



PERCUSSION & WINDS CHAMPIONSHIPS PACKET

FACILITY Info

EA Diddle Arena
at Western Kentucky University
1605 College Heights Boulevard
Bowling Green, KY 42104

Emergency CONTACTS (day of show only)

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TIMES:

Unit Check-In opens at 7:00 AM
Ticket Booth opens at 7:30 AM
Contest begins at 8:30 AM
Bowling Green is in Central time.

TICKET Prices / Info:

Saturday Only - \$20
Sunday Only - \$20
Weekend Pass - \$35
Students - \$10 each day
(valid ID required for college students)
Free admission for children 4 and under.
Cash and all major credit cards
accepted.
(There is a 3% fee added for credit card sales.)

Spectators can purchase tickets and
enter the Arena at ENTRANCES 1 and 2 (see
map)

Units check in at ENTRANCE 3.

Each unit will receive wristbands for
the performing members + seven (7)
extras.

Two of these replace your SCGC Badges.
SCGC Badges will NOT be honored to enter
the facility.

Performer wristbands and the 7 extras
are good for both days.

Extra wristbands can be purchased at
spectator entrances 1 and 2.

**Per arena guidelines all backpacks,
purses, etc. may be search prior to
entry.**

Parking is free of charge

SEATING:

General seating for all.
Performing members + the 7 extra
wristbands are to be seated in the
corners and sides of the arena.
Your cooperation is appreciated.
Directors with a **wristband & SCGC Badge**
will be admitted on the Front Side.

VIDEO:

You can videotape your own unit's
performance. A video pass will be
included in your packet. Use it to enter
the reserved area. There's no official
videographer at this event.

PHOTOGRAPHY:

Take pictures at the Photo Booth, it's
located on ground level near entrance 1.
A professional photographer will be
taking action shoots and these will be
available for purchase after the
weekend. You'll find an order form in
your packet

SOUVENIRS:

Pepwear is the official SCGC
Championships souvenir vendor.
The Pepwear booth is located on the
concourse near concessions.

PROGRAMS:

Programs highlighting each unit
including a schedule will be sold at a
cost of \$5.00

General Contest Info

UNLOADING / LOADING – Trucks and Busses should proceed to the unloading/loading area indicated on the map. A WKU crew is managing that area. Be ready to move your truck and buses to the large vehicle parking lot if requested. We will hold as many trucks as possible in the unloading area until you are done performing (can't guarantee so be ready to move if requested by the crew)

Students arriving by cars should go directly to the parking garage and meet their Equipment Truck in the unloading/loading area.

CARS will not be admitted in the unloading/loading area.

UNIT CHECK IN – at **ENTRANCE 3**

One (1) Director or Representative should check-in the group.

You can check-in all of your groups in 1 visit (guards, drums, winds)

Once that process is complete, your students can enter the facility and head over to the prep areas. A SCGC rep will be there to direct you in the right direction.

Props & floor carts can be stored in the location indicated by the crew.

PRE CONTEST hang out – There is a pre contest prep area for units (see map). It can only hold so many units, so when ready, move to the seating area in the arena. This area is NOT a place for your personal belongings. Arrive as ready as possible and if you need to store personal effects, have a parent supervise your area in the seating area.

WALK-THROUGH – It is suggested that you do a walk-through of the flow prior to your unit's performance. This will ensure "no wrong turns". We have a few options for groups with large props. We will inform you of that when you arrive. Chaz and Dale will be there to assist.

WARM UPS – all outside, on your own time. Just report to the tunnel at the time indicated on the schedule.

TIME / info – You enter from the back left. You exit from the front right. We are using a **HORIZONTAL** time line. (map attached)

The "competition area" at this event measures 106' X 72'. It is covered with a light grey vinyl tarp. **The height clearance to enter and exit the performance area is 80"**. There's a 16' tall X 70' wide black curtain across the back.

POST PERFORMANCE – please return all equipment back to your trucks/vans/busses. Take pictures, buy souvenirs, eat, enjoy and support other groups, cherish the moment and make great memories.

AWARDS – One award ceremony at the end of the contest for all units, all members, in full uniform.

Units and their Directors should report to the AUX gym following the last group.

PERMITTED ITEMS: Flowers, baskets, stuffed animals,

BALLOONS ARE ALLOWED, JUST HAVE TO HAVE THEM WEIGHTED. Unweighted balloons will not be allowed onto the main floor.

PROHIBITED ITEMS: Noise-makers



Director Agreements

(to save time, arrive with this form filled out and signed)

I, _____ Director of _____

hereby state that:

1. I/We will be solely responsible for all damages caused by our Unit, Directors, Staff, or Chaperones during our time at the: WKU, EA Diddle Arena, for the 2017 SCGC Championships. I understand that this include properties in which we perform and/or rehearse. Damages caused by our equipment (including, but not limited to instruments, props, footwear, and vehicles) shall be reported immediately and we will be responsible for all damages in full. We will in no way hold the SCGC, WKU, or any off site rehearsal facilities responsible for any injuries that occur to our students, Directors, Staff or Chaperones during our stay at the event. I also understand and agree that the SCGC will not be held liable for any articles lost or stolen from my group during our stay in Nashville for the SCGC Championships.
2. I/We understand and give permission for all photographs taken by SCGC to be used for promotions and their website.
3. I/We have read and understand the 2017 Championships Unit Packet and will follow directions accordingly.
4. I/We understand that all units are expected to participate in the Awards Ceremony, for the full duration, and in uniform. We agree to this requirement.

Signature: _____

Dated: _____

Food on campus at WKU

Downing Student Union
directly across the street from the Arena

Fresh Food Company

Providing our guests with the highest quality foods prepared right before your eyes, The Fresh Food Company offers one of the most exciting dining experiences on campus. It features authentic upscale foods from 'mini-restaurants' - American Diner, Café Roma, American Bistro, The Produce Market, Mongolian Grille and more. Our chefs are ready to serve you a changing menu of specialties including home-style comfort foods, a hand-tossed pizza, made-to-order pasta, a full salad bar, deli offerings, fresh whole fruits and daily vegetarian options just to name a few. The Fresh Food Company is a great place to get what you crave and catch up with your friends. Located in the newly renovated side of Downing Student Union main floor.

Saturday: 10:30 AM - 7:00 PM

Sunday: 10:30 AM - 8:00 PM

Door Rates for the Fresh Food Company:

Breakfast - \$6.79 + tax

Lunch - \$8.49 + tax

Dinner - \$8.49 + tax

Food Court

Papa John's

Steak'n Shake

Chick-fil-A **

Saturday: 10:30 AM - 10:00 PM

Sunday: 12:00 PM - 11:00 PM

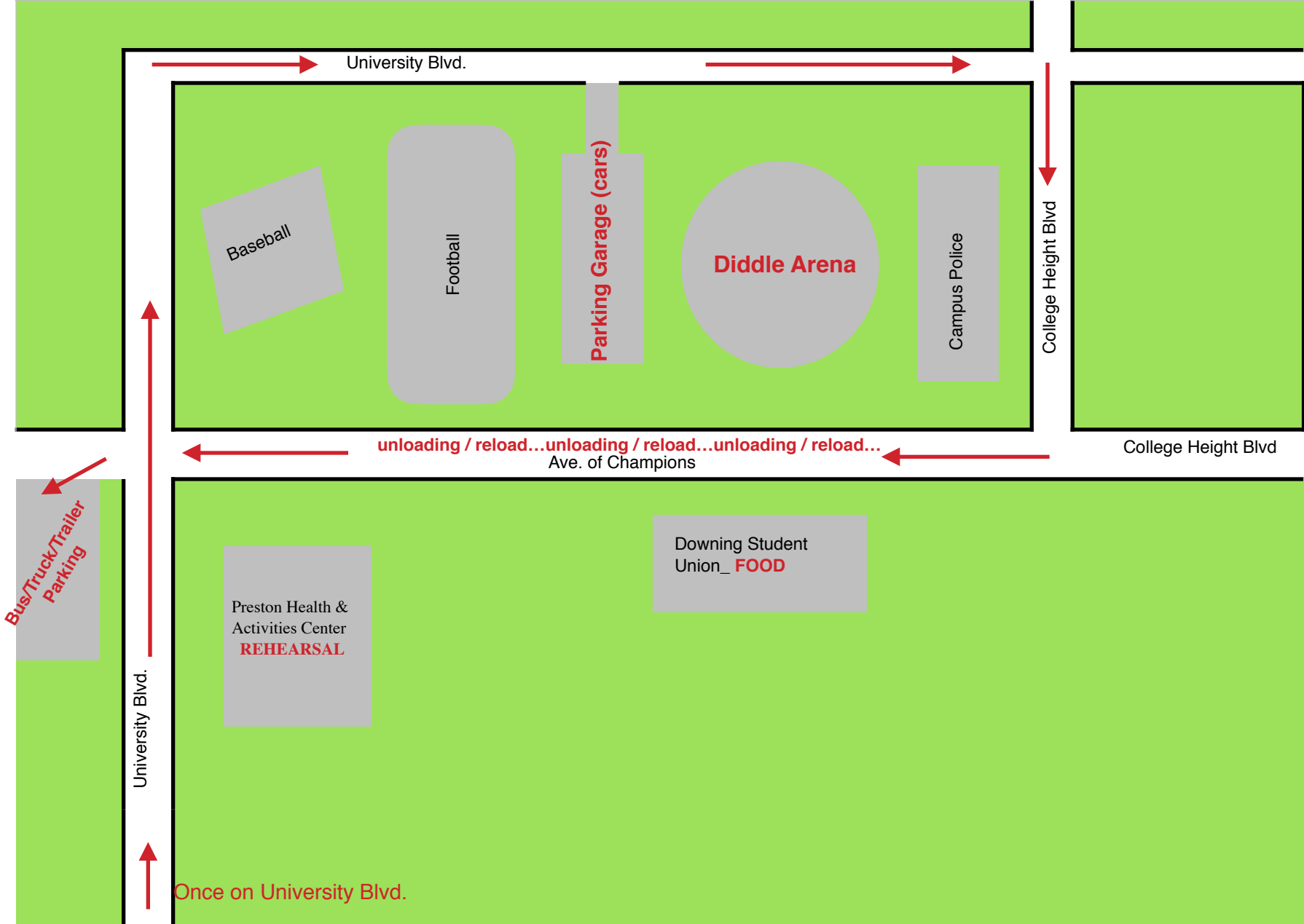
** Chick-fil-A closed on Sunday

Starbucks

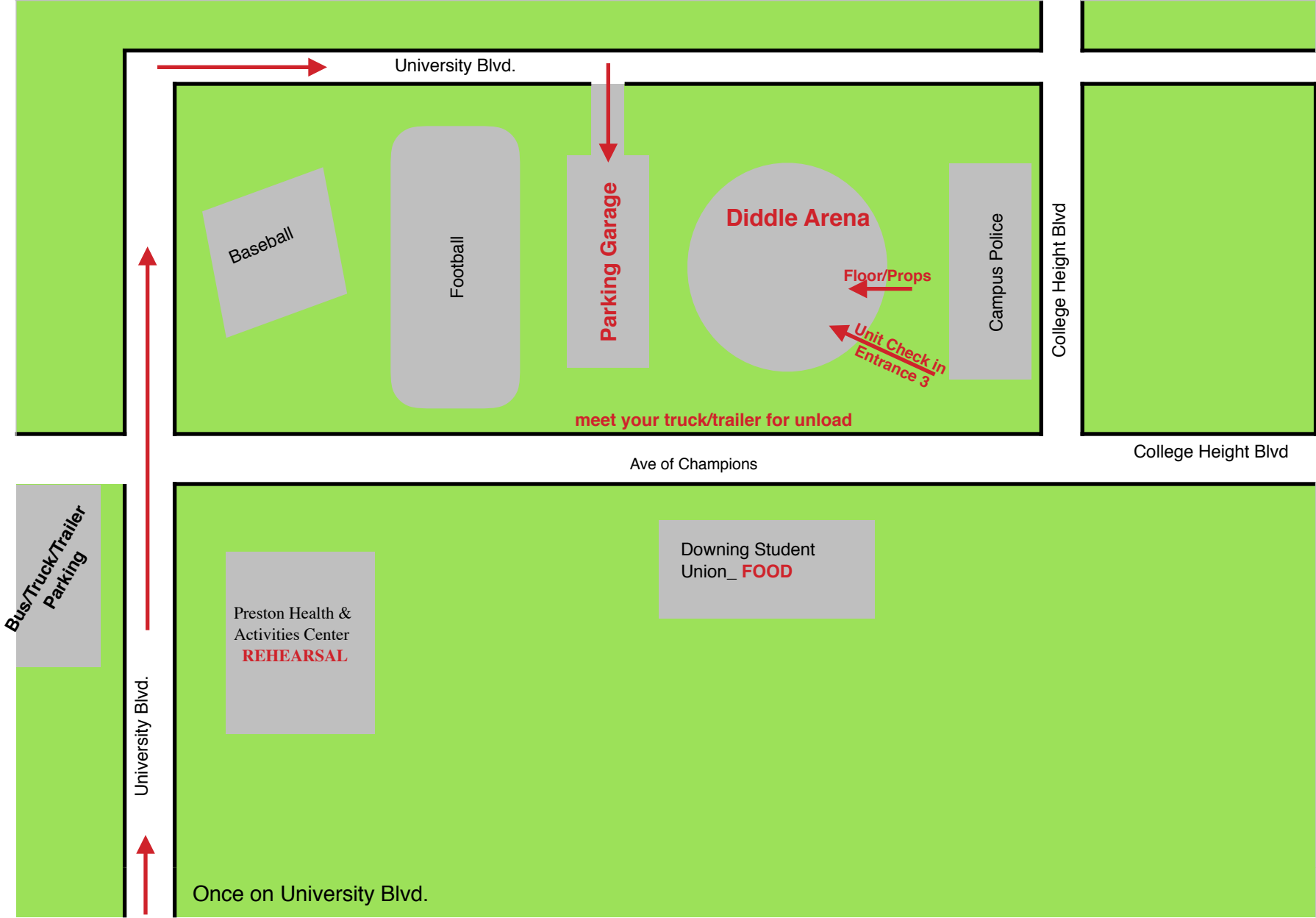
Saturday: 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Sunday: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

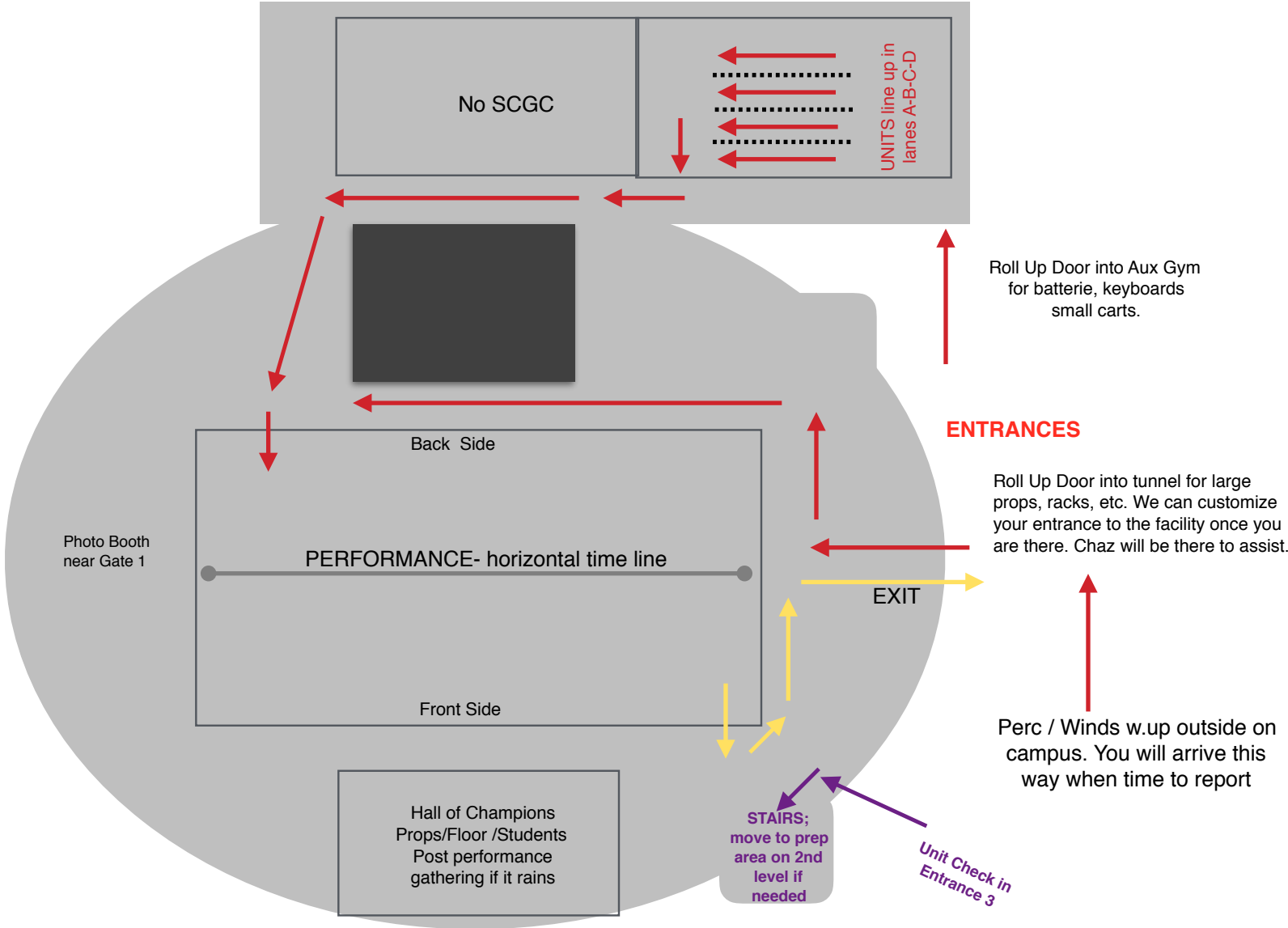
SCGC Championships_ WKU_ Bus/Trucks/Trailer Route & Parking



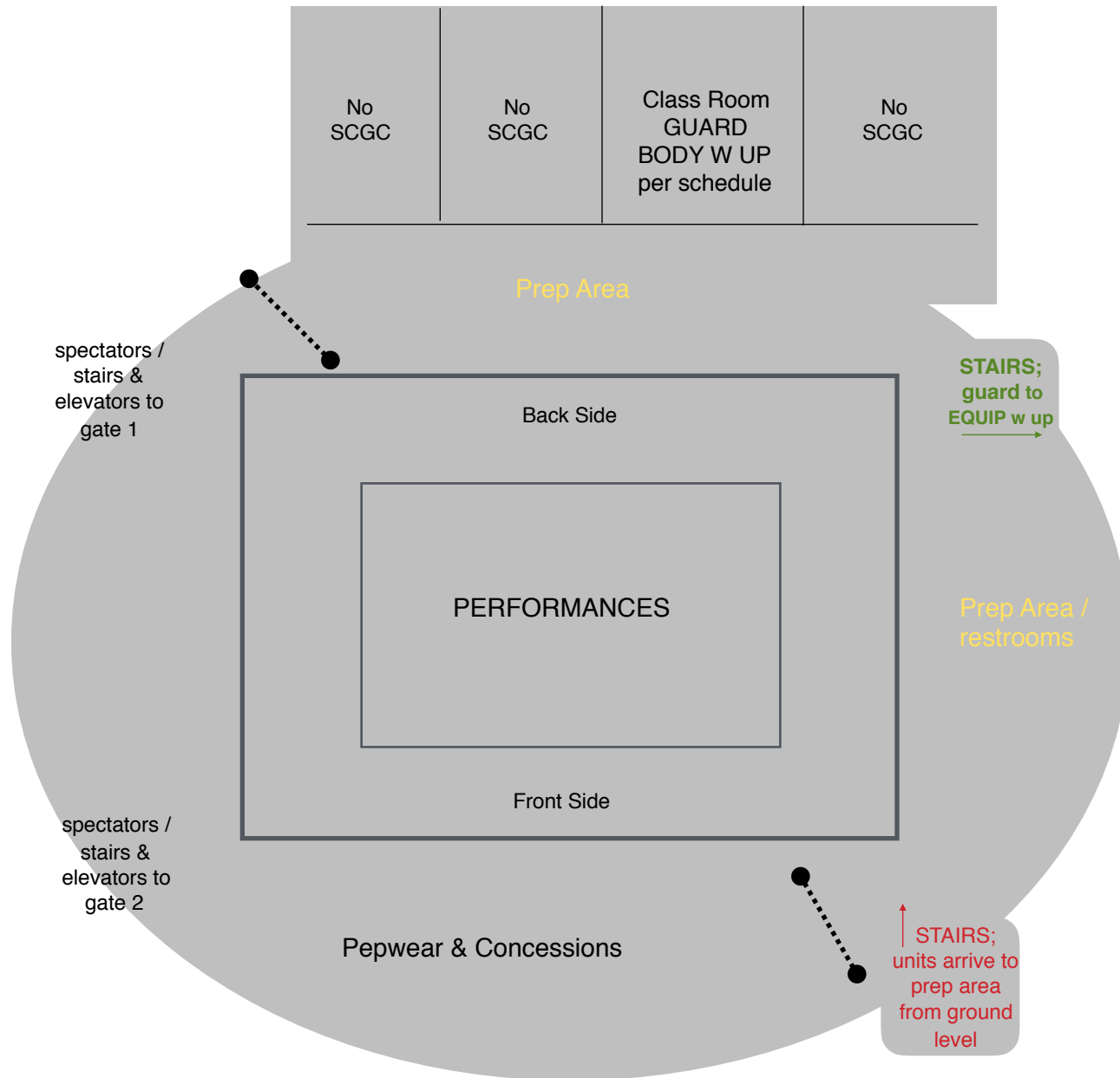
SCGC Championships_ WKU_ Units by cars/vans Route & Parking



SCGC Championships_ WKU_ PERCUSSION / WINDS flow_ Ground Level



SCGC Championships_ WKU_ UNITS Concourse_prep area (2nd level)



SCGC Championships_ WKU_ Spectators Route & Parking

