SOUTH CAROLINA REGION THREE BANDS

THE REGION THREE BAND CLINIC WILL BE HELD AT NATION FORD HIGH SCHOOL FEBRUARY 18-19.

CLINICIANS

SENIOR BAND: Dr. Albert Nguyen, University of Memphis – Memphis, TN

CLINIC BAND: Joe Gulledge, Clover High School – Clover, SC

JUNIOR BAND: Alicia Crutchlow, Florence Chapel Middle School – Duncan, SC MS ALTERNATE: Jordan Finley, Cardinal Newman School – Columbia, SC

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18

9:00AM <u>SEATED IN AUDITORIUM FOR GENERAL MEETING – PLEASE BE ON TIME</u>

9:15-9:30AM SEATING OF BANDS

9:30-1:00PM REHEARSAL

1:00-3:00PM LUNCH

4:00-5:00PM MS BEST PRACTICES AND HS BEST PRACTICES SESSIONS FOR DIRECTORS

3:00-6:00PM REHEARSAL

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19

9:00-1:00PM REHEARSAL (10:30am Directors Meeting in Hospitality Room)

1:00-3:00PM LUNCH

3:00PM MS ALTERNATE BAND WARM UP ON STAGE

3:30PM JR BAND WARMS UP IN BAND ROOM (other bands follow 40 minutes apart)

3:30PM CONCERTS START (Time are approximate)

3:30 PM – MS Alt 4:10 PM – JR Band 4:50 PM – CL Band 5:30 PM – SR Band

ALTERNATE BANDS

ALTERNATES MUST BE REGISTERED AND ATTEND THE CLINIC FOR YOUR BAND TO RECEIVE OPA CREDIT. ATTENDANCE WILL BE CHECKED IN REHEARSALS. ALSO.... **ANY MIDDLE SCHOOL ALLSTATE STUDENTS** WHO WISH TO ATTEND THE REGION CLINIC AND PLAY IN THE ALTERNATE BAND, MAY DO SO. THEY WILL BE SEATED IN THE BOTTOM OF THE SECTIONS. THEY DO NOT COUNT FOR ADDITIONAL OPA CREDIT. IN SOME CASES, THEY MAY MOVE INTO A SEATED POSITION DUE TO LACK OF INSTRUMENATION.

RECOMMENDED HOTELS

- 1) Holiday Inn, Fort Mill 1655 Carolina Place Drive
- 2) Hampton Inn, Fort Mill 1520 Carolina Place Drive
- 3) Holiday Inn, Rock Hill 503 Galleria Boulevard
- 4) Hampton Inn, Rock Hill 2111 Tabor Drive
- 5) Wingate Inn, Rock Hill 760 Galleria Boulevard

It is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED that you NOT stay at any of the hotels near Carowinds....and strongly recommended that if you use Rock Hill hotels, that you use the hotels listed above, as they are in the "safer" part of town.

CONCERT RECORDINGS

CONCERT RECORDINGS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE FROM "INGRAM TRACKS RECORDING" AT THE CLINIC.

UPON ARRIVAL

PLEASE SEND YOUR STUDENTS DIRECTLY TO THE AUDITORIUM TO BE SEATED FOR THE OPENING MEETING.

THANKS TO...

TO DR. GREG MULZET AND JON BURBANK AND THE BLYTHEWOOD PARENTS FOR THE OUTSTANDING JOB THAT THEY DID HOSTING THE AUDITIONS.

TO RAY LINKOUS, ANDREW KREIGER AND THE BAND PARENTS OF NATION FORD HIGH SCHOOL FOR HOSTING OUR CLINIC.

OTHER

CONCERT DRESS WILL BE THE SAME AS ALL-STATE BAND GUIDELINES.

PATCHES AND MEDALS CAN BE DIRECTLY ORDERED FROM JOSTENS

OFFICIAL REGION CLINIC T-SHIRTS WILL BE FOR SALE ON SITE BY THE NFHS BAND BOOSTERS.

DURING THE SATURDAY MORNING REHEARSAL, WE WILL HAVE A SHORT BAND DIRECTORS MEETING AT 10:30 AM. SCORE SHEETS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN HOSPITALITY IF YOU HAVE NOT GOTTEN THEM YET.

PAUL GUZEWICZ, REGION 3 CHAIRMAN