

Dear Prospective Member of the Santa Clara Vanguard & Vanguard Cadets,

Thank you for your interest in our organization!

We are happy to share this Prospective Member Handbook with you to give you a better understanding of the drum corps commitment, and outline our expectations for members of the Vanguard Music and Performing Arts programs. Our two corps have a rich history and tradition of providing an unforgettable "Vanguard Experience" for all who have become involved.

Please review the enclosed information carefully and feel free to contact us if you have any further questions. Should you qualify for membership in either the Santa Clara Vanguard or Vanguard Cadets, you will be presented with a Member Handbook in January that addresses many of the following subjects in greater detail.

We look forward to seeing you at an upcoming 2022 audition event!

Austin, TXNovember 13
SCV. Brass & Color Guard

Houston, TX November 14 SCV, Brass Only **Dallas, TX**November 19-21
SCV, All Sections (No Cymbals)

Los Angeles, CA November 26-28 SCV, SCVC All Sections **San Jose, CA**December 3-5
SCV, SCVC All Sections

Orlando, FLDecember 11
SCV, Color Guard Only

Miami, FLDecember 12
SCV, Color Guard Only

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ABOUT VANGUARD MUSIC AND PERFORMING ARTS:

Vanguard Music and Performing Arts (VMAPA) strives to create a positive atmosphere where young people can grow and mature into responsible young adults; succeeding both as individuals and as members of a tightly woven group. The VMAPA mission is to inspire communities and enrich lives by increasing opportunities for participation, education, and excellence in the performing arts. VMAPA sponsors a number of programs including the Santa Clara Vanguard, Vanguard Cadets, Youth Brass & Percussion Ensembles, and a private lessons studio.

ABOUT SANTA CLARA VANGUARD:

The Santa Clara Vanguard (SCV) Drum & Bugle Corps was formed in 1967 in Santa Clara, California and is the flagship program of Vanguard Music and Performing Arts. SCV won its first championship title in 1970 at the American Legion Championships and went on to win the coveted Veterans of Foreign War Championships in 1971. SCV has since won seven DCI World Class Championship titles (1973, 1974, 1978, 1981, 1989, 1999, 2018) and holds the distinction of being the only drum corps to make Finals every year since DCI was formed in 1972.

ABOUT VANGUARD CADETS:

The Vanguard Cadets (SCVC) Drum & Bugle Corps was formed in 1971 in Santa Clara, California and competes in DCI's Open Class Division. The Vanguard Cadets have enjoyed great success throughout the years, having claimed six Open Class Championship titles (2000, 2008, 2013, 2015, 2017, 2018) and performed at DCI World Championships a whopping 16 times. SCVC has even made it as far as DCI World Class Semifinals every year since 2011.

MEMBERSHIP PREREQUISITES:

- **1. PERFORMANCE** Your abilities on your instrument/equipment. Your movement ability. Your development and progress over time, as set and judged against established criteria by our instructional staff.
- **2. MEMBERSHIP PAYMENTS** Your financial responsibility to the organization. By adhering to the monthly tuition payment schedule, your status with the corps will remain active. Should your payments fall behind, your membership is subject to suspension until your account becomes current.
- **3. ATTENDANCE** Each member of the brass & percussion section is expected to attend ALL winter camps. Those who qualify for membership (or possible membership) in the color guard are expected to attend a callback camp in the spring, after WGI season. If you have a critical family or school conflict with any camp from January to May, contact us beforehand by e-mailing your caption manager AND the Corps Director. If we don't hear from you, we consider the absence unexcused, putting your membership in jeopardy. During the summer, we expect you to plan all availability around tour.
- **4. ATTITUDE** A positive approach to drum corps is a healthy approach. Communication, respect, passion, integrity, and a high standard of personal excellence are some of the values that we live by day and night. Members will be expected to participate in the VMAPA Safety Policy training and communicate openly to ensure the best experience for fellow members, staff, administration, and volunteers. Our philosophy is to work hard to be the best we can be; to respect your fellow corps members as you wish they would respect you; to be ready to learn something new every day; and to enjoy your experience!
- **5. HEALTH** It is important for you to understand that you must be physically, mentally and emotionally capable to withstand the rigorous requirements of practice, performance and travel. It is a requirement for each member of a VMAPA traveling program to be covered by medical/health insurance (for sickness) for a minimum of the summer months, from mid-May to mid-August. If offered a position with the organization, you will be required to receive a pre-screening physical sign off before the March Camp. COVID-19 information to include vaccination stipulations for members will be available after November 1, 2021.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY:

The Vanguard organization relies a great deal on the fee payment schedule as part of our cash flow over the winter toward the summer effort, while our organization supports all the Vanguard programs and keeps the summer membership fees affordable. If we were to collect your full portion of the membership financial commitment from you on a daily basis, it would be less than \$55 a day per member for the summer, much less than the actual \$160+ spent by the drum corps on behalf of each member each day for food, transportation, instruction, insurance, facilities, etc. Every member must realize the cost of the operation and accept the financial responsibility of membership.

AUDITION REGISTRATION FEES:

Clinic & Audition Camp Weekends:

\$150.00 before Friday, November 19th (Dallas Audition) \$150.00 before Friday, November 26th (Los Angeles Audition) \$150.00 before Friday, December 3rd (San Jose Audition) (When paid on/after these dates, the fee becomes \$200.00)

1-Day Auditions:

\$100.00 before Saturday, November 13th (Austin Auditions) \$100.00 before Sunday, November 14th (Houston Auditions) \$100.00 before Saturday, December 11th (Orlando Auditions) \$100.00 before Sunday, December 12th (Miami Auditions) (When paid on/after these dates, the fee becomes \$150.00)

There will be no additional fee to attend the December/April callback camps after attending a full weekend Clinic & Audition camp. **HOWEVER**, those who attend a 1-Day audition will be required to pay an additional \$50.00 before attending the December/April callback camp.

2022 MEMBERSHIP FEES:

Members who have auditioned and receive a spot in the **SANTA CLARA VANGUARD** are automatically put on a five-month payment plan to total **\$4,200**. Payments made in full by February 15, 2022 will result in an Early Payment Discount of \$100.

Members who have auditioned and receive a spot in the **VANGUARD CADETS** are automatically put on a five-month payment plan to total **\$2,700**. Payments made in full by February 15, 2022 will result in an Early Payment Discount of \$100.

2022 FEE PAYMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	SCV	SCVC	
January 31st, 2022	\$840	\$540	
February 28th, 2022	\$840	\$540	
March 31st, 2022	\$840	\$540	
April 30th, 2022	\$840	\$540	
May 15th, 2022	\$840	\$540	
TOTAL:	\$4,200	\$2,700	

RETURNING MEMBER DISCOUNT - Members who have marched previous seasons with the Vanguard Cadets and/or Santa Clara Vanguard will receive the following discount on their 2022 Membership Fees:

- Second year members will receive a \$100 discount on tour fees
- Third year members will receive a \$200 discount on tour fees
- Fourth year members will receive a \$300 discount on tour fees
- Fifth year members will receive a \$400 discount on tour fees

SIBLINGS DISCOUNT - In the case of siblings marching in the same season (either corps), each will pay the full audition registration fee. One sibling will be billed at the full (higher) corps membership fee and the each additional sibling will be billed at 75% of their corps membership fee.

HOW YOU CAN PAY:

The initial registration fee for either corps must be paid in cash, by credit card, or check/money order before participating in an audition. If offered membership, it is then our expectation that everyone will adhere to the 2022 payment schedule.

- 1. Monthly payments can be made through a member's MySCV account using Visa or MasterCard.
- 2. Cash payments can be made at any camp, but please make sure you obtain a receipt. We ask that you DO NOT send cash through the mail to the Vanguard Hall.
- 3. Payments can be made by check or money order through the mail or at any camp.

 PLEASE NOTE: In the memo portion of all checks/money orders, please print the prospective member's name (first & last),

 MySCV account number, and whether the payment is for SCV or SCVC. All checks should be written to: Vanguard Music and

 Performing Arts. There is a \$45 penalty fee for returned checks.

The Membership Fee is refundable for good reason on a pro-rated basis until May 1st. There would, however, be a standard deduction for each month of membership (\$150.00), regardless of camp attendance. After May 1st, partial refunds will be handled on a case by case basis and will only be considered for the most severe of circumstances. VMAPA has a network of sponsors who are willing to assist with membership fees as needed. Members interested in financial assistance should refer to the following information regarding scholarships and sponsorships.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Vanguard offers many scholarships for all members to help offset the cost of membership fees. More detailed scholarship information and application forms will be sent via e-mail in January and will also be made available on MySCV.

SPONSORSHIPS:

We ask that you DO NOT solicit alumni or staff directly, but rather contact corps management who can connect you with the right person. If a member's fee is being paid by a sponsor, it is NOT a tax-deductible item and will become the responsibility of the member to make sure the sponsor strictly adheres to the fee schedule.

WHAT DO MY TOUR FEES COVER:

We aim to provide our members with the highest quality drum corps experience possible, and always work to keep your safety, comfort, and education in mind at all times. Throughout the summer, we travel in style with a fleet of 3 member buses that all include AC, electrical outlets, and Wifi. Our chef and team of volunteers prepare 4 delicious and nutritious meals/day, and sports drinks are available at all rehearsals. Medical staff is always on the road to keep you performing at your best for the duration of tour as you receive a world class education from the best staff in the activity.

Besides your uniform (SCV members are allowed to keep this at the end of the season) and instruments/equipment, Vanguard provides you with the following accessories and items throughout the summer:

COLOR GUARD - performance shoes (type and style TBD), 1 pair of performance gloves, color guard warm ups, and uniform undergarments. Color guard members will also be supplied with all equipment maintenance items, including tape, that will be needed for the summer.

BRASS - marching shoes, mouthpieces, horns, gloves (for rehearsal and performance TBD).

PERCUSSIONISTS - marching shoes, drum sticks/mallets, drum heads. Members are not to give away new or used sticks or drum heads, as this violates contractual agreements we have with our partners.

All the above items are provided through your member fees, and these items become your responsibility throughout the summer. If any of the items are lost, you will be required to pay for their replacement.

AGE LIMITS:

To be eligible for membership in the **SANTA CLARA VANGUARD** in 2022, all prospective members should be at least 18 years old by June 1st OR complete their senior year of high school by June 2022. (Rare exceptions may be made my corps management) You are welcome to participate in a Vanguard audition if you are currently in your sophomore or junior year of high school and have parental permission, but membership offers will be rare.

To be eligible for membership in the **VANGUARD CADETS**, all prospective members should be at least 15 years old by June 15th, OR complete their freshman year of high school by June 2022. (Rare exceptions may be made my corps management) You are welcome to participate in the Vanguard Cadets audition if you are currently an eighth grader with parental permission, but membership offers will be rare.

Any prospective members who turn 22 after May 31st, 2022 are eligible to participate.

REQUIRED FORMS AND IDENTIFICATION

- 1. At the first audition camp you will be required to show a **PHOTO ID** preferably your driver's license or passport, otherwise your school ID will suffice if it shows your picture.
- 2. You will also be required to complete the **REGISTRATION FORM/IMAGE RELEASE** prior to checking in at your first audition camp (Will be sent to you electronically prior to your audition date). If you are under the age of 18, these forms will also be sent to your parent/guardian electronically to be signed before you arrive.
- 3. If you make the corps, you will need to provide us with a photocopy of your **HEALTH INSURANCE**.

HEALTH AND HOSPITALIZATION INSURANCE:

Should you NOT have individual health insurance for the summer, please let us know this immediately and we will help guide you to where you can purchase a three-month policy. Obtaining the policy for the summer, or having medical insurance is not a guarantee that - should you receive medical treatment - there would not be some sort of payment necessary, which you will be responsible to pay.

PROOF OF HEALTH INSURANCE WILL BE REQUIRED FOR EACH MEMBER BY MAY 14, 2022.

Vanguard Music and Performing Arts DOES NOT carry any form of health insurance or medical coverage for individual illness or sickness. Insurance coverage for illness is your responsibility. WE DO, however, carry accident insurance and our coverage for accidents will be provided any time you are traveling with the corps to cover your deductible, as well as your excess medical expenses up to \$10,000 per occurrence.

TRANSPORTATION & SHUTTLES:

To arrange transportation for camp, you must create a shuttle request through your MySCV account with your arrival information. You will also need to create a **SEPARATE** shuttle request for your departure. Please post the correct departure time for your plane/bus/train and we'll make sure you get there with plenty of time to make your departure.

Travel arrangements for winter camps should be made for you to arrive late Friday afternoon/early evening and depart in the late afternoon on Sunday. San Jose (SJC) is the preferred airport. San Francisco (SFO) is acceptable, but will require you to take public transportation (BART/Cal Train) to our pickup point in the San Jose/Santa Clara area (San Jose Diridon Cal Train stop).

REMINDER: Do not wait until the last minute to schedule transportation! You should be making flight reservations at least 3 weeks before each camp you attend, and all shuttle requests MUST be submitted the Wednesday (5pm CST) before a camp weekend.

IMPORTANT STATEMENT OF PHILOSOPHY:

Vanguard has a tremendous image characterizing class, professionalism and innovation in the drum corps community. We certainly wish to keep this reputation! We have always been welcomed wherever we go because contest sponsors and housing contacts know they don't have to worry about their facilities being damaged by our programs. It really doesn't take a tremendous amount of time or effort to maintain this positive impression; and unfortunately, it takes less time to damage this image.

We don't destroy, damage or vandalize ANY AND ALL facilities we are allowed to use. We don't wander facilities and wind up in places we're not supposed to be. During the summer, any incidents or vandalism of this type could warrant immediate dismissal from the corps. If accidental damage occurs, we expect you to immediately make the corps' management aware of the situation so it can be rectified. If the accident is attributed to your negligence, though you may not have meant to cause the issue, you will be billed accordingly.

CLOSED CAMPUS - All SCV auditions, camps, and summer tour dates operate as a closed campus. No one is permitted to leave the housing/show site unless you have approval from Corps Management.

DRUGS - The use, sale, or possession of illegal drugs (including marijuana), legal drugs, or drug-related substances may be cause for immediate and permanent dismissal from the corps. If you are taking ANY sort of medication or supplement, it needs to be noted on your medical form, which should be updated with any changes throughout the year. You should also personally notify the corps management personnel and any medical staff on tour at the time.

ALCOHOL - Though you may be 21 years old, you DO NOT have unwritten or unspoken permission to consume alcohol at any time while with the corps. Alcohol is not permitted on any of the school properties we use. Consumption of any alcohol to excess or otherwise while with SCV or Vanguard Cadets will not be tolerated and may result in your suspension or dismissal from the corps. Twenty-one-year-old members who contribute to the delinquency of a minor by providing them with alcohol will be dismissed from the corps and reported to the police.

SMOKING and TOBACCO - It would be easiest to quit the use of tobacco before you decide to join the Santa Clara Vanguard. Smoking and the use of tobacco (of any sort) is not permitted on any of the school properties where we house, practice or perform as all are tobacco free campuses. It is very difficult to be a smoker and participate in the drum corps activity. Understand that smoking is also not acceptable in the presence of staff members.

ILLNESS - Though any personal medical situation is confidential, it will be extremely important for our management and medical personnel to know of any periodic affliction from which you might suffer; no matter how major, minor, embarrassing or life-threatening. Please note it on your medical form. Only the corps' management and medical personnel will review your medical form. From the day you move in you are required to have medical insurance through the end of the summer tour.

HAZING - Hazing is defined as any action taken or situation created intentionally that causes embarrassment, harassment, ridicule, or risks emotional and/or physical harm to members of a group or team, whether new or not, regardless of the person's willingness to participate. Hazing is a felony; it is a crime. SCV and SCVC espouses and values strong character, dignity and integrity - all traits which are the antithesis to the aspects of where hazing begins. We should always treat fellow members, staff, and volunteers with the utmost of respect.

BULLYING - Bullying is defined as unwanted, aggressive behavior that involves a real or perceived power imbalance. Verbal bullying is saying or writing mean things. Social bullying, sometimes referred to as relational bullying, involves hurting someone's reputation or relationships. Physical bullying involves hurting a person's body or possessions. All forms of bullying are not tolerated within the SCV organization and are grounds for dismissal.

HARASSMENT AND DISCRIMINATION POLICY:

Harassment is defined as communication or behavior that mocks, demeans, puts down, disparages, defames, or ridicules a corps member, staff member, or volunteer. This includes unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, physical assaults, threats, intimidation, offensive jokes, name-calling, offensive nicknames, and offensive pictures or objects. Vanguard Music and Performing Arts strives to provide an environment free of all harassment, intimidation, or exploitation. We expect that volunteers, members, and staff will treat one another with respect.

All volunteers, members, and staff are subject to this policy and are required to take a Sexual Harassment Prevention Training before the start of the season. Individuals who violate this policy and training are subject to immediate suspension and possible dismissal of their obligations and responsibilities to the VMAPA organization.

Discrimination is treatment or consideration of, or making a distinction in favor of or against, a person based on a person's age, race, religion, national origin, sex or gender, gender identity, sexual orientation, physical or mental disability, color, pregnancy, parental status, genetic information, or weight.

Reports of harassment and/or discrimination of any kind are taken VERY SERIOUSLY and will be dealt with promptly. The specific action taken in any particular case depends on the nature and gravity of the conduct reported, and may include intervention, investigation and the initiation of disciplinary processes. Where harassment and/or is found to have occurred, VMAPA will act to stop the action, prevent its recurrence, and discipline those responsible.

SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY:

Social Media serves as a great mechanism to share your experiences and interact with friends, family, and other members of the drum corps community. However, you should always take responsibility for the content you post and consider your potential audience. Understand that the information you create and share via social media will serve as a representation of Vanguard Music and Performing Arts. We expect all members, staff, and volunteers to refrain from posting their personal opinions on sensitive topics and in any way that may be interpreted as being the opinion of the organization.

Any and all uses of VMAPA trademarked materials (logos, program names, show artwork, etc.) must be approved by Corps Management. This includes use in graphics, section apparel, or other merchandise.

SOCIAL MEDIA DOS:

- Like and follow SCV/VMAPA on social media and share our content through your own profiles to help expand our reach. We post a lot of exciting information online, so invite your friends/family to like and follow us too!
- Be sure to obey all laws and regulations governing the creation, posting, sharing, or distribution of explicit content as well cyber bullying/harassment.
- Think before you post if you have to ask whether or not your content is okay to post, it probably isn't!

SOCIAL MEDIA DON'TS:

- Create a public social media channel that serves to represent VMAPA in any way. For example, an "SCV Trumpets" Instagram, Facebook, or Twitter account is strictly prohibited.
- Share confidential information that has not yet been released to the public. Including, but not limited to, special announcements and elements of show design.
- Post on VMAPA-related social media sites (alumni pages, forums, etc.) making solicitations for money, donations or assistance in competition with the organization's overall efforts to raise funds.
- Create your own logos, graphics, merchandise, videos, or other materials that may be mistaken as representing VMAPA.

WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT FROM DRUM CORPS?

You will find the drum corps activity to be quite possibly the hardest thing you will have ever attempted in your life. It is all about working as a team for long hours under the hot sun, sometimes through wind, rain, and frustration to achieve something spectacular. We expect you to have a professional attitude and be committed. If you're offered membership and decide to participate, we expect you to work hard and give everything you have in our team effort.

Though this may be one of the most difficult things you've ever attempted, you will find that there are many more positives than negatives. You will make lifelong friends and there will be great times and great competitive moments when the adrenaline will flow. There will even be times where rehearsal will be more fun, educational, and enjoyable than you could ever imagine. Another result of the summer will be that your talents will definitely improve, and other abilities you didn't know you had will be developed. Along with that, you might even find yourself in the greatest physical shape of your life!

WHAT IS A SUMMER TOUR LIKE WITH SCV?

MOVE-INS: SCV will "move-in" for Pretour rehearsals on Saturday, May 21 (Percussion moves into Denton, TX on Friday, May 20). If your school year extends beyond the move-in date, Corps Management can assist you in an attempt to be dismissed early. High school seniors are permitted to leave pretour to attend graduation and return following commencement. These conflicts will need to be addressed beginning in December 2021 before you will be awarded a position in the corps.

PRETOUR: Pretour (or Spring Training) is a period of about 5 weeks where the corps rehearses and prepares for the competitive season. Members of SCV can expect to rehearse approximately 10-12 hours a day (usually three rehearsal blocks per day) during this time, and will be housed in dorms or a school gym. All meals will be provided from our food truck with the exception of the first week for members of the percussion section who will receive a daily food stipend while they are in Texas.

TOUR: SCV's competitive tour takes place from late June to early August and spans the country from California to Indiana. The corps travels in three 55-passenger coach buses and nearly all of our traveling is done overnight. While on summer tour, the corps will eat a minimum of three times a day and quite often four times a day (breakfast, lunch, dinner, snack). Sleep is certainly a priority for making sure our members are functioning at their best, but it is important for you to understand that sleep is often your responsibility. You will live in close proximity with your fellow corps members and should always respect their personal space/belongings while on the bus or in the gym.

WHAT IS A SUMMER TOUR LIKE WITH SCVC?

MOVE-INS: SCVC will "move-in" for Pretour rehearsals on June 18. Exceptions will only be made on an individual basis by Corps Management. Any conflicts will need to be addressed beginning in January 2022 before you will be awarded a position in the corps.

PRETOUR: SCVC pretour is a period of a few weeks where the corps rehearses and prepares for the competitive season. During this time, the organization **DOES NOT** provide housing, but many local members often open their homes to house out of town members. Some meals are provided.

TOUR: SCVC's competitive tour takes place from California to Indiana from late June to Mid-August. The corps travels in three 55-passenger coach buses to shows and events, and meals are provided. Sleep is certainly a priority for making sure our members are functioning at their best, but it is important for you to understand that sleep is often your responsibility. You will live in close proximity with your fellow corps members and should always respect their personal space/belongings while on the bus or in the gym.

*SCV and SCVC will take into account member gender identification when creating sleeping arrangements as well as shower/restroom procedures. We will also consider gender identification, skin tone, and religious attire when fitting and designing our uniforms.

WINTER CAMPS:

The majority of our SCV/SCVC winter camps are held in the San Jose/Santa Clara area. You will always need to RSVP for each event in MySCV. These rehearsal camp weekends usually begin with registration at 6:00 PM Friday evening and all members stay overnight at the facility. Vanguard provides all meals at camp starting with snack after Friday evening's rehearsal. There is no additional "Camp Fee" for winter camps after your audition, as this is part of your 2022 Membership Fee.

The color guard will NOT attend the January, February, or March camps; however, they are required to attend the April color guard call-back camp.

MYSCV DATABASE:

MySCV serves as each member's personal access point on the VMAPA website. This members-only portal allows you to look up financial info, create shuttle requests, access forms, RSVP for events, pay fees, and see special messages. We expect each member will login to MySCV on a regular basis to check and update their information as necessary.

Please keep your MySCV account up to date with a current mailing address, as well as phone number and email. Don't forget to go in and add a photo to your profile as well! It is important that you **regularly check your MySCV designated e-mail** account and pay attention to the SCV website & social media for updates.

ONLINE COMMUNICATION:

All questions for staff and corps management should be sent by e-mail (and/or Slack only once offered membership). VMAPA Administration will communicate with you through these channels, NOT through social media. We expect all members to regularly check their e-mails and keep Slack notifications ON so important updates are not overlooked. Do NOT use Facebook for staff contact or communication!

VIDEO AUDITIONS:

Vanguard accepts video submissions/virtual auditions ONLY for auditioning members who have been pre-approved by Corps Management and Caption Mangers. These approvals are generally granted for those with unavoidable conflicts. All other auditions must take place at an audition camp or callbacks.

FUNDRAISING:

In the spring, each member of SCV and SCVC will be required to participate in an annual fundraising campaign to secure each program's finances before the summer. These fundraisers compensate for any unplanned increases in the cost of food, fuel, facilities, transportation, etc. This is not a fundraising campaign for individual member benefit and does not satisfy member fees.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

The Vanguard organization is reliant on many great volunteers who help keep things moving behind the scenes. From sewing and sizing to cooking and serving - we couldn't function without them! Should you become a member in the 2022 Santa Clara Vanguard or Vanguard Cadets, we encourage your parents to reach out and volunteer at camps, on tour, or at various events in the Bay Area and beyond. Whether it's a week, a few days, or just for a few hours as we travel through, we appreciate all the help we can get! *Please contact Tour Manager, Julia Meadows (JMeadows@SCVanguard.org), for more information!*

CELL PHONES & ELECTRONICS:

SCV does allow members to bring cell phones, laptops, tablets, etc. on tour, however, there is always a very real possibility of having them lost or stolen by outsiders. These items are brought to winter camps and on tour at your own risk. Vanguard Music and Performing Arts is NOT responsible if they become broken, stolen, lost, missing or damaged.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

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IMPORTANT DATES:

SCV Austin Audition	November 13, 2021	SCV Brass and Color Guard
SCV Houston Audition	November 14, 2021	SCV Brass Only
SCV Dallas Audition	November 19 - 21, 2021	SCV All Sections (minus Cymbals)
SCV LA Audition	November 26 - 28, 2021	SCV/SCVC All Sections
SCV San Jose Audition	December 3 - 5, 2021	SCV/SCVC All Sections
SCV Orlando Audition	December 11, 2021	SCV Color Guard Only
SCV Miami Audition	December 12, 2021	SCV Color Guard Only
SCV Callback Camp	December 17 - 19, 2021	SCV Full Corps (Callbacks)
SCV January Camp	January 14 - 16, 2022	SCV Brass and Percussion (No Color Guard)
SCVC Callback Camp	January 21 - 23, 2022	SCVC Brass and Percussion (Callbacks - No Color Guard)
SCV/SCVC February Camp	February 18 - 20, 2022	SCV Brass and Percussion (No Color Guard) SCVC Brass Only (No Color Guard)
SCV March Camp	March 18 - 20, 2022	SCV Brass and Percussion (No Color Guard)
SCVC March Camp	March 25 - 27, 2022	SCVC Brass Only (No Percussion/Color Guard)
SCV/SCVC April Camp	April 29 - May 1, 2022	SCV/SCVC Full Corps (SCV/SCVC Color Guard Callbacks)
SCVC Memorial Day Camp	May 27 - 30, 2022	SCVC Full Corps