

# ATSSB REGION 8

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## Winter Meeting Agenda January 18, 2020

- I. CALL TO ORDER- Marc Nichelson
- II. Action Item: APPROVE Fall (August 10, 2019) Minutes - Eric Senzig
- III. REGION 8 WEBMASTER REPORT – Sarah English
  - a. Updated Site: [www.atssb.org/region-8/](http://www.atssb.org/region-8/)
- IV. REGION TREASURER’S REPORT- Stephanie Schmidt
  - a. Current Balances
  - b. Audition Reports
- V. VICE COORDINATOR’S REPORT- Jon Schriver
  - a. Entry Process
- VI. MIDDLE SCHOOL COORDINATOR GROESBECK ZONE REPORT - Brian Boecker
  - a. AUDITION MUSIC - YEAR C (will be on the website soon)
    - i. Etude 1 - Fast Etude - Full Band Unison (Snare etude)
    - ii. Etude 2 - Slow Etude - Full Band Unison (Mallet etude)
    - iii. Scales - Official scales on Region Website (Mallets also)
- VII. MIDDLE SCHOOL COORDINATOR ROBINSON ZONE REPORT - Mark Dorsey
  - a. AUDITION MUSIC - YEAR C (please refer to the Robinson Zone Audition list on the Region 8 website).
    - i. Please double check the title of the book that each etude comes from; each instrument uses a different book.
- VIII. REGION COORDINATORS REPORT
  - a. Proposed Dates and Sites for the 2019-2020 school year.
    - i. **JAZZ BAND AUDITIONS: WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 23<sup>rd</sup>** @ Groesbeck HS
      1. Judges Meeting and Check in at 4:00 pm
    - ii. **AREA JAZZ RECORDINGS: WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>** @ China Spring HS
      1. Will email times after the Region Auditions.
    - iii. **JAZZ BAND CLINIC CONCERT SATURDAY NOVEMBER 21<sup>st</sup>.** @ China Spring HS
    - iv. **HS AUDITIONS: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>** @ Groesbeck HS; Auditions begin at 10:00 am with the judge’s meeting & student check-in at 9:30 am
    - v. **MS ROBINSON ZONE: TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup>** @ Robinson Auditions begin at 10:00 am with the judge’s meeting & student check-in at 9:30 am
    - vi. **MS GROESBECK ZONE: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11<sup>TH</sup>** @ Groesbeck HS; Auditions begin at 4:30 pm with the judge’s meeting & student check-in at 4:00 pm
    - vii. **Clinic/Concert will be SATURDAY, JANUARY 16<sup>TH</sup>, 2021** @ Groesbeck HS. Rehearsals begin at 9:00 am with the concert starting at 6:30 pm.
  - b. CLINICIANS - Please send me suggestions, and I will add them to our clinician list.
  - c. Online Digital Programs
- IX. Discussion item: Consider process for getting music to students.
- X. Action item: Consider \$2 increase on each entry fee for paying for the clinic/concert lunch.
- XI. Information/Action item: Entry fee increase to offer streaming recordings of the ATSSB Concerts.
  - a. Won’t be offered until at earliest 2021
  - b. We would need to raise fees by about \$2 to cover the cost (500 performing students at \$6 a performer).
  - c. Pre-emptive raise or wait?

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- XII. OPS Deadline: Check [atssb.org](http://atssb.org) for more information. I will also send out an email.
- XIII. ATSSB General Membership meeting at TMEA is scheduled for **Friday, February 14th at 1:00 pm** in **CC 304**
- XIV. Spring Region Meeting is **SATURDAY, MAY 2<sup>nd</sup>** at Midway HS
- XV. Region Directory (I think I have everyone's E-mail now)
  - a. We need ALL emails.
- XVI. Information Item: If you have any suggestions/proposals for rules changes get them to me and I can bring them up at the Spring Meeting. Submit to [mnichelson@atssb.org](mailto:mnichelson@atssb.org)
- XVII. After Action Review – Document. Please submit anything from this year's audition process (things that went well or things you didn't like) that you feel we need to look at and make changes/ensure we do it the same way etc... to [mnichelson@atssb.org](mailto:mnichelson@atssb.org)
- XVIII. Region Coordinator Nominations/Election
- XIX. ANNOUNCEMENT OF LOCAL CONTESTS, CLINICS, ETC...
- XX. NEW BUSINESS
- XXI. CONCERT BAND SETUP
- XXII. Action Item: ADJOURN