



Howard Payne College

Brownwood



Texas

This Certifies That

Robert E. Ferguson

having completed the Course of Study as prescribed by the Faculty and Board of Trustees and having complied with all other requirements of the College has been awarded this Diploma and the title of

Bachelor of Music Education

and is entitled to all the rights, honors and privileges appertaining to that degree.

In Witness Whereof, the seal of the College and our signatures are hereunto affixed at

Brownwood, in the State of Texas, on this *SIXTH* day of *May* A.D. 1973

Paul Pates

President of Board of Trustees

Rosa L. Brook

President of College

MEMBERSHIP



CERTIFICATE

Phi Beta Mu

INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL BANDMASTER FRATERNITY

HONORS

Robert Ferguson

AS AN Alpha MEMBER

AND IS ENTITLED TO ALL THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES THEREBY CONFERRED



Van B. Rappelle

PRESIDENT

Duward Howard

SECRETARY

11 February 1995

DATE



Certificate of Membership
Robert Earl Ferguson

Phi Mu Alpha
Sinfonia Fraternity
of America
Mu Omega

November 29, 1966

Chapter

Harry R. Wilson
National President

Ernest Wolfe
National Executive Secretary

Larry D. McVinn
Chapter President









BOB FERGUSON

WE APPRECIATE ALL THE
HARD WORK YOU'VE PUT IN.

WE KNOW WE COULDN'T
DO IT WITHOUT YOU.

BOBCAT BAND

1979



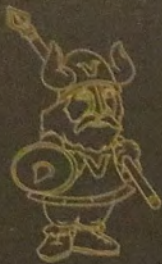
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THANKS

FOR ALL YOUR
HELP AND SUPPORT

1986-87
SOARING PRIDE
MARCHING BAND



FROM
VIKINGS
TO
RAIDERS



1985 - 1992

PRESENTED TO




Bob Ferguson



WITH THIS AWARD, WE WISH TO EXTEND TO YOU
OUR SINCERE APPRECIATION FOR THE DEVOTED YEARS
YOU HAVE SPENT WITH US.



1985 SIXTH GRADE
BEGINNING BAND



Certificate of Appreciation

Awarded to

Bob Ferguson

Outstanding Band Director

In honor of the Wornell family

May 17, 1996

Raider Rhythm Seniors 1996





BOB FERGUSON
In Appreciation
10 Years To The
1986-95
Canyon Fire Department



In Appreciation To

Bob Ferguson



*For Your Years Of Dedication
To The Students Of*

*CLACK MIDDLE SCHOOL
CARDINAL BANDS*



*Presented By
BAND BOOSTERS*

1999





Cooper High School Band
Texas Stadium
December 9, 2000

Honorable Discharge

from

The Awesome Cooper Band

Directors Guild

of
COOPER HIGH SCHOOL

Know ye all men by these presents that

Bob Ferguson

having been a loyal and true member of The Cooper Band Directors Guild, and having pursued all musical obligations zealously and having creditably met the requirements of the school, bringing honor and good repute to this organization, is hereby honorably discharged as an active member of The Cooper Band Directors Guild and herewith admitted to membership for life
in the

Cooper Band Ex-Directors Association

Therefore, in testimony of the merits of our fellow member and with the most sincere wishes for a long, successful and happy life, we have set our hands in witness this 18th day of May in the year of our Lord, 2001.

Barbara Andrews
BOOSTER PRESIDENT

Steve and Mary Hoc
BOOSTER VICE-PRESIDENT



Bob Ferguson

Your vision, leadership, and dedication made the dream a reality

*AHS Symphony Orchestra
Inaugural Season 2002*





2004

Sudler Shield

JOHN PHILIP SOUSA FOUNDATION

INTERNATIONAL AWARD

RECOGNIZING THE

HIGHEST

STANDARDS OF

EXCELLENCE





ALLEN ESCADRILLE 2015

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Presented To

ROBERT FERGUSON

**In Recognition Of 35 Years Of
Outstanding Service To Education**

Allen Independent School District



Mr. Robert Ferguson

We will forever be grateful for your
years of dedication and service.

Thank you for sharing your
knowledge, love, and passion
for music.

From
The Ereckson MS Husky Band



May 25, 2016



Mr. Robert Ferguson
For your support
of the
Allen ISD Orchestras
2001-2016



**In Appreciation
of your Years of
Excellence to the
Allen Eagle Escadrille**

Bob Ferguson
2001 - 2016

**"The Biggest Band
in the Land"**



Presented to

Robert Ferguson

Allen High School Administration and Staff
present this award in appreciation for your many
years of service. Your dedication and consideration
of students and staff surpasses all expectations.

Professional Service in Education
46 Years

Allen ISD Service in Education
14 Years



"18th Hole" 2012
St. Andrews, Scotland

An intimidated, shy five-foot girl steps into the Curtis Middle School band hall for the first time. She opens her brand new loaner flute not knowing who her teacher is, or if she even wants to be a member of the middle school beginner band. She never would have imagined Mr. Bob Ferguson would have changed her life.

Bob Ferguson, the flute assistant to Alicia Kemnitz, taught me the basics of everything I know about the flute. He set up a great pathway for me through various amounts of scale practices, rhythm charts, and other fundamentals necessary to become a quality flute player. I learned something new everyday in band class, and the time seemed to pass by incredibly quickly. I loved listening to stories that Mr. Ferguson would share about the high school band kids and their abilities to play, perform, and lead. I never would have guessed that I would soon be one of the children he was talking about.

When I entered the Allen Eagle Escadrille as a high school flute player, Mr. Ferguson was still one of the band directors. He was very clear on the precision of marching, and he emphasized the correct ways of playing while marching. He also would call out to the section leaders and drum majors to assist him in helping those who were struggling.

My senior year, I decided to try out for drum major, which is the highest leadership position offered within the band. Mr. Ferguson, along with the other band directors, was a judge in the try-out procedure. I thought back to 7th grade when I first started band, and remembered Mr. Ferguson saying, "Try your best; a little effort will get you far". This phrase pushed me to put in as much as I could give. I realized that I was grateful for the opportunity, achieving the position as drum major, or not. Mr. Pennington announced the three new drum majors, and I was beaming for my success.

Through my senior year, I have realized that a lot of what I accomplish would not exist if I never learned the basics. You cannot sing a song without knowing how to speak. I am so thankful for Mr. Ferguson and the lessons that he has shared with me for the past six years.







CAREER OF ROBERT E. FERGUSON

1968-69 GOLDTHWAITE HIGH SCHOOL

1972-74 O'DONNELL HIGH SCHOOL

1974-84 SUNRAY JUNIOR HIGH

1984-96 VALLEYVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL

1996-2001 CLACK M.S. & COOPER HIGH SCHOOL

2001-16 ALLEN HIGH SCHOOL