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FLORIDA BANDMASTERS ASSOCIATION – 67th year DISTRICT MEETING #2 MINUTES FORMAT (ver. 08-02)

DISTRICT NUMBER: 5	MEETING DATE: November 14, 2002
MEETING NUMBER: 2	MEETING LOCATION: Springstead HS – Spring Hill

Item 1: Call to Order and Introductory Remarks

The meeting was called to order by Michael E. Wickersheim, District 5 Chairman, at 7:02 pm. Mr. Wickersheim thanked Richard Dasher and the SHS Band Boosters for providing the dinner and hosting the meeting.

Item 2: Members and Guests Present

The following members were present at the meeting:

Michael Wickersheim	Pasco HS	Travis A. Henry	River Ridge MS
Dean Donataccio	Mitchell HS	Richard Dasher	Springstead HS
Jeanne Kleckner	Chasco MS	Larry Harvey	Weightman MS
Mary Harvey	Wesley Chapel HS	Vincent Parrulli	Land O' Lakes HS
Jason Koon	Citrus HS	Robert Cook	Crystal River HS
William Rutherford	Gulf HS	Terry Adams	Hudson HS
Nicole Fisher	River Ridge HS	Joseph Harrin	Central HS
Bruce Brazinski	Parrott MS	Gwen Brazinski	Guest
Michael Vail	Stewart MS		

Item 3: Reading of Previous Minutes

MOTION – Rutherford/Vail

To waive the reading of the minutes.

PASSED

Item 4: Treasurer's Report

Mr. Wickersheim reported that gate receipts for the Marching MPA totaled \$3704.00, which was lower than last year, due to the site change. A full treasurer's report will be mailed to the district membership before the December FBA Board meeting.

MOTION – Parrulli/L. Harvey

To accept the treasurer’s report as read.

PASSED

Item 5: Communications

Mr. Wickersheim read a letter from Barbara Dover, band director at Inverness MS, requesting that her concert band perform for comments only at the Concert MPA.

Item 6: Unfinished Business

Thanks went out to Jason Koon (Citrus HS) and Robert Cook (Crystal River HS) for hosting a wonderful event! Many suggestions regarding improvement were given, including:

- Extending warm up time to 45 minutes, up to one hour
- Having single performance videos of MPA available
- Improving logistics of moving bands from holding to performing area.
- Making sure communication between field and press box is better.

Item 7: Committee Reports

No reports. Reminders were given in regard to current Benevolence and Music Advocacy committee chairpersons; Annette Greive and Mary Harvey, respectively.

Item 8: New Business

A vote was taken regarding the request from Inverness MS

MOTION: Brazinski/Vail

To allow Inverness MS to perform for comments only.

PASSED

The remaining MPA dates and sites are as follows:

Jazz Band MPA	February 20, 2003	Central HS (Brooksville)
Solo/Ensemble and Twirling/Aux. MPA	February 21-22, 2003	Central HS
Concert MPA (Combined)	March 19-22, 2003	Wesley Chapel HS

Entry forms and disks are due to the district chairman by **January 16, 2003**. This is postmarked or in hand by this date. If anyone can assist at either event, please sign up on the lists after the meeting.

Item 9: State MPA Dates and Sites

Please refer to the FBA web site for accurate dates and sites.

Item 10: Nominations for Adjudicators List

Richard Dasher (Springstead HS) was nominated to be added to the adjudicators list in all marching categories (Music Performance, GE, Marching and Maneuvering).

MOTION: Henry/Parrulli
To accept the nomination.
PASSED

Item 11: Suggestions to State Committees

None.

Item 12: Proposals to the Executive Board

MOTION (Brazinski/Dasher) – Allow the “chaperone phone number” information for FMEA Conference On-Line registration to be listed as **optional** rather than required.

RATIONALE - Privacy concerns for parents or chaperones who have unlisted numbers (police officers, etc.)

PASSED

MOTION (Dasher/L. Harvey) – Change Handbook Rule III-D 2d to reflect the following change:

A band show shall be a minimum of 5 minutes and a maximum of 10 minutes duration. A band who performs outside of the minimum and/or maximum time limit shall have its general effect rating lowered one division.

PASSED

Item 13: Other

Special thanks to Mr. Henry, Ms. Kleckner, and Mr. Vail for their help in making Marching MPA a success. Also, special thanks to Mrs. Linda Frassard, Pasco HS volunteer, for her assistance before and after the festival.

Item 14: For the Good of the Association

- Congratulations to Dawane and Jennifer Ledbetter on the birth of their son, Jonathan Dawane Ledbetter!!
- Please update all phone numbers, fax numbers and other information that may be incorrect in the district handbook. Please forward those to the district chairman.
- Please submit dates and times of upcoming winter/holiday concerts to the district chairman.
- Dr. Wind’s Music Center (Longwood) will be on hand at the Pasco All-County Band auditions on November 19. Please inform your students!

Item 15: Next Meeting Date

The next meeting will be held on **Thursday, January 16, 2003** at Central HS in Brooksville.

Item 16: Adjournment

MOTION- L. Harvey/Vail

To adjourn the meeting at 8:14pm

PASSED

Name of District Secretary:

Travis A. Henry
FBA District 5 Secretary

Signature: