

# 2010 SOUTHWEST IOWA HONOR MARCHING BAND

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Dear Southwest Iowa Directors:

Are you ready to give your students the opportunity at the chance of a lifetime? The Southwest Iowa Honor Marching Band is just that opportunity.

The 2010 Southwest Iowa Honor Marching Band invites you and your students to be a part of one of the top 100 marching bands in the nation! This group has performed in the Cotton Bowl parade, the Fiesta Bowl parade and most recently the Citrus Parade. The 2010/11 edition of the Southwest Iowa Honor Marching Band will be flying back to Phoenix for the Fiesta Bowl parade as the only band in the nation with a standing invitation to this prestigious parade.

Enclosed in this packet, please find important information regarding dates, deadlines, audition requirements, permission and registration forms for the 2010 SWIHMB. Please read the information very carefully and adhere to all deadlines. For your students' financial planning information, the cost of trip as it stands at this moment is \$1,460.

While it is the hope of the SWIHMB that all Southwest Iowa school be represented in the band, please remember that this is still an honor band. All students who audition are required to meet minimum performance proficiencies in order to be selected as a member of this honor band.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding the information in this packet or any questions about the Southwest Iowa Honor Marching Band. Thank you for your time and the dedication you show in making your students the best well-rounded musicians they can be.

Sincerely,

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