



FLORIDA BANDMASTERS ASSOCIATION – 73rd year
DISTRICT MEETING #3 MINUTES
(ver. 08-08)

DISTRICT NUMBER: 1	MEETING DATE: January 21, 2009
MEETING NUMBER: 3	LOCATION: Gulf Breeze High School

Item 1: Call to Order and Introductory Remarks

- Meeting was called to order at 6:02.
- Thanks to Neal McLeod and the Gulf Breeze HS Band Boosters for hosting our meeting and providing our meal!
- Packets w/entry forms, assessment form, and checks should be turned in to Neal at this time! He will let you know if you're missing anything.

Item 2: Members and Guests Present

Doug Holsworth	Escambia High	Jay Spirakis	NavarreHigh
Eddie Steadman	Ruckel Middle	Jarod Leddy	Pace High
Joe Hooten	Tate High	Scott LaBorde	Bruner Middle
John Wilk	Retired	David Riggs	Avalon Middle
Kristy Dubuisson	Rocky Bayou Christian	Angela Nass	Bellview Middle
Hank Phillips	Pryor Middle	Wess Hillman	Pensacola High
Chad Hannah	Choctawhatchee High	Saundra Kirchenbauer	Pensacola Christian
Paul Harris	Meigs Middle	Nicholas Kozar	Pensacola Christian
Perry Riddle	Destin Middle	Matt Clark	Crestview High
Kelly Delelinski	Liza Jackson Prep	Jody Dunn	Crestview High
Mitzi Bumbarger	Ferry Pass Middle	Dan Wooten	Niceville High
Rebecca Dumas	Student Teacher-Ransom MS	Connie Pettis	Jay High
Patricia Maness	Ransom Middle	Melanie Foote	West FL Home School
Susie Smithey	Gulf Breeze Middle	Randy Folsom	Ft. Walton Beach High
Alicia Trevino	Holley-Navarre Middle	Charles Samuel	Hobbs Middle
Kim Odom	Richbourg Middle	Stacey Rohde	Woodlawn Beach MS
Gray Weaver	Milton High	Neal McLeod	Gulf Breeze High
Nicole O'Neill	Bailey Middle		

- Welcome Kristy Dubuisson, new director at Rocky Bayou Christian School
- Rebecca Dumas, Ransom Middle School intern from Troy University; Dan Farr, Ft. Walton Beach High School intern from FSU

Item 3: Reading of Previous Minutes

- Available on the FBA webpage

Item 4: Treasurer's Report

- See handout

Item 5: Music Advocacy Issues

- Budget issues/concerns

Item 6: Communications

- Request from Northview High School to perform for comments only at the District 1 Concert MPA. Motion by John Wilk, second by Patricia Maness. Motion passed.

Item 7: Unfinished Business

- MPA Online issues
- Suggestions?
- “3+1” rule
 - Reason for motion
 - Good discussion
 - Perspective
 - Balance of program(s)
 - Students’ best interest at heart
 - Music Education
- FMEA Clinic(s)
 - Great job Eddie Steadman, Dan Wooten, and Roy King for a great clinic!
 - Great job Chris Tredway, clinician/conductor for the 7/8 Honor Band!
 - Concerts were all incredible!

Item 8: Committee Reports

- None

Item 9: New Business

Solo & Ensemble Information:

Dates: Feb. 20-21, 2009

Site: Gulf Breeze HS

- Title changes due Feb. 6th via MPA Online or email
- Do not delete students who DNA between now and the event. Turn in DNA slip at check-in!
- Pianos/moving? Money is available (who did it last year?)
- Info from Neal McLeod – scheduling will run late due to school hours.

Jazz MPA Information:

Dates: Feb. 27, 2009

Site: Crestview HS

- Title changes due Feb. 13th via MPA Online or email
- Programs?
- Equipment provided?
- Do not warm-up on stage! Sound check is ok.
- Info from Jody

Concert MPA Information:

Dates: March 6 & 7, 2009 (HS) – April 16 & 17, 2009 (MS)

Site: Ft. Walton Beach HS (HS MPA) & Tate HS (MS MPA)

- Titles due at S&E check-in
- Programs – Playground for HS, Schmidts/Dollarhides for MS MPA
- Recording – Lindsay Stuart or Jeff Jordan will be selected by Mike Philley
- Info from Randy
- Scheduling for MS will be very tight because of school times at Tate.

Item 10: State MPA Dates and Sites

North site – April 20-21, 2009 @ Ft. Walton Beach HS

Senior High Directors—If you have not received your State MPA Entry Bulletin by early March, CALL the executive director. Check the website for details regarding deadlines for entry. I'll send out a reminder email as well.

Item 11: Election of Officers (if applicable)

- Not applicable this year!

Item 12: District MPA Dates for Next Year

Corresponding dates:

All-State auditions = Sept. 12th

Marching MPA = Oct. 10th

S&E = Feb. 19th, 20th

Jazz = Feb. 26th

HS Concert = March 5th, 6th

MS Concert = April 15th, 16th

Motion to accept corresponding dates by Jeff Treadway, second by John Wilk. Motion passed.

Item 13: Nominations for Adjudicators List (secret ballot)

- None

Item 14: Nominations for All-State Clinicians

- None

Item 15: Suggestions to State Committees

- None

Item 16: Proposals to the Executive Board

(must be in the form of a motion)

- None

Item 17: Other/For the Good of the Association

- Jason Marsalis clinic/rehearsal with Tate Jazz on Feb. 4th (4-6pm)
- Tate Symphonic Jazz Band will compete in the Swing Central Jazz competition in Savannah, GA on March 27th!
- Santa Rosa All-County Band concert 2:00 Saturday, January 24
- Okaloosa All-County Band concert 2:00 Saturday, January 24
- Escambia All-County Band concert 8:00 Tuesday, January 27

Item 18: Next Meeting Date

- April 22nd @ The Folsom Estate – 6pm

Item 19: Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 6:50

Name of District Secretary:

Neal A. McLeod

Signature: