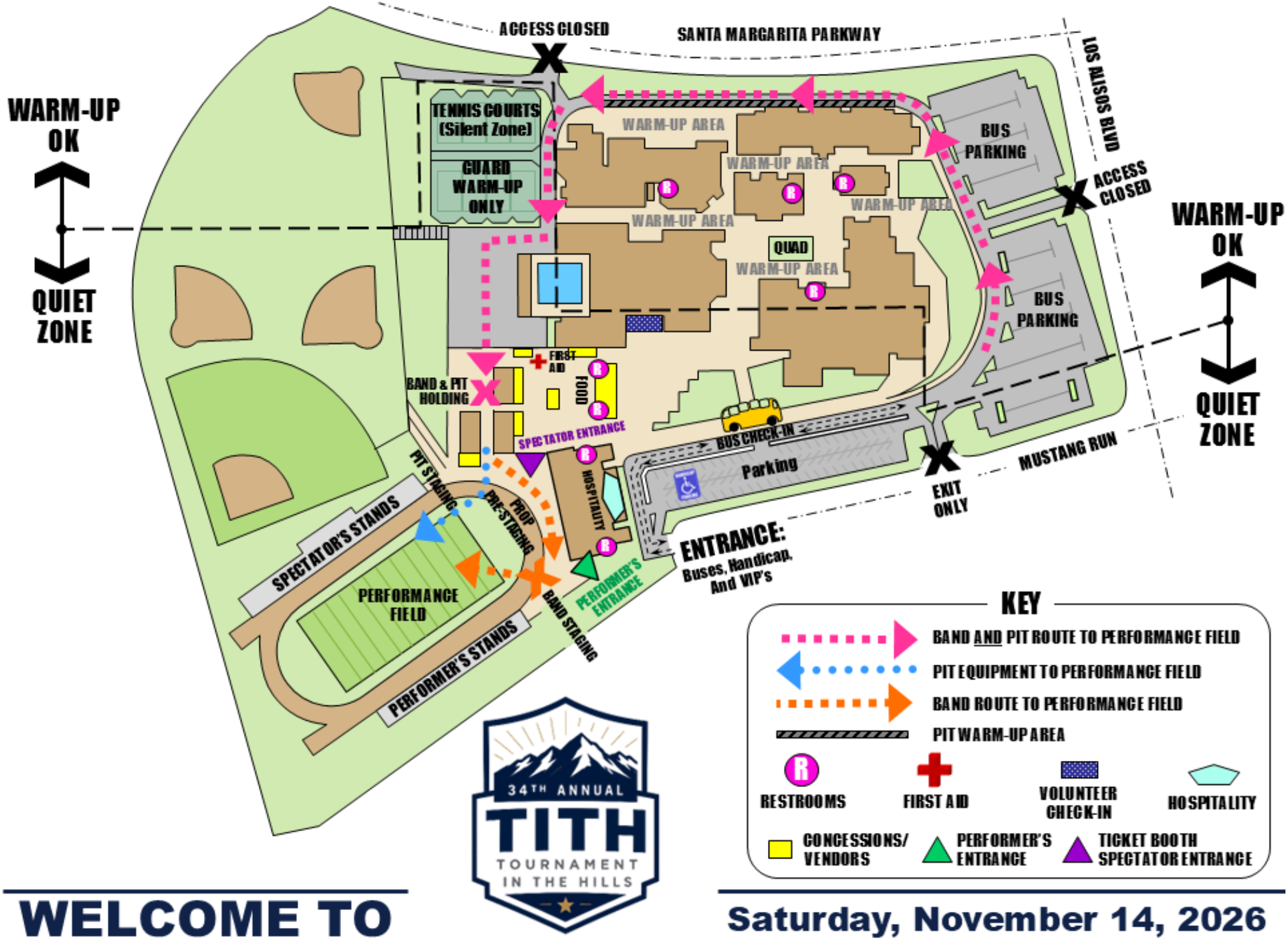
From North Orange County

- Take I-5 Freeway South
- Exit El Toro Road and turn left
- Turn left onto El Toro Road
- Turn right on Santa Margarita Parkway
- Turn right on Los Alisos Boulevard
- Turn right on Mustang Run
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From Riverside/San Bernardino Counties

- Take SR-241 ***Toll Road*** South
- Exit at the 2nd Portola Parkway (*after the Lake Forest exit*) and veer right
- You are now on Santa Margarita Parkway
- Turn right on Los Alisos Boulevard
- Turn right on Mustang Run
- Follow the signs to enter the parking lot

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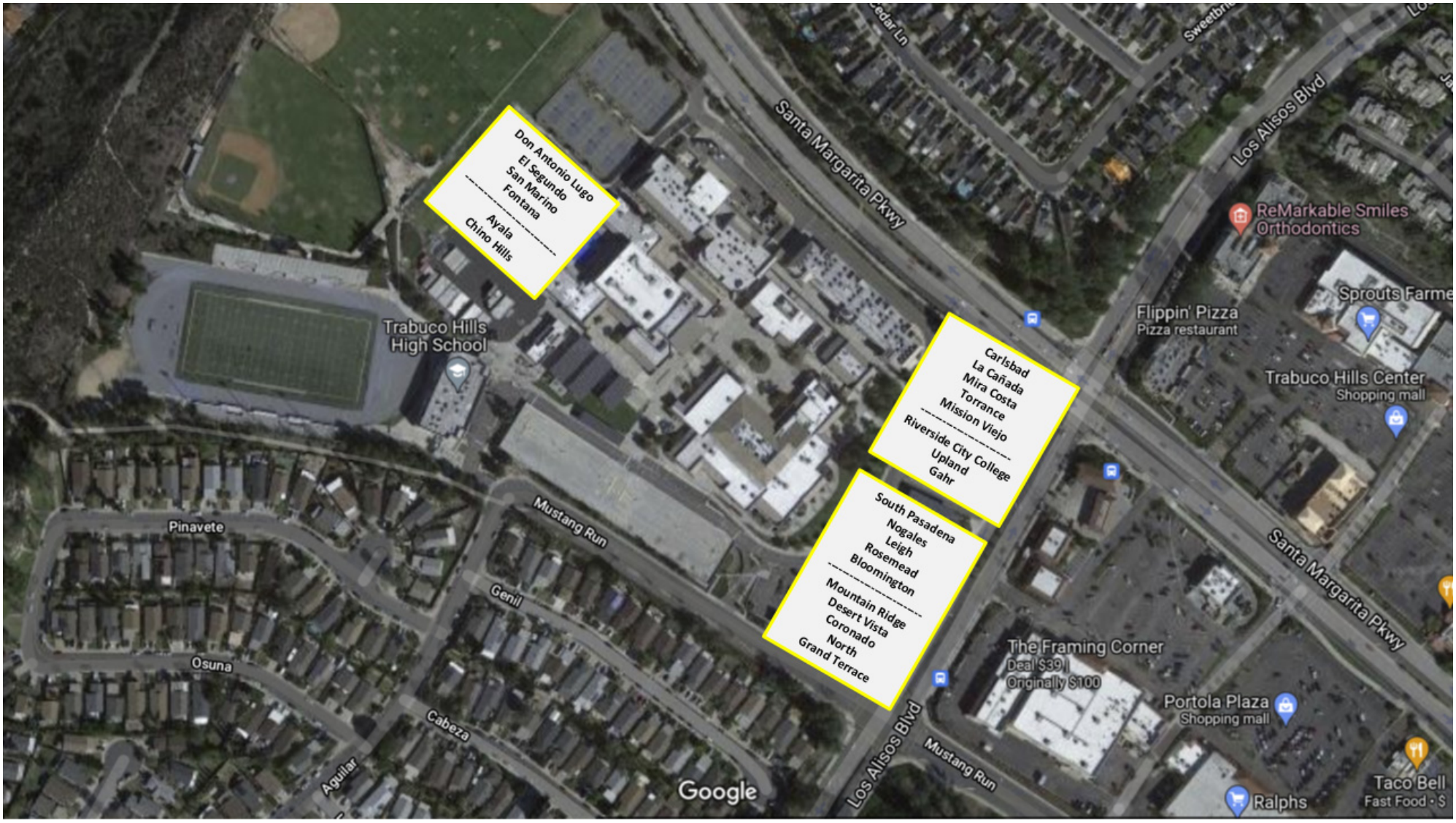
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TICKET PRICES

Only Credit Cards will be accepted for Tickets

ADULTS (13 years or older)	$27
CHILDREN (5 years old and under)	Free

Discounts Available for
Military / Senior Citizens (65 or older) /
Children (6-12 years old)
Please Inquire at the Box Office

PROGRAM PRICES

Cash, Debit or Credit Cards will be accepted for Programs

PROGRAMS	$10

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CONCESSION STAND MENU

Meatball Sandwich Combo ** with salad, pie, drink*	$17.00
Chili Con Carne Combo [with onion, cheese, sour cream] ** with corn bread, drink*	$14.00
Pizza Slices (2) [cheese or pepperoni]	$7.00
Corn Dog	$5.00
Nachos	$6.00
Mustang Nachos [with chili & cheese]	$8.00
Tater Tots	$5.00
Mustang Tater Tots [with chili & cheese]	$7.00
Salad	$4.00
Pumpkin Pie [with whipped cream]	$4.00
Bag of Chips	$3.00
Drinks [Soda, Water, Coffee, Hot Chocolate]	$3.00

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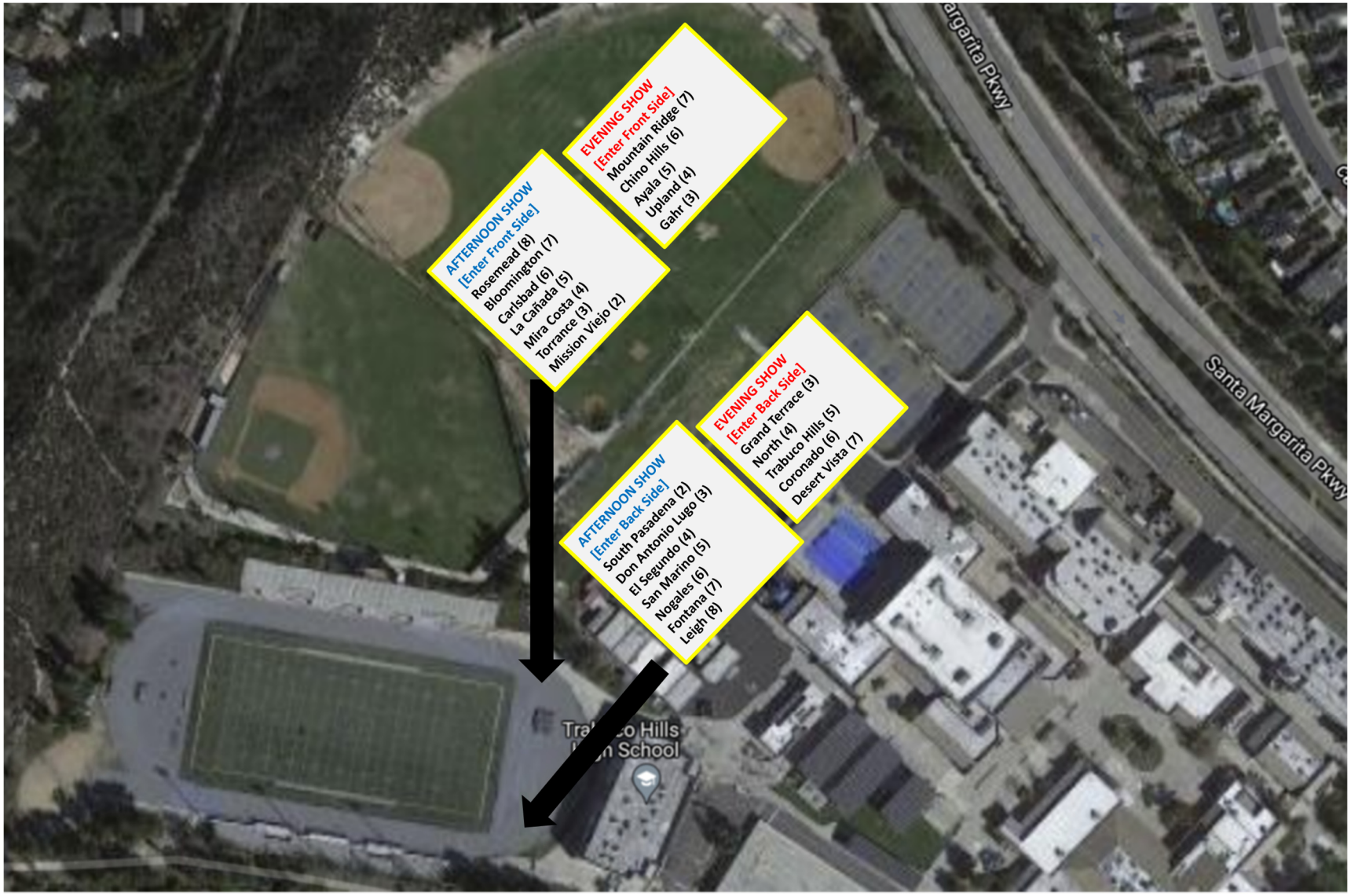


BAKED GOODS BOOTH MENU

Water	$3.00
Soda	$3.00
Coffee	$3.00
Hot Chocolate	$3.00
Hot Tea	$3.00
Instant Noodles	$3.00
Baked Goods	$3.00
Candy	$3.00
SPAM Musubi	$3.00
Pick Any 2 Items	$5.00

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FULL RETREAT – STAGING



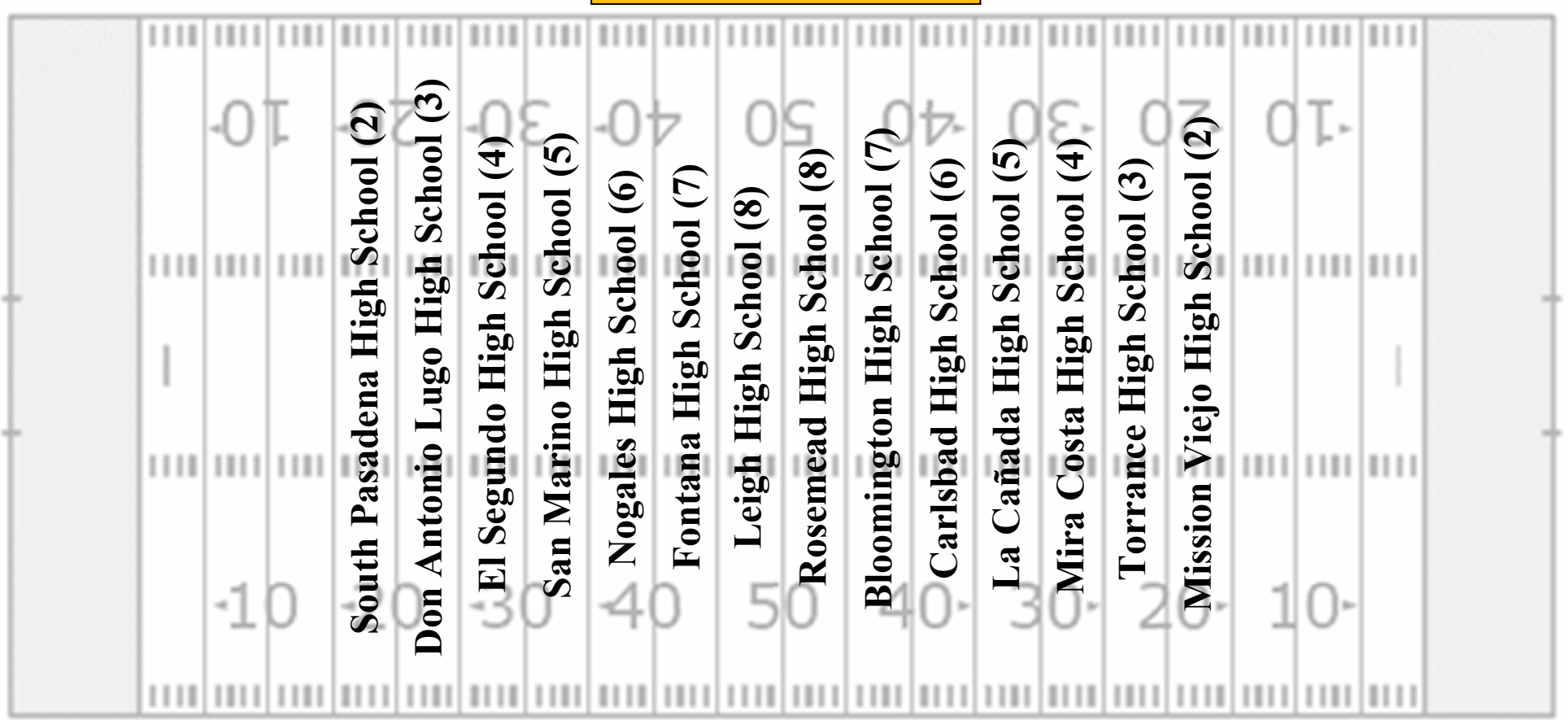
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VISITOR STANDS



HOME STANDS

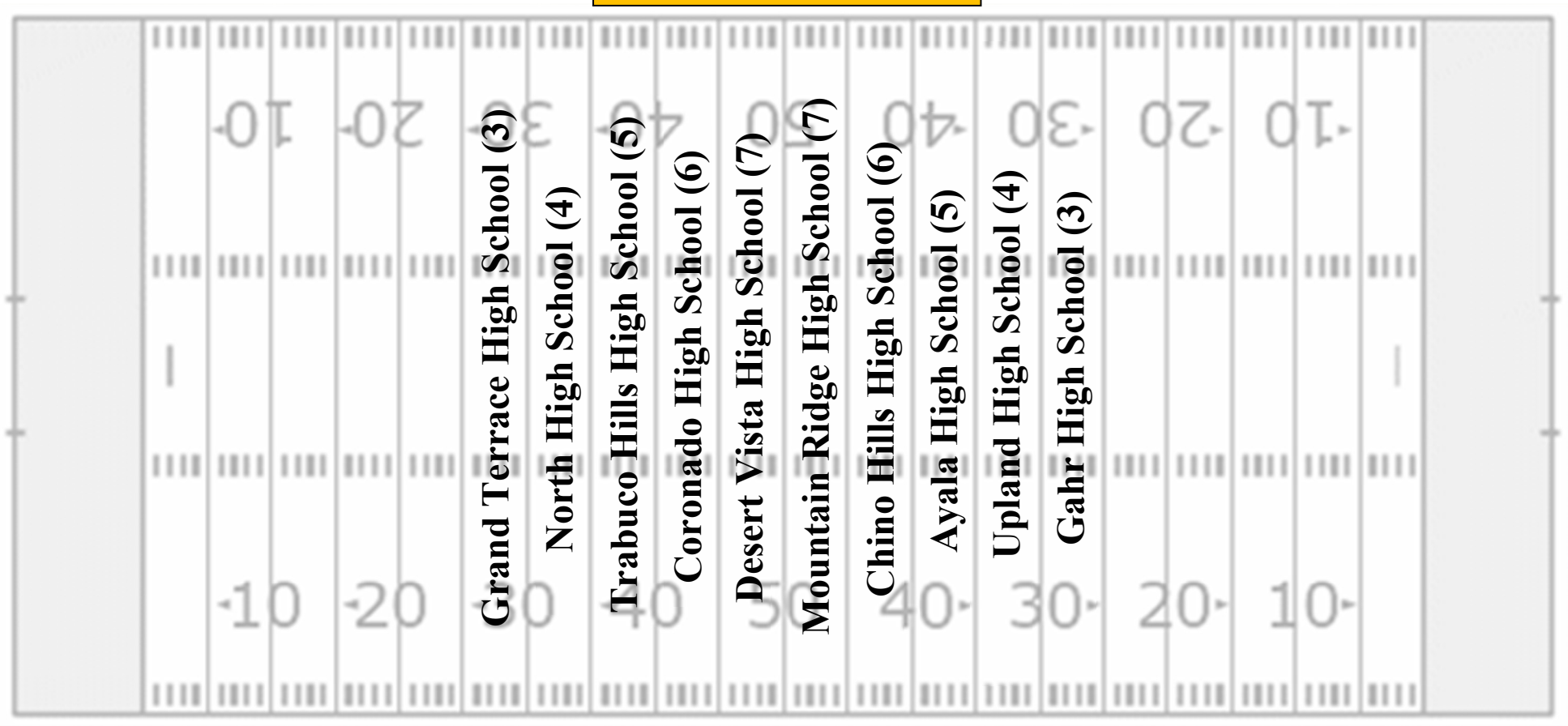
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TOURNAMENT SPIRITWEAR

In honor of this anniversary year, we are offering limited edition spiritwear and accessories with a newly minted 34th Annual design and logo!!!

Description of Item	Regular Price	Picture of Item
T-Shirt Colors: Navy or White *(participating schools listed on back)*	$17	
Ladies Scoop Neck T-Shirt Color: Navy *(participating schools listed on back)*	$22	
Pull-Over Hoodie Color: Navy	$32	
Zip-Up Hoodie Color: Navy	$42	
Tournament Patch Color: White	$6	
Tournament Patch – Year Bar	$2	

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