

Anaheim H.S.
Indoor Drumline 2012
“Drafted”

During World War II, every 18 year old male in the United States was required to register for compulsory military service (also known as “the draft”). For years, Millions of men were inducted into service for our country. The 2010 Anaheim High School indoor drumline show will attempt to depict the life-changing events and emotions of one young man who has been drafted into the army. Our hero will stand in the middle of the floor motionless for the entire show, only changing poses as the music changes to represent his different experiences. From the first day at boot camp to a dramatic end to the young man’s service, this show will be an emotional roller coaster that is sure to leave an impression on any audience.



Costumes: Military style uniforms. Camouflage pants, green shirts. The young man in the middle will start in a beige army suit with a green duffle bag, but will add a camo jacket, helmet and other gear as the show progresses. Optional hats, dog tags, etc. for the pit and battery members

Music: Original music that will include a wide variety of military styles, sounds, and effects. The music will change to match the experiences and emotions being portrayed at each point in the show.

Part 1 “Drafted” 1:30

The show begins with our hero reporting for duty. A combination of military music and war-time sound effects sets the tone and the young man stands in the middle of the stage in his army suit & tie, holding a duffle bag.

Part 2 – “Boot Camp” 1:00

An aggressive soundtrack accompanies the fast & complicated military style drill as the young man is swept up in a flurry of movement and excitement from the battery. Our hero is assimilated into the military machine, and prepares for battle (puts on camo jacket & helmet).

Part 3 – “Fear” :45

A brief “calm before the storm” moment for the show, allowing the music to express the fear that our hero experiences as he is about to step onto the battlefield.

Part 4 – “Battle / Wounded” 1:15

An intense battle sequence, complete with sound effects. This scene ends abruptly with a bomb sound effect that leaves our hero on the ground.

Part 4 – “The Purple Heart” :30

The hero gets up and salutes the audience, while an emotional and inspirational soundtrack brings the experience to an end.

