

# Opening Ceremonies • June 17, 2011

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Food, fun, parade of athletes, lighting of the State Games torch and spectacular fireworks! Festivities kick-off at 5 p.m. Opening Ceremonies begin at 7:30 p.m.



## STREET CLOSINGS:

8 a.m.

- 22nd Avenue from 4th to 6th Street
- 5th Street from 21st to 23rd Avenue
- Parking will be closed on 6th Street between 22nd and 23rd Avenues on the south side

5:30 p.m.

- Front Street between 22nd & 23rd Avenues
- 22nd Avenue between Front Street & 4th Street; and Overpass/Bridge

## NO PARKING AFTER 5 P.M.

### FIREWORKS NO-PARK ZONES

- 22nd Ave. from 6th Street to Front Street
- 22nd Avenue and Constitution at 8th and 9th Streets
- Area by Doughboy Monument
- 6th Street between 21st and 22nd Avenues

### SHUTTLE SERVICE

4:30 to 10 p.m.  
Pick up at the Arts District Parking Garage; drop off at 5th St. & 23rd. Ave.; Front St. & 23rd Ave.



**ARTS DISTRICT PARKING GARAGE**  
722 24TH AVENUE  
More than 400 FREE parking spaces, with shuttle service to event

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**TEAM REGISTRATION TENT HERE; LINE-UP BEGINNING AT 6:30 P.M.**

**\*\*ATHLETE LINEUP\*\***

**CLOSES AT 5:30 P.M.**  
• Front Street and 22nd Avenue Overpass/Bridge

**ATHLETE DROP-OFF: BEFORE 5:30 P.M.**  
Follow 22nd Ave. to Front St. and turn right. Turn left onto 21st Avenue; then left onto 6th Street and drop off athletes at fire truck. Turn right onto 22nd Avenue; turn left onto 8th Street; turn left onto 24th Avenue. Parking garage entrance will be on the left.

**AREA INSIDE RED LINE CLOSED TO ALL TRAFFIC AT 8 A.M.**

Thru traffic on 4th and Front Streets, part of 6th Street and 23rd Ave. open until 5:15 p.m.

### GETTING to 22ND AVE.:

#### From I-20 (Jackson/Hattiesburg)

Take exit 153 off I-20.  
At traffic light, take left onto 22nd Ave. (Sela Ward Blvd.)

#### From I-20 (Tuscaloosa/Birmingham)

Take exit 153 off I-20  
At traffic light, take Right onto 22nd Ave. (Sela Ward Blvd.)

### ONCE ON 22ND AVE.:

Follow 22nd Ave. to B St. Turn Right, then left on 18th Ave. Parking will be available in both areas, at the Arts District Parking Garage (722 24th Avenue) and throughout the downtown core.

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