

ATSSB Region 14 Winter Meeting
Saturday, December 15, 2018
TAMUK Recital hall

I. Called to order at 8:59am

II. Old Business

A. Minutes Presented by Steven Rash

- a. Motion made by Emerico Perez, Seconded by Miguel Cabrera Approved by acclimation.

B. Treasurer's Report on Region Fees

- a. We need to be in compliance with 501C laws, motion to hire CPA made by Steven Rash, seconded by Emerico Perez,
 - i. Discussion about why we would need to have a CPA.
 - ii. S. Rash Amended Motion to hire a CPA, to get ATSSB Region 14 into compliance, with the region officers working together to ensure that a reasonable amount is spent.
- b. Motion passed by acclimation.

C. Jr. High Report

- a. New Mallet etude worked well.
- b. Use Odd music for this coming year
- c. David Hochstetter has stated interest in new mallet etude for next year.
 - i. Some concerns about changing music continually.
- d. Suggestion for Woodwind Measure 19 cut.
 - i. Tabled till spring meeting

D. Jazz Report

- a. Ray Mendez was nominated to be Jazz Coordinator, he accepted, and was approved by acclimation.
- b. Dr. Zinnegar from TAMUK will conduct top group.
- c. Info will come soon, JH entries due March 1st
- d. Motion to move region to AC Jones by Jessie Rios, Seconded by Jorge Chapa, Approved by acclimation.
- e. April 27th will be Region Jazz
- f. April 26th will be South Coast Jazz Festival
- g.

E. Region Band Tryouts

- a. Comments or Concern
 - i. Monitors concern
 - ii. Three members expressed a desire to change the event to two days.
 - iii. More expressed a desire to continue to keep the event as is. No motions were made after a long discussion

Meeting moved to Bill Cason's UIL Report Below and returned to business after.

b. Late Entries

- i. Motion made to make fee \$50 for after 7 days, must be accompanied by an entry form signed by principal/admin, and a letter of reprimand will be issued on behalf of ATSSB Region 14 to the school.

F. Mariachi Report

a. Concerns about uniforms and uniformity from school.

- i. Directors requested a rule requiring students to wear their schools uniforms for the event.
- ii. Decision to table until the Mariachi Clinic next month to discuss it further.

G. Area South Coordinator

a. January 12th in Orange Grove

b. No forms

c. 8:45am student registration find Mr. Cabrera

d. Larger sections have multiple rooms and holding room guidelines are in effect.

e. Parents are not allowed in hallways.

f. All 8 scales must be played. There must be a pause between each scale.

g. More information will be sent out soon.

H. UIL Executive Secretary – Bill Cason

a. Sign in sheet went around

b. Solo and Ensemble

i. Early deadlines this year

ii. Handout given for Tips.

iii. Bill went over dates and how to enter

iv. Reminder Usernames were deleted from TexasMusicForms, you need to create a new account this year if you haven't already done so.

v. If you need to go to another site with a student register at the one site and contact Bill about having the students moved to the other site.

vi. Piano students can be registered under band account, but will be held with choir contest at TAMUK

vii. Additional entries

1. If you have entered students by the deadline, once the deadline passes the system closes.

2. Solo and Ensemble, increases fees.

3. Additional entries contest entry separate.

viii. Change of titles

1. You can change titles for free before 7 days before the contest.

2. Send Bill correct title and PML number

3. Past 7 days it's an additional entry

c. NP/NP may be exempted for UIL Concert and Sightreading Contest Evaluation. Currently in TEA's hands.

- i. Notification in January or early February if approved.
 - ii. It would go into effect in February for S&SR E if passed
 - iii. It will come with a question and answer piece if it goes into effect. (FAQ)
 - iv. Some of the many questions that are going to come up were discussed.
Local Decisions are going to play a big part in this.
- d. Congratulations given to marching bands at region and Area.

III. New Business

- a. **Motion to pay Dr. Kyle Millsap \$300 for performing with wind ensemble. Made by Ramiro Lichtenberger, seconded by Robert Schneider. Approved by acclamation.**

IV. Adjourned at 11:26