

**Henry Clay High School Band**  
**KMEA Class AAAAA Championship**  
**Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup> 2009**  
**ITINERARY**

**GOALS**

This is the culminating event of the year!

- Do you understand the team concept?
- What does it mean to be successful this season?
- Have you achieved success?
- Can you maximize concentration, focus, discipline, and responsibility in performance?
- Will this be the best performance of the year?

---**THINK:**     ***Leadership, Discipline, Responsibility, Professionalism***

---Nothing is predetermined...you must “prove” yourself every time you perform.

---“***PUSH THE BAR HIGHER***” and improve with every performance this season!

---Enjoy every moment! We never know which moments will be the last!

---Make the most of your time with this team and your experience in performance in front of the audience at Papa John’s Stadium!

**EXPECTATIONS**

1.) The unofficial uniform for the day will be the **SHOW SHIRT**, BLACK shorts/pants, BLACK socks, and BLACK marching shoes. Please be prepared to dress in layers for the evening Finals performances. We will be outside for a large portion of the day and need to be prepared to take care of ourselves in the weather. Bring your fleece.

2.) Please take care of yourselves: EAT breakfast and lunch, BE WELL RESTED, and DRINK plenty of fluids, etc. to prepare in advance for Saturday. Please bring money for lunch as you will be responsible for eating lunch on your own at the mall.

3.) All instruments should be in “good working order.” Double check all equipment.

4.) “DO THE RIGHT THING!” Many times during the day, students will be supervised, but not engaged in specific activities. Please be aware of your actions and your surroundings. ***You represent Henry Clay High, the Band, and yourself.*** All FCPS, HC, HC Band rules will be observed.

5.) BE PREPARED in advance for Saturday as we will start EARLY and end LATE.

## **SCHEDULE**

- 7:00 A.M. Arrive at HC (Earlier than normal arrival...BE READY!!)
- 7:15 A.M. Meeting in the Band Room
- 7:30 A.M. Depart HCHS (We ***must*** leave at **7:30** SHARP ...we cannot afford to wait!)
- 9:00 A.M. Arrive in Louisville at Papa John's Stadium
- 9:30 A.M. Change into official uniform
- 10:30 A.M. Winds/Percussion/Guard Warm-up Begins
- 11:15 A.M. Warm up Ends...Travel to Gate
- 11:30 A.M. Semifinal Performance!! **Best show of the year!! Enjoy it!!**
- 11:45 A.M. Performance Ends!!
- 12:00 P.M. Load Truck and change out of uniform
- 12:30 P.M. Load Buses and travel to Mall at St. Matthews
- 12:50 P.M. Students will spend time at the mall.  
**\*\*Please EAT on your own at this time. Remember that you represent HC Band, Henry Clay HS, and FCPS.\*\***
- 4:00 P.M. Load Buses and depart mall
- 4:20 P.M. Arrive at Papa John's Stadium
- 5:00 P.M. Hospitality crew will provide dinner in the parking lot
- 5:30 P.M. Move into Papa John's Stadium to watch KMEA State Finals
- 6:00 P.M. Class A Finals Begin!  
***\*\*Should we be selected to perform in finals, class 5A performances begin at 10:00 P.M. The balance of the schedule will be determined based upon the results of Semifinals.\*\****  
***See below if we are NOT selected to perform in finals:***
- 11:00 P.M. 5A Finals performances finish...Move quickly to buses to load.
- 11:15 P.M. Depart Papa John's Stadium
- 12:45 A.M. Arrive at HCHS  
Unload truck and clean up Band Room  
Dismiss...sleep and dream of next year ☺