

SCMEA Orchestra Division
All-State Business Meeting
March 2, 2002
Minutes

I. Introduction

The meeting was called to order by President, Johanna Pollock. She thanked Katie Dey for being the Clemson liason. Thanks was given to Kathleen Robinson and her district for organizing the weekend.

Paul Buyer generated an attendance sheet.

II. Officers Reports

A motion was made to approve the minutes. Sarah Clark seconded the motion.

The treasurer's report was given by Sharon Doyle. Our current balance is \$34,487.22

Festival Chairman – Colleen Marcou

Colleen Marcou reported on Concert Festival and Solo and Ensemble. Dates for concert festival next year will not be given until after a board meeting on May 1, 2002.

Solo and Ensemble participants for this year equaled 3,163 students! However, too many students appear to be receiving superior ratings. Approximately 70% of our students got superiors. A shortage of gold medals occurred. Colleen will get in contact with you when the medals arrive. Please inform Colleen if your district is short on certificates or medals.

It was suggested that the Solo and Ensemble/Concert Festival job be split into two separate jobs. If you are interested in either position, please let it be known to Johanna Pollock!

Site chairs for Solo and Ensemble next year are as follows:

Anderson/Oconee- Matt Spear
Charleston-
Greenville-
Lexington 1- Barry Moore
Lexington 5- Sandy Barnes
Myrtle Beach- Lyn Auman
Richland I and II- Christi Lewis
Spartanburg 1-6 Susan Baier
Spartanburg 7- Angela Rex

All-State Reports

All-State-Chris Corde reported that the rehearsals were happening! Thanks to everyone for helping out when needed.

Western Region Please note that student auditions for seating will be done in front of other students behind a screen. Please tell your students ahead of time so that they know they are to play in front of other students.

Eastern Region Please look at all information in your music packets received at the conference. Only a few “meal forms” had been returned at this time.

All-State Excerpts- Paul Buyer reported that the excerpts for next year are already posted on the web site.

Old Business

Chris Selby led the discussion about the All-State Proposal. (3rd reading) Paul Buyer motioned that we vote to approve the proposal. Tim Bennett seconded. The proposal was approved by 52 votes! Thank you to Chris Selby and the committee for devising the plan. Thanks to Chris Selby for leading this discussion. It was suggested to stagger the Region festivals over two weekends.

The meeting had to end because of a scheduling issue. We reconvened at 7:30pm.

New Business- Chris Corde

Conductors were voted on for next year’s All-state events. The results are as follows:

Senior All-State

1. Pat Cobos
2. Manny Alvarez
3. Scott Laird
4. Greg Hurley
5. William Layden

Junior All-State

1. Sue Ellington
2. Manny Alvarez
3. Scott Laird
4. Greg Hurley
5. William Layden

New Buisness

Diane Pinner suggested that we look at the format of All-state weekends. She suggested the event taking place from Thursday to Saturday instead of our current set-up. A motion was made

by Jay Martin Pinner to create a committee to further study this issue. The motion was seconded by Diane Pinner.

Once again, it was suggested that the solo and ensemble form have a place for a judge signature.

Sarah Clark made a motion for the meeting to conclude. It was seconded by Henry Hampton.

Respectfully submitted by Melissa Martin.

Baier, Susan
Burcham, Denise
Butler, Alvera
Buyer, Paul
Buysman, Angela
Calore, Haley
Clark, Sarah
Coker, David
Conner, Rex
Cross, Nancy
Dakon, Jacob
Dell, Charlene
Doyle, Sharon
Elshazly, Janet
Ezell, Anne
Ezell, David
Grace, Freddie
Hayes, Pamela
Heine, Pamela
Hill, Jeff
Hovis, Susan
Johnson, Susan
Kelley, Rosa
Kirby, Kristen
Kvasnicka, John
Ling, Karen
Marcou, Colleen
McCormick, Jane
McMillan, Juanita
Menick, Deborah

Moody, March
Murray, Carol
Newton, John
Perkins, Joyce
Pollock, Johanna
Preston, Andy
Rex, Angela
Rice, Sandy
Robinson, Kathleen
Rose, Sara
Schubel, Rebecca
Scott, Bill
Selby, Christopher
Selby, Margaret
Speas, Pam
Strahm, Amy
Thomas, Karen
Walter, Jolene
Warlick, David