The Twelfth Annual

Porter Ridge Pirate Cove Classic

**Saturday, October 28, 2017**

Porter Ridge High School

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Indian Trail, NC 28079

[***http://www.porterridgeband.org/pirate-cove-classic.html***](http://www.porterridgeband.org/pirate-cove-classic.html)

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The Porter Ridge Bands invite you to attend the 11th Annual PIRATE COVE CLASSIC.

This festival has a reputation of displaying the finest bands from North and South Carolina and Virginia. This festival is not only educational, but provides an entertaining venue for your end of the season experience.

**Registration**

In order to ensure that you obtain your preferred performance time, please register as soon as possible. Earlier bands that are registered, within class size, will receive preferred performance time. To register please complete and mail the form and $75 postmarked by October 1, 2017 to: {*Late registration $85; Postmark deadline 10/10/2017}*

PR Band Boosters

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**Band Director\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Assistant Director(s) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Classifications**

Bands will be classified based on Number of Woodwinds and Brass players.

Class 1A……………………….up to 25

Class 2A……………………….26 - 40

Class 3A…………………….…41 - 55

Class 4A………………….…..56 – 70

Class 5A…………….…………above 71

Adjustments may be made to ensure equity in classifications, if necessary. Every affected band will be notified in advance of classification change.

**Adjudication**

The Porter Ridge Pirate Cove Classic will NOT be using the North Carolina Bandmaster’s Association judging system. The band ratings and placements will be determined under the following guidelines:

Music...........................40%

Marching…………………………30%

Effect………………………………30%

Ties will be broken by music score. The judging panel will be announced on the final mailing. Drum Major, Percussion and Colorguard will each have separate judges.

**Awards**

Trophies will be awarded according to the following in each class:

• 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Band

• 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Music

• 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Marching

• 1st, 2nd and 3rd place General Effect

• 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Drum Major

• 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Percussion

• 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Colorguard

**Overall Awards:**

• Top Drum Major of the day

• Top Percussion of the day

• Top Colorguard of the day

• Pit Crew Award

• Spirit Award

• Grand Champion Class 1A – 3A

• Grand Champion Class 4A – 5A

• H. James Hill Union County Band of Excellence

**We will be hosting a traditional band competition.**