LIMESTONE COLLEGE
HOMECOMING 2015
TEAM/ORGANIZATION
REGISTRATION PACKET
HOMECOMING CHECKLIST:
- Team Registration Form
- Team/Organization Roster
- King & Queen Statement

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Any stipulations that are not stated in this packet will be left up to the discretion of the Homecoming Committee.
SCHEDULE OF STUDENTS EVENTS:
Pre-Homecoming

Wednesday, September 23rd:
7:30 PM **Informational Meeting** – Stephenson Banquet Room
Any teams, organizations, or groups interested in participating in Homecoming must send a representative to attend the informational meeting. If someone from your group cannot attend, you must reach out to Student Services to make other arrangements.

Your group does not have to be an existing team/organization to enter a team into the Homecoming competition.

Thursday, October 1st:
5:00 PM **Homecoming Packets Due** – Dixie 203
Complete team packets must be submitted to Student Services by end of day. If your team has extenuating circumstances, you must reach out to Student Services to make other arrangements.

Homecoming Week

Wednesday, October 7th:
8:00 AM **King and Queen Voting Begins** - Online

8:00 PM **Lip-Sync Battle** – Fullerton Auditorium
Each team will enter a team to compete in the Lip Sync battle to earn points towards the Homecoming winner. [See details on Lip-Sync Battle page.](#)

Hosted by Comedian Joe Deuce.

Thursday, October 8th:
5:00 PM **King and Queen Voting Ends**
SCHEDULE OF STUDENTS EVENTS (continued):

8:00 PM  **Trivia Contest** – Stephenson Dining Hall
Each team will enter a team to compete in the Trivia Contest to earn points towards the Homecoming winner. See details on Trivia Contest page.

Friday, October 9th:
5:00 PM  **Homecoming Cookout**
**Homecoming Banner Contest**
Each team will display their banner at the Homecoming Pep Rally. Judging will take place at the event and winners will be announced at the football game on Saturday.

All banners will be displayed at the Homecoming football game on Saturday, October 10th.

Saturday, October 10th:
3:00 PM  **Student Football Tailgating** – Gaffney High School

7:00 PM  **Limestone Football vs. Catawba Kickoff**

**Homecoming Court** – Halftime
Presentation of the Alumni King & Queen
Crowning of the 2015 King and Queen
Homecoming Cup Winner Announced
RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. Each team must have a member of the Faculty/Staff as a representative of its team (i.e. student organization advisor or coach). A Faculty/Staff member is defined as “any full-time paid employee of Limestone College.” This Faculty/Staff member will serve as a liaison in case of a conflict between the team and the Homecoming Committee. Groups should make arrangements with the Faculty/Staff member prior to the beginning of Homecoming Week.

2. A team is any group of 10 people or more that meets all registration requirements.

3. In every event, late teams will be disqualified from that event.

4. All events will be judged by Limestone College Faculty/Staff.

5. Any individual/team/organization found consuming alcohol or possession of illegal substance of any kind will be disqualified.

6. In the event of any questions or complaints, a formal letter must be submitted to the Homecoming Committee within 24 hours of the event in question.

7. Organizations may nominate a male and female student representative. Only those representatives who meet minimum eligibility requirements will be considered for Homecoming King/Queen Competition. If an organization’s representative is ruled ineligible the organization will be notified and have 24 hours from the time of notification to select a new representative.

8. The Homecoming King/Queen results will remain confidential until the official announcement at the Homecoming Game on Saturday, October 10th.

9. All teams/organizations must submit all Homecoming Registration materials to the Student Services office (Dixie 203) by 5:00 PM, Wednesday, September 30th. No team/organizations will be officially registered until they have submitted the roster and all necessary forms.

10. Updated scoring will be announced on Friday, October 9th at the Homecoming Pep Rally (updated scoring will not include King/Queen voting).

11. If a tie occurs in determining the King/Queen, the tied representatives will be asked to participate in a tie-breaker event. If there is a tie in the team competition, both teams will be named as winners.
TEAM REGISTRATION FORM:

Registration Form and Team Roster are due by Thursday, October 1st, by 5:00 PM, in the Student Services office (Dixie 203).

Organization: ________________________________________________________________

Team Name: ________________________________________________________________

Contact Person: _____________________________________________________________

   Phone Number: ____________________________________________________________

   Email Address: ____________________________________________________________

Faculty/Staff Representative: ________________________________________________

The team contact person must sign below to verify that your team/organization will abide by all Limestone College Policies as stated in the Student Handbook.

________________________________________  Team Contact Signature

Queen Nominee: _____________________________________________________________

   Phone Number: ____________________________________________________________

   Email Address: ____________________________________________________________

King Nominee: _____________________________________________________________

   Phone Number: ____________________________________________________________

   Email Address: ____________________________________________________________
2015 KING AND QUEEN NOMINEE CANDIDACY STATEMENT:

Queen Nominee:
I, ___________________________ announce my candidacy for _______________________'s
nominee as Homecoming Queen.

King Nominee:
I, ___________________________ announce my candidacy for _______________________'s
nominee as Homecoming King.

I understand that to be eligible for Limestone College’s Homecoming King/Queen I must have a minimum 2.7 cumulative GPA (no rounding) and be in good academic and social standing with Limestone College. GPA will be determined based on the hours already earned at Limestone. If a candidate is a first semester student, his/her GPA will be taken from their most recent transcript and only un-weighted GPA will be considered. My signature signifies that I will allow the Homecoming Committee to check this standing. My signature also signifies I understand that I am required to follow the rules and regulations for posters and publicity as stated in the Limestone College Handbook.

___________________________________________
Queen Candidate’s Signature

___________________________________________
King Candidate’s Signature

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Queen Candidate

___ GPA _____________________________ Judicial Standing

King Candidate

___ GPA _____________________________ Judicial Standing
TEAM SCORES:

For the 2015 Homecoming Competition, Teams/Organizations will be awarded for placing in the Top Five.

Each competition will be awarded points as follows:
- 1st Place – 10 Points
- 2nd Place – 8 Points
- 3rd Place – 6 Points
- 4th Place – 4 Points
- 5th Place – 2 Points

KING AND QUEEN COMPETITION SCORING:

The votes received for the King/Queen Competition will not have an effect on the overall Team/Organization’s score for the Homecoming Cup Competition.

Points for King/Queen nominees will be awarded as follows:
- 60% - Popular Vote
- 40% - Organizations Points

Points awarded from popular vote:
- 1st Place – 10 Points
- 2nd Place – 8 Points
- 3rd Place – 6 Points
- 4th Place – 4 Points
- 5th Place – 2 Points
KING AND QUEEN VOTING:

Requirements
The King and Queen must be full-time students of Limestone College who were nominated by their team/organization. The King and Queen are the male and female candidates with the highest number of points as determined by the tallying procedure. Nominee’s must have a minimum 2.7 cumulative GPA (no rounding) and be in good academic and social standing with Limestone College. GPA will be determined based on the hours already earned at Limestone. If a candidate is a first semester student, his/her GPA will be taken from their most recent transcript and only un-weighted GPA will be considered.

The King and Queen competition has no effect on the points of the overall Homecoming Cup competition.

Voting
There will only be one round of voting. All nominees for the Homecoming King/Queen will be placed on the ballot for voting (Wednesday, October 7th – Thursday, October 8th). All candidates are required to participate in the Homecoming Court Ceremony Practice on TBA and in the Homecoming Court Ceremony during halftime of the Homecoming football game on Saturday, October 10th at Gaffney High School stadium. Points for the Homecoming King/Queen Competition are based only on popular vote and team scores.

Campaign Guidelines
Suggestions/regulations around what can and can’t be done on campus to campaign for King/Queen.
LIP-SYNC BATTLE:
Wednesday, October 7th
8:00 PM – Fullerton Auditorium

Teams registered for Homecoming will have the opportunity to compete for Homecoming King/Queen and Homecoming Cup points in the Lip-Sync Battle. See below for a full list of rules/regulations for this competition:

1. Only those individuals listed on your team/organization roster are eligible to participate as a member of your team.
2. Your team’s song (actual copy) must be submitted to Student Services by **Thursday, October 1st** for approval. Failure to submit your song by this time will result in disqualification for your team. If your song is deemed inappropriate by the Homecoming Committee, you will be notified immediately and will have 24 hours to submit a new song for approval. Song choices can be taken to Student Services (Dixie 203) or submitted via email to jchavous@limestone.edu.
3. Team costumes must be appropriate as deemed by the Homecoming Committee. If you are unsure about your team’s costumes, please contact Student Services for approval. The Homecoming Committee reserves the right to refuse participation due to inappropriate costumes; if this is the case the team will be disqualified.
4. The lip-sync routine/song can be no longer than 2½ minutes.
5. All teams participating in the lip-sync battle will need to arrive to Fullerton Auditorium no later than 7:00 PM on Wednesday, October 7th.
6. Judging will be done by a panel of Limestone Faculty/Staff.
7. All Limestone students are encouraged to attend this event, free of charge.

Points will be awarded as follows:

- 1st Place – 10 Points
- 2nd Place – 8 Points
- 3rd Place – 6 Points
- 4th Place – 4 Points
- 5th Place – 2 Points
TRIVIA NIGHT:
Thursday, October 8th
8:00 PM – Stephenson Banquet Hall

Teams registered for Homecoming will have the opportunity to compete for Homecoming King/Queen and Homecoming Cup points in the Trivia Night contest. See below for a full list of rules/regulations for this competition:

1. Each team can consist of a maximum of 10 people; only those individuals listed on your team/organization roster are eligible to participate as a member of your team.
2. All team members must be in Stephenson Banquet Hall no later than 7:45 PM; teams who arrive late will be subject to disqualification.
3. Unique team “uniforms” are encouraged.
4. Snacks and drinks will be provided for all participants!

Points will be awarded as follows:
- 1st Place – 10 Points
- 2nd Place – 8 Points
- 3rd Place – 6 Points
- 4th Place – 4 Points
- 5th Place – 2 Points
BANNER CONTEST:
Friday, October 9th
5:00 PM – Homecoming Concert / Pep Rally / Cookout

Teams registered for Homecoming will have the opportunity to compete for Homecoming King/Queen and Homecoming Cup points in the Banner Competition. See below for a full list of rules/regulations for this competition:

1. Only those individuals listed on your team/organization roster are eligible to participate/contribute as a member of your team.
2. Limestone will provide each team with a 3’x5’ banner which they will receive upon submitting the complete registration packet. Teams can decorate the banner in any way they wish (markers, paints, ribbon, etc.).
3. Team banners must be appropriate as deemed by the Homecoming Committee. If you are unsure about your team’s banner, please contact Student Services for approval. The Homecoming Committee reserves the right to refuse participation due to inappropriate material; if this is the case the team will be disqualified.
4. All banners must be submitted at the beginning of the event at 5:00 PM on Friday, October 9th. Any banners not submitted at this time will result in disqualification of the team for this event.
5. Judging will be done by a panel of Limestone Faculty/Staff; winners will be announced at the Homecoming football game.
6. All banners submitted will be on display at the Homecoming football game.
7. All Limestone students are encouraged to attend this event, free of charge.

Points will be awarded as follows:
   1st Place – 10 Points
   2nd Place – 8 Points
   3rd Place – 6 Points
   4th Place – 4 Points
   5th Place – 2 Points