

# THS Marching Southern Sounds

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## Alabaster Jubilee & Albertville Competition (Northeast Alabama Marching Invitational) Itinerary - 9/25/2021

### Attire:

- **Instrumentalists:** Dinkles, TALL black socks, black athletic shorts, and black band Pride shirt for under MSS uniform. Hair must be up, studs in ears only, no additional piercings, and natural fingernail polish only. (We will be in FULL uniform for this event) **BAND STUDENTS MUST BE IN BLACK BAND PRIDE SHIRTS AND BE WEARING TALL BLACK SOCKS IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE AS WE WEAR THESE IN THE STANDS PRIOR TO PUTTING ON THE UNIFORMS!!!**
- **VE:** Show outfits with full make-up and hair.

### Schedule:

- 9:00AM - Students arrive in FULL UNDER UNIFORM ATTIRE!
  - Parking will only be available in the back right side of the school in front of the "Track Field" due to the Jamboree event taking place all day
  - The C/D hall connector (where majorettes practice in sectionals next to band practice field) doors will be open so students can enter and walk through the school to the band room.
- 9:20AM - Students will warm-up and stretch
  - Winds in bandroom/Percussion outside/VE (sponsor's discretion)
- 10:00AM - MSS will walk over to setup for stand still performance on THS front lawn
- 10:15AM - Performance will begin
- 10:30AM - Performance ends
  - Students will case their instruments and prepare everything to be loaded into the trucks for the Albertville competition.
- 10:50AM - Students will be dismissed by grade level to the Cafeteria/Courtyard for Potluck
- 11:00AM - Potluck!!!
- 12:00PM - School buses arrive for loading
- 12:15PM - Students begin loading school buses by grade level
- 12:30PM - Depart for Albertville High School
- 2:30PM - Arrive at Albertville High School
  - Upon arrival report to stands to watch other band performances
  - During this time students will be allowed to purchase concession stand food/drinks **(NEED MONEY FOR CONCESSIONS!)**
  - Students MUST be together (2 or more) at all times. There will also be a main area in which the students will be seated during this time.
- 5:00PM - Students will walk TOGETHER back to buses/trucks

- 5:15PM - Students will dress out into uniform and unpack instruments
- 5:45PM - Students will walk TOGETHER to warm-up area
- 6:00PM - Warm-up
- 6:50PM - Staging (Loading crew potentially help Front Ensemble)
- 7:00PM - Marching Southern Sounds TAKE THE FIELD!!!
- 7:15PM - Students will depart field together and report to our seating area for Exhibition band performances
- 8:30PM - Awards Ceremony
- 9:15PM (approx) - Students return to buses
  - We will disperse sandwiches and waters to students prior to loading (CANNOT eat on buses)
- 9:45PM (approx) - Depart for Thompson High School
- 11:45PM (approx) - Arrive at Thompson High School
  - ALL students will help unload trucks upon arrival to THS
  - We will gather together for group dismissal

*\*Times vary on pacing of the game/travel. Reminds will be sent out to parents for early/late arrival time(s)*

***\*\*In order to pick your child up following the Mountain Brook game, Mr. Bennett MUST receive an email regarding this decision prior to the event. The only person who can pick up their child is their legal PARENT and/or GUARDIAN. There are absolutely no exceptions to this rule. STUDENT PICKUP WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE SCHOOL BUSES PRIOR TO DEPARTURE BACK TO THOMPSON HIGH SCHOOL.***

**Mask Requirements per CDC:** All travelers MUST wear a mask on the buses during travel at ALL TIMES. However, masks are at the discretion of the individual while off of the buses.

