South Central KMEA Summer Board Meeting Monday, July 22nd 2019, 9:00am

The SCKMEA board met on Monday, July 22nd 2019 at President Bryan Kirk's home in Wichita at 9:00 am.

Members in Attendance: Bryan Kirk, Greg Bergman, Nichols Griggs, Ben Jervis, Kathy House, Jennifer Kirk, Christian Wisner, Jarl Moreland, Alex McMahon, Wes DeSpain, Amy Ives

Board Minutes

Change at KSHSAA regional solo and ensembles Festival-North and South weekends instead of school size.

Jazz Band is looking to add a state festival/comp. Meetings and discussions continue.

Accompanists will be not allowed to perform with more than 22 soloists at KSHSAA Solo & Ensembles Festivals. This is a change from 30. Smart music can be used.

Classifications will stay the same. 4A State Solo and Ensemble Festival will be at Andover Central HS.

Fees are increasing. Large ensembles at KSHAA Large Group Festival are increasing by \$5.

All 7-12 teachers that travel with students must to CPR and AED training before the fall season begins.

KSHSAA Performing Arts School of Excellence Award. Will begin this coming school year.

NFHSlearn.com-Free videos and music courses for KMEA members. Have members review the copyright and compliance course. There is also a music adjudication course for judges that judge solo and ensemble festival. There are videos about many topics regarding teaching.

A survey for 1A and 2A schools is coming from KMEA to determine their needs as teachers. Work to create a 1A/2A performing ensemble at the ISW. Offer tutoring and resources for these students that help them will all-state materials. Encourage them to have tri-m chapters. Also, help to recruit teachers to rural areas to teach and stay there.

KMEA might hire a social media person to help with music advocacy. They are in discussions about this. The SCKMEA board discussed the possibility of appointing someone on the board to be in-charge of social media. Discussions will continue at future meetings.

We are going to look at hiring security at district events. President Kirk will help host sites with booking and paying for security.

KMEA State Choir-voted on February 2019. 3-5 Elementary School, 6-8 Middle School, 9-12 High School.

In-Service Workshop Fee Increases

ISW fees are going up for registration of regular members that register after December 31st. Registration opens on November 1st. Registrations will be based on the time-stamp on the registration form, not on when KMEA receives payment.

Early bird will not change-\$80 (November-December 31).

Registration \$105 (+25) During January

Late Registration \$130 (+25) During February up to the deadline and on-site These penalties were \$10.

The board discussed charging for concerts or taking donations. The board discussed taking donations at the door of SCKMEA High School Concerts. The money raised would potentially go toward a scholarship fund for Elementary Choir Entry Fees for Title I students. Discussions will continue at the next meeting.

President Kirk reminded the board that students may not audition for high school band/orchestra and choir. Chairs will put that in their notes to directors this fall.

Regional Soccer, State Cross Country and State Volleyball are the same day as our November Audition day. Students will be allowed to record on Wednesday, October 30th at Andover Central High School. Information about the auditions will be sent to directors this fall.

Eisenhower High School will be hosting jazz audition not Goddard high school.

President Kirk reminded the ensemble chairs that they need to have all audition materials, clinician bios, and pictures on the SCKMEA website ASAP.

The SCKMEA orchestra chairs brought up the possibility of switching the All-District High School Orchestra from a full orchestra to a string orchestra. President Kirk gave them the task of surveying current band and orchestra directors about their thoughts.

Nominations for OE, OT and Hall of Fame – these must be done this summer. Send nominations to Bryan Kirk

Calendar 2019-2020

Jul. 22, 2019 SCKMEA Board Meeting

Sep. 7, 2019 SCKMEA Board Meeting

Sep. 15, 2019 MS Band registration deadline

Sep. 17, 2019 Registration deadline — HS Jazz, Elem. Choir

Sep. 24, 2019 HS Jazz late registration deadline

Oct. 2, 2019 HS Jazz Band Auditions – Goddard Eisenhower HS

Oct. 3, 2019 MS Choir registration deadline

- Oct. 6, 2019 Audition Registration deadline HS Choir
- Oct. 7, 2019 Registration deadline HS Band, HS Orchestra
- Oct. 14, 2019 Late registration deadline HS Band, HS Orchestra
- Oct. 18, 2019 Deadline to register for recorded auditions-only for students with KSHSAA regional or state athletic conflicts.
- Oct. 20, 2019 Audition registration Late deadline #1 HS Choir
- Oct. 26, 2019 Elementary Choir clinic/performance Wichita Southeast HS
- Oct. 30, 2019 HS recorded auditions at Andover Central High School-only for students with KSHSAA regional or state athletic conflicts.
- Nov. 1, 2019 Audition registration Late deadline #2 HS Choir
- Nov. 2, 2019 Audition registration Late deadline #3 HS Choir
- Nov. 2, 2019 HS Band, Choir, and Orchestra auditions -Goddard Eisenhower
- Nov. 2, 2019 MS Band and Choir, HS Jazz performances -Goddard Eisenhower
- Dec. 7, 2019 HS Band, Orchestra and Choir performances Wichita East HS

SCKMEA event locations for 2019

- a. Jazz Auditions-Goddard Eisenhower HS
- b. Elementary Event-Wichita Southeast HS
- c. November Event-Goddard Eisenhower HS
- d. December Event-Wichita East HS

SCKMEA-Current Board Roster

| Position | 2019-2021 | School |
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| President | Bryan Kirk | Andover Central HS |
| Vice-President | Amy Brown | Wichita Public Schools |
| President-Elect | Greg Bergman | Newton HS |
| HS Band Chair | Eric Stanbaugh | Buhler HS |
| HS Choir Chair | Nichols Griggs | McPherson HS |
| HS Jazz Chair | Ben Jervis | Eisenhower MS |
| HS Orchestra Chair | Kathy House | Wichita High School Northwest |
| MS Band Chair | Jennifer Kirk | Christa McAuliffe Academy |
| MS Choir Chair | Cortney Woodruff | Maize Middle School |
| Elem Choir Chair | Christian Wisner | Wichita Cleveland Traditional Magnet |
| HS Asst. Band Chair | Alex McMahon | Andover Central HS |
| HS Asst. Choir Chair | Jarl Moreland | Hutchinson |
| HS Asst. Jazz Chair | Jordan Brown | Eisenhower HS |

| HS Asst. Orchestra Chair | Wes DeSpain | Derby HS |
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| MS Asst. Band Chair | Jayme Hayes | Wichita Public Schools |
| MS Asst. Choir Chair | TBD | |
| Elem Asst. Choir Chair | Amy Ives | Newton HS |

The board discussed the possibility of creating a 3-5 year calendar for futures SCKMEA events. The board decided not to proceed with the calendar due to not being able to confirm host sites more than one year at a time.

The SCKMEA board will host a fall kick-off event on Saturday, September 7th in the morning. Breakfast will be provided. President Kirk will work on a location and schedule in the next couple of weeks.

The SCKMEA board will meet again on Saturday, September 7th following the kick-off event.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00pm