



## Mississippi Lions All-State Band International Champions

 $1951 - 1952 - 1955 - 1962 - 1970 - 1971 - 1973 - 1974 - 1975 - 1977 - 1980 - 1981 - 1984 - 1985 - 1986 \\ 1989 - 1993 - 1995 - 1997 - 2000 - 2003 - 2004 - 2005 - 2006 - 2007 - 2009 - 2010 - 2011 - 2013$ 

## TRYOUT INSTRUCTIONS FOR COLORGUARD AND DANCERS

Tryouts will be held at Pearl High School, Pearl, MS, November 16, 2013 Finals will be November 23, 2013 at Pearl High School.

- I. Style, posture, general appearance, execution, clarity, control of equipment, carriage, rhythm, neatness, grooming, coordination, self-discipline and general effect are the criteria upon which you will be evaluated.
- II. Students will perform a required routine flag routine will be different from dancer routine.
- III. Candidates for the Lions Band colorguard must execute the required routine in a manner that sets them apart from others. Performance must be smooth and energetic. Communication must be exciting and full of life.
- IV. Members of the Dancer Unit will be female only.
- V. Dress for the audition will be as listed:
  - 1. Black Leotard
  - 2. Black shorts
  - 3. Tan or flesh colored stockings or tights
  - 4. Black or flesh colored dance shoe

## VERY IMPORTANT – PLEASE READ!!!!

BECAUSE OF STUDENT PRIVACY ISSUES WE HAVE HAD IN THE PAST ALL DANCER, COLORGUARD, AND DRUM MAJOR AUDITIONS WILL BE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC. THANKS FOR YOUR COOPERATION.

Best of luck to you! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me!

Sincerely,

Jeff Cannon, Director/Manager Mississippi Lion's All-State Band