Need to Know Info (pre-camp)

Friday, July 15, 2022

SOUTHSIDE HIGH SCHOOL BAND
THE PRIDE OF SOUTHSIDE

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NEED TO KNOW INFO PRE-BAND CAMP 2022

Hello, PRIDE!

Our summer camps start next week! We are all **super pumped** to get this year off to a great start! Please read this letter and all of the info carefully.

I also want to say a huge thank you to our student leadership team, the Colorguard and Crimsonettes, and to the Band Boosters, all of whom have already been working quite hard over the summer. We appreciate your dedication and commitment to make our program better!

See you at camp!

Matt Weaver Director of Bands Southside High School

SCHEDULE

Full Calendar online at https://www.theprideofsouthside.com/calendar.html

Aux. / Percussion Camp

Mon 7/18 – Tues 7/19 9 am to 12 pm; 1-3 pm

BAND CAMP

Mon 7/25 - Fri 7/29 8 am to 12 pm; 5-9 pm Mini Camp

Wed 7/20 - Fri 7/22 9 am to 12 pm/lunch/1-3 pm

<u>Post-Camp Rehearsals</u>

August 1, 2, 4, 8, 9 5 pm – 9 pm

HYDRATION

The PMA-provided official band water jug for performances will not arrive until after camp. BE SURE TO BRING A WIDE-MOUTHED WATER JUG TO CAMP

Students should bring their own jugs for rehearsals but must ensure they bring enough water to safely maintain adequate levels of hydration. Students will not have access to water fountains on campus. Bottled water will be available for emergencies only.

Alabama is HOT! Wear sensible clothing & **SUNSCREEN!!!!!**

ALL STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO BRING THEIR OWN WATER JUGS AND/OR COOLERS EVERY DAY, NO EXCEPTIONS.

CAMP TIPS

- It will be HOT. Do not wait until the last minute to start preparing. Go outside this summer, drink lots of water, and prepare yourself for being outside long before the first day of band camp shows up.
- Everyone is to wear comfortable tennis shoes and socks at all times! Remember to bring a hat, you will need to wear it outside.

Other Information

- The PMA is asking every member to bring two cases of bottled water with them to camp. These donations will keep us hydrated through the football season.
- Bibbers and shoes will be distributed during camp. Tee shirts are not in just yet.
- If you shop online; please go to Amazon by the link on the band's website; it will give the PMA a percentage of your purchase price at no additional cost to you! https://smile.amazon.com/ch/26-2843935
- Parents, there are number of band items for sale on our apparel store. Check it out at https://www.schoolspiritsr.com/southsideband/
- Statements for June and July band fee payments have been sent out. If you have not paid your band fees, please do so immediately! We cannot operate effectively without the timely collection of your financial obligations. You can pay online via MySchoolBucks