



GREG HORNER, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF BANDS

Greg Horner is in his fifth year as an Assistant Band Director with the Cedar Ridge Band. Mr. Horner conducts the Symphonic and Jazz Bands, leads marching rehearsals, and organizes the Solo and Ensemble Contests.

Mr. Horner is a graduate of The University of Texas at Austin with a degree in Music Studies - Instrumental Education Emphasis. While a student at UT he had the opportunity to perform with many ensembles, including the Wind Ensemble, Symphony Orchestra, Lab Orchestra, Butler Opera Center, New Music Ensemble, Jazz Orchestra, Brass Chamber Choir, Trumpet Ensembles, and Basketball Band. He has performed at such events as the Menuhin International Violin Competition, Percussive Arts Society International Convention, inauguration of UT's President Fennessey, and earned second place in the National Trumpet Competition (2016 Large Ensemble Division).

Mr. Horner has had an extensive career with Drum and Bugle Corps, touring, performing, and educating across America and Europe. He has marched with the Bluecoats (Canton, OH, 2010 - 11), the Blue Devils (Concord, CA, 2012 - 14), and the Blue Devils International (2015). During this time, he served as a section leader and trumpet soloist with the Blue Devils (2014). He is currently a brass instructor with the Phantom Regiment Drum and Bugle Corps (Rockford, IL), previously the same with the Blue Knights Drum and Bugle Corps (Denver, CO).

Mr. Horner is from nearby Pflugerville, TX and was a visual and private lesson instructor with Pflugerville High School from 2011-2015. While a student there he was a two-time all-state trumpet player.

Outside of music and marching, Mr. Horner enjoys exploring the outdoors and cooking.