Drum and bugle meet slated

The 16th Annual Optirama, pitting Northwest drum and bugle corps against each other, will be held Saturday, Feb. 17, at South Salem High School. The program is sponsored by the Salem Argonauts Drum and Bugle Corps.

Individual competitions for horns, drums and color guard will begin at 9:30 a.m. The main coior guard show is slated for 6:30

p.m.

Participants include the Spartans from Vancouver, the Marauders from Longview, the Pacific Blue from Surey, British Columbia, and the Imperials and the Cascades from Seattle. The Seattle entries were the top teams in 1978 competition.

The Argonauts will not be in color guard competition but will participate in individual events. Guest appearances from the McNary High Drill team and the Dart Dance Company will be in-

cluded in the program.

The visitors will be lodged by various local schools.

Admission for the individual competitions is free. Tickets for the color guard show will be available at the door, \$3 for adults and \$1.75 for children.