

Game #2 - Lakewood High School

Pregame

BAND PLAYS: Conference game - Both Bands will play SSB

- 1) **Ladies and Gentlemen**, please rise for the singing and playing of our Alma Mater.
- 2) **Ladies and Gentlemen**, please stand, Gentlemen remove your hats for the playing of the National Anthem (Conducted by "Dale Hildebrandt" Director of the "Rangers Marching Band")

Read: After call to Attention while band enters the field

Half-time

Good evening ladies and gentlemen, we present from Marion L Steele High School *The Amherst Marching Comets*. The band is under the direction of Christopher Barbaro and Assistant Director, Christopher Lash. Ancient Mesoamericans believed that death was part of the journey of life. Rather than death ending life, they believed that new life came from death. *The Day of the Dead* is an opportunity to remember and celebrate the lives of departed loved ones. Like any other celebration, *The Day of the Dead* is filled with music and dancing. When people dance with death, they learn to respect that life is a cycle. We present to you this evening, part one and part two of our 2018 Competition Show.....**DIA DE LOS MUERTOS**.

Read: Wait until the band stops the cadence on the field. If done...GO!

AND NOW! THE AMHERST MARCHING COMETS!!!!

Read: after band plays Opener

(There are no announcements after song #1) - We go right into #2

Read: as the band clicks to concert set

This #1 R&B hit was Bell Biv DeVoe's DEBUT single. The group was comprised of New Edition members Ricky Bell, Michael Bivins and Ronnie DeVoe. This song, in the style of new jack swing, a late-1980s/early-1990s hybrid of R&B, hip hop and swing—was the group's most successful, and sings of the dangers of falling in love with a "wolf in sheep's clothing". We feature our Color Guard, under the direction of Allison Allen, to "**POISON**"

Read: after band plays Poison

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, THE AMHERST MARCHING COMETS!

As we cadence off the field: Read after Cheer For Amherst

The Marching Comets would like to thank the Steele Staff, Custodians, Mr. Tellier, Mr. Wolf, Mr. Zvara and Mr. Sayers for for all their support and backing of the band program. Our Annual Steak Fry is Saturday, September 29th. See any band member or staff if interested in purchasing tickets. The Marching Comets will begin their Ohio Music Education's competition season in 2 weeks as they travel to Akron University working toward their 17th year in a row to make it to the State Marching Band Finals. **Good Luck MARCHING COMETS!**