NEMBDA Meeting Notes

January 17, 2015

Members Present:
- Nolan Hauta, Secretary
- Bryan Johnson, President
- Carvel Kuehn, Honor Band Coordinator
- Rick Olson, Treasurer

Members Absent:
- Larry Baker, Beginning Band Coordinator

Business:
- 6-8 & 9-10 Honor Band Festival January 17th at Braham High School
  - The day is going extremely well
  - Discussion about future payments: Pay day of, combine payments into one check and do not pay cash
  - Clock hours provided
  - Follow up: thank you notes to clinicians

- BBF & 2YF Honor Band Festival May 9th at University of Minnesota-Duluth
  - Clinicians: David Mendenhall BBF, Kay Hawley 2YF
  Nomination deadline 3/25
  Music sent to directors 4/8

Duties:

Rick: finances
Larry: assign parts, create rosters, create seating charts – send these to Carvel. Bryan has examples for you to use
Bryan: directors can scan and e-mail medical forms
Update google nomination form (also add separate boxes for student first/last names)
Carvel: name tags, programs
Nolan: thank you notes, e-mail clinicians, host duties
  - Some extra stands may be necessary: not needed at 6-8 & 9-10 in 2014
  - Ushers may be needed. Use balcony only for overflow audience as needed
  - Request Don (Weber Music Hall) be available beginning at 7:00am
Joe: food for directors, clinicians, section coaches and students: string cheese, granola bars, fruit and water
- Other
  - Election to the board: Joe DeLisi, Chisago Lakes
  - Recruitment of Board Members: possible leads – James Pope; North Branch, Blake Groe; Pine City, Jeff Gilbertson; Barnum
  - Possible hosts for 2016: Michael Moeller; Mahtomedi, Kevin Cahill/Blake Groe; Pine City
  - E-mail Sandra to update website and photos (Nolan)
  - Next meeting: May 9 at BBF – UMD

Respectfully submitted,
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NEMBDA Honor Band Festivals

1/26/2008 North Branch, Barry Zumwalde - host
  6-8 Geneva Fitzsimonds, clinician
  Participating Directors: 12
  6-8 students:

1/24/2009 Grand Rapids, Dale Gunderson - host
  6-8 Eric Anderson, clinician
  9-10 Marianne Connelly, clinician
  Participating Directors: 18
  6-8 students:
  9-10 students:

1/30/2010 Duluth Denfeld,
  Sebastian Tackling - host
  6-8 Charles Liebfried, clinician
  9-10 Dan Eaton, clinician
  Participating Directors: 25
  6-8 students: 127
  9-10 students: 67

2/5/2011 Rush City, Carvel Kuehn - host
  6-8 Lee Kjesbo, clinician
  9-10 Dr. Peter Haberman, clinician
  Participating Directors: 17
  6-8 students: 91
  9-10 students: 57

1/28/2012 Duluth East, Jim Erickson - host
  6-8 Dr. Wendy Barden, clinician
  9-10 Fred Nyline, clinician
  Participating Directors: 17
  6-8 students: 101
  9-10 students: 50

5/5/2012 Proctor High School, Katie Sandor and
  Gordy Westendorf - hosts
  BBF/2YF Randy Lee, clinician
  Participating Directors: 13
  BBF/2YF students: 100

1/26/2013 Hinckley-Finlayson H.S., Rick Olson - host
  6-8 Susan Potvin, clinician
  9-10 Tim Diem, clinician
  Participating Directors: 20
  6-8 students: 120
  9-10 students: 80

5/11/2013 Cloquet H.S., Jeff Cherne - host
  BBF Geneva Fitzsimonds, clinician
  2YF Katie Sandor, clinician
  Participating Directors: 11
  BBF students: 92
  2YF students: 87

1/18/2014 UM-Duluth, Dr. Mark Whitlock - host
  6-8 Pat Kunkel, clinician
  9-10 Dr. Michael Buck, clinician
  Participating Directors: 22
  6-8 students: 108
  9-10 students: 79

5/3/2014 Chisago Lakes H.S., Josh Anderson - host
  BBF Kristina Kuehn, clinician
  2YF Carol Fillafer, clinician
  Participating Directors: 15
  BBF students: 101
  2YF students: 92

1/17/2015 Braham H. S., Bryan Johnson – host
  6-8 Joni Sutton, clinician
  9-10 Chip Williams, clinician
  Participating Directors:
  6-8 students: 106
  9-10 students: 68

5/9/2015 UM-Duluth, Dr. Mark Whitlock – host
  BBF David Mendenhall, clinician
  2YF Kay Hawley, clinician
  Participating Directors:
  BBF students:
  2YF students: