



**Percussion World Championships
Northern Kentucky University
Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) Site Info
500 Louie B. Nunn Drive
Highland Heights, KY 41099**

- The arena is situated on two floors:
 - The arena level consists of performance check in, loading/unloading areas, and the performance area.
 - Indoor prop storage will ONLY be available in the case of inclement weather and at the direction of the backstage manager.
 - The concourse level consists of the spectator entrance and performance photos.
- Parking at Northern Kentucky University is very strict. Please instruct those traveling with you to park only in the designated WGI Spectator Parking area. There is a \$5 per vehicle parking fee – **cash only**.
- Each ensemble will be allotted 4 parking passes. Buses and trucks do not need a parking pass and will be permitted parking in the Bus/Truck Lot. See maps for details and traffic flow.
- Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) has implanted security screening and clear bag procedures. Please instruct everyone traveling with you to allow extra time upon arrival. A list of prohibited items is located in this packet.
- Traffic can be very congested in Cincinnati and surrounding areas. Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) is located south of downtown Cincinnati. Please plan accordingly.
- Dressing facilities are limited. Please come in competitive attire.
- All warm ups will be conducted in the parking lot. There are two tents outside that may be utilized. Please see the logistical schedule for your ensemble's tent times.
- The performance floor will be concrete. A black tarp will cover the entire competitive floor.
- The competition area is 72' x 106'. Please see the floor plan for more details.
- A black drape will adorn the back wall of the arena, covering entrances and exits.
- Power Specifications - WGI will provide two 20 amp dedicated circuits on the front and back sidelines.
- Buses and equipment trucks must move to the designated Truck and Bus parking area (Furniture Fair - please see attached map) **IMMEDIATELY** after unload. You will be given a reload time upon arrival to report back to the unload/reload zone. There will be a shuttle that runs between the remote lot (Furniture Fair) and the arena. **Shuttle driver phone number: 937.361.8506.**

Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) Clear Bag Policy

To enhance public safety and ease of access into the facility, Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) will now enforce the following purse and bag policy limiting the size and style of bags allowed in the facility.

- 12" by 6" by 12" clear bag + 1 clutch bag per guest permitted.
- One Gallon Ziploc storage bag permitted.
- One Clutch bag no larger than 4.6"x 6.5" with or without straps permitted.
- Exceptions can be made for Medical bags after a proper inspection.
- Guests who wish to bring in a Medical Bag will go through inspection at the current gate.

Prohibited Bags

- Purses, Bags, anything larger than 4.6"x6.5"
- Camera Bags
- Briefcases
- Computer Bags
- Backpacks
- Coolers, Yeti Coolers, etc.
- Fanny Packs
- Luggage
- Draw String Bags

Subject to change based to event needs

PROHIBITED BAGS



Backpack



Purse



Camera Bag



Binoculars Case



Fanny Pack



Printed Pattern Plastic Bag

APPROVED BAGS/PURSES



12" X 12" X 6"
Clear Plastic Bag



11 Gallon
Clear Plastic Storage Bag

— OR —



4.5" X 6.5"
Clutch Purse



4.5" X 6.5"
Clutch Purse



3" X 4"
Clutch Purse

Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) Prohibited Items

- Aerosol Cans
- Alcohol, drugs, illegal substances, or any paraphernalia associated with drug use
- Animals
- Audio/Video recorders
- Backpacks
- Bags larger than 12" by 6" by 12" - See Clear Bag Policy.
- Balloons
- Camera cases
- Cameras with removable lenses or flash
- Cans, bottles, coolers, or other similar containers
- Fireworks
- Flags, signs, or banners
- Hover boards
- Laser pens/pointers
- Noisemakers such as air horns or whistles
- Outside food or drinks
- Tripods, monopods, other professional photography equipment or selfie sticks
- Pepper spray/mace
- Weapons of any type, including chains, knives, firearms, and spiked jewelry
- No Smoking or Vaping is permitted at BB&T Arena
- **Other items deemed unacceptable by event/building management**

If an item is revealed during a search, patrons may dispose of the item, or they may return the item to their vehicle. Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) does not safeguard any personal belongings or items of any type.

Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena) Security Screening Procedures – General Public

- Please plan to arrive early.
- All guests and employees are subject to search upon entry.
- Security will perform visual inspections and bag checks using dowels at all entrance points for the particular event, including the employee entrance and the back of house loading dock entrance.
- Event attendees will be screened at the entrances, looking for above prohibited items.
- Bags will be checked – see Clear Bag Policy.
- Medical bags exceeding 14"x14"x6" will be tagged with a bright colored wristband to indicate bag has been inspected.
- Patrons have the option of discarding prohibited items at entrance point or taking items back to their vehicle.

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Bus and Trucks must go around turn about to get to entrance.

Bus / Truck and Spectator Entrance

Bus and Truck Entrance

Spectator Parking Entrance

Bus Unloading and Reloading

Spectator Entrance / Box Office

Spectator Parking \$5

Truist Arena (Formerly BB&T Arena)

Warm Up Lots

Truck Unloading

Truck Unload/Reload

To Furniture Fair Parking

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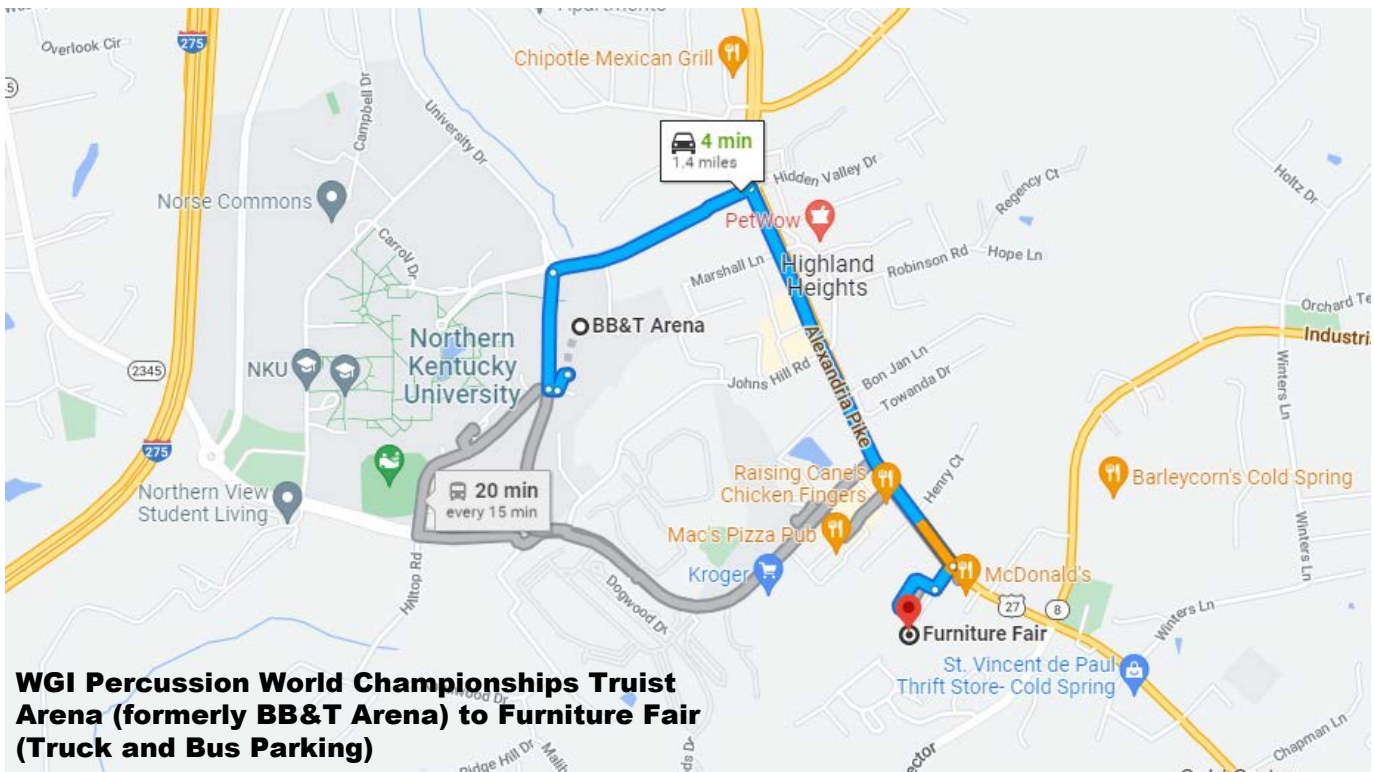
39°01'53.96" N 84°27'28.06" W elev. 808 ft eye alt. 3635 ft

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- ↑ 1. Head west
177 ft
- ↱ 2. Turn right toward University Dr
75 ft
- ↱ 3. Turn right onto University Dr
0.2 mi
- 🔄 4. At the traffic circle, take the 1st exit onto Louie B Nunn Dr
0.3 mi
- ↱ 5. Turn right onto US-27 S/Alexandria Pike
0.7 mi
- ↱ 6. Turn right onto Monterey Ln
243 ft
- ↱ 7. Turn right
492 ft

Furniture Fair
3710 Alexandria Pike, Cold Spring, KY 41076

These directions are for planning purposes only. You may find that construction projects, traffic, weather, or other events may cause conditions to differ from the map results, and you should plan your route accordingly. You must obey all signs or notices regarding your route.



WGI PERCUSSION WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS
TRUIST ARENA (FORMERLY BB&T ARENA)
NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIV.
HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KY
ALL WARM UP SPACES
APPX: 60' X 20'

**TO FURNITURE
FAIR PARKING**

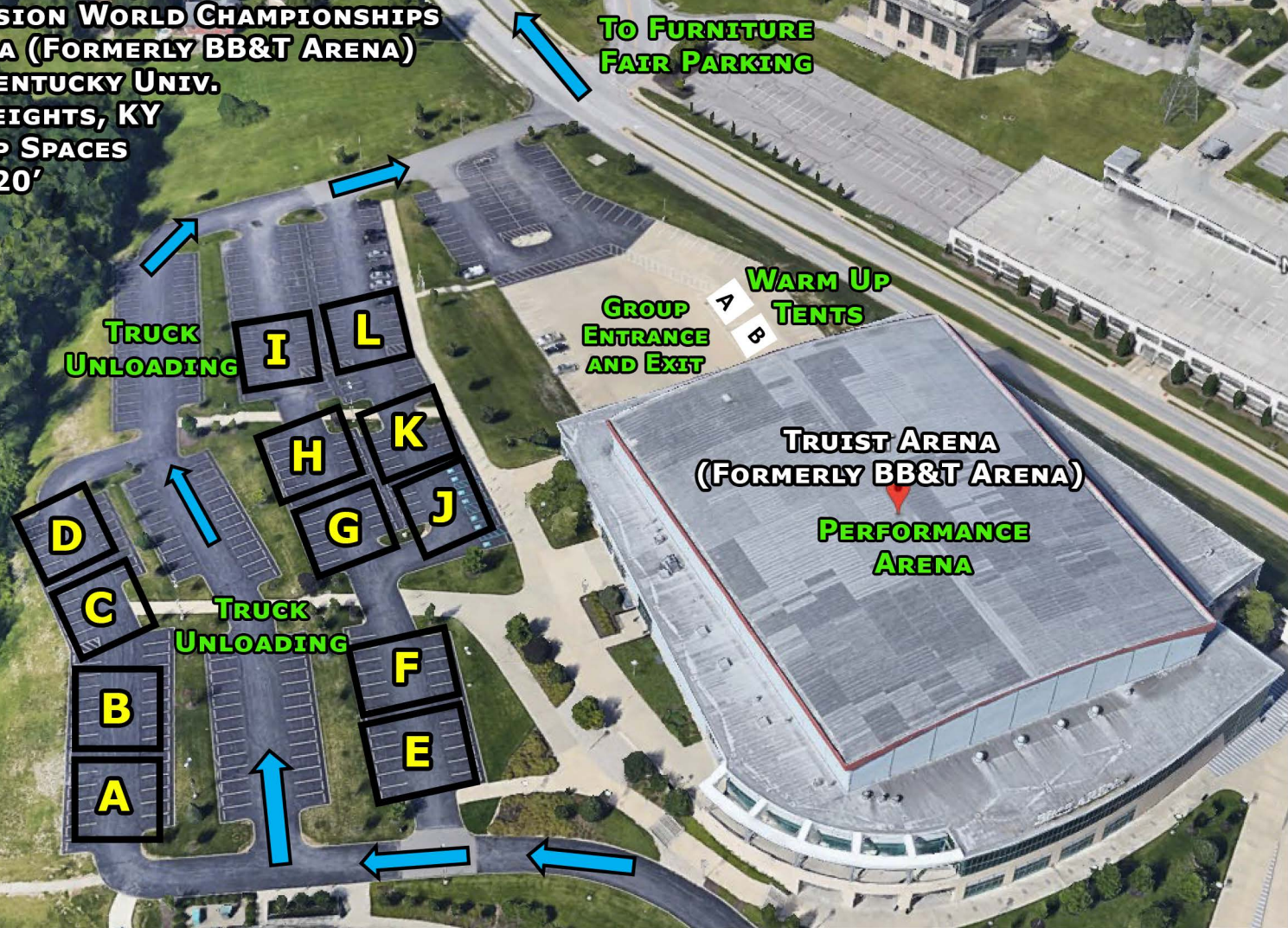
**TRUCK
UNLOADING**

**GROUP
ENTRANCE
AND EXIT**

**WARM UP
TENTS**

**TRUIST ARENA
(FORMERLY BB&T ARENA)**

**PERFORMANCE
ARENA**

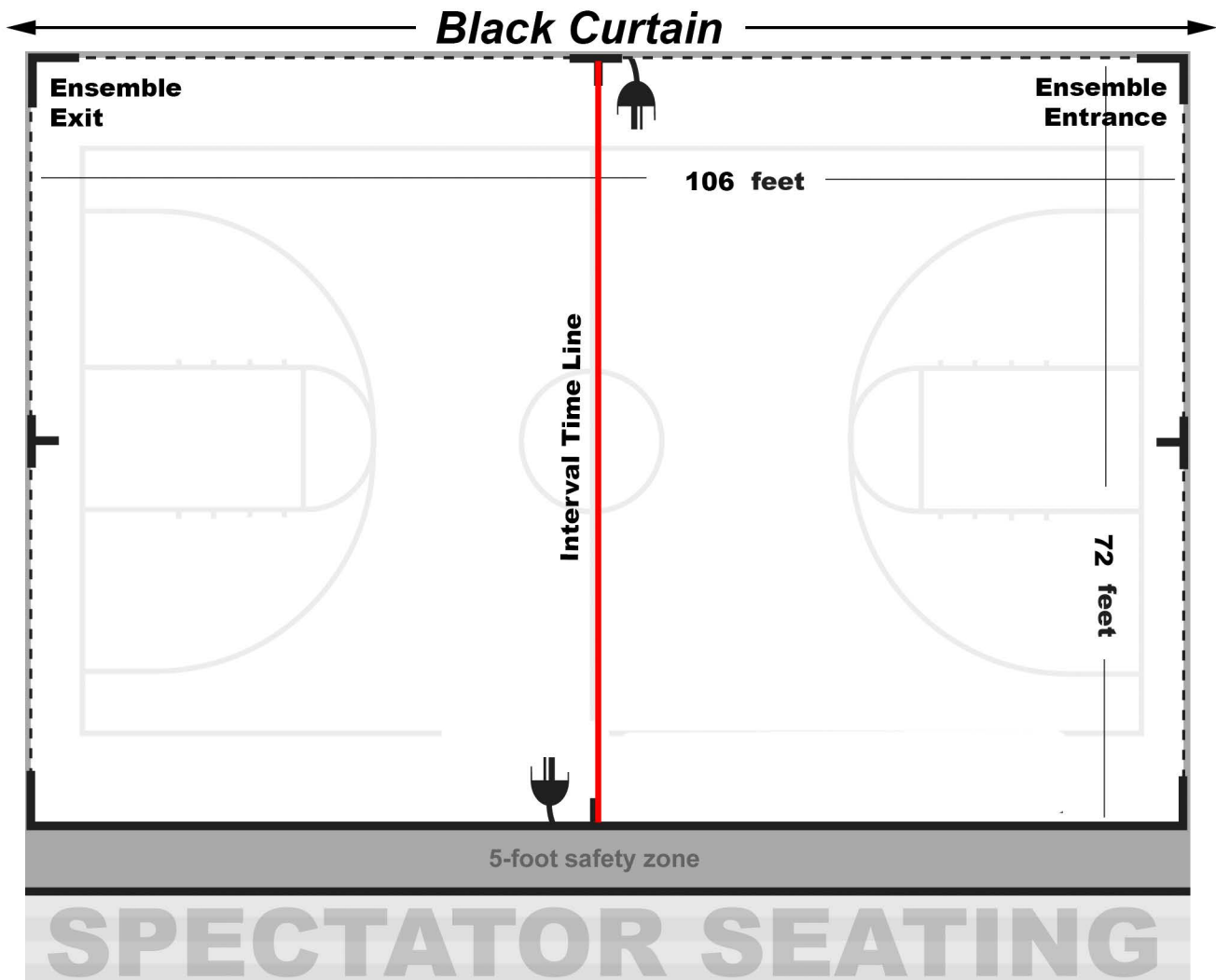




**Percussion World Championship Competition Area
Northern Kentucky University, Truist Arena (formerly BB&T Arena)
Highland Heights, KY**

All WGI contest sites must have a minimum of seventy by one hundred feet (70' x 100') to accommodate a "safety zone" of five (5) feet from any spectator seating. If no spectators are seated on the left and right sides, then the safety zone will be eliminated on the left and right sides of the competition area and extend to a maximum of 72' X 106',

All performing groups must be prepared to perform within the competition area. Floors (tarps) may not extend into the safety zones per rules found in the WGI Adjudication Manual and Rulebook



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