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**Directors, please include the  
27<sup>th</sup> UGA Middle School Band Festival  
in your 2016 plans!  
December 7-9, 2017**



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**26<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL  
MIDDLE SCHOOL  
BAND FESTIVAL**  
*December 8 – 10, 2016*

Featured Band Concerts

*December 8, 7:30 p.m.*

**North Gwinnett Middle School Symphonic Band**

Travis Downs & Robin Schaps Heinsen, Conductors

**Flat Rock Middle School Symphonic Band**

Matthew D. Price, Conductor

*December 9, 7:30 p.m.*

**Mabry Middle School Symphonic Band**

Jill Barnocki & Mia Athanas, Conductors

**UGA Wind Symphony**

Dr. Jaclyn Hartenberger, Conductor

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# FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

## Thursday, December 8

2:00-6:30 p.m. Festival Registration – SOM 116 – Band Hall Office

2:00-7:00 p.m. Auditions: *Please do not play instruments in the halls.*

Audition Sites		Warm-Up	SOM - Band Hall	Percussion Warm-up	103
Flute	SOM 223 D & F	Oboe	SOM 303	Bassoon	SOM 214
Clarinets	SOM 304, 308, 310	Saxophones	SOM 221 C, D, E	Trumpets	SOM 210, 211 A & B
Horn	SOM Edge Hall	Trombone	SOM 407 A & B	Euphonium	SOM 212 C
Tuba	SOM 212 A	Percussion	SOM 103 A-C		

7:45-8:45 p.m. Concert, PAC – HCH

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## Friday, December 9

7:30-8:45 a.m. Student placements will be emailed Thursday night. Please email Rob Akridge (rakridge@uga.edu) or stop by the band hall office (SOM 116) if you have questions or issues with student placements.

8:30-11:00 a.m. Director Coffee – SOM 2nd Floor Lobby

8:45 a.m.-11:45 p.m. SOM Band Rehearsals

9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. FSB / CC Band Rehearsals

Rehearsal Sites	
Honor Band (Tembras) PAC Hodgson Concert Hall	Woods Band FSB – Cypress Room
Ventura Band PAC 140 – Orchestra Rehearsal Hall	Heiberger Band FSB – Ligotti Hall
Wright Band SOM 116 – Leebern Band Hall	Murphy Band CC – Olympia Room
Johnson Band SOM 355 – Choral Suite	Poor Band CC – Parthenon Room

*Students whose bands meet in the Classic Center or Foundry Street Ballrooms must be dropped off and picked up on Foundry St. between CC & FSB - **not** in the Thomas St. horseshoe.*

10:00-11:00 a.m. Director Clinic – SOM, Room 200

**Bassoon Clinic – Addressing the Major Problems with Bassoon**  
Dr. Amy Pollard, UGA Professor of Bassoon

12:00-2:00 p.m. Lunch on your own

2:15-4:15 p.m. SOM Band Rehearsals

2:30-4:30 p.m. FSB Band Rehearsals

2:45-3:45 p.m. Director Clinic – SOM, Room 200

**Percussion Clinic – Correcting Sound Production Issues from the Podium**  
Tim Adams, UGA Percussion Area Chair

4:45-7:15 p.m. Dinner on your own

## Friday, December 9 (continued)

7:30-8:45 p.m. Featured Bands Concert, PAC – HCH

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## Saturday, December 10

8:15-10:00 a.m. FSB Band Rehearsals

8:30-10:15 a.m. SOM/PAC Band Rehearsals

11:00-1:00 p.m. Check-out & Lunch on your own

12:15 p.m. Report times begin

12:30-5:00 p.m. Final Concerts, PAC – HCH. Meet your band at the assigned time and location below. Let your parents know your concert time.

### FINAL MEETING AND CONCERT SCHEDULE

Band	Meeting Location	Meeting Time	Warm-up Location	Concert Time
Johnson	SOM 355 – Choral Suite	11:45 a.m.	Hodgson Stage	12:30 p.m.
Honor (Tembras)	SOM 200	12:20 p.m.	Leebern Band Hall	1:05 p.m.
Wright	SOM 304	12:55 p.m.	Orchestra Room	1:40 p.m.
Woods	SOM 210	1:30 p.m.	Leebern Band Hall	2:15 p.m.
Heiberger	SOM 308	2:05 p.m.	Orchestra Room	2:50 p.m.
Murphy	SOM 200	2:40 p.m.	Leebern Band Hall	3:25 p.m.
Poor	PAC – Orchestra Room	3:15 p.m.	Orchestra Room	4:00 p.m.
Ventura	SOM 116 – Band Hall	3:50 p.m.	Leebern Band Hall	4:35 p.m.

### FACILITY ABBREVIATIONS:

**FSB** = Foundry Street Ballrooms at back of Classic Center

**SOM** = School of Music

**PAC** = Performing Arts Center

**HCH** – Hodgson Concert Hall in Performing Arts Center

**Band Hall** = Betsy Tant Leebern Band Hall: School of Music 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

