



2007-2008

Mississippi State
University™ Bands

*The Famous Maroon Band
&
Concert/Jazz Bands*





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Famous Maroon Band

Bulldog™ Pride!

1. MSU™ Fanfare
2. Hail State™!
3. Go State™!
4. MSU™ 2K
5. Madelon
6. Maroon and White

2007 Halftime Highlights

7. Malaga arr. Tom Wallace
8. Swing, Swing, Swing arr. Jay Bocook
9. All Shook Up Medley arr. Cliff Taylor
10. Smokey Joe's Café arr. Johnnie Vinson
11. MSU™ Drumline

2006 Halftime Highlights

12. Halo/Mortal Kombat arr. Cliff Taylor
13. Super Mario Brothers arr. Cliff Taylor
14. The Legend of Zelda arr. Cliff Taylor
15. Pirates of the Caribbean arr. Roland Barrett
16. Johnny Cash Medley arr. Cliff Taylor
17. God Bless America/Fanfare for the Common Man arr. Kent Baker

Concert/Jazz Bands

Wind Ensemble

18. "Gallop" from First Suite for Band Alfred Reed
19. Were You There Fred Allen
20. Downtown Diversions Adam Gorb
Cliff Taylor, Trombone
21. Four Scottish Dances, Mvt. I Malcolm Arnold
22. Four Scottish Dances, Mvt. II Malcolm Arnold

Symphonic Band

23. A Jubilant Overture Alfred Reed

Jazz Ensemble

24. Blue Brass Dominic Spera
25. Soft Winds Fred Stride

Band Staff

- Director of Bands: Elva Kaye Lance
Associate Director of Bands: Dr. Cliff Taylor
Assistant Director of Bands: Dr. Craig Aarhus
Percussion Instructor: Dr. Jason Baker

About Mississippi State University™ and the Famous Maroon Band

Mississippi State University™ is located in Starkville and is the only institution in Mississippi designated as a Doctoral I university by the Southern Regional Education Board. As a Land-Grant institution, Mississippi State® is dedicated to three broad purposes: learning, research, and service. From its beginnings, it has always been known as *The People's University*, and through many statewide efforts, MSU™ works hard to keep that character.

The band program at Mississippi State® was initiated in 1902 by an act of the Board of Trustees. Today, over 100 years later, nearly 400 students participate in the band's nine major ensembles. The 300+ member Famous Maroon Band performs at all Bulldog™ football games as well as other university functions as needed. Four concert bands comprise the concert component of the band program with the MSU™ Wind Ensemble serving as the premiere concert band. Students may also participate in two jazz bands and two basketball pep bands in addition to marching and concert bands. Band members represent almost every major at MSU™ and are among the top academic students on campus. Service awards and tuition waivers are available to both music majors and non-music majors.

The Maroon Band is part of Mississippi State's® Department of Music, whose primary mission is to develop quality music educators for the state of Mississippi and Southeast region. The department is an accredited member of the National Association of Schools of Music and currently offers the Bachelor of Music Education degree with majors in instrumental music, vocal music, piano or guitar, as well as the Bachelor of Arts degree in music.

For more information on the Famous Maroon Band, visit our website at <http://www.msstate.edu/org/band>. To find out more about Mississippi State University™, visit <http://www.msstate.edu>.

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