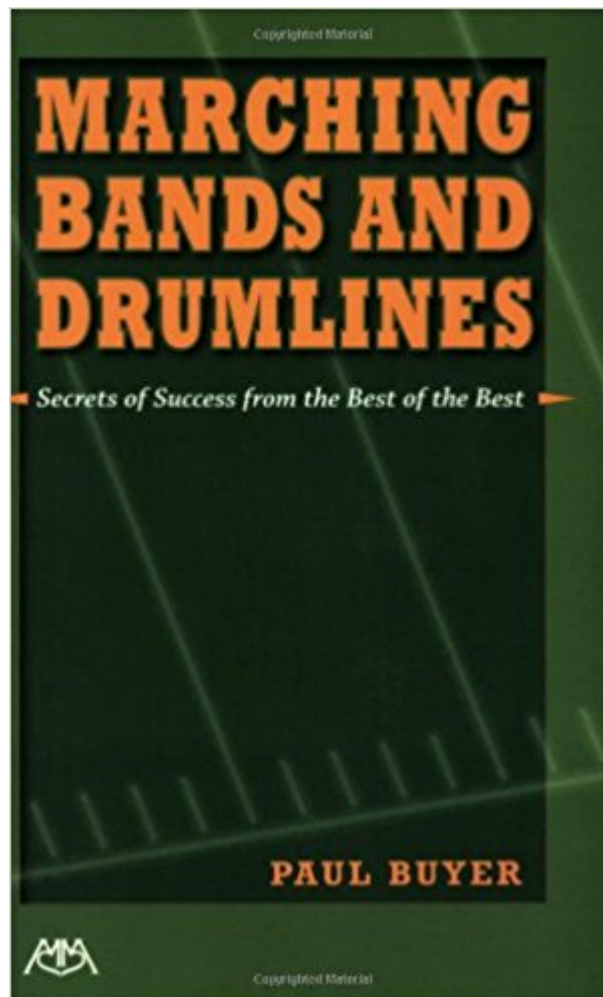


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# Marching Bands And Drumlines: Secrets Of Success From The Best Of The Best



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The subtitle of the book "Secrets of Success from the Best of the Best" really tells the story. This book is about how great organizations, in this case college marching bands, got that way and stay that way. It's really a handbook on how to achieve excellence, not only in band or drumline, but in life. The author spent a college football season traveling to different universities attending rehearsals, conducting interviews, and spending game day with 7 top marching bands. What a great idea, and what a great result: this book! Get it!

My 16 year old son, who rarely reads, read this book cover to cover in a few days and thanked me profusely for giving it to him for Christmas. For teens and young adults interested in marching band, this book is a winner.

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Paul Buyer does a fantastic job of providing the reader an in-depth look at some of the best collegiate marching band programs in the United States. His subjects represent many of the diverse approaches available to collegiate marching bands and drumlines. Paul not only includes his own insights from the experience but also direct quotes from some leaders in the field. If you don't have the time or resources, to spend a week with seven great organizations, then you should read this book.

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