

Madison County Music Educators Association
Virtual Meeting Minutes

Thursday, September 30, 2021 - 6:30 PM

Districts Represented: Camden, Canastota, Chittenango, DeRuyter,
Hamilton, Madison, Morrisville-Eaton, Oneida, VVS

**Note: If you were in attendance at the meeting and your school is not listed,
please make sure you sign the attendance sheet.*

- I. Meeting called to order at 6:32 PM

- II. A. Secretary's Report – Lisa Stearns
Motion to Dispense – Dave Hawthorne
Second: Jamie McCarthy
So Moved

- B. Treasurer's Report – Jamie McCarthy - No report

- C. Vice-President – Megan Russell – No report

- D. Band Rep: Dave Hawthorne
 - 9-12 All-County Band – L3 – 3 Selections
 - Chairs and Conductors needed – e-mail will be sent out
 - 5-6 Band: Conductor –
Chair – Annie DeSalvatore
 - 7-8 Band: Conductor -
Chair –
 - 9-12 Band: Conductor –
Chair – Lisa Stearns

E. Choral Representative: Amanda Hughes –

Conductors and Chairs needed :

6th Grade Chorus: Conductor -

Accompanist -

Chair –

7-8 Chorus: Conductor – Adam Chandler

Accompanist – Nicole Winegard

(will share Chairperson duties)

9-12 Chorus: Conductor -

Accompanist - Heather O'Connell

Chair -

F. Orchestra Representative: Jen Chase –

6-8 Orchestra – 30-35 students

9-12 Orchestra – 45 students

G. Audition Chairperson – No report

H. President – Ryan Hobart – No report

I. Web Master– Matthew Stearns - No report

J. Government Relations – Nick Anderalli - No report

K. Publicity – George Jweid – No report

L. Festival Chairperson – Will know more as we move forward

III. OPEN BUSINESS:

In depth discussion of survey results, COVID concerns, streaming and recording possibilities

IV. NEW BUSINESS:

- A. Area All-State recommendation forms will be used for Grades 7-12 All-County teacher recommendations.

6-8 Orchestra will also use the Area All-State forms.

5-6 Band will use the same forms we have used in the past.

Recommendations due to chairs by 10/30/21

Suggestion – reach out to parents to obtain permission before recommending their child.

Festival chair people will fill the ensembles

Band – 3 pieces per ensemble

Chorus – 4 pieces per ensemble

Please borrow from the county library or from each instead of ordering new music.

V. Dates and Reminders:

Music Educator's Day – 10/22/21 – Oneida High School

January All-County – 1/21-22/2022 – Oneida

March All-County – 3/18-19/2022 – Morrisville/Eaton

VI. Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn: Jamie McCarthy

Second: David Hawthorne

Meeting Adjourned: 7:14PM

Respectfully Submitted,

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