

FLORIDA BANDMASTERS ASSOCIATION – 72nd year DISTRICT MEETING #2 MINUTES (ver. 08-07)

DISTRICT NUMBER: 11 MEETING DATE: NOVEMBER 3, 2007
MEETING NUMBER: 2 LOCATION: SARASOTA HIGH SCHOOL

Item 1: Call to Order and Introductory Remarks

Thank you to JD Roseboom for providing a site and breakfast.

Thank you to Ron Lambert for the Percussion Clinic- there will be more resources coming about links mentioned, etc.

Item 2: Members and Guests Present

| Name | School |
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| Bob Schaer | Lakewood Ranch HS |
| Ron Lambert | Lakewood Ranch HS |
| Mark Spreen | Riverview High School |
| Owen Bradley | North Port High School |
| Amy Bradley | Electa Lee MS |
| Ron Porch | Community Christian School |
| Dale Bowe | Port Charlotte High School |
| Paul Champagne | Bayshore High School |
| Paul Henry | Manatee School for the Arts |
| Keith Stark | Sarasota Middle School |
| Cindy Balistreri | Sarasota County Schools- Fine Arts Program Specialist |
| Daniel Boyd | Haile Middle School |
| Jonathan Case | Venice High School |
| Kim Serio | DeSoto Middle School |
| Kay Dubbert | Murdock Middle School |
| Tim Ostrow | LA Ainger Midle School |
| Sherry Lawrence | Manatee County Schools- Fine Arts Program Specialist |
| Linda Boone | Manatee High School |
| Jim Bruce | Manatee High School |
| Victoria Helton | Electa Lee Middle School |
| Norm Vagn | Riverview High School |

| Lorianne Keeney | Manatee High School |
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| Julie Duryea | Braden River Middle School |
| Chris Daige | MMS |
| JD Roseboom | Sarasota High School |
| MaryAnn Naumann | Riverview High School |
| Kendall Carrier | Braden River High School |
| Aaron Stone | Palmetto High School |

Item 3: Reading of Previous Minutes

On the web at www.flmusiced.org/fba

Item 4: Treasurer's Report-

Current Balance- \$8137.24

Item 5: Music Advocacy Issues

Check the FMEA website for updates on advocacy correspondence/school issues www.flmusiced.org/legnew/content/default.aspx

Cindy Balistreri commented on legislative session:

- 1. Trying very hard to prevent the middle school credit in PE. Elementary PE was passed last year despite our efforts. When you see an email re: Middle School PE credit it is vital to have parents to respond. We must mobilize to prevent destruction of our middle school feeder programs.
- 2. High School Fine Arts credit- we must work to keep this. When you see an email requesting action to respond to legislature, please have parents voice their opinion. You are encouraged to start personal email campaigns (from home email NOT school).

If each of us get 4-5 people to respond to advocacy issues that is HUGE! We must do better in this area.

Item 6: Communications

None

Item 7: Unfinished Business

Solo and Ensemble MPA:

Date:Feb 8-9

Site: Sarasota High School

MPA Online registration, forms, and assessment check due to chairman by Jan 8th (date of meeting)

After January 18th not accepted

HS Concert MPA:

Date:Feb 29-March 1 Site:North Port High School

MS Concert MPA:

Date:April 12

Site: Charlotte High School

Marching MPA:

Thank you to Jim Bruce for a wonderful job hosting!

Gate this year 2007-\$5523.00 Gate last year 20-\$4750.00

Also Thank you to Greg Nielsen for recording.

Item 8: Committee Reports

Item 9: New Business

Requests for re-classification must be approved by district vote.

Bayshore High-from A to B Braden River-from A to B Charlotte High-from A to BB DeSoto High-from B to CC North Port-from AA to A Palmetto High-from BB to CC

Punta Gorda Middle School requests Comments Only

Vote by Secret Ballot: PASSED

Election of new officers next meeting. We will need to elect BOTH District Chair AND District Secretary

All-State Results-

High School Symphonic Band-Concert band-67 fees collected 57 auditioned Middle School Band-22 fees collected 22 auditioned Jazz Band-6 fees collected 6 auditioned

Students that made All-State from our district-

Jazz-Sarasota-Trombone
MS-LA Ainger-Clarinet
Brookside-Baritone
MS Honor-Lee-Percsussion
Small School-Desoto-Flute
St. Stephens-Clarinet
Concert Band-Southeast-BSN
Lakewood Ranch-Trpt
Orchestra-Southeast-Flute
Southeast-BSN
Booker-Flute

Item 10: State MPA Dates and Sites

North/Central Band: April 14-18 2008 South: April 14-18, 2008 Vero Beach

Item 11: Nominations for Adjudicators List none

Item 12: Suggestions to State Committees

Item 13: Proposals to the Executive Board (must be in the form of a motion) none

Item 14: Other

Linda Boone-Desperate need for auxiliary adjudicators

Item 15: For the Good of the Association

Thank you to JD Roseboom for hosting All-State Auditions
Norm Vagn-Jazz Festival-January 26th Sarasota High School

Item 16: Next Meeting Date

January- 8th at Sarasota MS 6pm May 3rd- at DeSoto HS 10am

Item 17: Adjournment

Name of District Secretary: Owen Bradley

Signature

Owen S. Bradley