

# 2023

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Jacksonville State University • Jacksonville, Alabama June 6-10, 2023 (Tuesday-Saturday)

This is a lot of information (with a lot of words). Please read it carefully. Please check our website on Friday to see if location for our Saturday Finale has changed.

### LOCATION / DIRECTIONS to COLLEGE

Everyone, please FIND YOUR OWN DIRECTIONS to JACKSONVILLE, ALABAMA Jacksonville State University - 700 Pelham Road North, Jacksonville, AL 36265 (Hwy 21)

#### **REGISTRATION DETAILS**

## **DIRECTIONS** to Registration Location - MASON HALL (#28) (Lobby first floor)

When coming into campus **from the square** go to the red light just past the campus and turn LEFT onto Nisbet St NW. Coming from the **Piedmont area** (watch the speed limits as you enter town) turn RIGHT onto Nisbet St. From Nisbet St. the next street is Forney Ave. NW. Turn LEFT onto Forney Ave. Go about ¼ mile and you will see a large brick building (Mason Hall). Park in the large parking lot. Come up the stairs and our tables will be right inside the building.

REGISTRATION HOURS - Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup> from 12:00pm-2:00pm (Central Time). Everyone please arrive during this time and report directly to MASON HALL (#28 on campus map).

Please do NOT bring luggage or instruments into the Registration Area (too congested)! You will receive your dorm and room assignments at registration. You can take your LARGE instruments (percussion, brass, woodwinds, etc.) to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Band Room when not in class.

EVERYONE MUST BRING \$50 ROOM KEY & DAMAGE deposit (1) make check payable to Spirit Camp and 2) write "Key Deposit" and student's name & school on check). This was NOT part of your camp fee of \$430 – it is extra. This check will be held (NOT DEPOSITED) and will be returned to you the last day of camp when you return your key. IF YOU LOSE YOUR ROOM KEY or IF ANY DAMAGE TO YOUR ROOM, THE DEPOSIT IS FORFEITED and WILL BE DEPOSITED. We cannot issue a room key without the deposit.

ALSO bring the following 5 things (if you have not sent already) – see website <u>www.spiritcamp.com</u> if you need forms:

- 1) Balance of your camp fees
- 4) Copy of your health insurance card (front & back)
- 2) \* Parental consent form & Rules
- 5) \* Waivers to participate in JSU Rec Ctr nightly activities
- 3) \$50 Room Key/Damage (from all students staying in the dorm; will be returned if return key) \*These forms are available on website or call and we can email to you.

#### **MEALS**

ON TUESDAY, LUNCH WILL BE ON YOUR OWN! You need to eat lunch near the college before you come onto campus to register or bring a "sack lunch" onto campus with you. On-Campus Participants, your following meals are provided: Tuesday - 1 Meal (Dinner); Wednesday, Thursday and Friday - 3 Meals per Day (Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner); Saturday - 1 Meal (Breakfast). Note - while in the College Dining Facility for meals, enter once only for each meal. You cannot go "in and out" during the same meal time.

Note to Commuter Participants - all meals on your own. Commuters may purchase meal tickets (for an additional fee) to eat lunch and dinner in the College Dining Facility with the rest of the campers. If you want to purchase meal tickets for dinner (Tues-Fri) and lunch (Wed-Fri) to keep from having to go off campus you can SIGN UP at registration, or call us for amount to pay additionally at registration.

## **DAILY CLASS SCHEDULE**

In general, classes begin in the mornings at 8:15am and end in the evenings at 8:30pm. There are five (5) classes per day which run approximately  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hrs each. There are two (2) morning classes with water and class change break in between, then lunch. Then two (2) afternoon classes with water and class change break in between, then dinner. Then there is one (1) evening class which runs from 6:30-8:30pm on Tues-Fri. Nightly activities run from 8:45-10:00pm. There is a 10:30pm dorm curfew and lights out each night.

#### EMERGENCY # at CAMP • SECURITY • FIRST AID & MEDICAL

If there is a family emergency, you may call:

Lynda Martin, Camp Director at 678-480-6580 (anytime)

Liz Carroll, Admin Asst at **678-733-0380** (during the day 8:30am – 10:00pm).

Joyce Toney Admin Asst at 770-330-4605 (during the day 8:30am - 10:00pm).

The Campus Security phone number is 256-782-5050. Please call only in an emergency.

One of the Anniston, AL hospitals - RMC Anniston or Stringfellow will be used in case of medical emergency.

#### **ORIENTATION**

ORIENTATION begins at 2:30 PM (Central Time) on Tuesday, June 6<sup>th</sup> on 3<sup>rd</sup> floor Mason Hall (Band Room). Mason Hall is where you register. *Parents are welcome (but not required) to attend*. Space in the band room will be limited so we may have to stand along walls. Every camper <u>must attend</u>! The first class will begin immediately after orientation.

# **CAMP OFFICE**

Camp Office for Spirit Camp will be located in Mason Hall (Student Lounge), room beside the lobby registration area.

## **CAMP FINALE**

We would like to invite ALL FAMILIES, BAND DIRECTORS, FRIENDS, etc. to our Closing Finale. The camp will end on Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> with class presentations and performances starting at 10:30 AM (Central Time) at the JSU Stadium, #49 on the campus map. Check our website on Fri to see if this location has changed. Spirit of Atlanta may have souvenirs on sale after Finale, so bring some extra money to help support SOA.

NOTE TO PARENTS: Bring BOTTLED WATER with you, SUNGLASSES, possibly an UMBRELLA to shield from the sun if it is very hot! Come prepared. FINALE will last 30-45 minutes only.

Campers DO NOT have to bring special clothes or uniforms. After these performances, the students will then be ready to check out. Parents, if you cannot be at our closing presentations on Saturday at 10:30 AM please be here NO LATER than 12:00 Noon (Central Time) to pick up your students. WE'LL SEE YOU AT CAMP!!

FREDDY & LYNDA MARTIN, Camp Directors

Barry Morgan, Asst. Camp Director

Joyce Toney and Liz Carroll, Administrative Assistants

678-480-6580 - Lynda Martin's Cell

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#### WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

#### ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BRING

- 1) PLEASE <u>DO NOT</u> BRING VALUABLE ITEMS OR LARGE SUMS OF MONEY TO CAMP! The camp cannot take responsibility for lost or stolen items
- 2) Completely casual clothing tennis shoes, shirts, shorts, etc. All students are required to wear sneakers or full shoes to class.
- Towels, wash cloths, twin bed linens (see following note), pillow, toilet articles (soap, shampoo, toothbrush, etc.), alarm clock. Dorm rooms have XL Twin mattresses, so bring bed sheets and pillow. Sleeping bags work also. For the room, possibly want to bring bathmat or towel for the floor, shower shoes (flip-flops), hand soap, etc.
- 4) For SWIMMING, bring a swimsuit (appropriate), cover up, towel, etc.
- 5) We are outside a LOT of the time, and it is HOT! Wear sunscreen, hat, water bottle to take for outside rehearsals.
- 6) For outside classes you may want to bring some bug spray.
- 7) EQUIPMENT such as flag, horn, drum, reeds, etc.
- 8) Spending money for soda/snack machines, etc. Some students order pizza at night at their own expense.
- 9) If not already sent, <u>Parental Consent Form</u> attach to it a photocopy of <u>front & back of insurance card</u>.
- 10) If not already sent, <u>Camp Rules</u> form signed by student and parents.
- 11) If not already sent, waivers signed by parent for evening activities (pool and/or climbing wall) at the Rec Center.
- 12) If you anticipate needing a knee or ankle brace, please bring one with you.
- 13) IMPORTANT! If student brings cell phone or computer to camp Spirit Camp cannot be liable in case of theft, loss, or damage. Cell phones must be turned OFF during classes.

NOTE: We emphasize again to bring SUNSCREEN and SUN HAT and WATER BOTTLE to take water to drink while practicing outside! It is always <u>VERY HOT</u> during camp week.

#### ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BRING FOR INDIVIDUAL CLASSES

INSTRUMENT and FOLDING MUSIC STAND should be brought by Drum Majors, Brass, Woodwinds & Percussion students. Your LARGE instruments (percussion, brass, woodwinds, etc.) will be stored in the Band Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor.

<u>All DRUM MAJORS and LEADERSHIP STUDENTS</u> (Brass, Woodwind, Flag and Rifle) bring: Notebook, pens/pencils for note taking, your woodwind or brass instrument, or your flag, rifle or weapon.

<u>DRUM MAJORS</u> - Every drum major (except for percussionists) should bring your instrument and a folding music stand (except large instruments are excused). The music will be provided online for digital download via computer or smartphone (instructions to be provided at camp).

<u>PERCUSSION STUDENTS</u> - percussion equipment, tuning key, sticks, etc. If possible, bring spare head(s) & extra sticks. <u>Leadership Students</u> - bring pad & pencils for note taking as well as your equipment.

<u>COLOR GUARD CLASSES</u> - Please remember, all campers are responsible for bringing their own equipment (flags, weapons, etc.). Everyone should bring a flag, even Dance Line and Majorettes. Guard Leadership Students - see "Leadership" section above.

#### BAND DIRECTORS - ITEMS TO BRING

**Directors** – Please bring the following:

- 1) 3 favorite NEW pieces of music <u>plus</u> score <u>plus</u> recording if available.
- 2) Brass mouthpiece (2 if possible).
- 3) Casual clothes, tennis shoes, sun hat for outdoor activities.
- 4) Pencils / pens.
- 5) "War Stories" required. Bring good and bad memories of your work to share with us all.
- 6) Don't forget your sense of humor.

