



## **SOUTHSIDE HIGH SCHOOL BAND**

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### **July Information & Reminders**

1. **Websites:** Check out our newly updated websites! Music has been added online under the tab for Members. Also, check out our new Band Camp website at: [www.southsidebandcamp.weebly.com](http://www.southsidebandcamp.weebly.com)
2. **Band Fees** June & July Membership Fees are now due, along with all T Shirt orders. **If you have not done so, please pay your fees.** We are still in need of more funds before camp. Most notably, we desperately need to purchase a new Vibraphone. We cannot purchase one until more members have paid their summer fees.
3. **Camp Newsletter:** Please checkout our summer issue of "*From the Podium*" online on our new blog at: <http://www.shs-band.com/blog>
4. **The PRIDE Music Association July Meeting:** Please join us Monday, July 11<sup>th</sup> at 7pm for our monthly PMA Booster meeting. This will also serve as an opportunity for students and parents to meet and welcome our new Assistant Band Director Ms. Palmer.
5. **Amazon Associate Info:** In order to raise the \$60,000 for new uniforms, the PMA has started two new capitol campaigns. We are now official Amazon Associates. This means that anytime someone makes a purchase on Amazon through our link, the PMA will receive 7-10% of the total purchase!! Please help us spread the word! The link is available on our websites. We have also started a Go Fund Me link in order to take donations to the uniform fund. Help out by donating or spreading the word. Our page is online at: <https://www.gofundme.com/southsideband>
6. **Water & Gatorade:** We are asking that every member bring a case of bottled water and a case of powdered Gatorade mix to Mini Camp. Students should write their names on their cases to receive credit. The Gatorade will be used during camp and fall outdoor rehearsals. The water will be taken with the band when we travel to games and competitions. Please help *The PRIDE* by doing your part!
7. **Individual Practice:** Camp is almost here! Make sure you're prepared. All of our sheet music can be downloaded and printed online. ALSO; Parents, please be sure that your child's instrument and equipment is in good working order **prior** to camp.
8. **Honda Work Day:** Our annual Honda Work Day will be held at the high school band room Saturday, July 16<sup>th</sup> from 8am to 1pm. The PMA will receive \$100 for every Honda employee who signs up to volunteer. Please help us spread the word!!!

**We can't wait to see everyone at camp!**

***Go PRIDE GO!!***

**Mr. Weaver**

**Ms. Palmer**

**Mrs. Probst**