

**Honor Band
Information!**

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**Concert Honor Band Festival
May 7-9, 2009**



JACKSONVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY
MARCHING SOUTHERNERS
 CONCERT HONOR BAND FESTIVAL • **May 7-9, 2009**

JSU HONOR BAND 2009

The 26th Annual Southerner's Honor Band Festival program includes nationally acclaimed guest conductors, one high school Wind Ensemble, two equal high school Symphonic Bands, and two equal Middle School Bands. The festival will feature Thursday night performances by JSU ensembles, a Friday night dance/social, and a Saturday afternoon performance by all festival ensembles.

HONOR BANDS

Students audition for bands based on their current grade level. The bands are composed in the following manner:

10th, 11th, & 12th Graders = Wind Ensemble, Red & White Bands
 7th, 8th, & 9th Graders = Southerners & Gamecock Cadet Bands

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Band membership is chosen exclusively from students nominated by the school band director. Directors are asked to nominate their top students who are deserving of distinction and have the desire to excel. Every attempt will be made to accept as many qualified students as possible. Audition information is available on the Honor Band website.

- 1.** Download/Fill Out/Mail in **APPLICATION FORM**
Due March 1st.
- 2.** Check the **Honor Band Website**, honorband.marchingsoutherners.org
 for results on **March 12th.**
- 3.** Download/Fill Out/Mail in **REGISTRATION FORM & PAYMENT** (one check per school!) **Due April 6th.**

HOUSING for DIRECTORS AND CHAPERONES

Directors and Asst. Directors attending Honor Band will receive complimentary Housing. Due to space, we ask that you limit your Chaperones to 1 per every 5 students. The 2-night Housing cost per Chaperone is \$30.00. The food cost per Chaperone for the weekend is \$35.00 (This is optional).

IMPORTANT!!!

All HONOR BAND information
 including FORMS, RESULTS, AND FINAL REGISTRATION,
 is only available via our website

honorband.marchingsoutherners.org

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(Times are subject to change)

Thursday, May 7th

2:00-2:30 PM	Check-In
2:30-8:00 PM	Auditions
(Dinner on your own)	
9:00 PM	JSU Concert

Friday, May 8th

7:00-8:00 AM	Breakfast
9:00-12:00 PM	Rehearsal
12:00-1:30 PM	Lunch
1:30-4:30 PM	Rehearsal
4:30-6:30 PM	Dinner
6:30-9:00 PM	Rehearsal
9:00-11:30 PM	Dance/Social

Saturday, May 9th

7:00-8:00 AM	Breakfast
8:30-10:00 AM	Rehearsal
10:00-12:00 PM	Lunch (Check out of dorms)
12:00 PM	Concert Begins

HONOR BAND FEE:

Unlike other honor band fees, ours includes everything your students will need for the entire event. The JSU Honor Band fee of **\$135.00** per student includes:

- All Meals (Friday & Saturday)
- Housing (Thursday & Friday nights)
- All concerts/clinics/social events
- Honor Band Shirt & Medal