



Music Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes & Recommendations
May 26, 2016

The following were present for the meeting: David Larkin, Bureau Valley North; Jay Hagaman, Kewanee Wethersfield; Jeremy Dassow, St. Joseph; Beth Nuss, Paxton Buckley Loda; and Julie Marquardt, Principal, Mt. Zion JHS.

The IESA Music Advisory Committee makes the following recommendations to the IESA Board of Directors for its June, 2015 meeting:

Fees

Recommendation:

Beginning in the 2016-17 school year, increase all Solo & Ensemble solo entry fees from \$8.00 to \$10.00.

Rationale: Increasing the solo entry fees would help to offset some of the deficit accumulated when hosting an IESA music contest.

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Committee Discussion:

- Selections were made for the IESA Director Award Program:
 - Distinguished Service Award - Beth Nuss, Paxton Buckley Loda and Steve Betz, Bradley Central
- Host book suggestions and changes
- Music List
- Choir Chimes and Handbells were discussed. Asst. Executive Director will email participating schools this year.
- Adjudication sheets were discuss and ratings changes, but no change was made at this time.
- PARCC testing and the impact on contest was discussed.
- ToruneyWire was discussed and IESA will reach out to discuss using the scheduling program.

Beth Nuss and Jay Hagaman were recognized for their service to the advisory committee and to the Association.

Next Meeting Date - Thursday, June 8, 2017.