

September 8, 2010

Dear Director,

Baker University and the Baker University Bands will host the twelfth annual Baker University 1,2,3,4,5A Marching Festival on Wednesday, October 13, 2010 at Liston Stadium on the campus of Baker University. The festival begins at 1:00pm with the afternoon session, which will run from 1:00 – 5:00. The evening session will run from 6:00 – approximately 9:30. The awards ceremonies are scheduled for approximately 5:30pm and 9:30pm.

Bands, color guards, and drum lines may participate for ratings or for comments only in this KSHSAA and MSHSAA approved event. Audio comments of each judge, a performance DVD, and an award plaque will be presented each band and color guard entrant. A trophy will be presented to the outstanding drum line performance of the competition. A Grand Champion Trophy will be awarded the highest scoring band of the festival.

The festival will run on a 15-minute schedule. Bands, color guard units, and drum lines will be accepted and scheduled based on earliest postmark and paid entry fees **until all time slots are filled.**

Adjudicators for this year's festival are:

**John Kieffer, Olathe** - formerly Coordinator of Instrumental Music for the Olathe Public Schools and director of the Olathe South High School Band

**Patrick McCarty, Lawrence** - former Assistant Director of Bands, Lawrence High School

**Greta Smith, Buhler** - Color Guard Instructor, Buhler High School

**Brad Shores, Haven** - Director of Bands, Haven High School

**Jerry Stone, Council Bluffs, Iowa** - formerly Director of Bands at Maize High School, Maize.

Enclosed are entry forms (band, color guard, and drum line). Entry fees are \$90.00 for band, \$45.00 for color guard units, and \$25 for drum lines. A school entering all three (band, color guard, and drum line) will receive a discount of \$10.00 (total fee: \$150.00). The entry fees are non-refundable after entry deadline. The entry deadline is Monday, September 22, 2010 (although, it is anticipated slots will be filled in advance of this date). If you need additional information, please contact me by phone at (785) 594-4579, or by email, at [ray.james@bakeru.edu](mailto:ray.james@bakeru.edu).

The Baker University Band is excited to host this twelfth annual marching event on our artificial turf surface at Liston Stadium. I sincerely hope that you will consider this important educational opportunity for your band.

Sincerely,

*Ray*

Ray James  
Director of Bands

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**Program Information Sheet - BAND**

**Please email, snail mail or fax (785) 594-4546**

(Must be received by Monday, October 4, 2010 to be included in this year's  
program)

**Name of Band:**

**Director and Staff members:**

**Drum Major(s):**

**Name of Show and/or Repertoire:**

**Information about the band (use back of this sheet, if needed):**



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**Band Entry Form**

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Director's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

KSHSAA Classification: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Uniformed Members: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or 10-12 enrollment)

# of buses you will bring \_\_\_\_\_ # of trucks \_\_\_\_\_

Entry fee is \$90.00 per band – Please make check payable to:

Baker University Bands

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Entry may be emailed ([ray.james@bakeru.edu](mailto:ray.james@bakeru.edu)) or faxed (785) 594-4546 however entry will not be scheduled until payment (purchase order accepted) is received. The snail mail address is below:

Baker Bands  
P.O. Box 65  
Baldwin City, KS 66006

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**Color Guard Entry Form**

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

KSHSAA Classification: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Uniformed Members: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Entry fee is \$45.00 per Color Guard Unit – Please make check payable to:

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**Name of Color Guard:**

**Director/Sponsor/Staff members:**

**Captain(s):**

**Name of Routine/Show and/or Repertoire:**

**Information about the guard (use back of this sheet, if needed):**



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**Program Information Sheet – Drum Line**

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**Name of Drum Line:**

**Director/Sponsor/Staff members:**

**Captain(s):**

**Name of Routine/Show/Repertoire:**

**Information about the Drum Line (use back of this sheet, if needed):**



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**Drum Line Entry Form**

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

KSHSAA Classification: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Uniformed Members: \_\_\_\_\_  
(or 10-12 enrollment)

Entry fee is \$25.00 per Drum Line – Please make check payable to:

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