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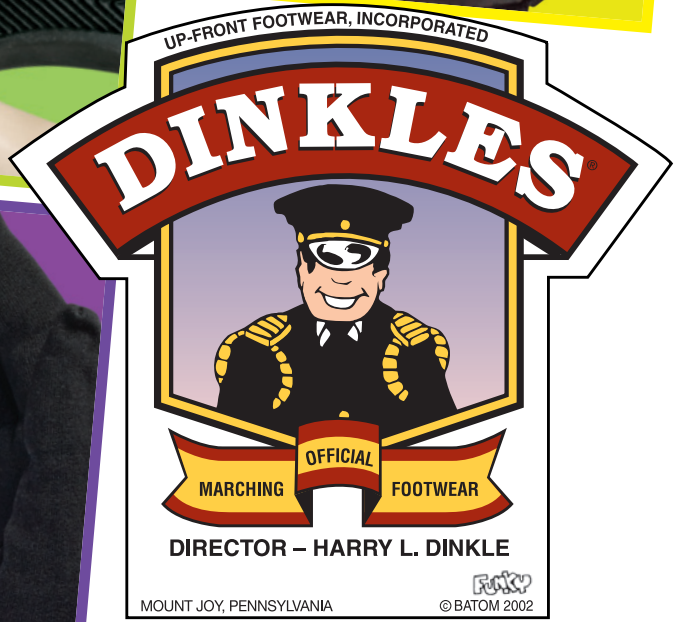
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The **MARCHING SHOES**
You Count On

A Message from the President

Each year, it is my great pleasure to write a welcome letter for the DINKLES catalog. It is my chance to share with our friends and customers where we are headed for the year.

Some years, I struggle and other years it flows right out on to the page. This year was easy. I have waited all year to say "Thank you". The 2021 marching band season was the return to "normal" we all needed. For many of you, the long-awaited return of marching band was a great way to get back to a business-as-usual approach, no matter how unusual the conditions may have been.

We hope you were able to count on DINKLES in a year when so much was uncertain. Whether you were a valued returning user or a newcomer to the DINKLES community, we're so pleased we could deliver the products you and your students needed.

Hearing the excitement and seeing the bands on the

field made many of the struggles of the year before just a distant memory. I am very grateful to everyone who returned to DINKLES this past year. Meanwhile, 2021 brought many new DINKLES marchers to our family. Either way, we can't wait to serve you all again this season.

As we move on to the fall of 2022, we still face challenges. Everyone is tired of hearing the words "supply chain." Believe me, I am at the top of that list. Shipping challenges along with increased manufacturing costs have forced us to raise prices for the first time in a long while. Raising prices right now upsets me, but we are doing our best to keep DINKLES marching shoes as affordable as they have always been without sacrificing any of the quality, dependability and comfort that are our trademark. The last thing we would ever do is to make a change to our trusted shoes, just to save a dollar.

Once again, I want to thank our customers who have supported us over the years and look forward to seeing your bands in DINKLES again this year. And for the new customers looking to make a switch or buy shoes for the first time, we can't wait to help you. We know once you try DINKLES you will be with us for many years.

I invite you review our 2022-23, which is our 35th brochure. You will see a wide selection of the quality shoes and gloves that we have provided for the last three and a half decades. We hope you'll make the choice to march in DINKLES and become part of our heritage in service to the music educators and students who proudly take to the field, the parade route or the performance stage in DINKLES every year.

We take great pride in providing timeless style and satisfying you, our customers every day. As DINKLES remain the marching shoes you can always count on.

Sincerely,

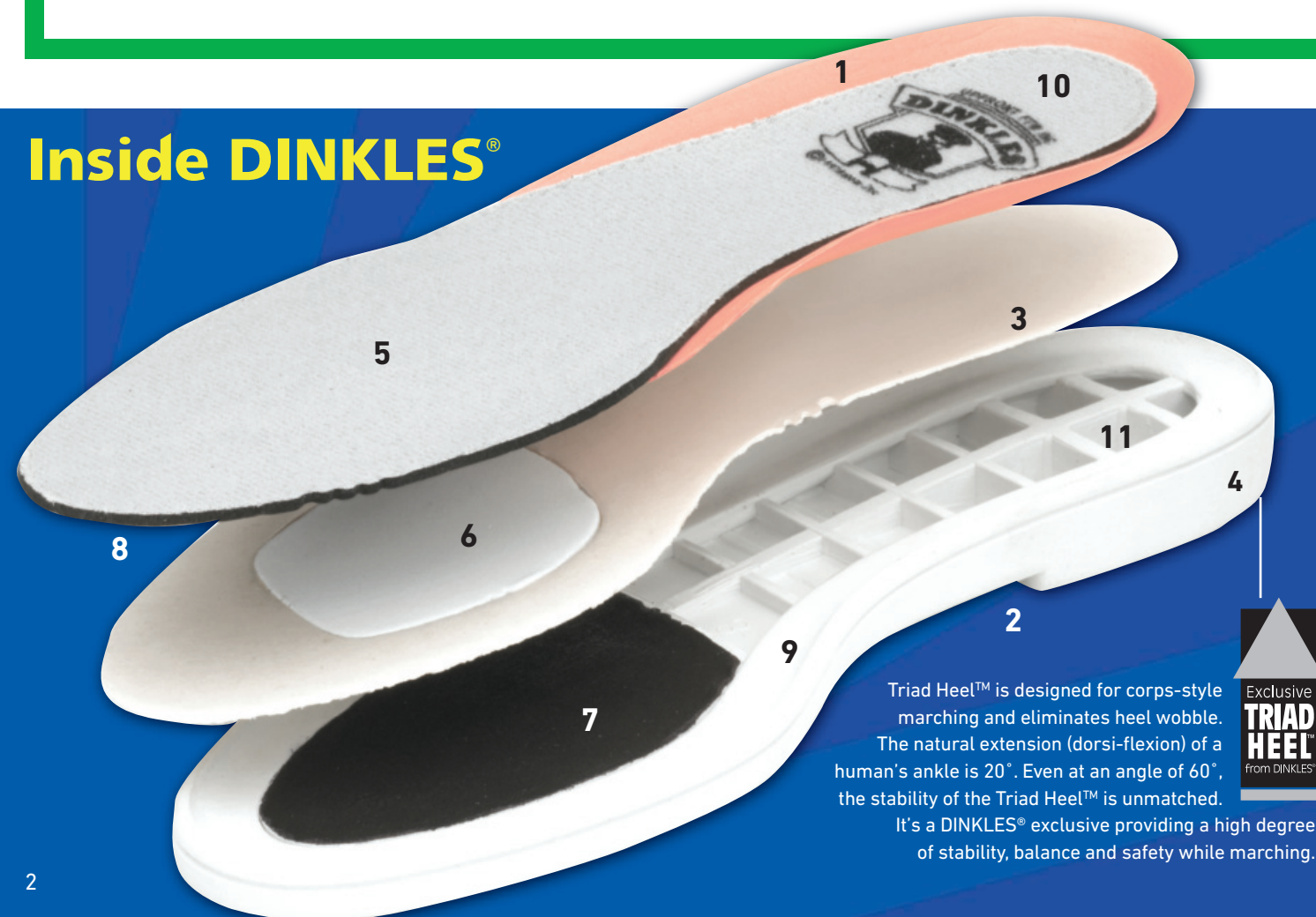


Jeffrey Savoca
President

OFFICIAL MARCHING SHOES



Inside DINKLES®



Triad Heel™ is designed for corps-style marching and eliminates heel wobble. The natural extension (dorsi-flexion) of a human's ankle is 20°. Even at an angle of 60°, the stability of the Triad Heel™ is unmatched. It's a DINKLES® exclusive providing a high degree of stability, balance and safety while marching.



World's Greatest Marching Shoes

- 1 RUNNER'S ORTHO CUP.** Molds to the shape of the foot creating a custom fit. Provides extra arch support and comfort.
- 2 HEEL NOTCH.** Holds a spat securely in place.
- 3 TEXON® INSOLE BOARD.** Provides a sturdy foundation which prevents the shoe from breaking down.
- 4 TRIAD HEEL™ DESIGN.** This heel is designed with two stabilizing points that allow the heel to roll smoothly with no wobble.
- 5 NI-LEX® TWO-ZONE COMFORT LINING.** Two working layers pull moisture away from the foot keeping it dry and comfortable.
- 6 FOREPART PAD AND FLEX FEATURE.** A foam pad is embedded in the insole board to provide extra cushion and flexibility where the stress of marching is greatest, reducing the shoe's "break-in" period.
- 7 FOAM INSERT.** Custom insert in each sole for extra cushion preventing fatigue and burning in the ball of the foot.
- 8 ACTIVE RUBBER CUSHION.** Gives your foot rebound for every step.
- 9 RUBBER BLENDED (TPR) SOLE.** Provides maximum traction, cushion and wear.
- 10 OFFICIAL SEAL OF HARRY L. DINKLE.** Assurance of superb, quality construction from the "World's Greatest Band Director."
- 11 FLEX BARS.** These are made to take shock away from the heels and knees.





Glide®



DINKLES® exclusive Triad Heel™ provides unparalleled stability, balance and safety. No other shoe offers this level of stability and assuredness when marching.



FEATURES

- 1 Special Rubber Blended (TPR) Sole for superior traction and long wear
- 2 Forepart Pad & Flex Zone gives extra flex and cushioning under the ball of the foot
- 3 Runner's Ortho Cup contours to the foot to soften every step
- 4 Lightweight Construction
- 5 Man-made Uppers for long-lasting, great appearance with a low maintenance and no polish finish
- 6 High-density Foam Insole for comfort
- 7 Full Arch Support to prevent foot fatigue and injuries
- 8 Best Value in Marching Shoes

\$30.95

#405 – White • #407 – Black

SHOE SIZING

DINKLES® BEATS THE COMPETITION

	DINKLES® Glide™ \$30.95	Drillmaster® \$39.95	DINKLES® Vanguard™ \$40.95	MTX \$43.95
Ortho cup design for a custom fit	✓		✓	
Front/back roll step design for stability	✓			
Supported box toe to keep a new appearance	✓			
Full Ni-Lex lining for cool, dry feet	✓			
Lightweight rubber soles for safety	✓			
Vinyl uppers for uniform appearance	✓	✓		
Guaranteed best value	✓			
Forepart metatarsal pad for comfort (See the construction chart for more details on this DINKLES exclusive)	✓		✓	
Laboratory tested best traction on wet and dry marching surfaces	✓		✓	
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Polyurethane coated cleanable leather
Guaranteed to never to split or crack
Soft, easy to clean and made for the outdoors

Forepart metatarsal pad for comfort
(See the construction chart for more details on this DINKLES exclusive)

Leather upper

Laboratory tested best traction on wet and dry marching surfaces

35-year proven track record

Best value in leather

Drillmaster is a trademark of Drillmasters

GLIDE, FORMAL AND VANGUARD																						
Women's Medium	5½	6	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	9½	10	10½	11	11½	12	12½	13	13½	14				
Women's Wide Width	8½	9	9½	10	10½	11	11½	12	12½	13	13½	14										
Men's and Youth Medium	3½	4	4½	5	5½	6	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	9½	10	10½	11	11½	12	13	14	15	16
Men's Wide Width	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	9½	10	10½	11	11½	12	13	14								
EDGE																						
Women's Medium	5½	6	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	9½	10	10½	11	11½	12	12½	13						
Men's and Youth Medium	3½	4	4½	5	5½	6	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	9½	10	10½	11	12	13	14	15		
For a wider foot, order ½ size to a full size larger																						
HOLLY AND STACIE																						
Women sizes only:	5	5½	6	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	10	11	12										
Medium width only – for a wider foot, order a ½ size to a full larger																						
SPIN AND STINGER																						
Women sizes only:	5	5½	6	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	10	11	12										
Medium width only – for a wider foot, order a ½ size to a full larger																						
ACCENT																						
Women sizes:	5	5½	6	6½	7	7½	8	8½	9	9½	10	11	12	13	14							
Medium width only.																						
For a male size order 2 sizes down. This means a Female size 14 is the same as a male size 12.																						

Vanguard®

FEATURES

The Chevron design sole provides unmatched traction and stability and holds a spat securely.



- 1 Full Leather Upper with a microporous finish, allowing feet to breathe.
- 2 Cotton Vamp Lining for dryness and comfort
- 3 Scuff resistant, breathable, water-resistant and easy-to-clean.
- 4 Special Rubber Blended (TPR) Sole for superior traction on all surfaces
- 5 Runner's Ortho Cup contours to the foot to cushion every step
- 6 Forepart Pad & Flex Zone gives extra flex and cushioning under the ball of the foot
- 7 Special Shock Resistant Heel and Sole Design
- 8 Full Arch Support to prevent foot fatigue and injuries

\$40.95

#705 – White • #707 – Black
#709 – White Upper w/ Black Sole



Formal™

FEATURES



The Chevron design sole provides unmatched traction and stability and holds a spat securely.

- 1 High Grade Patent Style Upper for a highly polished appearance
- 2 Special Rubber Blended (TPR) Sole for superior traction on all surfaces
- 3 Runner's Ortho Cup contours to the foot to cushion every step
- 4 Forepart Pad & Flex Zone gives extra flex and cushioning under the ball of the foot
- 5 Full Ni-Lex® two zone comfort lining
- 6 Special Shock Resistant Heel and Sole Design
- 7 Full Arch Support to prevent foot fatigue and injuries

\$33.95

#606 – White • #607 – Black





Edge

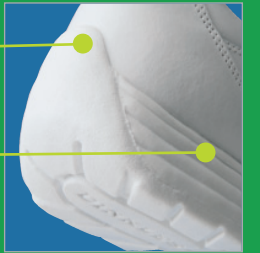
FEATURES

- 1 Dual Density Rubber Sole – One layer for high wear and great traction and one layer for shock-resistant comfort
- 2 Triad Heel™ design for corps-style marching
- 3 Full Terry Cloth and Tricot lining for great comfort and absorption
- 4 Full 1/4 inch of foam padding in the insole
- 5 Forepart Pad & Flex Zone gives extra flex and cushioning under the ball of the foot
- 6 Padded Tongue with Lace Tab to keep the tongue on the top of the foot where it belongs
- 7 High-Quality, Man-Made Uppers for long lasting appearance with a low maintenance and no polish finish
- 8 Full Arch Support to prevent foot fatigue and injuries

The lace system is designed to mesh together when the foot is bent giving the shoe more flexibility.



High-density rubber blended sole layer for unmatched traction and long wear.



Soft blend of rubber and cushioned EVA takes the shock out of every step.

\$37.95

#105 – White • #107 – Black



Accent™

FEATURES

- 1 Genuine Suede Leather.
- 2 Suede not only looks great but will clean easily with a soft brush keeping a like new appearance.
- 3 The flexible forepart is a woven mesh. It is backed for strength yet has a high amount of flexibility.
- 4 Full molded insole for comfort and support.
- 5 The sole pads are made of Polyurethane. This is considered one of the most durable foot beds used today.
- 6 Unique lacing system to prevent laces from loosening while performing.

\$41.95

Style #3007



Spin™

FEATURES

- 1 Combination of Leather and Polyurethane Upper.
- 2 Water resistant so it can be used on damp surfaces.
- 3 Full rubber sole for traction, flexibility and wear. Sewn on forepart and heel area so the sole will never come off and allows for increased flexibility.
- 4 Full tricot lined. Soft, non-pilling and keeps feet dry
- 5 The insole is 3/8 inch thick, soft EVA covered with Knitfit lining.
- 6 Indoor or outdoor use.

\$32.95

#207 – Black



Stinger™

Front Line Shoes

FEATURES

- 1 Full Leather Upper with a microporous finish that allows feet to breathe and provides protection against scuffs, stains and water.
- 2 Special Rubber Blended (TPR) Sole for superior traction on all surfaces
- 3 Suede Heel Keeper
- 4 Full Dri-Lex® Two Zone Comfort Lining
- 5 Designed specifically for the contour of a woman's foot
- 6 Flexible for easy maneuvering

\$33.95

#805 – White
#806 – Nude • #807 – Black



Holly™ Knee Boot

FEATURES

- 1 Soft and supple easy maintenance upper
- 2 Slip Resistant Soles and Heels made of Thermal Rubber Soling prevent black scrape marks
- 3 Heel is proper height and accepts cleats or taps
- 4 Insole has extra cushion in the heel creating more comfort in your step

Flexible Gore material in the shaft allows the boot to fit just about any calf size.



The heel height is 1" measured from the inside and 1 ¼" measured from the back to the ground.



\$46.95

#1005 – White

Stacie™ Majorette Boot

FEATURES

- 1 Slip Resistant (TPR) Rubber Soles prevent slips and falls
- 2 Soft Vinyl Upper easily wipes clean
- 3 Heel is proper height and accepts cleats or taps
- 4 Non-Marking Soles prevent ugly black scrape marks
- 5 Non-pilling inside collar material
- 6 Extra cushion in heel area for miles of comfortable marching

\$40.95

#2005 – White



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Gloves

1 NYLON GLOVES

100% nylon • Military style ribbed backs • Washable. Available in white and black. SIZE: One size fits all (OSFA)

GLP50 – White \$2.40/pr

GLP55 – Black \$2.40/pr

2 COTTON GLOVES

Quality cotton • Ribbed backs • Washable • Reinforced stitching. SIZES: S, M, L, XL

GL10 – White \$2.10/pr

GL80 – Black \$2.10/pr

3 HOOK-N-LOOP CLOSURE SURE GRIP

All cotton with rubberized non-slip dots on the palms for extra grip • Washable • Reinforced areas on the palms for heavier use with poles and rifles. SIZES: S, M, L, XL

GLP100 – White \$3.75/pr

GLP200 – Black \$3.75/pr

4 SURE GRIP GLOVES

Cotton with rubberized, non-slip dots on the palms give extra grip for rifles, flags or instruments. SIZES: S, M, L, XL

GLP30 – White \$2.50/pr

GLP40 – Black \$2.50/pr

5 SURE GRIP LONG WRISTED

All cotton with rubberized non-slip dots on the palms for extra grip on rifles, flags and instruments • Washable • Extra-long to keep wrist covered • Military style ribbed backs. SIZES: S, M, L, XL

GLP25 – White \$2.75/pr

GLP95 – Black \$2.80/pr

6 NYLON LONG WRISTED GLOVES

100% Nylon, Military ribbed back, Extra length to keep wrists covered. One size fits all (OSFA)

GLP450 – White \$3.10/pr

GLP455 – Black \$3.10/pr

7 LONG-WRISTED GLOVES

All cotton • Extra long to keep your wrist covered in all positions • Military style ribbed backs • Washable. SIZES: S, M, L, XL

GL20 – White \$2.25/pr

GL90 – Black \$2.25/pr

8 HALF-FINGER LONG WRISTED GLOVE

All nylon glove for musicians who need extra finger movement now available with a longer wrist. • Reinforced sewing at all points for strength and to prevent fraying. • Washable, available in white and black. SIZE: One size fits all (OSFA)

GLP570 – White \$3.10/pr

GLP575 – Black \$3.10/pr

9 HALF-FINGER GLOVE

Nylon glove for musicians who need extra finger movement • Reinforced at all openings to eliminate fraying • Washable.

SIZE: One size fits all (OSFA)

GLP70 – White \$2.90/pr

GLP75 – Black \$2.90/pr

10 PINK LONG-WRISTED GLOVES

All cotton • Extra long to keep your wrist covered in all positions • Military style ribbed backs • Washable.

SIZES: S, M, L, XL

GLP300 – Pink \$2.40/pr

Support Breast Cancer Awareness Month by marching in October with these striking Pink Gloves.

11 RULER

DINKLES is once again offering a shoe measure made just for DINKLES shoes with a compact design that stores easily in a desk drawer. **\$12.00**

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