

MWPBA BAND RESULTS
CHICAGO SCOTTISH FESTIVAL AND HIGHLAND GAMES
JUNE 17, 2023

GRADE 5 QMM

BAND	Piping Judge Stack	Piping Judge Weithers	Drumming Judge Parkes	Ensemble Judge Worrall	TOTAL	PLACE	Best Drum Corps	Best Bass/Midsection
North Texas Caledonian Pipes & Drums	1	1	5	1	8	1st		
Cincinnati Caledonian Pipes & Drums	8	5	1	3	17	2nd	X	
Capital City Pipes and Drums	2	4	7	5	18	3rd		
87th Cleveland Pipe Band	4	7	2	6	19	4th		
Spirit of Michigan Pipes & Drums	6	11	6	2	25	5th*		
Kansas City St. Andrew Pipes & Drums	9	9	3	4	25	6th*		
Chicago Highlanders Pipes & Drums	7	13	4	12	36	7th*		X
City of Rockford Pipe Band	3	3	15	15	36	8th*		
Turlach Ur Pipe Band	14	8	9	8	39	9th*		
Firefighters Highland Guard of Naperville	13	2	13	11	39	10th*		
Celtic Nations Pipes and Drums	5	6	16	13	40	11th		
Flint Scottish Pipe Band	11	10	11	9	41	12th		
James Enright, Sr. Memorial Pipe Band	12	15	8	7	42	13th		
Nashville Pipes and Drums	15	14	12	10	51	14th		
Macalester College Pipe Band	16	12	10	14	52	15th		
Celtic Cross Pipes and Drums	10	16	14	16	56	16th		

***tie broken by ensemble score**

The Midwest Pipe Band Association
BAND PIPING

Band: Kansas City St. Andrew Pipes & Drums

Grade/Event: Grade 5 QMM

Games: Chicago Scottish Festival

Adjudicator: Tom Weithers

Date: June 17, 2023

Intro / Attack

☐ Clean
☐ Ragged

Detailed Comments:

- early chosen
1. confident intro
well exposed
solid force
 2. overall unison good
some blowing problems creeping in on D & F
 3. some unison problems caused by pipers on untidy figures
 4. A tone & unison improving here

Has enjoyable perfume in 2 very good tunes in the middle of
the set there were some obvious blowing problems and
unison/figure problems. These are the tunes the most work.

Finish

☐ Clean
☐ Ragged

Overall Assessment:


Adjudicator's Signature

Placing: 9th

The Midwest Pipe Band Association
BAND PIPING

Band: Kansas City St. Andrew Pipes & Drums

Grade/Event: Grade 5 QMM

Games: Chicago Scottish Festival

Adjudicator: Jim Stack

Date: June 17, 2023

Intro / Attack	<input type="checkbox"/> Clean
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Detailed Comments:

Attack not together - early chasr - nice intro. tunes -
good pace / musicality - drone double tuning near side -
otherwise drones well tuned. - some blowing issues toward
top of circle. / playing fairly well now - chasrs fairly
well tuned - nice selection so far - band in comfort level
/ sm so to low - grip together - nice setting here... /

some minor unsteadiness... sm - slip... - far side circle...

good solid stop. Nice selection of tunes - nice full sound
overall.

Finish	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clean
	<input type="checkbox"/> Ragged

Good Effort!

Overall Assessment:


Adjudicator's Signature

Placing: 9

The Midwest Pipe Band Association
BAND ENSEMBLE

Band: Kansas City St. Andrew Pipes & Drums

Grade/Event: Grade 5 QMM

Games: Chicago Scottish Festival

Adjudicator: Bob Worrall

Date: June 17, 2023

Intro / Attack	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clean
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Detailed Comments:

- good percussion intro
- early chanter
- lovely melodic delivery of 1st tune
- good tonal balance between 2 corps
- good overall chanter/drum balance
- good bass/tenor-tonal quality
- lovely snare integration in these pieces
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- felt snares could extend dynamics range for greater melodic impact
- some very effective bass/tenor voicing throughout the selection
- as the performance progressed I felt the need for a little more drive/forward motion through 2 bar phrases
- precise transitions between all tunes
- only a few rough pipe corps union passages
- overall, a very polished ensemble performance
- only a few slight concerns/suggestions
- ex finish

Finish	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clean
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Overall Assessment:


Adjudicator's Signature

Placing: 4