



FLORIDA BANDMASTERS ASSOCIATION – 68th year
DISTRICT MEETING #3 MINUTES FORMAT (ver. 08-03)

DISTRICT NUMBER: 8	MEETING DATE: February 2, 2004
MEETING NUMBER: 3	MEETING LOCATION: Howard Middle School

Item 1: Call to Order and Introductory Remarks

1. Meeting called to order by Becky Segó, chairman, at 7:00 p.m.
2. Introduction by Mike Parks:
 - a) Bill Reinecke's surgery went well, appreciates well-wishes.
 - b) Leo Lamos was introduced as director at Meadow Woods Middle School
 - c) Explanation of committee of OCPS directors and civility policy
3. Introduction of Kristen NeSmith, FSU intern at Glenridge Middle School, and Joey Monahan, FSU intern at Lakeview Middle School.

Item 2: Members and Guests Present

Member/Guest	School/Affiliation	Member/Guest	School/Affiliation
1 Becky Sego	West Orange High School	26 Lee Sellers	Glenridge Middle
2 Leo Lamos	Meadow Woods M.S.	27 James Henderson	University H.S.
3 Nicole Nasrallah	Ocoee Middle School	28 David Laniewski	West Orange H.S.
4 Chris Sego	Chain of Lakes M.S.	29 Missie Ellis	Lakeview Middle School
5 Kevin Davis	Lee M.S., intern	30 Lisa Bujnicki	Lakeview Middle School
6 Joel Moody	Winter Park High School	31 Ken Rogier	Union Park Middle School
7 Jack Eaddy	Westridge Middle School	32 Ken Pearce	Jackson Middle School
8 Eric Saidat	Lockhart Middle School	33 Adam McIntyre	Edgewater H.S.
9 Jeanie Berry	Southwest Middle School	34 Cliff Walker	Timber Creek H.S.
10 Angela McKenzie	Discovery Middle School	35 Rhett Cox	Timber Creek H.S.
11 Edith Bentley	Trinity Christian	36 Allison Rosser	Blankner School
12 Amy Wolek	Windy Ridge Middle	37 John Deir	Freedom H.S., intern
13 Kristie L. Smith	Corner Lake Middle	38 Ken Boyd	Olympia High School
14 Rich Ervin	Howard Middle School	39 Mike Parks	OCPS
15 Brian Nichols	Freedom High School	40 Jodi Wunsch	Apopka Middle School
16 Keith Nichols	Conway Middle School	41 Bernie Hendricks	Robinswood M.S.
17 Adam Steff	Cypress Creek H.S.	42 Chris MacTavish	Liberty Middle School
18 Jill Gutierrez	Hunter's Creek M.S.	43 Gary Hernandez	Edgewater H.S.
19 Derek Shapiro	Cypress Creek H.S.	44 John Lennard	Evans High School
20 Phil Obado	University H.S.	45 Rob Connelly	Boone High School
21 Chris Perez	Oak Ridge High School	46 Eric Mendez	Maitland Middle School
22 Ryan Thomas	Gotha Middle School	47 Heather Harding	Discovery Middle School
23 Abby Powell	Robert E. Lee Middle	48 Aaron Lefkowitz	Dr. Phillips High School
24 Kelvin Gunter	Carver Middle School	49 Eric Simpson	Boone High School
25 Tim Douglass	Odyssey Middle School	50 Kristin NeSmith	Glenridge Middle, intern

Item 3: Reading of Previous Minutes

There were no objections or changes to the previous minutes; therefore, they stand approved as distributed.

Item 4: Treasurer's Report

1. Segó: explained budget/expenses packet. Would still like volunteer to fill treasurer position for next year.
2. Sellers: is there still an FBA form for marching expenses. Segó and Parks: that form no longer exists.
3. Pearce: Thanks to Becky for detailed financial report.

Item 5: Music Advocacy Issues

1. FSMA is a part of our advocacy for FBA and FMEA.
2. MAESTRO – parent membership of FSMA. Parents who could be valuable assets in advocacy.
3. Tri-M – potential student participation in advocacy effort.

Item 6: Communications

1. Shelby Chipman – Thanks letter, marching MPA.
2. Amy Woleck, Windy Ridge – comments only, Concert MPA. Sellers / Boyd PASSED
3. Hendricks and Leonard, Evans Concert Band – comments only, Concert MPA B. Nichols / Sellers PASSED
4. Chris Perez, Oak Ridge – comments only, Concert MPA Wunsch / Bujnicki PASSED

Item 7: Unfinished Business

1. All-State: Insight from Chuck Fulton – tape quality not necessarily an issue. Only problem with tapes might be bleed over from other rooms.
2. Discussion regarding possibility of all-state clinic to aid students in preparation of audition process.
3. Thomas: concern with bleed-over from percussion auditions in band room to other buildings in music suite commonly used at some school sites.

Item 8: Committee Reports

1. Need for Benevolence Chair
2. Also consider chair positions in other areas: adjudicators, publicity, programs, recording, pianos for S&E.

Item 9: New Business

1. Make sure you check MPA rules and regulations.
2. B. Nichols: Freedom H.S. will send risers to TCHS for HS S&E Jazz MPA.
3. S&E Reminders: Only directors in FBA office, no parents or students; review etiquette and rules with students; H.S. S&E will have conflict judge; director has to fill out change of address form and deliver to judge; directors can not leave until checked out and received print out of scores.
4. Recording - Phylis Cragan will record for HS Jazz, but can not record for other MPA's.
5. Other options:
 - a) Eric – Chuck at Cypress Creek for MS Jazz
 - b) Thomas – Chris Gaines; will get info for all suggested recorders, contact, and find someone for other three MPA's
6. Concert MPA Reminders: HS, March 4-6 @ Winter Park High School; MS, April 1-3 @ Lakeview Middle School
 - a) Moody: need for concessions at HS MPA? Result, no.
 - b) Boyd: reminder to make sure cafeteria is open for holding area and place to eat.
6. Simpson: concern with all-state percussion students not receiving adequate opportunities to play due to being selected as participant in All State Orchestra. Will draft proposal for executive board to be presented at April meeting.

Item 10: State MPA Dates and Sites

1. If you have not received State MPA Entry Bulletin by Early March – Call Duane
2. North S&E, Mar 29-30 @ West Port HS; South S&E, April 5-7 @ J.P. Taravella HS
3. North Concert, April 27-May 1 @ FSU; South Concert, April 26-May 1 @ Indian River CC

Item 11: District MPA Dates for Next Year

1. Motion: To accept January 27, 28-29 as HS Jazz/S&E dates. Steff / Lefkowitz PASSED
2. Motion: To accept February 17, 18-19 as MS Jazz/S&E dates. Pearce / Bujnicki RESEND
3. Motion: To accept February 10, 11-12 as MS Jazz/S&E dates. Berry / Bujnicki TABLED by Rogier, 2nd by Douglass
4. Motion: To accept April 7-9 as MS Concert MPA dates. Wunsch / Pearce PASSED
5. Motion: To accept March 10-12 as HS Concert MPA dates. Moody / Lefkowitz PASSED
6. Reopened by Gunter, Motion to accept February 10, 11-12 as MS Jazz/S&E dates PASSED (18-13)
7. Motion: To accept November 6, October 30, and November 13 as first, second, and third choices for Marching MPA dates. Lefkowitz / Steff PASSED
8. Motion: To accept September 18, 11, and 4 as first, second, and third choices for All-State Audition dates. Lefkowitz / Missie Ellis PASSED

Item 12: Nominations for Adjudicators List

1. Nomination by K. Nichols/Wunsch: Eric Simpson for S&E and marching, all areas. PASSED
2. Nomination by Walker: Rhett Cox for S&E percussion and marching, all areas. PASSED
3. Nomination by Moody: Cliff Walker for S&E percussion and marching percussion. PASSED
4. Nomination by Bujnicki: Ryan Thomas for S&E percussion and marching percussion. PASSED
5. Nomination by Shapiro: Adam Steff for S&E and marching percussion. PASSED

Item 13: Nominations of All State Clinicians

1. Frank Wickes, All State 11-12
2. Dr. Bob Spradling, All State 11-12

Item 14: Suggestions to State Committees

None at this time.

Item 15: Proposals to the Executive Board

None at this time.

Item 16: Other

None at this time.

Item 17: For the Good of the Association

K. Nichols: Orlando Concert Band is looking for new membership, especially 1st clarinet and alto sax.

Item 18: Next Meeting Date

When: April 19, 2004, 7:00 p.m.

Where: TBA

Item 19: Adjournment

Motion to adjourn. B. Nichols / Ellis ADJOURNED 8:27 p.m.

Name of District Secretary:

Kristie L. Smith

Signature: