

Fourth District Band Directors

Minutes

February 4, 2017

1. Call to Order at 10:35
2. Treasurer's Report – Ashley Bell
 - a. Meade and Bell County checks to cover the food
 - b. Scholarship is not shown because it won't be written until the winner actually leaves for school.
3. Appreciation to Kent for sponsoring our hospitality room
4. Minutes from January 21 meeting– Approved
5. Brian Ellis – Festival
 - a. Tuesday is state ACT testing
 - i. Needs to be discussed at KMEA to see if middle schools can take most of those days.
 - ii. Judges are Dave Webber, Kevin Cox Bruce, Soderstrom, and Greg Lyons are judges
6. Solo & Ensemble – Please be sure to mark the piano
7. Marching Band – Nothing new, last meeting was cancelled
8. Unfinished Business
 - a. Today
 - i. Collect donations (Ed, Ashley, Daniel, Brian)
 - ii. Open doors at 2:30
 - iii. Programs/Greeter (Rena, Alex, David, Drew)
 - iv. Stage Crew (Ricky, Nathan, Tyler, Aaron)
 - b. Haven't heard back from Holsinger
 - c. Need All-District Committee for next year
 - i. Zach Shelton – 9/10
 - ii. The Bells – Symphonic
 - d. Audition Dates and Locations
 - i. 1st Cut – November 21, 2017 at John Hardin (Motion passed)
 - ii. 9/10 can be discussed, but not voted on until KMEA
 1. Consider changing date or start time to avoid academic team conflicts
 2. John Hardin worked well and Brian Ellis is willing
 - e. Audition registrations may be able to be done online through the software we have been using.
 - f. All-District Weekend for High School
 - i. February 2 and 3, 2018
 - ii. Change handbook to reflect high school location on a yearly basis (Motion passed)
 - iii. Taylor County a possible location to host (Table motion until KMEA)

- iv. 2018 Symphonic Band Conductor will be David Holsinger
 - v. Conductor nominations for 9/10 band in 2018 – Tim Allen, Bruce Soderstrom, David A., David J.
 - vi. Conductor nominations for Symphonic band for 2019 – Michael Colburn, Warren, Carmichael, Watkins
 - g. Middle School All-District Weekend will be discussed at KMEA
 - i. Meade County is willing to host
 - h. Proposals
 - i. All-District Band Reconfiguration Request (to change the concert band from 9-10 to 9-12) – Configuration will remain the same (9-10 only for concert band).
 - ii. Motion to include any student who makes All-State regardless of grade level into the 9/10 Band. (Passed)
 - iii. Motion to send a proposal to the state level to establish a summit for the marching band division (Motion passed)
 - i. Band Council Meeting Wednesday
 - i. Scales on All-State Auditions
 - ii. Large ensemble adjudication sheet is being revised
 - iii. Band classification
 - j. Handbook will be looked at in our next meeting.
9. Adjourned at 11:58