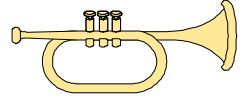


Southeast Missouri High School Band Association
Marching Contest
Chris Starr, Director



August 21, 2007

Dear Director,

I hope this letter finds you enjoying the successful opening of another marching season. Enclosed you will find an entry form for the Southeast Missouri Band Association Marching Contest. This year's contest will be held **October 13.** in Charleston, Missouri. The day begins at 8:30 AM with the parade competition which is in front of Charleston High School. At 2:00 PM the parade awards will be announced at the Charleston High School football stadium. At 2:15 PM we will continue with the field competition.

Entry form and fees (or school purchase order) must be received by **September 21.** **Please note we have increased the fees in order to pay our judges more in line with other area competitions.** If you require any further information regarding our activities please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Places will be awarded to over 50% of the bands in each class. Caption trophies (Drum Major, Guard, Percussion, Music, Marching for Field, and Drum Major, Guard, Twirlers, Percussion, Music and Marching for Parade) will be awarded in each class as in the past.

I wish each of you the best of luck in your music endeavors this year and I am looking forward to seeing you at this year's competition.

Respectfully,

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