Pearl River Regional Band Clinic Clinic Schedule

Friday, February 19, 2016

2:30-3:30p.m.: Registration: Brownstone Center Lobby

Directors pay fees and pick-up judging packets.

3:30 p.m.: Auditions begin. (See Room Assignments at Registration)

5:00 p.m.: Cafeteria opens. Students need to pay for this meal. The

cost is \$6.51.

5:45 p.m: Jazz Cats Concert (Brownstone Center)

6:00 p.m.: PRCC Symphonic Band Concert. (Brownstone Center)

6:15 p.m.: Seating of the bands. (Brownstone Center)

6:30 p.m.: Rehearsals begin. Director's ONLY banquet in the board room of cafeteria.

9:00 p.m.: Dismiss students.

Saturday, February 20, 2016

8:30 a.m.: Rehearsal begins.

11:30 a.m.: Lunch in the cafeteria. Cost is included for students and directors.

12:30 p.m.: Rehearsal resumes.

2:30 p.m.: Concert Brownstone Center.

PARKING: Please park buses in the lots indicated on the map. Please have students keep valuables with them at all times. We cannot be responsible for bus security.

PEARL RIVER REGIONAL BAND CLINIC AUDITION MATERIALS

ALL WIND PLAYERS:

- A. Major scales selected from the following concert keys.
 - F Bflat Eflat Aflat -D flat

All scales should be played two (2) octaves when possible.

The articulation should be tongued ascending and slurred descending.

B. Chromatic Scale

This should be played at least two (2) octaves with the articulation being determined by the student.

C. Sight Reading.

ALL PERCUSSION

Percussionists are encouraged to demonstrate knowledge of all percussion instruments. However, this is not required.

- A. Snare drum will consist of the following rudiments:

 Long roll, buzz roll (pp-ff-pp), paradiddle, flam, drag, single ratamacue
 All rudiments should be played open-close-open.
- B. Mallet players will use the same audition process as the wind players.
- C. Timpani Students auditioning on timpani will be asked to tune the following intervals: P4 P5 M3
- D. Sight Reading

The student will select which instrument he/she will sight read on.

*Some students may wish to play two scales and one rudiment or two rudiments and one scale.

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Pearl River Regional Band Clinic

January 8, 2016

Dear Director:

Plans are currently underway for the annual Pearl River Regional Band Clinic. The Clinic will again use the list selection format in order to provide all schools with an equal opportunity to participate. Selection will be determined by instrumentation needs.

Enclosed you will find a student list to be completed and returned by Thursday, January 28, 2016. **Please list students in the order that you would like them to be chosen**, not in score order. You may use regular mail or e-mail to return your student lists. We will notify you of the students selected shortly thereafter. The dates for this year's clinic are Friday, February 19 and Saturday, February 20, 2016. The cost of the clinic will be \$25.00, which includes the cost of lunch on Saturday. Audition information and a clinic schedule are included in this mailing.

As always, your support and input is welcome. If you know of any other directors who would like to attend but did not receive a letter, please extend them an invitation and a copy of this letter and form. Please contact us if you have any questions.

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