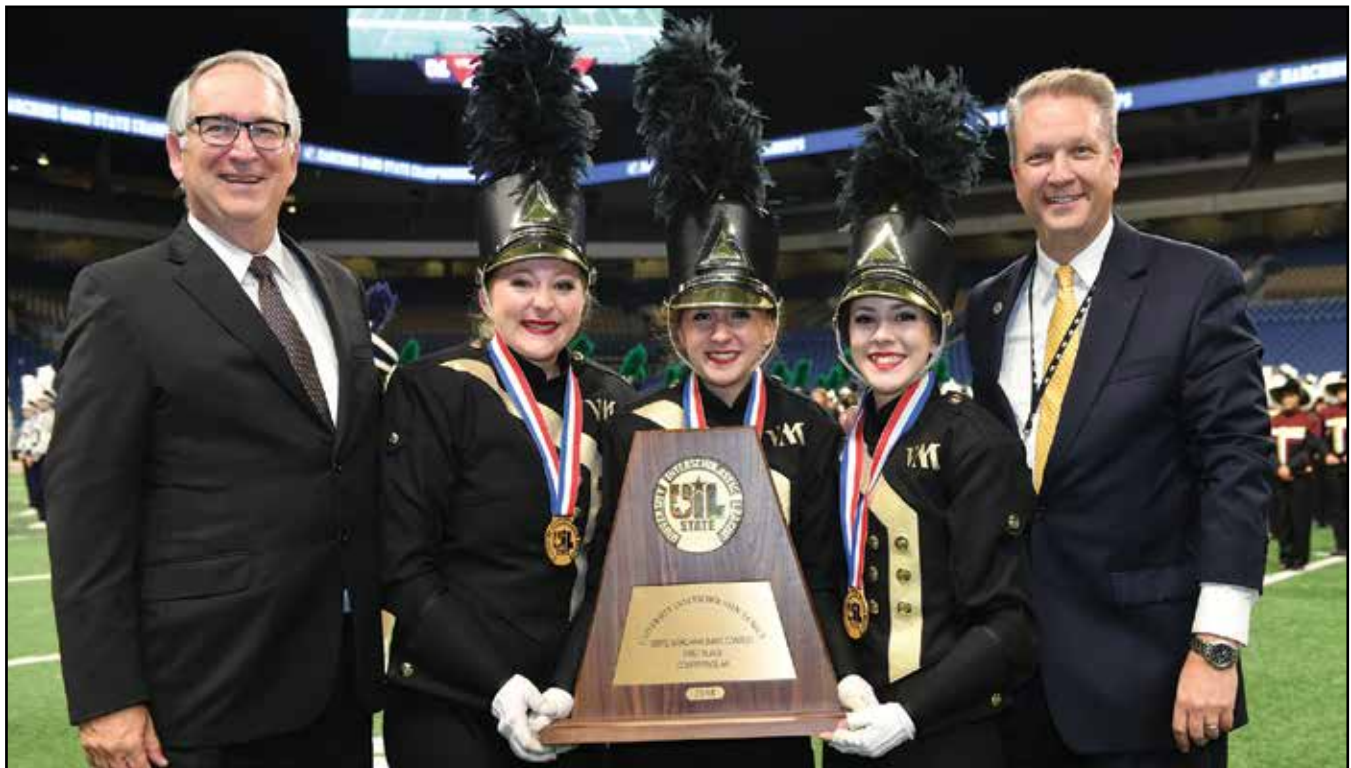


# The UIL Marching Contest State Champs

Congratulations to all who qualified to participate in the 2018 U.I.L. State Marching Band Contest. All of the bands who performed at State deserve special recognition. These bands have been practicing since last summer, working hard on their marching program. All have made their schools and community proud! The U.I.L. marching competition started in October with hundreds of bands competing at the Region level. The top bands were then chosen to compete at the Area level. Finally, the top 2A, 4A and 6A bands were chosen to compete for the coveted state title in November. Congratulations to these students and directors for their commitment to excellence.

## Congratulations to all the 2A Bands and Directors who competed in the state competition:

Ben Bolt-Palito Blanco .....	Adan Salinas, Jr.	Price Carlisle .....	Chris Clifton
Charlotte .....	Anthony Castillo	Seymour .....	Scooter Miller
Falls City .....	Steven Wolf	Shiner.....	Zachary Sims
Forsan .....	Jim Rhodes	Sundown.....	Mike Glaze
Gladewater Union Grove ...	Brandon Garmon	Thorndale .....	Michael Powers
Hico .....	Christopher Wright	Thrall .....	Elizabeth Morrison
Honey Grove .....	James Edwards	Timpson.....	Rhonda Daniel
New Deal .....	David Speer	Valley Mills.....	Jon Schriver
Panhandle .....	Nick Stephenson		



**Valley Mills HS**  
**Director: Jon Schriver**  
**Assistant: Stormy Semich**  
**Drum Majors: Matalynn Thayer, Sara Chase, Brianna Sansom**  
**Program Title: Out of the Shadows**

## Congratulations to all the 4A Bands and Directors who competed in the state competition:

Anna .....	Justin Wallis	Melissa .....	Jerry Whorton
Argyle.....	Jason Bird	Orange Little Cypress-Mauriceville..	Jose Ochoa
Big Spring .....	Rocky Harris	Paris .....	Charles Grissom
Burnet .....	Jason Jones	Paris North Lamar.....	Randy Jones
Canton .....	Mike Bartley	Pecos.....	Richard Cole
Canyon.....	Mike Sheffield	Port Isabel.....	Scott Hartsfield
China Spring.....	Marc Nichelson	Rio Grande City Grulla .....	Oscar Gonzalez
Hidalgo Early College.....	Jorge Lozano	Rio Hondo .....	Juan Cantu
Kennedale .....	Erol Oktay	River Oaks Castleberry.....	Mario Morales
Lamar Fulshear .....	Andrew Lee	Springtown.....	Chris McLellan
Longview Spring Hill .....	Randy Kiser	Wills Point .....	Nick Kornegay
Lumberton .....	Tim Pallone		



**Canton HS**  
**Director: Mike Bartley**  
**Assistants: Kristopher Still, Christopher Downs, Leslie Kupetz**  
**Drum Majors: Luke Slider, Bonnie Dyess**  
**Program Title: Creed**

## Congratulations to all the 6A Bands and Directors who competed in the state competition:

Austin Bowie .....	Garth Gundersen	El Paso Pebble Hills.....	Maximo Sierra	Lewisville Marcus.....	Jeffrey D. Jones
Austin Fort Bend ISD .....	Ryan Demkovich	Fort Bend Clements .....	Daniel Galloway	Mesquite Horn .....	Todd Burke
Austin Vandegrift.....	Mike Howard	Galena Park North Shore ..	Shane Goforth	Pearland .....	Joe Munoz
Austin Westlake.....	Kerry Taylor	Harlingen .....	Maria Coronado/	Pearland Dawson.....	Aaron Brown
Brownsville Hanna .....	Dennis Ewing		Ronnie Rios	Pharr-San Juan-Alamo .....	John Garza
Cedar Park Vista Ridge.....	Bryan Christian	Jersey Village .....	Brett Nelson	Pflugerville Hendrickson...	Sean Phelan
Clute Brazoswood .....	Martin Montoya	Katy Seven Lakes.....	John Mays	Prosper.....	John Alstrin
Conroe Oak Ridge.....	Dana Pradervand	Katy Taylor.....	Mike Ary	Rockwall .....	Brandon Downs
Conroe The Woodlands....	Joni Perez	Katy .....	Terence Gorton	Round Rock Cedar Ridge..	John Peterson
Conroe Woodlands College Park		Keller .....	Mark McGahey	Round Rock .....	David Mobley
.....	Jeffrey Goring	Laredo Alexander .....	Joshua Martinez	San Antonio Johnson.....	Jarrett Lipman
Coppell .....	Gerry Miller	Laredo United .....	John Mallon	San Antonio Reagan .....	Dan Morrison
Cy-Fair .....	Mark Veenstra	Leander .....	Robert Selaiden	Waxahachie .....	Rich Armstrong
Duncanville.....	Mark Teal	Lewisville Flower Mound..	Brent Biskup		
El Paso Montwood .....	Humberto Perez	Lewisville Hebron .....	Andy Sealy		



### Cedar Park Vista Ridge HS

**Director: Bryan Christian**

**Assistants: Hector Gil, Reid Atkinson, Erin Kosman, Zach Santos**

**Drum Majors: Alice Palmiere, Matthew Jenkins, Chloe Fritsche,**

**Abigail Jablon, Paige Cliffel**

**Program Title: Lost and Found**