

NMME-SW District 1
Fall Business Meeting Minutes
August 6, 2022 - 10:00 am
Centennial High School Band Room

Meeting Called to Order- Karen Padilla – President

I. SW NMMEA Officers:

Band VP: Johnny Lang

Choir VP: Christa Fredrickson

Orchestra VP: Stephanie Wright

Elementary VP: Sarah Schlotterbeck- Silva

Treasurer: Brent Phelps

Secretary: Marissa Al-Masoud

III. Review of Ethics Statement: Karen Padilla– President

- Read aloud and on slide
- Reminder: Only Active Members May Vote

IV. Introduction of New Members/Teachers:

- Gabby Alvarez, Assistant Band Director, Mesa MS
- Rod Pior, Head Band Director Mayfield HS
- Marissa Al Masoud, Assistant Band Director Mayfield HS
- Raul Escobedo, Assistant Band Director Las Cruces HS
- Carmela Barreras -T or C MS/ HS
- Kayla Matheson - East Picacho Elem.
- Emilee Ketoff - Deming HS/ Red Mountain MS
- Abraham Gomez - Student teacher
- TJ Coleman - Cloudcroft HS
- Jon Scanlon - Gadsden MS
- Amanda Polland - Mountain View MS

V. New Members:

- If anything has changed or you are new please fill this out.
- [Contact Information](#) Google Form

VII. Approval of Minutes from Spring 2021 Meeting – sent out electronically to membership

- Link: [Fall Business Meeting 2020.docx](#)
- Motion to Approve - Pamela Quinones
- Second - Ty Frederick
- Show of hands, motion passes

VIII. Financial Report: Brent Phelps - Treasurer

- Treasurer's Report
- PO Process and addition of new rules: Payment must be received 2 weeks before the event takes place. Late Registration will be open for 2 days only. If we do not have payment in hand 2 weeks before the event, your group will not be allowed to participate.
- Invoices will be sent out earlier.

IX. Old Business: Karen Padilla – President

- District Calendar
 - A. The 2022-23 Calendar was presented at the last meeting, and we discussed each event, it has also been provided to you electronically.
 - B. Discuss Jazz Allstate and Solo and Ensemble on same day
 - C. Are there any changes or additions needed?
 - D. Approval of Calendar
- Registration/On Time Payments:
 - A. Late registration will be open for two days only; the website will be closed after those two days.
 - B. If payment is not in hand two weeks before the event, your group will not be allowed to attend.
 - C. PO number suffices as payment.

X. NMSU Updates:

Dr. Fred Bugbee, Music Department Chair

- Continued support of educators from NMSU
- New BA programs including music therapy and other concentrations
- Dr. Jake Dalager - Assistant Professor of Trumpet, Director of Jazz Studies
- Fixed sound problems in Atkinson Recital Hall

Dr. Jake Taylor, Director of Choral Studies

- NMSU Masterworks Chorus - invitation to new and returning members.
- Sarah Neely - Vocal Professor, Director of Opera

Steven Smyth, Asst Director of Bands

- New Trumpet TA - Lincoln Larsen
- Band Day at NMSU - October 1
- Possible opportunity for professional development clinic in May
- Thank you for continued support of NMSU Students

XI. NMMEA Updates: Ty Frederick-NMMEA President

- Welcome video from Amy Williams, President
 - A. [YouTube Link](#)
- Congratulations to NMMEA Award winners
- Remember only members may vote during meeting
- Remind attendees to update membership information on NAFME website.
 - A. Required for registration of district and NMMEA events
- Explain change to NM Musician and that we are currently accepting editor applications. Please have anyone interested contact Neil & Amy.
- All-State Music Festival and In-Service Conference
 - A. September 1 - Registration opens via NMMEA website
 - B. January 4-7 - UNM
- All-State Audition Dates
 - A. September 1 - Audition Registration Opens
 - B. October 15 - Audition Registration deadline
 - C. October 17 - Late Registration deadline
 - D. October 24 - November 6 - Audition window through OPUS
- All-State Audition Process
 - A. Will be sent via email to all members
- State Band and Choir Contest
 - A. September 1 - Registration opens
 - B. January 13 - Registration Deadline
 - a. No cancellation penalty if ensemble doesn't qualify
 - C. Submit names for adjudicators via [NMMEA website](#)
 - D. Reminder that sight-reading score does not count toward qualification.
 - E. Check NMAA website for updates - NMACT.org

XII. Closing Remarks- Thank you! Karen Padilla - President

- Motion to dismiss to section meetings
- Second by Rod Pior

Dismissed to Section Meetings

- Band- Band Rm

- Orchestra- Orchestra Rm

- Choir- Choir Rm