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## LINDALE HIGH SCHOOL BAND WINS UIL STATE MILITARY MARCHING BAND CHAMPIONSHIP

The Lindale High School's "Pride of Lindale" Band has earned a State title for the fifth consecutive year after winning the UIL State Military Marching Band Championship. The UIL held the state competition on Wednesday at McLane Stadium in Waco, TX.

"We are so proud of our Eagle Band program," said Superintendent Stan Surratt. "Head Band Director Weston Fisher and his directors are continuing the "Tradition of Excellence" with one of the best band programs in the state. As a superintendent, I just could not be prouder of this group of musicians. Five-peat State Champions - It's going to be tough to top that. The Pride of Lindale has made the entire community proud."

There are more than 200 students currently in the Lindale High School Band. The Lindale Band also recently received a division 1 sweepstakes award at the region 21 marching contest for the 50th consecutive year. This set the stage for the band to compete at the State event. The band program has been practicing for this competition since August.

“We are so proud of the accomplishments of the Pride of Lindale Band this season,” said Director, Weston Fisher.” “Earning their 50th consecutive 1st division at UIL Marching Contest as well as a 5th UIL/NAMMB State Military Marching Band Championship has been very surreal! The students worked very hard, were extremely dedicated, and listened to anything anyone suggested for improvement so that they would improve with every rep and with every performance.”

The Lindale High School Band’s final State performance earned them 1st place from all five judges. This is the fifth year that the UIL has had a separate Military and Open Style State Marching Band Championship. It allows both styles to be judged based upon criteria specific to each style.

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