## The Pride of Natchez Band: Our Story

The Pride of Natchez Band was founded in 1927, with the mission of uniting the Natchez community through the universal language of music. We are a diverse ensemble dedicated to showcasing a wide range of musical styles, including marching band, jazz, classical, contemporary, and performing at community events, parades, and festivals throughout the year.

Our performances bring together musicians of all ages and backgrounds, creating an atmosphere of inclusivity, creativity, and shared passion. With each performance, we aim to inspire, entertain, and connect with our audience—whether it's through the excitement of a high-energy marching routine or the emotional depth of a symphonic piece.

We believe in the power of music to strengthen communities and build lasting bonds. As a nonprofit, we also strive to provide educational opportunities for young musicians, nurturing the next generation of artists and performers.

## Our Mission:

"To bring the joy and power of music to the people of Natchez and beyond, fostering a sense of unity, pride, and cultural enrichment through live performance."

## Resume

Name: Ahsia Alexander

Objective: To contribute to the growth and visibility of The Pride of Natchez Band through leadership, communication, and organizational skills.

Education: I have been with the band for more than 30 years. I was in band in high school and then it was passed on to my three children. I have been the Band Booster President for the past 11 years. My commitment and dedication to the band has been one that I will continue for years to come.

Skills: Music performance, leadership, teamwork, event coordination, communication.

Experience: Active supporter and organizer for The Pride of Natchez Band, assisting with fundraising, promotion, and community engagement.

The Pride of Natchez Band

The Pride of Natchez Band is a distinguished school music ensemble dedicated to musical excellence, school spirit, and community engagement.

Achievements: Regular performances at school and community events, participation in competitions, and recognition for musical excellence.

Mission: To inspire students through music education and performance while representing the Natchez community with pride.

Goals: To expand visibility, secure fundraising support, and provide opportunities for student musicians to grow and succeed.