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Music for All Indiana State Fair Band Day Presented by Music Travel Consultants Announces Top Ten; Noblesville High School Wins Top Honor

August 4, 2018, Indianapolis, IN- The 2018 Music for All Indiana State Fair Band Day presented by Music Travel Consultants has concluded after a hard-fought battle between the bands previously announced as the "Sweet 16." This was the final contest of the Central Indiana Track Show Association's (CITSA) season for these 43 high school bands. After much deliberation among the eight judges, Noblesville High School was awarded the title of "Indiana's Best Band" and takes home the trophy at this year's Indiana State Fair Band Day for the second consecutive year.

Throughout the day, the Hoosier Lottery Grandstands were filled with music fans and family members/friends of the marching bands as the "Sweet 16" and finalist were announced.

According to the Indiana State Fairgrounds & Event Center Executive Director Cindy Hoye, "Regardless of scoring, all of today's 43 participants are winners by virtue of their hard work and dedication. The Indiana State Fair is proud to host this exciting event."

The Top 10, as selected by the judges:

- 1. Noblesville
- 2. Anderson
- 3. Jay County
- 4. Kokomo
- 5. Centerville
- 6. Winchester
- 7. Richmond
- 8. Muncie Central
- 9. Lebanon
- 10. Northeastern

ABOUT THE INDIANA STATE FAIR

The Indiana State Fair is the state's largest multi-day event celebrating Hoosiers' spirit and agricultural heritage. These 17 days celebrate Indiana agriculture and promote it to hundreds of thousands of people across Indiana, and beyond. Nationally recognized for offering great entertainment, showcasing youth, interactive agriculture education programs, premier facilities and a variety of unique, fun foods, the Indiana State Fair has been an annual attraction for generations of Hoosiers since 1852. The 2018 Indiana State Fair will be held August 3-19. The 2018 theme pays homage to Indiana's rich circus

heritage by offering a world-class Big Top Circus presented by Bee Window. The new family-friendly Big Top Circus is FREE with paid State Fair admission and features acrobats, clowns, trapeze artists and more! For more information, visit www.indianastatefair.com.