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TO: Mississippi/Alabama All-Star Classic Football Team

FROM: Johnny Mims, Executive Director

DATE: October 8, 2017

SUBJECT: Travel Plans to Hattiesburg, on Monday, December 11

Please read all information very carefully, especially the schedule we will follow in traveling to Hattiesburg, and the list of items to take with you.

IMPORTANT: If you have a problem with getting a ride to where you are supposed to meet the bus, please call someone – your high school coach, or one of the All-Star coaches, or the M.A.C. office – we will find you a ride to your designated place.

BE ON TIME. One late person will disrupt the entire schedule

Included with this information is a Game Ticket Request Form for ordering tickets. \$10.00 general admission tickets can be purchased at the gate on game day. Also included is a Banquet Ticket Request Form for family members to order banquet tickets by December 11 deadline – banquet tickets must be ordered in advance – no walkups allowed. The host hotels for this year's classic are listed on our website under "Football" (www.mscoaches.com).

**2017 MS/AL ALL-STAR FOOTBALL CLASSIC
MISSISSIPPI TEAM**

TRAVEL TO HATTIESBURG

Monday, December 11, 2017

All players, managers, and coaches from schools north of I-20, and also those who are closer to Clinton than to the scheduled stop in Hattiesburg, will meet in the parking lot of Frierson Baseball Field at Mississippi College in Clinton, MS. This lot is located on Hwy 80 between Springridge Rd (I-20 Exit #36) & Clinton-Raymond Rd (I-20 Exit #35)

- **9:00 -10:00 a.m. Loading bus at Mississippi College (Clinton, MS)**
- **10:00 a.m. Bus leaves Mississippi College**
- **11:30 a.m. Bus stops in Covington Plaza (Collins, MS)**
- **12:00 NOON Bus stops at Stuckey's (Hattiesburg, MS)**
- **1:00 p.m. Bus arrives at Camp Shelby (Hattiesburg, MS)**

BE ON TIME - THE BUS WILL NOT WAIT FOR YOU

Details of this travel schedule were discussed at the team meeting on October 8.

- **All players and coaches must be on the bus when it arrives at Camp Shelby.**
- **No vehicles will be allowed to enter Camp Shelby**

What to Take To Hattiesburg

Equipment

Girdle shell and pads
Shoulder pads
Thigh pads (for long girdles)
Hip pads; Knee pads
Braces
2 Athletic supporters
Football shoes (game and practice)
Chin strap
Mouthpiece
2 Pair practice shorts
2 Shimmel shirts
2 Pair practice socks
Your high school game helmet for practice and the game

Personal Needs

Personal care items (toothpaste, soap, deodorant, shaving gear, etc.)
Shower shoes
Pillow

Other Clothes

Casual slacks, shirts, shorts (not cut-offs or short shorts)
Sneakers (running type/tennis shoes)

Monday Night, Dec. 11– Long pants or shorts; Game week apparel (provided)

Tuesday Night, Dec. 12– Long pants; Game week apparel (provided)

Wednesday Night, Dec. 13–Long khaki pants (no exceptions); Game week apparel (provided)

Thursday Night, Dec. 14– Sweat pants and shirt (provided)

Friday Afternoon, Dec. 15– Long pants; Game jersey (provided)

Friday Night, Dec. 15– Attire for Banquet: Suit or sport coat, dress pants, belt, dress shirt, tie, dress socks & dress shoes (no exceptions)

Saturday Morning, Dec. 16– Long pants and collared shirt

WHAT NOT TO TAKE TO Hattiesburg:

Bad attitude
Ear Rings
Radios (portable audio devices with headphones are OK – bring at you own risk)
Television
Expensive watches
Excessive cash

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INFORMATION

- **AUTOMOBILE POLICY:** Any player driving to Hattiesburg will check-in all automobile keys with the All-Star game staff upon arrival at Camp Shelby. Keys will be returned at the time of final departure. No personal vehicles may be used by players during their stay in Hattiesburg at any time for any reason. There will be no exceptions to this rule. Any violation of this restriction will be treated as a violation of team rules and appropriate sanctions will be imposed.

Players will remain with the team and attend all team functions. Players will not be allowed to leave with friends or relatives during their stay in Hattiesburg.

- **HOUSING:** Mississippi – Camp Shelby, 2500 Jackson Ave. Hattiesburg MS 39401
Alabama – Camp Shelby, 2500 Jackson Ave. Hattiesburg MS 39401

- **MEALS:** All meals will be furnished.

- **PERSONAL ITEMS TO BRING:**

1. Personal Items – toothpaste, toothbrush, deodorant, shaving gear, soap, etc.
2. Clothes – see following list:

Clothes List

1. Long pants or shorts (not cut-offs or short shorts)
2. Sneakers (running type/tennis shoes)
3. Turf playing shoes
4. Suit or sport coat and dress pants for banquet dress
5. Dress shirt, tie, socks, and shoes for banquet dress
6. Belt and/or suspenders for banquet dress

Clothes Required for Events

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| ★ Monday Night:
December 11 | Long pants or shorts
Game week apparel (provided) |
| ★ Tuesday Night:
December 12 | Long pants
Game week apparel (provided) |
| ★ Wednesday Night:
December 13 | Long <u>khaki</u> pants (no exceptions)
Game week apparel (provided) |
| ★ Thursday Night:
December 14 | Sweat pants and shirt (provided) |
| ★ Friday Afternoon:
December 15 | Long pants
Game jersey (provided) |
| ★ Friday Night:
December 15 | Banquet – suit or sport coat, dress pants, dress shirt, tie, and dress shoes (no exceptions) |
| ★ Saturday Morning:
December 16 | Long pants and collared shirt |

●**EQUIPMENT:** Each player must furnish the following football equipment for game and practice (December 11-16) in Hattiesburg.

1. **School issued helmet**
2. Shoulder pads (with all hardware in good shape)
3. Practice shoes or game shoes (both if desired)
4. Girdle shell and pads
5. Knee pads
6. Thigh pads
7. Any extra pads
 - Rib pads
 - Forearm
 - Extra knee pads
 - Sweat bands

●**DO NOT BRING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:**

1. Bad attitude
2. Television
3. Jam boxes or loud radio (if you bring them, they will be picked up and returned to you as you leave...save yourself the trouble...**do not bring them.**) Portable audio devices with headphones are okay. **Audio devices are brought at your own risk.**
4. Expensive watches
5. Fireworks
6. Knives
7. Hot plates
8. Excessive cash

●**EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS:** These numbers are for emergency purposes only. We emphasize the word emergency. Social calls to and from friends do not qualify as an emergency (there are no exceptions to this rule). Abuse of this will result in sanctions for violating a team rule. Give these numbers to your parents and grandparents only!!!

1. Johnny Mims – 601-218-5568
2. MAC – 601-924-3020



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BANQUET TICKET REQUEST FORM

DATE: December 15, 2017
TIME: 6:30 p.m.
PLACE: Thad Cochran Center
121 W. Memorial Drive, Hattiesburg, MS 39406
COST: \$25.00 Each

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE # _____ Cell Phone # _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS _____ @ \$25.00 EACH \$ _____

ADD \$1.00 POSTAGE & HANDLING \$ 1.00

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (Check/Money Order) \$ _____
(Make check payable to MAC)

PLEASE COMPLETE AND MAIL WITH CHECK/MONEY ORDER TO:

**MS-AL All-Star Football Game
MAC
P. O. Box 1194
Clinton, MS 39060**

DEADLINE: DECEMBER 11, 2017
(If you have questions, contact MAC at 601-924-3020)

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GAME TICKET(S) REQUEST FORM

GAME DAY: December 16, 2017
GAME TIME: 12:00 p.m.
PLACE: M.M. Roberts Stadium / USM
118 College Drive, Hattiesburg, MS 39406
TICKET COST: \$10.00 General Admission

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE # _____ Cell Phone # _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

NUMBER OF TICKETS _____ @ \$10.00 EACH \$ _____

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TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (Check or Money Order) \$ _____
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DIRECTIONS TO M.M. ROBERTS STADIUM

From the North (Jackson, Miss.): Take US 49 South. Once in Hattiesburg, you will see Roberts Stadium on the right. Turn right onto service road, immediately turn right (North) parallel to US 49. Go to first light, turn left onto West 4th St. Proceed to first light and take a left onto the campus.

From the South (Gulfport/Biloxi): Take US 49 North. Once in Hattiesburg, you will see Roberts Stadium on the left. Turn left onto the service road at the North end of the stadium. Immediately turn right and continue (north) to the light at West 4th St. Turn left at light. Proceed to first light and take a left onto the campus.

From the Southeast (Mobile, Ala.): Take (either) US 98 to US 49 North (or) I-10 West to US 49 North to Hattiesburg. Once in Hattiesburg, you will see Roberts Stadium on the left. Turn left onto the service road at the North end of the stadium. Immediately turn right and continue (north) to the light at West 4th St. Turn left and proceed to the first light. Take a left onto the campus. From the Southwest (New Orleans): Take I-10 East to I-10/I-12/I-59 interchange and I-59 to Hattiesburg. Take US 98E/Hardy Street exit. Go to second light, North 38th Avenue, turn left. Go to next light (West 4th St.) and turn right. Pass baseball stadium on left and coliseum on right until stop light. Take right at light onto campus.

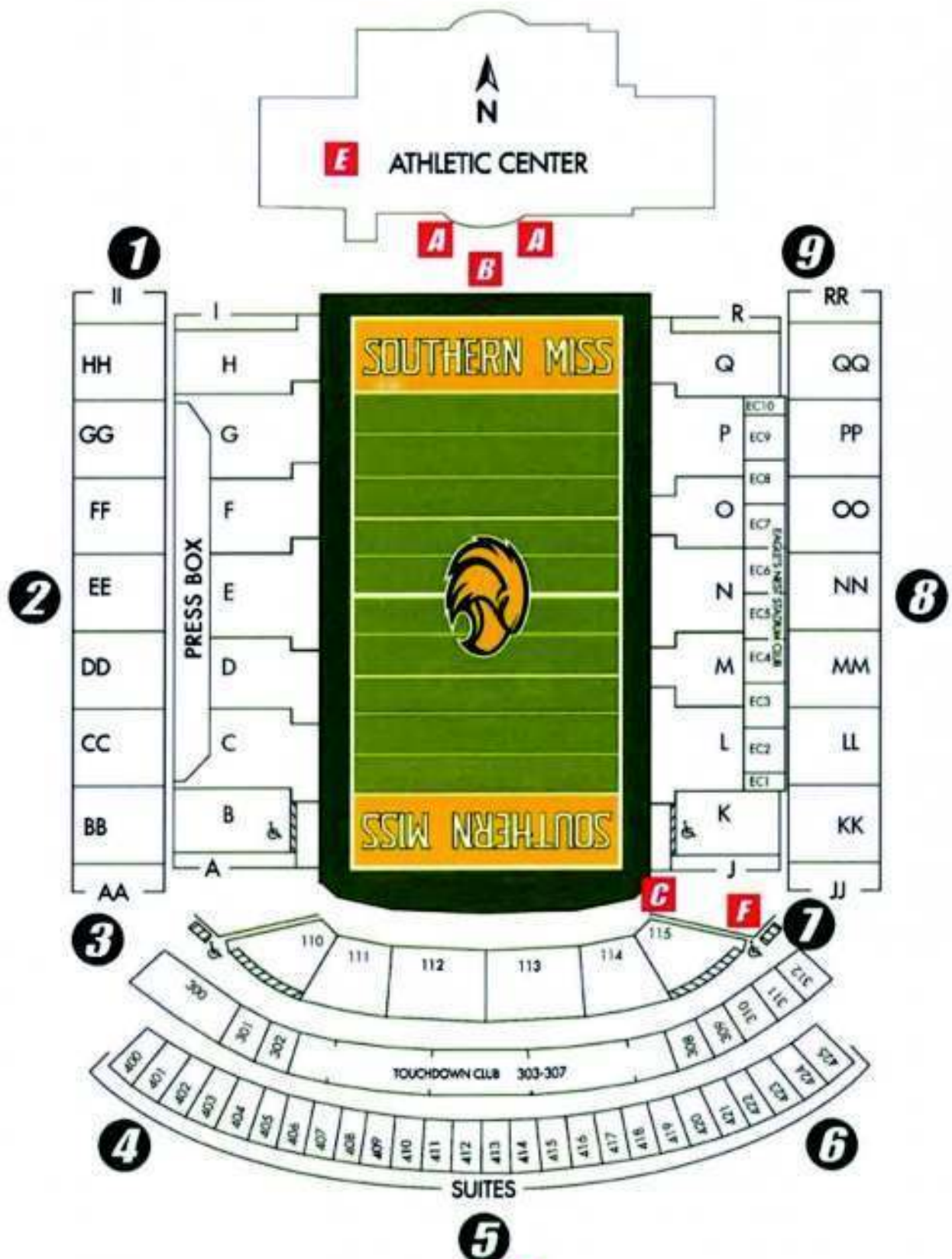
From the West: Take US 98 East. Cross over I-59. Go to second light, North 38th Ave., turn left. Go to next light (West 4th St.) and turn right. Pass coliseum on right and baseball stadium on left and go to stop light. Take right at light onto campus.

Mississippi: Gates 1 and 3 on press box side; Gate 1 will be Mississippi Pass Gate for MAC & MHSAA members.

Alabama: Gates 7 and 9 on visitor's side; Gate 9 will be Alabama Pass Gate for AHSAA members.

Media: Gate 2 on press box side





- 1 - Gate Location**
 1 & 3: Mississippi Gates
 1: Mississippi Pass Gate
 7 & 9: Alabama Gates
 9: Alabama Pass Gate
 2: Media Pass Gate
 4 & 6: Hospitality Suite
 (All Access Passes Only)

- A - Landmark**
 C: Alabama Team Entrance
 B: Mississippi Team Entrance
 F: Alabama Team Locker Room
 E: Mississippi Team Locker Room

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DIRECTIONS TO THAD COCHRAN CENTER

- **TRAVELING FROM JACKSON ON HIGHWAY 49 SOUTH:**
 - Less than one mile after traveling under I-59, look for a sign on the right showing exit to the Coliseum and 45h Street.
 - On Highway 49, take the West 4th Street Exit. Follow signs to the Coliseum. Turn left on service road.
 - Take right onto West 4th Street.
 - On West 4th Street, take a left at the first traffic light onto Golden Eagle Avenue.
 - Take the third left into the Visitor's Parking Lot.

- **TRAVELING ON HIGHWAY 49 NORTH:**
 - At the Highway 49/Hardy Street intersection, turn left onto Hardy Street.
 - Take immediate right onto Service Drive.
 - Follow Service Drive to traffic light.
 - Take a left onto West 4th Street.
 - On West 4th Street, take a left at the first traffic light onto Golden Eagle Avenue.
 - Take the third left into the Visitor's Parking Lot.

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HOST HOTEL INFORMATION

- **COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT**
119 Grand Dr.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
601-268-3050 Code: MS/AL All-Star Football Game
Rate: \$97 per night - Deadline December 1
- **RESIDENCE INN BY MARRIOTT**
116 Grand Dr.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
601-264-9202 Code: MS/AL All-Star Football Game
Rate: \$115 per night – Deadline December 1