High School Band Camp
Sunday, June 17, 2018
Check-in and Audition Information
For Resident and Commuters

SFA Wright Building & Cole Hall address: 2210 Alumni Drive Nacogdoches TX 75962
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9th – 12th grade in Fall 2018
Sunday, June 17th Timeline

12:00pm – 3:00pm
- Arrive any time between 12pm-3pm
- Resident campers with dorm pass go straight to dorm assignment (see above)
- Resident campers that do not have a dorm pass check in at Cole Hall, 2210 Alumni Drive
- All commuters: Check-in at Cole Hall

1:30pm – 4:30pm
- Chair Tryouts
  - Specific rooms will be posted upon arrival
  - Please read chair placement details on next page
After auditioning return to dorm (if applicable) to unpack

5:00pm – 6:30pm
- Dinner – East College Cafeteria
  - Commuters may purchase dinner at cafeteria or dine off campus – must return by 7pm

7:00pm – 9:00pm
- First official camp meeting and/or rehearsal
  - ALL campers must attend, bring paper & pencil
  - Commuters may leave after meeting/rehearsal

For detailed information see our Handbook on our website
• what to pack • dorms • daily schedule • fast pass, etc.

Check-in/Registration

Resident Dorm Pass – Payment in full w/signed waivers by May 25th pass was emailed to you; go straight to DORM upon arrival to camp.

Resident campers without dorm pass - proceed to Cole Hall for check-in.

Commuter campers – All participants check-in at Cole Hall
(*pass doubles as your check-in)

All participants MUST go through the check-in process either at the dorm or in Cole Hall prior to auditions.

During check in all participants will receive the following:
- Lanyard
- Name Badge
- Dorm room key and roommate (if applicable)
- Meal Card
- T-shirt
- Handbook
- Electives – label from 1st – 3rd choice
  - Conducting - Music Theory - Piano
  - Jazz Band - Small Ensembles

Optional Stations
- Health and Medical table
- Private Lessons - $20 for half-hour
  - Limit 2 per student
  - Cash/Checks: Tau Beta Sigma
- Parking Pass - $15 (needed if car is parked on campus during camp hours) cash/check: SFA

All Bassoons:
$15 for reed-making supplies for class (cash/checks: Dr. Lee Goodhew)

All Oboes:
$15 for reed-making supplies (cash/checks: Kerry Hughes) Continued ➔
CHAIR AND BAND PLACEMENT DETAILS

• Come prepared to audition for chair positions and band placement immediately after you register. You will be placed in one of 6 bands. There are usually 300-400 players at this camp—all of these bands are good!

• Students entering 9th grade in the Fall will audition for freshman bands only and will be placed in 9th Honors Band, 9th Symphonic Band or 9th Concert Band (if numbers allow). Audition music is available on the website. If you feel you can improve your audition by performing a selection of your own choice, in addition to the required music, you may bring it to the audition.

• Students entering 10th-12th grade, and incoming SFA freshman in the Fall will audition over your 2017-2018 All-Region tryout music and will be placed in HS Honor Band, HS Symphonic Band or HS Concert Band. Either the TMEA or the ATSSB music will be acceptable. If you feel you can improve your audition by performing a selection of your own choice in addition to the required music, you may bring it to the audition. The judge will hear it if time allows.

• Jazz Band: Students auditioning for jazz band audition twice: once for band and once for jazz band. There is one 9th grade jazz band and one High School jazz band. Those students auditioning for piano, bass, guitar, or drum set should prepare audition music of your choice. All other auditions will be sight reading. A piano, drum set and amps are provided, but bassists and guitarists must bring their own instruments and cables to camp.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

• Students select elective choices at registration and assignments will be posted Sunday night. Though every effort is made to give students their choice of elective, they may be placed in a secondary choice.

• Kerr and Griffith Hall for dorms – please see our residence life website: http://www.sfasu.edu/reslife/167.asp

• Parking – any camper, residential or commuter with a car to be parked on campus, must purchase a parking pass $15 for the week. Cash/Checks only

• Commuters: Arrive on campus prior to 8:00am. Camp concludes at 5:00pm, dinner can be purchased at cafeteria if desired. Commuters may return for evening activities. Please see Head Counselors for specific details.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

• All campers attend all classes unless ill.

• A letter from your doctor is required if you need injections or regular treatments that must be administered by a doctor or nurse at camp. These are not covered by camp insurance.

• For your safety, there will be no leaving campus at any time during the week. If adult family members or your band director visits you, you will need permission from the head counselor to leave the dorm with them, and only on your free time. If you anticipate the need for special permission to leave campus, please bring a written note signed by a parent. It’s best if you plan not to leave while here.

• SFA classes are in session. Campers should not interact with SFA students.

• No alcoholic beverages or unlawful substances are permitted at camp. If there is any indication of a camper's indulgence in alcohol or unlawful substances during the camp, the student's parents will be notified immediately to come for them, and the student will be dismissed from the camp.

• Fighting, vandalism, and other serious disobedience of camp rules may be grounds for expulsion. Parents of violators will be notified immediately to come for them and the student will be dismissed from camp. No weapons of any kind are allowed.

Theme Week:
Meow-Meow Monday: Top Hat Tuesday: Wave-pool Wednesday: Thursday:
Wear cat shirts, ears Wear Crazy Hat Hawaiian Shirt Superhero Day!

SFA Band Camp Website
http://www.music.sfasu.edu/bandcamps

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