



SOUTHSIDE HIGH SCHOOL BAND

"The PRIDE" of Southside

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Important Info & Reminders

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Read this information on our blog at www.shs-band.com/blog

- 1. Wind Ensemble to be Recognized by Board of Education:** The Board of Education and Dr. Cosby would like to recognize all of our Wind Ensemble members for their outstanding performance at the Alabama Music Educators Conference. Each member of the ensemble will be called and recognized and receive a certificate of special achievement. This will take place at the March 6th Board meeting, which will be held at Ivalee Elementary School. Wind Ensemble members should meet in the parking lot by 4:30 so that we can enter together.
- 2. State Music Performance Assessment (MPA) & Rehearsal Schedule:** State Assessment or MPA is the most important part of our band year. A detailed schedule for both bands has been posted online and dates are listed on our calendar as well. For the full MPA rehearsal schedule, please look online at <http://www.shs-band.com/blog/state-mpa-rehearsal-schedule-2017-2018>
- 3. CD/DVD of AMEA Performance:** If you would like to purchase a CD recording or DVD of our AMEA performance, they are available online at Box 5 Media.
- 4. "Panther Prowl" 5K Run:** The PRIDE Music Association is hosting a 5k Run Fundraiser on Saturday, February 24th. If you can, please help us spread the word to secure more sponsors & participants. For more info & registration, please visit <http://www.shs-band.com/blog/5k-panther-prowl-on-saturday-feb-24-2018>
- 5. Save the Dates – Summer Band Camp Schedule:** Please check these dates and plan according as best as possible when scheduling family vacations. Those dates are available at <http://www.shs-band.com/blog/save-the-dates-the-pride-of-southside-tentative-schedule-2018> **The post camp rehearsal schedule has been corrected.*
- 6. All State Band Auditions:** All State Band auditions will be held this Saturday, Jan. 27th. All scheduled audition times remain the same.
- 7. Bed Sheet Sale:** Our annual bed sheet fundraiser is off and running! All profits will go towards student's trip costs or band fees. Please help to support The PRIDE by helping us get the word out. Sale ends Feb. 5th. Students will be credited profits as soon as materials and money are returned.
- 8. Disney Trip:** Our Disney Trip is fast approaching! PLEASE, if you have any outstanding balances, we must take care of them by February 6th! Keep a look out for information concerning the trip. A rooming list sign up is now out for students in the band room. Also, we have been selected for a performance down Main Street in The Magic Kingdom!!! This is a tremendous honor and we will have a VERY large crowd to perform for.