

# **FDBDA Fall Meeting**

## **Minutes**

September 12, 2016

### **Call to Order**

### **Introduction of new members**

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- Motion, second, and vote (Brian/Drew) - Approved

### **KMEA Band Division Report – Brian Froege**

- Survey sent out on classification for Middle School Bands for sight-reading based on their performance repertoire. Results were mixed.
- All-State 2<sup>nd</sup> Round Auditions will be done with a computer program designed for band auditions. Uses tablets for judges. Scores go directly to tabulation room.

### **Marching Band Committee - Brian Ellis**

- Nothing to report.

### **Large Ensemble Assessment – Brian Ellis**

- ACT date is the same as one of our Concert Festival dates (March 20, **21**, 22). PAC dates cannot be changed. **Let Brian know if you have a conflict.** May be able to schedule mostly middle school bands on that day.

### **Solo & Ensemble Festival – Brittany Ford**

- April 29 at North Hardin High School

### **FDBDA Scholarship – Ashley Bell**

- Sample reviewed and discussed
- 1<sup>st</sup> time would be this school year
- Further discussion needed on timetable for selecting and announcing winner.
- **Method for verification of major/acceptance needed.**
- Motion to accept with discussed changes – Passed
- Proposed Amount – \$500

### **Upcoming Events**

- **All-District/All-State 1<sup>st</sup> Round**
  - o Tuesday, November 22
  - o Meet at 6:00pm at John Hardin High School Library
  - o Auditions will start at 7:00pm
  - o Proposal to pilot the All-State program at our first round auditions this year (Brian Froege).

- Pre-Registration is a must. More information will be sent out.
  - Motion to meet and use program (passed)
  - Fees:
    - \$9 total audition
    - \$5 folder fee
  - Judges:
    - Need more for percussion
    - May need to hire outside of district
    - Flute – Christina Bishop, Stephanie Mora
    - Double Reeds/Bass Clarinet – Ed Johnson, Carolyn Johnson
    - Clarinet – Brittany Ford, Brittany Johnson
    - Saxophone – Daniel Beams, Ricky Dudgeon
    - French Horn – Damon King, Alex Patterson
    - Trumpet – Aaron Bell, Renae Compton
    - Trombone – Zach Shelton
    - Tuba/Euphonium – Scotty burn, Chris McGee
    - Percussion – Nathan Willoughby, Tyler Cantrell, \_\_\_\_\_
    - Tabulation – Stephen Bishop, David Centers, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
  - Folders – Go back to old way of distributing music with hard copies
    - Handbook needs to be updated
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Round All-Stat
  - \$8 Fee
  - We need to work Registration and help with evening room monitor/runners (2-3 hour window)
  - Further discussion can take place at 1<sup>st</sup> Round audition meeting
- Middle School and 9/10 All-District Auditions
  - At John Hardin High School
  - Proposal to split 9/10 and middle school auditions
    - Same day, but one in the morning and one in the afternoon/evening
    - Getting enough judges and room monitor are a challenge
  - No decision reached. Need further discussion.
- HS All-District Weekend
  - February 3-4, 2017
  - Meade County
  - Snow dates (after KMEA) – February 17-18
  - Confusion and difficulty in scheduling Guest Conductors
  - Old programs need to be sent to conductors
  - Symphonic Band
    - Chair – Aaron Bell
    - Conductor – Gary Schallert
  - Concert Band
    - Chair – Zach Shelton

- Conductor – Luke Aylsworth
- KMEA Conference
  - February 8-11, 2017
  - Discussed at District Meeting
- Middle School All-District Weekend
  - February 24-25, 2017
  - Campbellsville University
  - Snow dates – March 3-4, 2017
  - Blue Band
    - Chair – Chris McGee
    - Conductor – Susan Waters
  - Red Band
    - Chair – Daniel Beams
    - Conductor – Jeff Scott
- Upcoming Events
  - Large Ensemble
  - Solo & Ensemble
- New Business
  - Dues/Fees need to be paid
    - Personal - \$2
    - School - \$25
  - Website – Renae Compton
    - 9/10 and Middle School All-District music posted/updated
    - Let Renae know of School/Director changes
    - Password to Members Only page will be sent out
    - Discussion on what to include on Members Only page
      - Minutes, Reports, Program, Results
      - Need minutes and programs from previous meetings to post on website. Stephen Bishop will send Dropbox access.
    - Calendar has most dates on it. Let Renae know of anything you want added to the calendar (due dates of forms, etc.)
    - Check the Committees/Offices/Chairs section and let Renae know of any additions or changes.
    - FAQs were in the process of being written last year with Jaime as the lead.
      - Renae will follow up with him to get a copy of them.
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- Adjourned at 8:15