SOUTHSIDE HIGH SCHOOL BAND THE PRIDE COMMITMENT, DISCIPLINE, TRADITION, EXCELLENCE

Important Info & Upcoming Events

Thursday, Nov. 16, 2023 Read this information on our blog at www.theprideofsouthside.com/blog

Football Season: Congratulations on the completion of a truly remarkable football and competition season! The show was so good and so much fun this year thanks to everyone's hard work!

Formal Concert Wear: The online store for formal wear will close this Sunday, November 19. Items will be shipped to the school and distributed by the directors. PLEASE, take special care to observe the fitting guide. You can read that info on the site's opening page, or click here: https://www.concertattire.com/pages/fitting-guide. *A reminder, if you have concert attire that still fits from previous years, you do not have to purchase it again. Ladies will need to purchase their own pearls; gentlemen will need to purchase or provide their own solid black necktie. Appropriate undergarments must be worn at all times. No visible underwear straps. Tuxedos – black socks, black dress shoes, no wrist or facial jewelry. Dresses – black hose, dress black flat shoes, no wrist or facial jewelry.

Upcoming Events & Descriptions

Required/graded performances are listed in red; non-band activities in grey.

Southside Christmas Parade/Tree Lighting - Mon. November 27

Marching Band uniforms & red, Santa Hats. Report Time: 4:30 pm

Gadsden Christmas Brass Band – Fri. December 1

If you are a brass musician interested in performing for the Gadsden Tree Lighting ceremonies, then click on the link for information and to register (it's FREE) https://forms.gle/3Rk8tTx7fQjTXQ5y8.

Rainbow City Tree Lighting - Mon. December 4

Marching Band uniforms & red, Santa Hats. **Report DIRECTLY TO RBC CITY HALL at 5 pm** (3700 Rainbow Drive Rainbow City, AL 35906). Parking is limited so please arrive early. The trailer will be there immediately after school.

RMS/SHS Band Christmas Concert – Tues. December 5

Formal concert attire. Report Time: 5:15 pm. A donation of nonperishable or canned foods for the Etowah County Food Bank is being collected.

Choir & Pep Band Caroling – Fri. December 8

A small group of upperclassmen choir and band members will travel to various locations around our community performing Christmas carols. More info tba.

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Gadsden Christmas Parade – Sat. December 9

Marching Band uniforms & red, Santa Hats. Report Time: TBA (night parade)

Nine Lessons & Carols at RPC – Sun. December 10

Mr. Weaver would like to personally invite everyone to RPC's annual Advent service of "Nine Lessons and Carols". This service featuring a full orchestra, organ, choir, and congregational carols is a beautiful way for families to bring in the Christmas season. The service begins at 6 pm at 3220 Rainbow Drive. Free nursery is available. Contact 256-442-3440 for more info.

Choir Christmas Concert – Tues. December 12

Mr. Waits and the HS Choir will perform their first standalone concert Tuesday, Dec. 12 at 6 pm in the auditorium. Come out and support our music department!