

**Clay-Chalkville Cougar Band
Mud Creek Marching Festival
Saturday, October 9th, 2011
Hanceville High School**

- 2:00 p.m.** In your spot on the field in picture one ready to rehearse.
What makes a band great?
- 3:00 p.m.** Load equipment & buses. Drum majors, captains, and section leaders double check to make sure we have everything we need!!!
Pride!!
- 3:30 p.m.** Depart for Hanceville High School.
What?
- 4:30 p.m.** Arrive at HHS and EAT!! Students will need money for supper.
Pride!!
- 6:00 p.m.** Move to equipment truck and prepare for “battle”.
What?
- 6:45 p.m.** Warm-up. Complete uniform and equipment.
COUGAR PRIDE!!!
- 7:30 p.m.** The Cougar Band performs a perfect show!!!!
I love band!
- 8:15 p.m.** Awards. The Cougar Band makes straight ones!!
Band is my life!!
- 9:00 p.m.** Load the buses and head for the beautiful, red clay hills of fabulous Clay, Alabama – home of the Cougar Band!!!
If I didn't have band, I think I'd die!!!
- 10:30 p.m.** Arrive at CCHS as happy as ol' Brer Rabbit after Brer Fox and Brer Bear tossed him into that there briar patch. If you don't know what I am talking about, ask yo' parents or watch *Song of the South* by Disney!!!

!!! COUGAR BAND – COUGAR PRIDE !!!

Good luck, band!!! You set the precedent Saturday at Homewood and I hope you will be just as impressive this weekend. I hope you will strive to put forth your best efforts on the field. We need everyone to be focused and positive about what we have to do at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday. I don't really worry about scores and awards as long as I know we left nothing on the field and no doubts in our minds that we gave 110%!!! I am very proud of our accomplishments up to this point. Let's take the step to the next level and win the division this week.

A special thanks to the Seniors of 2012. I am very proud to be one of your directors and to be a small part of your lives!! I want you to know that ya'll are a BIG part of my life!! I also know that I have let some of you down as your director but I also know what you are made of! I know what we can do as a band and I hope the whole band does their best for your last contest. The talent is there, the show is there, the right people are there!!! Let's put all of that together for another great night for the Cougar Band.

Best of luck and I love ya'll!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

!!!PRIDE...PASSION...TRADITION!!!

DIRECTIONS to HANCEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

However you choose, get to I-65 north. Take I-65 north to the Garden City exit which is highway 31. (I do not know the exit number but if you go to Top Hat BBQ, it is the same exit.) Follow highway 31 north through Garden City to Hanceville. As you enter the city of Hanceville, look for Commercial Street on the right. I believe there is a traffic light. Turn right onto Commercial Street and follow the signs to the designated parking areas. Good luck!!!

**CLAY – CHALKVILLE
COUGAR BAND**

**“LOUD, PROUD,
AND
PLEASIN’ THE
CROWD!!”**