
Greg Horner

Greg Horner has been an Assistant Band Director with the Cedar Ridge Band since 2016. Mr. Horner leads the brass section, visual, and full ensemble rehearsals for the marching band, directs the Wind Symphony and Jazz Bands, and organizes the Solo and Ensemble Contests. In addition he provides some arrangements and compositions for the marching band.

Under his direction, the Cedar Ridge Trumpet Ensemble was a semifinalist at the 2023 National Trumpet Competition and the Horn Ensemble was an invited performer at the 2024 TMEA Convention

Mr. Horner has an extensive career with Drum Corps International, touring, performing, and educating across America and Europe. He has marched with the Bluecoats (Canton, OH), the Blue Devils (Concord, CA), and the Blue Devils International. 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 Blue Devils Drum and Bugle Corps, a title he formerly held with the Phantom Regiment Drum and Bugle Corps (Rockford, IL) and Blue Knights Drum and Bugle Corps (Denver, CO).

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 performed with the Wind Ensemble, Symphony Orchestra, Lab Orchestra, Butler Opera Center, New Music Ensemble, Jazz Orchestra, Brass Chamber Choir, Trumpet Ensembles, Basketball Band, and many more. He has performed at events such as the Menuhin International Violin Competition, Percussive Arts Society International Convention, and National Trumpet Competition (2016 Large Ensemble Division Finalist).

Mr. Horner grew up in nearby Pflugerville and as a student at Pflugerville HS was a two-time all-state trumpet player.

Outside of teaching, Mr. Horner enjoys performing on trumpet whenever possible, exploring the outdoors, and cooking. He and his wife, Courtney (music teacher at RRISD's Blackland Prarie ES), as well as their small herd of cats are thrilled to be a part of the Cedar Ridge community.



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