

N.A.T.S. 2011 Fall Regional Conference

Location: Mississippi College, Clinton, MS

INFORMATION PACKET

Hotels

***Please inform ALL hotels when you book that you are attending the NATS conference hosted by the MUSIC DEPARTMENT at MC. They will need that information to give you any special room rates.**

- **Holiday Inn Express and Suites – Clinton, MS**
Holiday Inn Express and Suites of Clinton is providing special group rates of **\$79/night** for overnight accommodations from November 9-13, 2011. Please call (601) 708.0400 to make reservations. ***These rates will only be available through OCTOBER 9th, 2011!!**
- **Days Inn – Clinton, MS**
(601) 925.5065; 20 rooms have been reserved especially for NATS at MC, and special rates of **\$59.99/night** will be given. You must make reservations on or before **OCTOBER 15th, 2011** to receive the special rate.
- **Quality Inn – Clinton, MS**
(601) 924.0064; 35 rooms have been reserved especially for NATS at MC, and special rates of **\$59.99/night** will be given. You must make reservations before **NOVEMBER 1st, 2011**, or the rooms will be released.
- **Super 8 – Clinton, MS**
(662) 616.8063; 20 rooms have been reserved especially for NATS at MC, and special rates of **\$57.99/night** will be given. You must make reservations before **NOVEMBER 1st, 2011**, or the rooms will be released.
- **Hampton Inn – Clinton, MS**
(601) 925.9393; 50 rooms have been reserved especially for NATS at MC, and rates of **\$89.99/night** have been given. You must make reservations before **OCTOBER 26th, 2011**, or the rooms will be released.
- **Comfort Inn – Clinton, MS**
(601) 925. 8350; 45 rooms have been reserved especially for NATS at MC, and rates of **\$89.99/night** have been given. You must make reservations before **OCTOBER 26th, 2011**, or the rooms will be released.

***Other hotels in the Jackson area will be available for booking if you choose. There are many located along I-55, and some are also located in Ridgeland near the Renaissance shopping area (easy access to Clinton via the Natchez Trace). All of these hotel accommodations will be approximately 20-30 minutes from campus. All Clinton hotels are approximately 5-10 minutes from campus.**

Area Restaurants

Clinton, MS

Fast food:

- **Popeyes Chicken** ~ 485 Springridge Road Clinton, MS 39056-5602; (601) 924-9977
- **Taco Bell** ~ 476 Springridge Road Clinton, MS 39056-4852; (601) 924-4500
- **McDonalds** ~ 474 Springridge Road Clinton, MS 39056-4852; (601) 924-1644
- **Wendy's** ~ 310 Highway 80 E Clinton, MS 39056-4718; (601) 924-6838
- **Captain D's** ~ 131 Highway 80 E Clinton, MS 39056-4738; (601) 925-4609
- **Chick fil A** ~ 952 Highway 80 E Clinton, MS 39056; (601) 924-8892
- **KFC** ~ 442 Highway 80 E Clinton, MS 39056-4720; (601) 924-7232
- **Mazzios** ~ 301 Highway 80 E, Clinton - (601) 925-8009
- **Subway** ~ 950 Highway 80 E *Clinton, MS*. Phone: 601-925-8991
- **Sonic** ~ 971 Highway 80 E, Clinton - (601) 926-1515

Mexican:

- **Margaritas** ~ 737 Clinton Parkway Clinton, MS 39056-5245; (601) 924-0005
- **El Sombrero** ~ (601) 925-8282. Clinton 640 Highway 80 E *Clinton, MS* 39056
- **Salsa's** ~ 509 Springridge Rd # B Clinton, MS 39056-5611; (601) 924-3733

Sandwiches/Salads:

- **Newks** ~ 455 Highway 80 East, Clinton - (601) 925-5200
- **McAllisters** ~ 620 Highway 80 East • *Clinton, MS* 39056 601-924-9222
- **Lennys** ~ 753 Clinton Parkway Clinton, MS 39056; (601) 924-1414
- **Froghead Grill** ~ 121 Clinton Center Drive Clinton, MS 39056-5623; (601) 924-0725
- **The Irish Frog** ~ Ste F, 507 Springridge Road Clinton, MS 39056-5628; (601) 488-4173
- **Tin Shed BBQ** ~ 507 Springridge Road Clinton, MS 39056-5628; (601) 924-7660
- **Lula's Café (right down from Aven Music Hall)** ~ 205 West Leake St. *Clinton, MS* 39056 · www.lulascafeclinton.com
- **N'awlins Grill** ~ 228 *Clinton Blvd. Clinton, MS* 39056-5126. (601) 924.7305
- **Applebees** ~ 111 Clinton Center Drive Clinton, MS 39056-5623; (601) 924-8644

Coffee houses:

- **Starbucks** ~ 482 Springridge Road Clinton, MS 39056; (601) 924-1239
- **Cups (right behind Aven Music Hall)** ~ 101 West Main Street Clinton, MS 39056; (601) 924-4952

Ridgeland Restaurants @ Renaissance Shopping Center (right off Natchez Trace to I-55 N, then to the Old Agency Exit) 1000 Highland Colony Pkwy#5201 Ridgeland, MS 39157; (601) 519-0900 :

- Starbucks (Barnes and Noble)
- Fresh Market
- Mint Restaurant
- Ruth's Chris Steakhouse
- Sweet Peppers
- Biaggi's Italian
- P.F. Changs

- Five Guys Burgers and Fries
- Another Broken Egg (Brunch, open daily 7am-2pm)

Jackson Restaurants along I-55:

- **Broadstreet Bakery** ~ 4465 I 55 N # 101 Jackson, MS 39206-6124; (601) 362-2900
- **Bravo!** ~ 4500 I 55 N # 244 Jackson, MS 39211; (601) 982-8111
- **Char Restaurant** ~ 4500 I-55 N. suite 142, Jackson - (601) 956-9562
- **Julep** ~ 1305 E Northside Dr # 105 Jackson, MS 39211-5567; (601) 362-1411
- **Outback** ~ 6030 I-55 N. Jackson, MS 39211; (601) 977-9040
- **Old Venice Pizza** ~ 1428 Old Square Rd, Jackson, MS 39211. (601) 366-6872
- **Bon Ami** ~ 1220 E Northside Dr # 230 Jackson, MS 39211-5503; (601) 982-0405
- **Beagle Bagel** ~ 4500 I 55 N Jackson, MS 39211-5930; (769) 251-1892

Campus MAP

<http://www.mc.edu/about/campusmap.html>

Parking instructions

MC Security is requesting that we park in the parking lot closest to the football and baseball field (to the left of the coliseum which looks like the Epcot ball). You MUST have the temporary parking pass posted on your car where it is visible to security (preferably in the left dash). This parking lot is at least a 10 minute walk from the music building. We understand this is not very convenient, but security has promised shuttles to and from Aven to the parking lot. We do not expect parking to be an issue Saturday, November 12, but this parking lot must be used on the Thursday (Nov. 10) and Friday (Nov. 11) of the conference. Please keep your temporary parking pass on your car during the ENTIRE conference. On Saturday for the finals competition, you may park anywhere that is available near Aven Hall; you will not have to use the football/baseball parking lot for Saturday (Nov. 12).

Friday Evening Members Dinner

Location: Chapatoula Building ~ 115 W. Cynthia St. * Clinton, MS 39056; (601) 925-1883

Directions: From MC music building (AVEN HALL) – If you are parked in the rear parking lot of Aven Hall, exit the parking lot to the right. Immediately there will be a stop sign. Take a left at the stop sign and continue straight until Cynthia Street on your right. Take a right on Cynthia, and Chapatoula is on your left. Parking in the rear and along the sides.

From Mississippi College Campus: Go to the intersection by FBC Clinton (College St. and Clinton Parkway). Take a left at the light, and at your next light (Cynthia St.), take a left and the Chapatoula Building will be on your right hand side. Parking in the rear and along the sides.