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Cape Girardeau Marching Band Performs at Inauguration in Jefferson City

JEFFERSON CITY — A group of high school students from Cape Girardeau were given the opportunity to participate in the inauguration ceremonies for Missouri's 55th governor today (1-12). Members of the Central High School Marching Band, led by Director Neil Casey, performed in the inaugural parade that made its way through Jefferson City.

Approximately 90 students were invited to participate in the Capitol festivities. Following the Inaugural ceremony on the front steps of the Capitol, Senator Jason Crowell, R-Cape Girardeau, and Rep. Clint Tracy, R-Cape Girardeau, personally met with the students in both the House and Senate chambers.

The band was also recently recognized through a Senate Resolution presented by Sen. Crowell for completing a “perfect season.” The band was recognized for being undefeated, scoring first place in every competition during the 2008 competitive season.

“As an alumnus of Cape Central, I know that each of these students has worked very hard, and I appreciate all the time and effort that goes into that,” said Sen. Crowell. “I am pleased they were able to make the trip to be a part of today’s festivities.”



The Cape Central Marching Band takes a picture while visiting the Capitol.

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