



# Central-Carroll High School Bands

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Dear Colleague;

I would like to take this opportunity to invite you and your band to the **27<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the “Super Bowl of Sound” Marching Festival and Contest on October 3, 2009!** We know you have several contests to choose from, but we feel the “Super Bowl of Sound” is the best choice. The “Super Bowl of Sound” is one of the largest and longest running contests in the Southeast with many bands returning year after year. Many of our attending band directors have commented on the incredible organization and attention to detail that takes place each year at the “Super Bowl of Sound”. We spend a great deal of time selecting only the most experienced and qualified adjudicators that will help take your band to the next level. I only select judges that I would want judging my own band! The goal of adjudication at the “Super Bowl of Sound” is to provide the participating bands and directors with as many helpful suggestions and comments as possible. We hope that each organization will be able to use our judges’ comments as a guide for planning rehearsals and future performances. Furthermore, our goal is for these comments to serve as a source of motivation for your students. We want the “Super Bowl of Sound” to be a positive, educational experience for both students and directors!

This year we will once again feature an incredible Awards Ceremony that you don’t want to miss! It is important to recognize the students as much as possible for the countless hours of hard work they put into this musical activity and we are proud to have done just that for 27 years! In addition to the numerous awards we normally offer, we have added a top front ensemble award, top brass and woodwind awards, and medals for each student and staff member of the championship band. More importantly, you will find your experience at our contest to be educationally rewarding for both students and staff.

I invite you to visit our website at [www.lionpride.org](http://www.lionpride.org) to learn more about the “Super Bowl of Sound”. You may also register on-line for the contest. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us. I hope you have a wonderful marching season and best wishes in all your musical endeavors. We hope to see you on October 3, 2009!

Sincerely,

Neil Ruby, Director