PRIDE
OF THE SOUTHLAND
ALUMNI BAND
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Dear Alumni Band Members,

We are very excited to have you back for our inaugural Alumni Band Day reunion. This year's halftime show will coincide with our announcement of the current band's visit to London in the summer of 2027. Once again, we will have almost 800 musicians to celebrate this international performance. To make this event even more special, we have asked His Majesty's Royal Marine Corp of Drums from Portsmouth, England to join us on the field. The last visit to the UK was in 2023, which is why we have asked Pride Alum (2018-2022), Julia Boylan to be our Drum Major for the day.

We are still awaiting the kickoff time for the Auburn game. Once that is announced, we will share the schedule for the day. The schedule and music can be found at our website: HERE
We will continue to update the website as details are finalized.

Those of you checking out an instrument (mello, baritone, sousa), please bring your own mouthpiece. All marchers need to provide their own lyres (flip folders and music will be provided). Snares will need to supply their own sticks. Bass and tenor mallets will be provided.

The Alumni Band Uniform consists of: Official Alumni Band Pull-over; Official Orange Hat; Black pants; Black shoes; Black socks; Orange Crew Collar shirt or Alumni Band T-Shirt (provided at registration). *We will be monitoring the weather to see if we need to wear pullovers. If not, we will just use the provided t-shirt and purchased ballcap. More to come as we get closer to gameday. To purchase the official apparel, you can visit the following site: https://www.tnalumnibandshop.com/

As a reminder, *you are required to have a ticket to the game if you are planning to march*. Those who purchased a ticket to sit with the band through the registration process will be given a wristband at registration. Only those individuals will be allowed to sit with the Alumni Band in the stands. We will need to monitor this closely this year to ensure seats for everyone who bought tickets through the band registration. Also, just a friendly reminder that only alumni who have registered may march to the stadium with the band. As much as we would love family to join us, it gets chaotic as we get closer to the stadium.

We are looking forward to sharing Alumni Band Day with each of you on October 3. The "Pride Family" continues to be an important theme and we are thankful you have chosen to take part in celebrating this with us!

Sincerely,

Dr. John Zastoupil Dr. Michael Stewart Dr. Fuller Lyon