FABRIC CARE & WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

BAND SHOPPE'S FABRIC CARE RECOMMENDATIONS:

Band Shoppe only offers fabrics produced to meet our extensive stretch and quality standards. To help extend the life of your uniforms, decorations, and spirit flags, we must inform you about certain fabrics choices and practices to avoid.

FRAGILE FABRICS NEED EXTRA CARE:

- 1. Repeated wear and washing may cause the fabrics to fade or lose foil
- 2. Alcohol in all aerosol products will affect these fabrics, including hair sprays, perfumes, and makeup setting sprays. Please cover the garment before applying
- 3. Deodorants and perspiration may cause the fabric to fade or lose foil. We recommend using aluminum-free deodorants to help reduce color transference, especially when combining light and dark fabrics under the arm (individual results may vary)
- 4. Fabric with hologram or metallics will eventually dull over time from repeated washings and use
- 5. Always follow proper washing instructions located on the reverse side of garment tags

COLOR BLOCKING:

Combining a white or light-colored fabric with dark-colored fabrics may show color transference when laundered. This common problem can become obvious under some conditions.

Some color may transfer onto the lighter garments worn under a dark garment. Sweat and deodorant often contribute to color bleed, especially when the two colors meet under the arms. Even when following proper washing instructions, you may notice some color transference. Additionally, damp garments left in a garment or travel bags may show color transference.

If you choose to combine sensitive fabrics and colors, you do so at your own risk. **Band Shoppe may** refuse returns on special orders using these combinations or refuse returns on orders due to color transference. To minimize this problem, it is essential that you carefully select your fabric color combinations and follow the washing instructions listed below and on garment tags.

WASHING AND CARE INSTRUCTIONS: intermatical instructions: intermatical instructions

Garments must be washed separately. Turn garments Inside out. Use a mild liquid detergent.

Gently hand wash in a large volume of cold water. Rinse immediately. DO NOT allow garment to soak. Pat dry with a clean towel and use a thick plastic hanger to air dry.

- DO NOT use fabric softeners
- DO NOT dry clean
- DO NOT iron

Band Shoppe will only guarantee garments that are washed and dried as directed.

Always follow garment care label Instructions.