



Kingsmen Senior Corps THE WEDNESDAY WIRE

"Kingsmen, you may enter the field..."

June 24, 2009

NEXT REHEARSALS

Thursday June 25, 2009

7pm-9pm Music Rehearsal Luther Elementary

Sunday June 28, 2009

1pm-6pm Drill Rehearsal at Western

Tuesday June 30, 2009

7pm-9pm Music Rehearsal Luther Elementary

NEXT PERFORMANCES

July 11, 2009

So-Cal Classic

Cabrillo HS, Long Beach

July 12, 2009

Drums Along the Pacific

East LA Community College, Monterey Park

CALL FOR PIT CREW, NATIONALS, SOUVIE CREW

We need Pit Crew for our Long Beach/Los Angeles weekend, July 11 and 12. I have 5 field passes for the folks that help us out both days. We will need you at 1pm at Western to help load the truck, and then you can carpool with us. You will be finished around 7pm. You can reach me (Peter) at srcdirector@kingsmenstarcorps.org. We also still have slots available to march in the Honor Guard at our remaining events. Nationals will meet at noon show days for a short rehearsal with the Corps before the show. We can still use some volunteers for our souvie booth as well. Kari Kent is coordinating both the Nats and souvie crew, and will explain it all to you if you contact her at KariKent@aol.com.

FINISH LINE NEARING

If you want to join us as we try to improve our scores, we can certainly use you. And whatever you play, we need bodies in the percussion section in order to qualify to receive scores. You will have the chance to wear the cadet again and be invaluable to us. We also still have one more open slot in the horn line, preferably for a mellophone, but we will take anyone willing to hold a horn and march a slot.

And as stated above, we need Nationals. The judges reacted very positively to the presentation of the Colors during **America**, and we will continue to need people to be in that squad.

We improved vastly from Saturday to Sunday, and with your help filling the holes and cleaning we can post a very respectable season. Please consider it carefully. Help us make this first season a great one!

RCC SCORING RECAP

	Kingsmen		Dream	
	Rep	Prf	Rep	Prf
Brass	62	59	68	66
Percussion	60	62	58	60
Visual Effect	Com	Exc	Com	Exc
	52	50	57	52
Color Guard	55	53	60	59
FINAL SCORE	56.625		60.000	

Rep=Rerpertoire Effect
Prf=Performance Effect
Com=Design Effect
Exc=Performance Effect

SO HOW ABOUT STARTING A THURSDAY NIGHT REHEARSAL?

Luther Elementary is available, and we need the practice, so how about it? The dates would be June 25 (that's tomorrow night!), July 2, 9 and 15. Please email me back your response at srcdirector@kingsmenstarcorps.org.

NORCAL TRIP PLANS

Make your hotel reservations NOW. I'm planning to drive Friday and stay Friday, Saturday, and Sunday nights. Please keep in mind we won't be released Sunday night until close to 8pm, and scores will not be announced for at least another hour after that, so you may want to consider getting Monday off and staying in Milpitas Sunday night.. The **Travelodge** at 378 West Calaveras in Milpitas is our NorCal HQ. I got a room rate of \$50/night, no refunds. That's how I roll. Rehearsals will be at Milpitas HS both days (thank you Wendy!).

2009 CALENDAR

June 28 DRILL REHEARSAL Western High School 1pm-6:30pm

July 5 DRILL REHEARSAL Western High School 1pm-6:30pm

July 11 SO-CAL CLASSIC Long Beach, CA

July 12 DRUMS ALONG THE PACIFIC Los Angeles, CA

July 18 CALIFORNIA STATE OPEN San Jose, CA

July 19 LOUDEST SHOW ON EARTH Dublin, CA

June 28 Rehearsal

We will be learning the closer. Please print out your sheets and study them so we can move trough the sets quickly (there aren't many of them).

June 27 Review

I will be at Western at 1pm on Saturday June 27 if anyone wants to review with me.



**OPEN SLOTS:
ONE MELLOPHONE (OR PLUG)
NATIONAL UNIT MEMBERS PER SHOW
ANY AND ALL PERCUSSION**

