



SPRINGS BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL GAUTENG



In loving memory of Mr Shawn Boucher
3 December 1976 – 17 May 2026

*DIE SUID-AFRIKAANSE SKOLE ORKESVERENIGING
(SASBA)
bied aan*
DIE NASIONALE ORKESKAMPIOENSKAPPE 2026



*THE SOUTH AFRICAN SCHOOL BAND ASSOCIATION
(SASBA)
presents*
THE NATIONAL BAND CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026

*op die skoolterrein van/
on the school grounds of*

**SPRINGS BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL
1 – 3 OCTOBER 2026**



IN LOVING MEMORY
OF
MR SHAWN BOUCHER

*TRAINER OF SPRINGS BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL BAND
& SASBA LIAISON OFFICER
2018 - 2026*



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We will never forget you!



DAY 1

REHEARSAL DAY



Thursday 1 October 2026

Rehearsal times must be booked in advance. Contact Mr Johannes Ratsela (Springs Boys' High School) at 063 161 5170.

DAY 1 REHEARSAL TIMES: CONCERT BANDS, ENSEMBLES, MARIMBA BANDS - SCHOOL HALL -		
REHEARSAL TIME	GROUP	
08:00 - 09:00		
09:00 - 10:00		
10:00 - 11:00		
11:00 - 12:00		
12:00 - 13:00		
13:00 - 14:00		
14:00 - 15:00		
15:00 - 16:00		
16:00 - 17:00		

REHEARSAL TIMES: PARADE BANDS, SHOW BANDS & DRUMLINES - PARADE GROUND -		
REHEARSAL TIME	GROUP	
08:00 - 09:00		
09:00 - 10:00		
10:00 - 11:00		
11:00 - 12:00		
12:00 - 13:00		
13:00 - 14:00		
14:00 - 15:00		
15:00 - 16:00		
16:00 - 17:00		



PROGRAMME

DAY 2

INDIVIDUAL INSTRUMENTAL, MARIMBAS,
ENSEMBLES,
CONCERT BANDS,
OPEN CONCERT BANDS



Friday 2 October 2026

INFORMATION			
TIME	ACTIVITY	VENUE	ATTENDEES
06:00	Gates open for buses, band trailers and Band masters / trainers.	SBHS	Participating schools
06:00 - 07:00	Band masters / band managers receive keys in school admin office.	SBHS	Participating schools

* SBHS = Springs Boys' High School

DAY 2		
Individuals, Ensembles and Concert Bands		
TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
06:30 - 07:00	Day Two band masters' meeting in the staff room. 1. Opening & welcome 2. Arrangements regarding the safety, cameras, venue, etc. 3. Competition information by the SASBA Day 2: Competition Official, Mr Danie Smith: ♪ Introduction of the SASBA 2026 Committee ♪ Introduction of the Adjudicators for the day ♪ Rules and regulations ♪ Liaison arrangements ♪ General information: • Bands to warm up in the designated areas. • Bands must report for the competition performance at least 10 minutes prior to the starting time, already warmed up. • NO parents / trainers are allowed to interact with adjudicators. Contact Mr Danie Smith. • Hand in 6 copies of the full scores to Mr Danie Smith before leaving this meeting.	SBHS SBHS Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA) Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA) Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA) Mr J vd Westhuizen (SASBA) Mr Danie Smith (SASBA)
07:00 - 07:30	Adjudicators & SASBA Committee for DAY 2 meeting in Staff room. Snacks & Tea.	SASBA

PROGRAMME

DAY 2

INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION - SCHOOL HALL -

** Time slots depend on the amount of entries*

*Sound system set-ups must be done before 07:50 and participants must be ready to play at the indicated times below.

TIME TO BE READY	WOODWIND	UPPER BRASS	LOWER BRASS	PERCUSSION
08:00	Flutes (4)			
08:20	Clarinets (5)			
08:45	Saxophones (10)			
09:45		Trumpets (11)		
10:45		Horns (2)		
10:55			Trombones (8)	
11:35			Tubas (5)	
12:00				Snare Drum (4)
12:20				Toms (2)
12:30				Drum Kit (9)
13:15	Guitar (5)			
13:40	Strings (4)			
Prepare stage for ensembles.				

14:00 - 14:45	LUNCH
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HIGH SCHOOL ENSEMBLES - SCHOOL HALL -

PERFORMANCE TIME 10 MINUTES	GROUP	PARTICIPANTS (In alphabetical order)
14:45	Jeppe High School for Boys	A. Hoërskool Drie Riviere B. Jeppe High School for Boys
15:00	Hoërskool Drie Riviere	

HIGH SCHOOL OPEN ENSEMBLES - SCHOOL HALL -		
PERFORMANCE TIME 10 MINUTES	GROUP	PARTICIPANTS (In alphabetical order)
15:15	Hoërskool Drie Riviere	A. Hoërskool Drie Riviere B. Hoërskool Oosterland C. Springs Boys' High School D. Vaal High School
15:30	Hoërskool Oosterland	
15:45	Vaal High School	
16:00	Springs Boys' High School	
Prepare stage for concert bands.		

16:15 - 17:30	SUPPER
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HIGH SCHOOL OPEN CONCERT BANDS - SCHOOL HALL -		
PERFORMANCE TIME 30 MINUTES	GROUP	PARTICIPANTS (In alphabetical order)
17:30	Northwood School	A. Hoërskool Drie Riviere B. Hoërskool Oosterland C. Northwood School D. Pietermaritzburg Girls' High School E. Pretoria-Tuine Ingenieurskool F. Springs Boys' High School
18:00	Springs Boys' High School	
18:30	Hoërskool Drie Riviere	
19:00	Hoërskool Oosterland	
19:30	Pretoria-Tuine Ingenieurskool	
20:00	Pietermaritzburg Girls' High School	

SASBA request all schools to leave the pavilion and classrooms neat and tidy and to take off all the paper from the windows after your performances.



PROGRAMME

DAY 3

PARADE BANDS, DRUMLINES & SHOW BANDS



Saturday 3 October 2026

INFORMATION			
TIME	ACTIVITY	VENUE	ATTENDEES
06:00	Gates open for buses, band trailers and Band masters / trainers.	SBHS	Participating schools
06:00	Band masters / band managers receive keys in school admin office.	SBHS	Participating schools

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PRE-COMPETITION MEETING DAY 3: All marching band, drumline and show band trainers		
TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
06:30	Day Three band masters meeting in the staff room. 1. Opening & welcome 2. Arrangements regarding the safety, cameras, venue, what you need to know, etc. 3. Competition information by the SASBA Day 3 Competition Official, Mr Gilo Da Silva: ♪ Introduction of the SASBA Committee ♪ Introduction of the Adjudicators for the day ♪ Liaison arrangements ♪ Rules and regulations: ♪ General information: • Bands to warm up in the designated areas. • Bands must report for the competition performance at least 10 minutes prior to the starting time, already warmed up. • NO parents / trainers are allowed to interact with adjudicators. Contact Mr Danie Smith. • Hand in 6 copies of the full scores at Mr Danie Smith (SASBA) before leaving this meeting. • Questions to SASBA officials/adjudicators.	SBHS SBHS Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA) Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA) Mr J van der Westhuizen (SASBA) Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA) Mr Gilo Da Silva (SASBA) Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA)
07:30	Adjudicators & SASBA Committee for DAY 3 meeting in Staff room. Snacks & Tea.	SASBA SBHS

HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT BANDS - SCHOOL HALL -		
PERFORMANCE TIME 10 MINUTES	GROUP	PARTICIPANTS (In alphabetical order)
08:00	Pietermaritzburg Girls' High School	A. Parktown Boys' High School B. Pietermaritzburg Girls' High School C. Pretoria-Tuine Ingenieurskool
08:15	Parktown Boys' High School	
08:30	Pretoria-Tuine Ingenieurskool	
Prepare stage for Marimba Bands.		

MARIMBA BANDS - SCHOOL HALL -		
PERFORMANCE TIME 10 MINUTES	GROUP	PARTICIPANTS (In alphabetical order)
09:00	Hoërskool Drie Riviere 1	
09:20	Vaal High School	A. Hoërskool Drie Riviere 1 B. Hoërskool Drie Riviere 2 C. Vaal High School
09:40	Hoërskool Drie Riviere 2	
Competition move to the rugby field.		

10:15 - 11:00	TEA
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PARADE BANDS - RUGBY FIELD -			
INSPECTION		PERFORMANCE TIME 20 MINUTES	
TIME	GROUP	TIME	GROUP
11:00	Springs Boys' High School		
11:20	Hoërskool Oosterland	11:20	Springs Boys' High School
		11:40	Hoërskool Oosterland

DRUMLINES - RUGBY FIELD -			
INSPECTION		PERFORMANCE TIME 20 MINUTES	
TIME	GROUP	TIME	GROUP
12:00	Hoërskool Linden		
12:20	Hoërskool Drie Riviere	12:20	Hoërskool Linden
12:40	Northwood School	12:40	Hoërskool Drie Riviere
13:00	Hoërskool Linden	13:00	Northwood School
13:20	Hoërskool Oosterland	13:20	Hoërskool Linden
13:40	Parktown Boys' High School	13:40	Hoërskool Oosterland
14:00	Springs Boys' High School	14:00	Parktown Boys' High School
		14:20	Springs Boys' High School

14:40 - 15:30	LUNCH
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SHOW BANDS - RUGBY FIELD -			
INSPECTION		PERFORMANCE TIME 20 MINUTES	
TIME	GROUP	TIME	GROUP
15:30	Springs Boys' High School		
15:50	Hoërskool Oosterland	15:50	Springs Boys' High School
		16:10	Hoërskool Oosterland

PEP BANDS - RUGBY FIELD -	
PERFORMANCE TIME 20 MINUTES	
TIME	GROUP
16:30	Parktown Boys' High School
16:50	Hoërskool Oosterland
17:10	Springs Boys' High School

17:30 - 18:00	TEA
Preparation for Prizegiving Ceremony.	

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PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY 2026

17:30	All participants / groups from Day 2 and Day 3 form up on the competition area. Setup of bands on the parade ground <u>in order of participation</u> by Mr Gilo Da Silva (SASBA Committee). Drum majors & trainers to assist. Performances of groups / marching bands in order of participation (10 minutes each).
18:00	Prize giving ceremony by SASBA: Mr Lodewyk Meijer, SBHS Principal, Mrs Diane Freeman, Mr Danie Smith (SASBA Committee). Official prize giving: ♪ Opening by Springs Boys' High School. ♪ Welcoming & address by the principal of Springs Boys' High School, Mrs Diane Freeman. ♪ Official thank you by the competition director, Mr Danie Smith (SASBA). ♪ Introduction of all the adjudicators by Mr Gregory Collins (SASBA). ♪ Introduction of the SASBA Committee by Mr Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA). ♪ Announcement of the national competition 2027 by Mr Lodewyk Meijer. ♪ Official prize giving conducted by Mr Danie Smith (SASBA). Prizes will be handed over by Mrs Freeman and Mr Lodewyk Meijer assisted at the trophy table by Mrs Annemarie Meijer. ♪ Only Band leaders or Bandmasters will come forward to receive prizes from Mrs Freeman. ♪ Trainers sign for trophies at Mrs. Annemarie Meijer (SASBA) & collect results at Mr Gregory Collins (SASBA).



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Thank you!

ADJUDICATORS 2026

CATEGORY	MARCHING BANDS	CONCERT BANDS
APPEAL BOARD	Competition Marshall: Mr. Danie Smith, Mr. Lodewyk Meijer (SASBA), SASBA Committee	
Friday 02 October 2026: MUSIC - INDIVIDUAL CPMPTITION (School Hall)		1. WOODWINDS - TB Cole, E Wilken 2. HIGHER BRASS - MJ Pienaar, C Jordaan 3. LOWER BRASS - MJ Pienaar, C Jordaan 4. DRUMS - A Evans, G Da Silva, S Themba 5. STRINGS - MJ Pienaar, C Jordaan
Saturday 03 October: MUSIC- MARIMBA BANDS		1. TB Cole 2. MJ Pienaar 3. C Jordaan 4. E Wilken 5. G Da Silva
GENERAL IMPRESSION, STAGE DISCIPLINE & NEATNESS		1. A Meijer 2. G Collins 3. L Meijer
Friday 02 October: MUSIC: ENSEMBLES, CONCERT BANDS & OPEN CONCERT BANDS (Afternoon)		1. TB Cole 2. MJ Pienaar 3. C Jordaan 4. E Wilken 5. G Da Silva 6. D Smith
OVERALL IMPRESSION, STAGE DISCIPLINE & NEATNESS		1. G Collins 2. A Meijer 3. L Meijer
SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER: DRUMLINE: INSPECTION MUSIC CHOREOGRAPHY	1. A Meijer 2. L Meijer 3. G Collins 1. MJ Pienaar 2. C Jordaan 3. E Wilken 4. G Da Silva 5. A Evans 1. A Meijer 2. D Smith 3. G Collins	
SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER: MARCHING BAND: INSPECTION MUSIC DRILL & *OBSTACLE MOVEMENT DRUM MAJOR	1. G Collins 2. G Da Silva 3. A Meijer 1. MJ Pienaar 2. TB Cole 3. C Jordaan 4. E Wilken 5. A Evans 1. A Meijer 2. *D Smith 3. *G Da Silva 1. L Meijer 2. G Collins	

ADJUDICATORS 2026

CATEGORY	MARCHING BANDS	CONCERT BANDS
SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER: SHOW BAND: INSPECTION MUSIC CHOREOGRAPHY	1. L Meijer 2. G Da Silva 3. G Collins 1. MJ Pienaar 2. TB Cole 3. C Jordaan 4. E Wilken 5. A Evans 1. A Meijer 2. D Smith 3. A Evans	
SATURDAY 3 OCTOBER: PEP BANDS	1. MJ Pienaar 2. C Jordaan 3. TB Cole 4. E Wilken 5. A Meijer 6. Marshall Music 7. Marshall Music	
MC	Marten Knoetze	
MARKS PROCESSING 01 - 03 October 2026	1. J van der Westhuizen (SASBA) 2. L Botha (for SASBA) 3. S Kearns (for SASBA) 4. D Smith (SASBA Moderator)	