



Spring Concert & Other Important Info

Thursday, April 29, 2021

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SOUTHSIDE HIGH SCHOOL BAND

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Hello All,

Our Spring Concert will be held Thursday, May 6 at 6 pm in the HS Biddle Auditorium. Students may choose to their formal concert; however, we encourage students to dress in their spring "Sunday best" for this performance. No denim, please. After the final selection, we will hold a brief awards ceremony and announce next year's halftime production.

There are currently no restrictions on attendance, so we want to invite and encourage all of our parents and loved ones to attend this concert! No admission will be charged.

Please also read the other items of information below.

Go PRIDE GO!

Mr. Weaver & Mrs. Hammock

1. **Help – New Truck:** The PMA is looking to purchase a new equipment truck in the next two to three weeks. We're asking for all of our parents to ask around to see if we can find a vehicle that meets the following criteria
 - a. 26 Foot Box Truck with automatic transmission (no CDL requirement)
 - b. 2015 model or newer
 - c. 250,000 miles or less
 - d. Must have a ramp / lift gate + ramp is great, but **must have a ramp** (for keyboards)
 - e. Price not to exceed \$40,000
2. **Costs to Plan for:**
 - a. Instrumental members of the marching band purchase their own bibbers (pants) and shoes. Any student who needs to purchase these items will be fitted on May 11 and given a card with their sizing information and instructions on how to purchase items online directly from the vendor. Shoes are \$30, and bibbers are \$50. Students will have two weeks (June 8) to buy these items from the vendor, so please be ready for this expense.
 - b. Auxiliary members purchase their own uniforms. Please plan for approximately \$160. An \$80 deposit is requested by May 17; the final balance is due June 3rd.
3. **2021 Band Registration:** The registration form for next year's band is online and ready for YOUR response! Students – please fill out this form **with a parent** to ensure you're giving the best contact information. Be especially careful when entering in email addresses as one character off will keep the address from working properly.
4. **Calendar Events:** Be sure you've marked your calendar for Spring Training/Reading Band, and orientation. Orientation has been moved to the 20th, and, we have been invited to the Spring Scrimmage game by Coach on May 22, at 10 am.

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5. Info for Seniors

- a. **Senior Tables:** The band's awards ceremony will happen at the conclusion of the Spring Concert. Seniors and their families are invited to set up their tables in the lobby and hallway of the school on May 6th after 3:30 pm.
- b. **Graduation Cords:** Band seniors may purchase their graduation cords online at <http://www.theprideofsouthside.com/senior-cords.html> for \$9.25.
- c. **Senior Fees & Outstanding Debts:** All seniors must pay the \$100 senior fee to SSHS before the graduation ceremony. Also, all outstanding debts (including band fees) must be resolved before students can walk at graduation.
- d. **Finals:** Senior final exams are May 12-13. Make-up exams are May 14.
- e. **Graduation:** The 2021 Commencement Ceremony is Friday, May 28 at 4 pm at the Venue at Coosa Landing. Seniors will receive six tickets.