



Saturday, October 21st, 2023
7A MHSAA/MBDA State Marching Championships
Northwest Rankin HS
Flowood, MS

- 8:00AM- Band Hall Opens- Show Hair will need to be finished before call time
 - 8:30- Call Time/Roll Call. Do Not Be Late
 - 8:45- Warm Up- In Sectionals (in halves)
 - 9:30 - Load Buses/Trucks and any equipment not loaded previous night
 - 10:00- Depart GHS- bring lunch to eat en route
 - 10:45 (approx..) Arrive at Northwest Rankin HS
 - 11:00- Unload/Snack/Get Ready for Warm-Up
 - 12:10- In Twos, ready for Warm-Up
 - 12:15pm- Warm Up
 - 1:00- To Gate
 - 1:10 - Gate
 - 1:15- GHS Band Presents “Sonic Bloom”
 - 1:30- Back to Buses (load what/where possible)
 - 2:00- Talk/change
 - 3:30- Caption Meetings with judges’ commentary
 - 3:30- Eat, Relax, wait for Prelims Results- Bring a book, iPad, phone, etc to relax while we wait
 - 5:30 pm- Prelims Results announced- Drum Majors Only
- ****If we make Finals (Top 8 Bands), our performance time will be announced during Prelims results. Finalists will perform between 8 and 9:45pm. Finals retreat will be held at approx. 10pm. If we do not make finals, we will return to GHS at approximately 7:30pm.***
- Approx 10pm- Finals Retreat- Full Band at Retreat
 - 10:30 (approx..) Back to Buses/Talk/Load
 - 11:30 (approx..) Depart Northwest Rankin
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- 12:00AM (approx..) Arrive at GHS, unload/Dismiss

All performances are 100% mandatory and attendance is graded as a major test grade.

If tardy for the 8:30am call time, a grade reduction of 2 letter grades will be assessed to the student.

This is our biggest competitive performance in Mississippi and our opportunity to defend our state title!

Please come and support the band! They need LOTS of fans in the stands to support them!
Parents that wish to do so may follow the buses and caravan to NWR with us.

Come and support us with your LOUD cheers!!