

Northwest Iowa Bandmasters Association
Spring Meeting Agenda
11:45 a.m. on May 12, 2017
Dubuque Ball Room, Marriott Hotel, Des Moines, IA

I. Call to Order – Tiffany Wurth Called to order at 11:55am

II. Secretary’s Report – Cliff St. Clair – Motion by _____ 2nd by _____
No report given

III. Treasurer’s Report – Colleen Hecht - Motion by Corbet 2nd by Kurt S. Motion Carried.

- Distributed the Major Landers Money, Donated Money,
- We are bonded for infinity \$100 annual dues.

IV. Membership – Rich Nicklay

- Nothing to report- All is good

V. Committee Reports:

A. Concert Band Affairs – Jeana Larson

- All State: Alto Clarinet gone. 2 spots added to Bass Clarinet for All-State
- Clarity in Language for scales.
- All-State and Colored instruments check the requirements.
- Required list: Double Check the requirements for submitted a piece
- Recommendation to IHSMA: To remove the Multiple Personnel, just change Music should be different
- Recorded accompanying be allowed.

B. Marching Band Affairs –Drew Balta

- No recorded music during the Adjudication portion.
- Concern that there is not enough 1A bands participating.
Finding ways to entice them. Lowering the Min requirement for music.

C. Jazz Band Affairs – Casey Kingdon

- Nothing Pressing

D. Elementary Affairs – Monica Boogerd

- Bringing back the reading band. Maybe focusing on elementary music.
- Creating or adding to the recommendation list for MS making an Elementary one.

E. Middle School/Junior High Affairs – Mary Kay Benton

- More support to teachers!
- 8th grade All-State Band went well!
- Aaron Kerium is the director next year.

F. College Affairs – Shane Macklin

- No Report- Not Present

G. Student Affairs – Katy Wilson (Dordt)

- No Report- Not Present

H. Research and Development – Curt Ohrlund

- No Report

I. Public Relations – David Kovarna

- Trying to determine what there role is.

J. Technology –Corbet Butler

- No report

K. Mentorship – Peter Carlson

- No Report- Not Present

L. IBARD – Rod Schedenhelm

- New Teachers, hopefully everyone had a mentor!

M. Endowment – Cheryl Crandell

- Everythings Rosy according to Cheryl

N. Major Landers – Lee Schneider

- Logan Musel will be performing last for ML. UPDATE: Logan was chosen as the Major Landers winner! He performed at the Banquet!

VI. District Festival Reports

A. HS Honor Band – Drew Balta

- a. Dates rolled over from last year. Steve Shanley and Elizabeth Kirchhoff from Minnesota (Eden Prairie HS)

B. MS/JH Honor Band – Tiffany Wurth

- a. Notice the new Etudes. One more new rotation! James Swearingen will be coming! Its anniversary year!

C. District Jazz Festival – Tiffany Wurth

- a. Thank You for being attentive to copy right laws. Any questions come see Tiffany

VII. President's Report – Tiffany Wurth

VIII. Old Business

- A. Bonding of our treasurer completed

B. All entry fees get sent to Colleen

C. Committees

- a. July 14th...
 - Committee chairs
 - Committee meetings
 - Des Moines Marriott
- b. Have a mission statement
 - No more “no reports”

IX. New Business

A. Elections

- a. NWIBA Secretary
 - i. Corbet butler
- b. IBA Technology
 - i. Brian COle
- c. IBA Endowment Fund
 - i. Cheryl Crandell
- d. IBA Research and Development
 - i. Tom Musel
- e. NWIBA Jazz Festival Recordings
 - i. Casey Kingdon
- f. NWIBA Honor Band Chair
 - i. Monica Boogerd

B. We have a New Membership Chair! Congrats Jody!

C. IBARD: Rod S. will continue his tenure!

D. Recognition of our retirees

X. Announcements

A. Sheldon Middle School performs at 1:00 in the Iowa Ballroom!!! Be there!!

B. Joe V. will be taking over—you are in good hands!

C. Thank you.

XI. Adjournment

Motion mad by Monica, Brian 2nd the motion, the motion carried.