

# **8:00 Accordion Invasion Registration**

## **8:30 Preliminary Rehearsal – Everybody Together**

1. Introduction
2. find out:
  - how many old timers
  - how many newbies
  - issue arm bands
3. make sure everybody (who wants it) has music
4. make sure everybody (who wants it) has music with chords
5. play in key of C
6. play bright switches only –don't use bassoon reeds
7. do not play buttons –keep it bright
8. play it through a few times –get the feel of it –learn the melody
9. pair up newbies with old timers

## **8:40 Individual Practice**

1. Old Timers study music to verify exact notes and chords
  - verify melody notes
  - verify fingering
  - verify chords used
2. Old Timers help newbies to learn to play the melody
  - explain the bellows
  - explain the switches
  - explain the fingering –see the music
  - go over the notes

## **8:50 Final Practice**

1. rehearse the song in 3/4
2. try with buttons
3. try 4/4 for marching
4. practice rolloff

## **9:00 Show Time**

1. assemble in general gleet formation
2. intersperse old timers and newbies
3. ooze over to the official recording site
4. record the masterpiece to placate the sceptics from Guinness

## **9:20 Triumphant Procession to Activity Center**