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"Together" we make the same music. We are building and developing new relationships with each other, our students and all stakeholders to offer a strong, quality and comprehensive music education for all.

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# Collaboration

Welcome to the 2013 FMEA Professional Development Clinic-Conference and All-State Concerts!

his is one of the ultimate occasions to renew our enthusiasm for teaching and to refuel our energy as we participate in the variety of events planned for us. What a myriad of professional development opportunities—to observe outstanding conductors work with our all-state ensembles, to listen to fine performances, to participate in interest sessions on diverse topics related to music education and to be a part of discussions and decisions with our components. You and I have an opportunity to help make a difference in keeping music education vibrant and flourishing in Florida!

Our theme this year is "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." Our overall idea continues: "Together" we make the same music. We need to continue to build and develop new relationships with each other, our students and all stakeholders to build a strong, quality and comprehensive music education for all. Conference sessions will emphasize successful practices for promoting interaction with colleagues and students, cooperative teamwork and partnerships across the disciplines.

Many thanks to Beth Cummings, FMEA president-elect, for putting together the outstanding Pre-Conference, "Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment: Where Are We and Where Are We Going?" Sessions will provide participants with an overview of how to begin to prepare for assessments by unpacking the NGSSS. In addition, there will be special sessions for new and new-to-Florida teachers, clinics on how to integrate Common Core Literacy Standards, as well as our third annual Student Leadership Workshop led by Kevin Ford and Fran Kick. Wow!

Consider putting the President's Concert and the University Night Concerts on your list of mustattend events. If you need a little inspiration, there is no substitute for hearing great music performed by students who have been well taught. I encourage you to make a special effort to attend both general sessions to hear outstanding performances by our college students and faculty, The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble and The United States Army Brass Quintet. You won't want to miss Touch, the University of South Florida iPad Quintet. Audience members are encouraged to bring their own iPad or iPhone (or any portable device) with an app installed that includes percussion sounds. "Percussions" from Chimson Technology, "Bongos" and "Congas" from Skunk Brothers and "ThumbJam" from Sonosaurus are good choices. Come prepared to join in on the fun!

Kudos and much appreciation go to our conference chairman, Dr. John Southall, and the Conference committee, along with our component organizations, committee chairpersons, exhibits managers and our amazing FMEA office staff coordinated by Dr. Kathleen Sanz, executive director, for their tireless efforts to prepare for this conference. Thank you as well to our members who work and live in the Tampa Bay area, who provide much of the materials and resources needed to make this conference happen.

"Together" we bring you the best educational sessions, industry workshops, research sessions, technology sessions and concerts to make your experience educational, enriching, motivating and inspiring. Allow ample time to visit the exhibits and to continue networking with friends and colleagues. We need to make certain our FMEA network remains very strong.

"Together" we will be able to make a difference, no matter what the challenge may be!

Enjoy the conference and all-state concerts! ∃

Sincerely,

Sheila S. King, FMEA President

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#### President's **Message**



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Bob Buckhorn Mayor

#### Greetings:

It is a pleasure to welcome you to the Florida Music Educators' Association's 2013 Professional Development Conference and All-State Concerts to be held in Tampa, January 9-12, 2013, with the theme "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." We are proud once again to host this event, and we know the organizers have worked bard to ensure your visit is memorable.

The City of Tampa is committed to making sure our citizens, particularly our children, are provided an opportunity for a thriving educational experience and is appreciative of the Florida Music Educators' Association's mission of promoting quality, comprehensive music education for all Florida students as a part of their comprehensive education.

For those of you who are new to our area, I hope you will have the opportunity to experience the many cultural and historical attractions our city has to offer. We have exciting nightlife, a diverse selection of great restaurants and some of the state's best attractions. Of particular note are the Tampa Bay History Center, the Tampa Museum of Art, the Glazer Children's Museum and the Curtis Hixon Waterfront Park. All of these facilities are located along our downtown riverfront, and they are a true reflection of our community's history, heritage and commitment to the arts.

Again, thank you for your efforts, and best wishes for a successful conference.

Sincerely.

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#### **Executive NOTES**



Kathleen D. Sanz, Ph.D. Executive Director—FMEA/FSMA

he conference theme, "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration," focuses on the need for collaborating with our colleagues for the betterment of Florida's students.

The 2013 FMEA Professional Development Clinic-Conference has a multitude of opportunities for educators to hear from leading experts during sessions that are applicable to and directly related to both teaching and learning. Instrumental and vocal ensembles will fill the halls with music. All-state conductors will provide exemplary models during rehearsals and performances. Take the time to observe the leading conductors in the field!

The opportunity to attend one of the largest music education conferences, with more than 8,000 attendees, is truly inspirational and educational. The networking of professionals who work with students pre-K through college, gives us a chance to see the sequential and spiraling curricula for students in music education. This conference provides an opportunity for collaborations with music merchants, students, parents and community artists, providing a unique experience for all attendees.

Our continual focus on improving music education for students in the state, through interactions with colleagues and fellow students and by remaining current in the field of education, defines us as leaders in music education.

Remember to visit the exhibition hall for the latest instructional materials and products. You can show your support by talking with the exhibitors and sharing the needs of your students and program. Our exhibitors provide an opportunity for us to work together with the industry to provide our students with the most up-to-date equipment and materials. Make a concerted effort to lead the way in the industry by sharing your expertise from the classroom with these knowledgeable businesspeople.

Download the conference app onto your iPad and/or iPhone so you will have the most current updates on the conference's schedule and other information. You may want to bookmark sessions you want to be sure not to miss.

The FMEA Board of Directors and staff are here to provide assistance in any way possible to make the conference a learning experience that generates renewed enthusiasm for music education for ALL Florida students.

We are in some challenging times for education. The FMEA Professional Development Clinic-Conference provides a unique opportunity to renew acquaintances and build new collaborations. Working together, we have the power to make a positive difference for music education and Florida's students.

Kathleen D. Sanz, Ph.D.

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Executive Director



If you need information about either the Florida Music Educators' Association or the Florida School Music Association, please call us at 1-800-301-3632.



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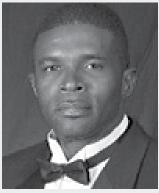


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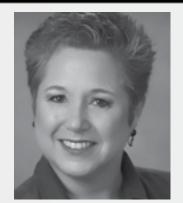
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#### Chairman's Message



John K. Southall, Ph.D. FMEA Conference Chairman

January 9, 2013

Dear FMEA members, dignitaries and guests:

elcome to the 2013 FMEA Professional Development Conference and All-State Concerts. This annual event has grown over the years to become one of the nation's most distinguished conferences with a primary focus on the professional development of K-20 music educators. The conference's activities will include more than 175 clinic sessions, 20 all-state ensemble concerts and 12 invited ensemble performances.

Numerous individuals from across the state have been organizing what will prove to be an outstanding conference for all. The FMEA Board of Directors, Executive committee, Conference committee and component associations have worked diligently for the past 11 months to develop the most comprehensive conference for all. Our principal concern during the conference is to assist in making your experience educationally rewarding.

Warmest regards are in order for our new FMEA event coordinators Joel Pagan, Wes Rainer, Jason Albert, Dominick Eggen, Debbie Mock and Jane Whitaker. The event coordinators will be working with all invited performing ensembles and all-state ensemble coordinators for a seamless rehearsal and performance process throughout the conference.

There are many wonderful performances scheduled during the conference this year with secondary, college and professional ensembles. The Wednesday evening President's Concert will feature three outstanding high school ensembles. Thursday evening will feature college and professional ensembles. The all-state ensembles will begin their performances on Friday afternoon and continue into Friday evening and all day Saturday. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet will be the late night Friday featured professional ensemble.

We have many exciting and inspirational activities planned for the first general session on Thursday and the second general session on Friday. The FMEA awards presentations will again be the highlight of Friday's general session. Also, President Sheila King will lead us in a magnificent grand opening of the conference exhibits area on Thursday at 12:15 p.m.

Please let us know if we can be of assistance to you, and on behalf of the FMEA Board of Directors, have a wonderful conference.

Sincerely,

John K. Southall, Ph.D.

FMEA Conference Chairman

Florida Music Educators' Association



## History of the FMEA Clinic-Conference

With grateful appreciation, the Florida Music Educators' Association recognizes the history of this annual clinic-conference and the chronology of its outstanding leadership.

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1973

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1974 & 1975

Conference Site: Daytona

Beach

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Conference Site: Orlando

F. Lewis Jones

1978

Conference Site: Orlando

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Conference Site: Tampa

Alice S. Fague

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Alice S. Fague

1981

Conference Site: Daytona

Beach

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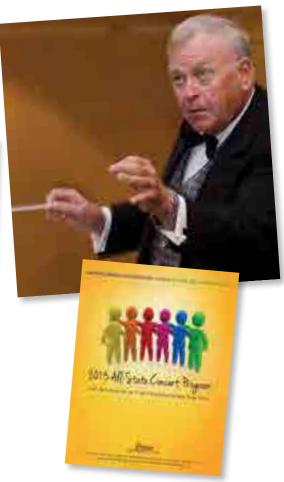
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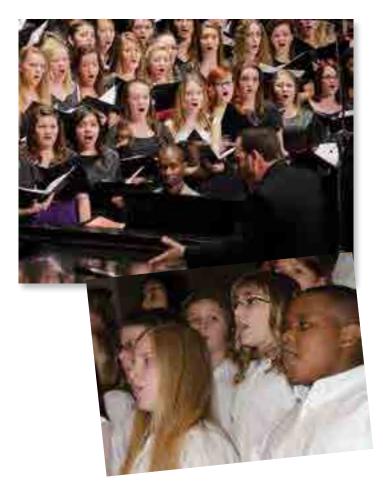


## Policies & Procedures

- Registered (badged) attendees do not require tickets to attend any all-state concert held at the Tampa Convention Center or the Marriott Waterside Hotel. These include directors/members, directors' non-teaching spouses, performing all-state students, registered chaperons, collegiate student members, retired members and VIP guests that directors entered as part of their conference registration.
- 2. There are no concerts at the Straz Center for the Performing Arts during the January 2013 conference, so there is no longer a need for badged attendees to request free tickets as in years past.
- 3. All non-registered (non-badged) attendees (parents, family members, guests, etc.) are required to purchase tickets for any all-state concert they wish to attend at \$10.00 per ticket.
- 4. A director who preregisters online may reserve and prepay for all-state concert tickets for non-registered attendees for concerts in which he or she has registered all-state students as follows: 1 registered student = 2 tickets. If paid for online, these tickets will be preloaded into the director's registration package.

- Directors who register on site and register all-state students may purchase all of their required tickets during the on-site registration process.
- 6. Directors with all-state students may purchase additional concert tickets for nonregistered attendees for concerts in which they have performing students at the conference registration desk or at designated ticket sales locations at anytime.
- 7. General ticket sales for all-state concerts will begin at 11 a.m. on Friday at the FMEA registration desk. There is no requirement that the director or any other registered attendee be the person purchasing these tickets after this time.
- 8. All ticket sales are final. There are no refunds for any concert tickets.
- 9. For entrance, ticketing and concert purposes, a concert is defined as the pair of ensembles performing in the same venue in a common, defined block of time. An example of a "concert" for purposes of entrance, ticketing, etc., is Friday's 6 p.m. concert for the All-State Men's Chorus and the All-State Reading Chorus.

There are no concerts in the Straz center during the January 2013 conference. If you have additional questions or wish further clarification on ticket policies, please contact FMEA business manager, XXXXXXXXXX at XXXXXXXXXX @flmusiced.org or at the conference registration desk.



# Frequently Asked Questions

If I register myself and my all-state student(s) online, but do not purchase my full allotment of tickets for family members at that time, do I have to wait until 11 a.m. on Friday to purchase those tickets?

A: No. You may purchase tickets for the ensemble(s) in which you have registered students at the time you pick up your registration package, and at any other time prior to 10 a.m. on Saturday.

I have a registered all-state student in one ensemble. Can I <u>purchase</u> a ticket for myself to attend another ensemble performance prior to 11 a.m. on Friday?

A: If you are a registered attendee, you are not required to <u>purchase</u> a ticket for any all-state performance. Your badge is all that is required for entry <u>except for concerts held at the Straz Center</u>. You may pick up your <u>free</u> ticket for the Straz Center all-state concert(s) you wish to attend at the FMEA registration desk between 11 a.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. on Saturday. After that, all tickets will be \$15.00 per ticket, per concert, and will be available only at the Straz Center.

Remember to bring the All-State Concert Program that you will get at your first concert back with you to each of the concerts.

I do not have any all-state students and wish to attend one or more of the concerts at the Straz Center. When can I pick up my free ticket(s)?

A: You may pick up your free ticket(s) between 11 a.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. on Saturday at the FMEA registration desk. After that, all tickets will be \$15.00 per ticket, per concert, and will be available only at the Straz Center.

There are more family members/guests coming to watch my all-state student(s) perform than the student ratio allotment (1 Student = 2 Tickets) allows. How and when do I get their tickets?

A: Tickets for family members and guests beyond those taken care of by the standard student ticket allotment (2 per student) may be purchased when you pick up your registration package, and at any other time prior to 10 a.m. on Saturday. These tickets are \$8.00 each, except that tickets for Straz Center concerts that are not purchased prior to 10 a.m. on Saturday will be available only at the Straz Center after 10 a.m. on Saturday and will cost \$15.00 per ticket, per concert.

if I have <u>paid</u> for allotted student tickets for family members, can the family members pick them up at the FMEA registration desk?

A: No, these tickets will be preloaded into the director's registration package. It is your responsibility to make arrangements to get the tickets to each student's family members.

I have a registered all-state student who is not performing at the Straz Center, but we want to attend one of the Straz Center concerts. How and when can I get tickets?

A: In this case, both you and the student are entitled to a <u>free ticket</u>, each of which must be picked up between 11 a.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. on Saturday at the FMEA registration desk. After 10 a.m. on Saturday, you must purchase tickets at the Straz Center at a cost of \$15.00 per ticket, per concert.

Q: If I purchase additional tickets for family members/guests after 11 a.m. on Friday, can I leave them at the FMEA registration desk for pickup later?

A: No. Once you purchase tickets, it is your responsibility to see that the tickets are given to the person(s) attending the concert.

# Code of Conduct



#### Student Curfew

- 1. Curfew for students on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights is from 11 p.m. until 6 a.m. Curfew for students on Saturday night begins at 11 p.m. or one hour after the end of the concert and lasts until 6 a.m. Curfew means that students must be in their rooms and remain there during the hours stated.
- Thirty (30) minutes after curfew, students not in their assigned rooms will be subject to withdrawal. If curfews are violated, members from that student's school component group will not be accepted for clinic-conference participation the following year.

## Student Conduct

- Students must remain reasonably quiet at all times in hotel/ motel rooms, both day and night. People in neighboring rooms who are not connected with the clinic-conference may be trying to sleep. Television and radios may only be played with volume at low level.
- 2. Hotel/motel rooms are bedrooms. Under no circumstances should students visit or entertain others of the opposite sex in their hotel/motel rooms.
- Room doors should be locked at all times. Extreme care should be exercised near hotel windows, and nothing is to be thrown from windows. Students are not allowed on hotel/motel roofs.
- 4. Chaperons should have all rooms checked before leaving hotels/motels so that damages, if any, can be determined immediately.
- Students are not to visit students in other hotels or motels without the permission of a chaperon. Students are not allowed in cars except with chaperons.
- No alcoholic beverage may be in students' possession at any time.
- 7. Illegal use of drugs in any form is absolutely prohibited.
- 8. Use of tobacco products in public by students is prohibited.
- Students should engage in activities of a group nature only. Under no circumstances are social dates involving students allowed.
- 10. Students should wear appropriate clothing, including shoes, at all times.

# Registration and Chaperons

- 1. All participants (directors, students, chaperons and guests) must be registered for the clinic-conference.
- 2. Only directors are to register their groups or pick up registration materials if preregistered.
- 3. All participating students must be chaperoned. At least one chaperon, other than the director, is required for every 10 students or group fewer than 10.
- 4. If the director does not accompany a participating student from that student's school, then the principal from that school must furnish a paper designating who is to be in charge of that student. The letter from the school should be addressed to the FMEA executive director and submitted with registration materials.
- 5. Student observers are not allowed to attend the clinic-conference. If any student observers are brought to the conference, the offending school's participation in the clinic-conference may be eliminated the following year.
- All school music teachers must register for the clinic-conference as directors and be current members of FMEA.

# Rehearsals and Name Badges

- Name badges must be worn at all times by students, directors, guests and chaperons.
- 2. Lost badges may be replaced at the registration desk only by the director, who must appear in person and pay the appropriate fee. The original registration receipt must be shown to obtain replacement badges.
- Each component president is responsible for the policing of his or her groups and rehearsals.

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# 2013 FMEA All-State Conductors

(Note: This is a partial listing of our 2013 all-state conductors. Additional conductors will be profiled in the December edition of *Florida Music Director*.)

## All-State Elementary Chorus EARLENE RENTZ



Earlene Rentz, Ph.D., received the B.M.E. from the University of Montevallo (Alabama) and both master's and doctoral degrees in music education from

Florida State University. She is a native of Moultrie, Ga., and taught choral music for seven years in Habersham County at elementary, junior high and high school levels. She has also taught choral music education courses in higher education. She has conducted all-state choirs in Georgia, Florida, Kentucky and Alabama and received ASCAP awards from 1998 to 2011. She has published more than 400 choral compositions with 17 publishers since 1994, and she recently formed her own publication company, Earlene Rentz Online Publications. Her company's goals are to provide quality choral music for choral directors at affordable prices and to supply teachers with supplementary, time-saving materials for the choral classroom. Dr. Rentz published her first book, From Concepts to Concerts: Building

Competence in the Choral Classroom, with Carl Fischer Music in March 2009. This book is designed with sequential exercises to lead students toward choral competence and improved musicianship in the classroom. Dr. Rentz lives near Lexington, Ky., where she enjoys her current profession as a full-time choral music publisher, composer and arranger.

#### Middle School Honors Orchestra ELLIOT DEL BORGO



Born in Port Chester, N.Y., Elliot Del Borgo holds the B.S. degree from the State University of New York, the Ed.M. from Temple University

and the M.M. from the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music, where he studied theory and composition with Vincent Persichetti and trumpet with Gilbert Johnson. In 1973, he was granted the doctoral equivalency by SUNY and was elected to membership in the American Bandmasters Association in 1993. Mr. Del Borgo taught instrumental music in the Philadelphia public schools and was professor of music at the Crane School of Music, where he held teaching and administrative positions from 1966 to 1995. An award-winning member of ASCAP, he is a frequent consultant, clinician, lecturer and adjudicator in the United States and abroad. Mr. Del Borgo is an internationally known conductor of bands and orchestras. In addition to his music for the 1980 Olympics in Lake Placid, he has published more than 600 compositions for a variety of media. His music reflects the aesthetics of 20th century musical ideals through its eclectic nature and vigorous harmonic and rhythmic style. Mr. Borgo is available to work with you and your students in an educational setting to enhance the overall musical experience for teachers and players at all levels. His tips and clinics for getting the most from rehearsals and performances of young players are in constant demand. His energetic and firm but humorous style lends itself well to students of middle school and high school age.

#### Middle School Honors Band ERIC W. MENDEZ



Eric W. Mendez, a product of Orange County Public Schools, attended Conway Junior High, Colonial High School and Valencia

Community College. He received the B.M.E. from Florida State University in 1988. He holds membership in the FBA, NAfME, FMEA and ASBDA, and he is certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. Since 1988, Mr. Mendez has been teaching middle school band in Central Florida public schools. Mr. Mendez's bands have received consistent superior ratings at FBA events. He is the director of bands at Maitland Middle School, where his Wind Ensemble has played to musical standards rarely achieved at the middle school level. The group was chosen to perform a concert hour at the 2010 FMEA convention. In that same year, the ensemble also performed at the ASBDA summer convention in Orlando. Mr. Mendez has been active as an adjudicator and clinician, serving districts throughout Florida. He has been an all-county clinician for Polk, Brevard, Osceola, Lee, Alachua and Orange counties. Mr. Mendez attributes most of his success to the associations he has had with mentors and other music educators who have been terrific role models for him. Among these are Ken Potter, Larry Weed, James Croft, Bentley Shellahamer, John Gorecki, Pat Malloy, Craig Collins, Jack Crew, Mike Parks and Keith Ledford. He believes that students should be thoroughly challenged every time they walk through the door of the music hall. With this in mind, he is constantly challenging his students to become the best they can

possibly be. In addition to his duties at Maitland, Mr. Mendez is a devoted husband and father to his wife, Angie, and their children, Zachary, Hannah and Claire, and he is active as a leader in his church.

## All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus TREY JACOBS



Trey Jacobs is the artistic director of the Turtle Creek Chorale in Dallas. Before arriving in Dallas, Mr. Jacobs was assistant professor and director

of choral activities for four years at Eastern Michigan University. While at Eastern Michigan University, his choirs performed at the Michigan ACDA convention and for the Michigan Music Educators' conference. In July 2011, he was the high school choral conductor for Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp in Michigan. Mr. Jacobs has completed his coursework for the D.M.A. in choral conducting from Michigan State University in East Lansing and has the M.M. from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth and the B.M.E. from East Carolina University in Greenville. At Michigan State University, he was the conductor of the Michigan State University Women's Glee Club and was the graduate teaching assistant with the Michigan State University Chorale and Choral Union. Mr. Jacobs was director of choral activities at Winter Park High School in Winter Park, Fla., for 11 years. While at Winter Park High School, his choirs consistently received superior ratings at district and state MPAs. His choirs performed for three different American Choral Directors Association state conventions and for the national ACDA convention in San Diego, Calif. He conducted his choirs three times at Carnegie Hall. Mr. Jacobs was a founding director of the Orlando Children's Chorus and was co-conductor of the Bach Children's Choir at Rollins College, conductor for the Orlando Concert Chorale and conductor of the Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra's Holiday Choir. He has conducted the Florida All-State High School Women's Chorus and honor choirs in Florida, New York, North Carolina, Ohio and Tennessee, and he has adjudicated in Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Michigan, Mississippi and Missouri. Mr. Jacobs is an active member of ACDA, NAfME, NATS, OMEA, MSVMA and GALA, and he maintains a private voice studio.

#### All-State Concert Band ROBERT W. RUMBELOW



Robert W. Rumbelow, D.M.A., is director of bands at the University of Illinois, where he manages the band faculty and staff, conducts the Illinois

Wind Symphony, teaches graduate conducting and oversees all aspects of our country's largest comprehensive band program. He is only the fifth director of bands in the over 100-year history of our nation's first college band program. Ensembles under Dr. Rumbelow's baton have partnered with world-renowned soloists, released internationally respected recording projects on the Summit and Naxos labels and have given numerous world premieres. Dr. Rumbelow is recognized as an exceptional conductor, clinician, arranger, composer and lecturer throughout the United States and abroad. He has earned international acclaim for his teaching of conductors, compositions,

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orchestral performances and wind band performances, some of which have been broadcast on major networks such as NBC, CBS, ABC, PBS, NPR, NHK Japan and the BBC. Dr. Rumbelow's many commissions and consortia have resulted in new compositions by composers Christopher Theofanidis, Shafer Mahoney, Alfred Cohen, J.M. David and Dorothy Chang, among others. Kjos, Ludwig/Masters, Warner Brothers, Alfred Music and C. Alan publish Dr. Rumbelow's compositions, which are performed internationally. He has received many noteworthy commissions and has authored articles and chapters within a wide array of music publications. Dr. Rumbelow is a recipient of several notable accolades including national and international conducting prizes, an annual recipient of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP) awards, National Band Association awards and praise from critics for both recordings and live performances.

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#### All-State Middle School Orchestra DEBORAH PERKINS



Deborah Perkins, Ph.D., is known for her love of teaching diverse musical styles and her ability to have fun by creating an encouraging atmo-

sphere where students are challenged yet achieve mastery of musical skills that defy the age level of the students playing. She received the B.M.E. from State University College at Potsdam, N.Y., the M.M.E. from the University of South Carolina and the Ph.D. from the University of North Texas. Also known for building programs, Dr. Perkins has

built and rebuilt public school orchestra programs in Florida, South Carolina and Texas. She has served in leadership positions in professional organizations of ASTA, NSOA, SCMEA, FMEA and TMEA, and she is a member of TMAA and TODA. She teaches string pedagogy and techniques at Southern Methodist University and is the cofounder of the Texas Youth Orchestra & Choir, which travels internationally. A clinician for Eastman Strings, she is a frequent guest conductor and clinician. A hallmark of her teaching is how to make music that expresses and touches the hearts of the students and the audience alike. Her dissertation focused on the motivation of students to be enrolled in orchestra, and her friends fondly call her the "Pied Piper of Strings." She is married to Steve Perkins, and they have one daughter, Kayla.

#### All-State Guitar Ensemble STEPHEN ROBINSON



Acclaimed by *The New York Times* for his
"effortless virtuosity,"
Stephen Robinson,
D.M., performs extensively and conducts
master classes at lead-

ing musical institutions and festivals worldwide. He has appeared as a guest soloist with orchestras including the Cincinnati Symphony and Boston Pops Orchestras, and he performs regularly throughout Florida as a member of the State of Florida Division of Cultural Affairs premier Arts on Tour program roster. In addition to serving as a professor of guitar at Stetson University in DeLand, Fla., since 1983, where he is both founder and director of Stetson's guitar program, Dr. Robinson is an award-win-

ning recording artist. His many CDs for Clear Note, Centaur and Lakeside Records have received unanimous critical acclaim from the international publications American Record Guide, Fonoforum, Classical Guitar, Soundboard, Guitar Review, On the Air and Fanfare. The late renowned guitarist Andrés Segovia described him as "a magnificent guitarist, one of the most brilliant guitarists of our times." And of a recent performance, Soundboard Magazine said, "Anyone who has not heard Robinson play is missing one of America's great guitarists, a performer of brilliance, elegance, and lyricism." Of his Clear Note CD Felicidade, Steve Marsh of Classical Guitar Magazine (UK) said, "Occasionally a CD comes along in the review stack in which the featured performer immediately stands out from amongst the others for their sheer musicality, technical virtuosity and 'listenability' factor-and this new release from North American guitarist Stephen Robinson is such a CD. Everything about this disc smacks of quality: Where the music dictates a delicate touch, Robinson's playing has an almost spiritual intensity which is very moving; equally where the music needs dazzling bravura, this player supplies this commodity in heaps. His deft finger work brushes aside all the immense technical difficulties contained in much of this music." A native of New York, Dr. Robinson began his guitar studies with Bruce Holzman at Florida State University and also worked closely with Andrés Segovia. After he pursued graduate studies at the Yale School of Music, Florida State University awarded Dr. Robinson its first D.M. in guitar performance.

## High School Honors Orchestra ANDREW LANE



For 16 years (1994-2010), Andrew Lane held the position of principal pops and resident conductor of the Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra. As resident

conductor, Maestro Lane directed the OPO in a wide variety of concerts, including a series of educational concerts that reached more than 60,000 Orlando area students each season. His pops concerts have included Branford Marsalis, Deborah Gibson, Peter Schieckele, Arturo Sandoval, Roy Scheider, Doc Severinsen, Ricky Skaggs, Broadway star Davis Gaines as well as many other renowned artists. In October 2006, Mr. Lane conducted members of the Chicago Symphony featuring Greek tenor Mario Frangoulis at Orchestra Hall in Chicago. Mr. Lane has also been featured as conductor in 25 CD recordings produced by Madacy Entertainment Group of Quebec, Canada. A dynamic and popular pops conductor, Maestro Lane serves as principal pops conductor of the Sarasota Orchestra and will lead that ensemble for all subscription pops concerts for the 2012-2013 season. He has also been a featured guest with the Rochester conductor Philharmonic, Florida Orchestra. Asheville Symphony and San Antonio Symphony and is a regular guest conductor with The Naples Philharmonic. Maestro Lane is also music director of the Florida Symphony Youth Orchestra, where he enjoys leading one of the finest youth orchestras in the nation. In October 2010, he was chosen by Bank of America as a "Local Hero" for his commitment to music education in Central Florida. In

2011, United Arts of Central Florida named him Music Educator of the Year. Mr. Lane received his musical education from the University of South Florida and the University of Maryland.

## All-State Symphonic Orchestra WILLIAM LARUE JONES



William LaRue Jones, D.M.A., is "one the most active and versatile symphonic conductors in America today, possessing a unique ability to work

effectively with musicians at all levels of performing capability and experience" (Minneapolis Star-Tribune). His conducting schedule averages more than 100 concerts annually and includes a wide array of professional, festival, collegiate and student ensembles throughout North America, Latin America, Europe and Asia, ranging from the Minnesota Orchestra and the Minneapolis Pops to the Penang (Malaysia) Symphony, the Antofagasta (Chile) Symphony and the Symphony Orchestra of Lucerne (Switzerland). Recent conducting engagements include orchestras in Illinois, Wisconsin, New York, Nevada, Ohio, Minnesota, Arizona, Delaware, Maryland, Nebraska and Florida, as well as concerts in Singapore, Kuala Lumpur and Penang (Malaysia), Belem (Brazil) and Shenyang, Wuhan and Shijiazhuang (China). As a professional performer noted for his outstanding technique and musicality, Dr. Jones was principal bassoon of the Minnesota Opera and Minnesota Ballet and was first call associate with the Minnesota Orchestra and Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra for more than 15 seasons. He has performed under such esteemed maestros Stanislaw

Skrowaczewski, Klaus Tennstedt, Antol Dorati, Charles Dutoit, Aaron Copland, Zubin Mehta, Neville Marriner, Edo deWaart and Leonard Slatkin, to name a few. For his untiring work on behalf of music and arts education, he has been honored with the David W. Preuss Leadership Award, the American String Teachers Association's Exceptional Leadership and Merit Award, the Sigma Alpha Iota Musician of the Year Award, WCCO Radio's Good Neighbor Award and the State of Minnesota Governor's Proclamation of "Dr. William LaRue Jones Day." A Texas native, Dr. Jones holds degrees from the University of Wisconsin, the University of Iowa and Kansas State University, with additional studies at The Juilliard School of Music and the University of North Texas.

#### All-State Middle School Band CLEVE A. MALOON



Cleve A. Maloon is director of music programs at the Oxbridge Academy of the Palm Beaches. Previously he was director of bands at Bak Middle School of

the Arts in Palm Beach County from 2001 to 2012. Under his leadership, both the Concert Band and Jazz Band received straight superior ratings for 11 consecutive years at the FBA MPA and at numerous competitions throughout the country. Mr. Maloon began his teaching career at Rock Island High School in Illinois and served as director of bands and the district's music coordinator K-12. Mr. Maloon earned the B.M.E. from Augustana College (Illinois) and the M.A. in performance/pedagogy from the University of Iowa. A native of St. Thomas, Virgin

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Islands, he is a trombonist who has performed professionally throughout the Caribbean and the United States in calypso, salsa, reggae, jazz bands and symphony orchestras. In 2005, he was nominated for the American Stars of Teaching Award, and he was the finalist for the Palm Beach County Economic Council William Dwyer Awards for Excellence in Education. The Palm Beach Post selected him as a recipient of the "I Make a Difference Teacher of Excellence" Award. Western Illinois awarded him University Most Inspirational Teacher, and the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy selected him for the Teacher Award of Excellence. Mr. Maloon has been a guest conductor, clinician and adjudicator in Illinois, Iowa and Florida. He maintains an active membership with Florida Bandmasters Association and served as the District 14 chairman, 2001-2003.

## All-State Intercollegiate Band MICHAEL HAITHCOCK



Michael Haithcock assumed his duties as director of bands and professor of music (conducting) at the University of Michigan in the fall of

2001 following 23 years on the faculty of Baylor University. Following in the footsteps of William D. Revelli and H. Robert Reynolds, Professor Haithcock conducts the internationally renowned University of Michigan Symphony Band, guides the acclaimed graduate band and wind ensemble conducting program and provides administrative leadership for all aspects of the University of Michigan's diverse and historic band program. Ensembles under Professor Haithcock's

guidance have received a wide array of critical acclaim for their high artistic standards of performance and repertoire. These accolades have come through concerts at national and state conventions, performances in major concert venues and recordings on the Albany, Arsis and Equilibrium labels. Professor Haithcock was selected to conduct the world premiere of Daron Hagen's Bandanna, an opera for voice and wind band, commissioned by the College Band Directors National Association, and he is a leader in commissioning and premiering new works for concert band. Professor Haithcock has earned the praise of both composers and conductors for his innovative approaches to developing the wind ensemble repertoire and programming. He is in constant demand as a guest conductor and as a resource person for symposiums and workshops in a variety of instructional settings as well as for festival and all-state appearances throughout the country. A graduate of East Carolina University, where he received the 1996 Outstanding Alumni Award from the School of Music, and Baylor University, Professor Haithcock has done additional study at a variety of conducting workshops, including the Herbert Blomstedt Orchestral Conducting Institute. The Instrumentalist, the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association, the School Musician, the Southwest Music Educator and WINDS magazine have published his articles on conducting and wind litera-

All-State Jazz Band BILL PRINCE



Bill Prince, D.M.A., a professor emeritus at the University of North Florida, comes from a background rich in music. He has performed with numerous

bands and orchestras, including Buddy Rich; the NORAD Band; the Denver, Fort Lauderdale, Palm Beach and Jacksonville symphonies; and the American Wind Symphony Orchestra. He has also performed with a number of well-known big bands, including Xavier Cugat, Tex Beneke, Harry James, Tommy Dorsey and Louis Bellson. He has appeared on TV shows in the United States, Canada and across the world. Dr. Prince has performed on more than 70 albums, including his *The Best Kept* Secret in Jazz. He can be heard on Duffy Jackson's CD Swing! Swing! Swing! and Buddy Rich's CDs Mercy Mercy and The Best of Buddy Rich. In more recent years, Dr. Prince has developed a cabaret show that he performs on cruise ships around the world. One of his most unique talents is his ability to perform professionally on several instruments. For example, although he played trumpet with Buddy Rich, he was first offered a chair in the saxophone section. His performing instruments include trumpet, flugelhorn, trombone, flute, clarinet, saxophone, piano and electric bass. Dr. Prince produced his own CD, Happy Thoughts, on which he composed, arranged and performed all parts. He holds the D.M.A. with a major in theory and composition from the University of Miami (Fla.). He has taught at Florida Atlantic University, the University of Colorado/Denver, St. Francis Xavier University, Nova Scotia and the University

of North Florida, and he has served as a visiting lecturer at Cape Town University and Natal University in South Africa. Music has taken him to all 50 states and 80 countries of the world.

#### High School Honors Band DOUGLAS L. PHILLIPS



Douglas L. Phillips, D.M.A., is acting director of bands and visiting assistant professor of music at the Stetson University School of Music in DeLand, Fla.

Dr. Phillips is the conductor of the University Symphonic Band and teaches courses in advanced instrumental conducting and music education. Prior to his appointment at Stetson, Dr. Phillips served as associate director of bands and assistant professor of music at Western Illinois University and as associate director of bands at the University of Virginia, and he taught public school in the state of Florida, where he was director of bands at Douglas Anderson School of the Arts and director of instrumental music at Merritt Island High School. Dr. Phillips received the D.M.A. in instrumental conducting from the Frost School of Music at the University of Miami, the M.M. in instrumental conducting from Western Michigan University and the B.M.E. from Stetson University. Dr. Phillips serves on the board of directors of the National Band Association as chairman of the NBA Awards committee. He holds additional active memberships in CBDNA, CMS, FBA, FMEA, NAfME, WASBE and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia.

## All-State Symphonic Band BOBBY ADAMS



Bobby Adams, Ph.D., is director of bands, professor of music education and coordinator of instrumental music at the Stetson University School of Music in

DeLand, Fla. A member of the Stetson University faculty since 1987, Dr. Adams conducts the University Symphonic Band and teaches advanced instrumental conducting and courses in music education. Prior to his appointment at Stetson, Dr. Adams taught in the public schools of Indiana and Florida for 25 years. He is principal conductor and music director of Southern Winds, an ensemble made up of Stetson faculty, former students, band directors and other professional musicians. A native of Kentucky, Dr. Adams received the B.A. from Morehead State University, the M.M.E. from Murray State University and the Ph.D. in music education from Florida State University. Bands under his direction have performed at 36 state, regional and national conventions. He is a past president of the National Association, the National Band Association for Music Education-Southern Division, the College Band Directors National Association-Southern Division, the Florida Music Educators' Association and the Florida Bandmasters Association. He is also chairman of the FBA Hall of Fame's board of directors. Dr. Adams is an elected member of Phi Beta Mu, the American Bandmasters Association, the FMEA Hall of Fame, the FBA Hall of Fame, the FBA Roll of Distinction and the NBA Hall of Fame. In addition, Dr. Adams conducts all-state/honor bands and orchestras throughout the United States.

## All-State Concert Orchestra JOHN WHITNEY



John Whitney is a native of Glens Falls, N.Y., and earned music degrees from Ithaca College and the New England Conservatory. Among numerous per-

forming and teaching stints, including two decades teaching at the University of Central Florida, Mr. Whitney taught 22 years in New York public schools, including those in Long Beach, Olean, Ithaca and Camillus (West Genesee Central Schools), and he served as director of strings for Buffalo Academy for Visual and Performing Arts. In 2007, he taught conducting and orchestra at SUNY Fredonia as director of orchestras. Mr. Whitney is internationally known for his performances and pedagogy, and he has conducted or performed with a host of platinum artists, including Luciano Pavarotti, Clark Terry, Frank Foster, Tony Bennett, Ray Charles, Dave Samuels, Buddy DeFranco, Henry Mancini, Cab Calloway, Liberace, Doc Severinsen, Phil Woods and The Irish Tenors. As a violinist, he has performed at Walt Disney World and with the symphonies of Syracuse, Utica, Elmira and Brevard. A uniquely versatile "musician's musician," Mr. Whitney has distinguished himself in both classical and jazz arenas through his conducting, performing, composing, arranging and teaching.



## All-State Concert Chorus ANDRÉ J. THOMAS



André J. Thomas, D.M.A., the Owen F. Sellers professor of music, is director of choral activities and professor of choral music education at

Florida State University. A previous faculty member at the University of Texas, Austin, Dr. Thomas received his degrees from Friends University (B.A.), Northwestern University (M.M.) and the University of Illinois (D.M.A). He is in demand as a choral adjudicator, clinician and director of all-state/honor choirs throughout the United States, Europe, Asia, New Zealand and Australia. Dr. Thomas has conducted choirs at the state, division and national conventions of the National Association for Music Education and the American Choral Directors Association (ACDA). His international conducting credits are extensive. They include conductor/clinician for the International Federation of Choral Musicians, summer residency of the World Youth Choir in the Republic of China and the Philippines, winter residency of the World Youth Choir in Europe and a premiere performance by an American choir (Florida State University Singers) in Vietnam. He has been the guest conductor of such distinguished orchestras and choirs as the Birmingham Symphony Orchestra in England, the Berlin Radio Choir in Germany, the Netherlands Radio Choir, the Charlotte Symphony, the Tallahassee Symphony, China's People's Liberation Orchestra and the Czech National Symphony Orchestra. Since 1988, he has also served as artistic director of the Tallahassee Community

Chorus. Dr. Thomas has also distinguished himself as a composer/arranger. Hinshaw Music Company, Mark Foster Music Company, Fitzsimons Music Company, Lawson Gould, Earthsongs, Choristers Guild and Heritage Music Company publish his compositions and arrangements. Dr. Thomas has produced two instructional videos, What They See Is What You Get on choral conducting, with Rodney Eichenberger, and Body, Mind, Spirit, Voice on adolescent voices, with Anton Armstrong. His recent book Way Over in Beulah Lan'. Understanding and Performing the Negro Spiritual has quickly become a major source in this area of study. The African Diaspora Sacred Music honored Dr. Thomas as a Living Legend. In 2011, Dr. Thomas's dedication to and accomplishments in the choral arts were recognized by his peers in Chorus America, when that organization presented Dr. Thomas with its Distinguished Service Award. He is a past president of the Florida ACDA and the past president of the Southern Division of ACDA.

## All-State Reading Chorus Z. RANDALL STROOPE



Z. Randall Stroope, D.M.A., is one of the most active choral conductors and composers working today, with recent conducting engagements at

the American School in Singapore, Canterbury Cathedral (England), Salzburger Dom (Austria), The Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts (Washington, D.C.), the Vancouver Symphony (British Columbia) and three performances at the Vatican in the past two years. He is artistic director for summer international choral festivals in Berlin, Germany, and Rome, Italy. Dr. Stroope has toured 15 countries with ensembles under his direction, including visits to China and South Africa. In the United States, Dr. Stroope has conducted 35 all-state choirs (Kentucky, New Hampshire and Delaware in 2011), and he does many clinics a year for professional choirs, universities and state music organizations across the country. At Oklahoma State University, Dr. Stroope is the director of choral and vocal studies. He conducts the Concert Chorale and the Chamber Choir, oversees recruitment activities and coordinates the undergraduate and graduate conducting program. He and the other six faculty and staff in the choral/vocal division have seen tremendous growth in the number of music majors and general university involvement in the choral program. Prior to teaching at OSU, Dr. Stroope was the director of choral studies at Rowan University in Glassboro, N.J. In October 2009, Dr. Stroope was featured in an hourlong interview ("Sounds Choral") with well-known radio personality Marjorie Herman in a series with WWFM The Classical Network. In this interview, Dr. Stroope talked about his compositional study with Cecil Effinger and Normand Lockwood, both students of Nadia Boulanger (in turn, a student of Gabriel Fauré), as well as various aspects of his conducting work. Dr. Stroope has 95 published works with Alliance, Walton, Colla Voce, MorningStar and Heritage Music Press. His compositions sell more than 200,000 copies a year and are performed regularly by esteemed ensembles throughout the world, including professional ensembles in the United States, France, Holland, Hong Kong, Spain, Japan,

Australia, the Czech Republic and Canada. Dr. Stroope has personally conducted/recorded 13 professional CDs, and recordings of his music are heard frequently on radio and television broadcasts, including National Public Radio. Born in Albuquerque, N.M., Dr. Stroope completed his master's in voice performance at the University of Colorado (Boulder) and a doctorate in conducting at Arizona State University. He also did post-graduate individual conducting study with Margaret Hillis, chorus master of the Chicago Symphony. As a recipient of the Australian-American Fulbright, Dr. Stroope has also done work in Western Australia. He and his wife, Cheryl (a middle school choral music teacher in Stillwater, Okla.), enjoy traveling and spending time with their Sheltie.

#### All-State Men's Chorus MICHAEL DYE



Michael Dye has begun his 23rd year as choral director at Niceville High School and his 37th year as a music educator. He received the B.M.E.

from Henderson State University in Arkadelphia, Ark., and the M.M.E. from Arkansas State University in Jonesboro. Mr. Dye began his choral music career in Arkansas at Southwest Junior High School in Hot Springs (1976) before accepting a position at Dollarway High School in Pine Bluff, where he served 12 years as choral director. He served as the Arkansas state president of the American Choral Directors Association (1984-1986). He later served as state president of the state's choral interscholastic organization, the Arkansas Choral Directors Association

(1986-1988). In 1989, the Arkansas Choral Directors Association selected him as Arkansas Choral Director of the Year. In 1990, Mr. Dye began his career as director of the Niceville High School choruses. He was selected Niceville High School's Teacher of the Year and was runner-up for Okaloosa County's Teacher of the Year in 2004. He served on the Florida Music Educators' Association Board of Directors (2007-2009) and has recently been named the Florida Vocal Association's liaison to the Florida School Music Association. Mr. Dye is an active member of the Florida Vocal Association, which he has served as state president (2007-2009) and twice as the District 1 chairman (1997-1999 and 2005-2007). He continues to serve the FVA board as state music chairman and as the FVA past presidents coordinator. Mr. Dye is also a member of the American Choral Directors Association, the Florida Music Educators' Association and the National Association for Music Education. His Niceville Singers have sung at the FCDA's state convention and have toured and performed in Central Europe (2002), Great Britain (2004, International Church Music Festival), the People's Republic of China (2006, All-China Choral Directors Association's national convention). Northern Italy (2008) and Spain (2011), as well as three time in Manhattan at Carnegie Hall and throughout the southeastern United States. Mr. Dye is an active clinician and adjudicator. He is married to Wanda Thomas Dye. They have two sons, Dr. Matthew Norton, a physical therapist in Pensacola, and Timothy Norton, a master's degree candidate at Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary in East Hamilton,

#### All-State Treble Chorus ELENA SHARKOVA



Elena Sharkova, artistic director of the Symphony Silicon Valley Chorale, is recognized nationally and internationally as an inspirational and

effective conductor, choral clinician and music educator. She has conducted professional, university, children's and community choirs and orchestras in North America, Eastern and Western Europe, Russia and the Middle East, and she has served as an adjudicator at numerous national and international music festivals and competitions. An expert on Russian choral music, Ms. Sharkova has lectured extensively on its repertoire and performance practices and has conducted several U.S. premieres of Russian contemporary compositions. In her 11th year as artistic director of the Symphony Silicon Valley Chorale (formerly San Jose State University Chorale), Maestra Sharkova has prepared and conducted the chorus in more than 30 major choralorchestral works such as Handel's Messiah, Mozart's Requiem, Poulenc's Gloria, Bruckner's Te Deum, Brahms's Nanie, Orff's Carmina Burana and many others. Regarded for her passion for non-Western, cross-genre and multicultural music, Ms. Sharkova and the chorale have delighted South Bay, Calif., audiences with performances of such folk-inspired compositions as Navidad Nuestra and Missa Criolla by Argentinean composer Ariel Ramirez, Caribbean Mass by contemporary American composer Glen McClure and jazz-inspired Mass in Blue by English composer Will Todd. Artistic director of the 180-voice

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strong Cantabile Youth Singers since 2004, Maestra Sharkova conducts CYS's top choirs, Vocalise and Ensemble, and oversees all educational and performance aspects of the program. Under her direction, Cantabile made its Carnegie Hall debut in 2005 and returned to that legendary stage in 2010. Ms. Sharkova was born and raised in St. Petersburg, Russia, where she received an undergraduate degree in music education and piano and a graduate degree in conducting from St. Petersburg State Rimski-Korsakov Conservatory. From 1988 to 1993, Ms. Sharkova served as chairwoman of the choral department of the preparatory music school at the conservatory, where she conducted four children's choruses and taught the innovative Ogorodnov Method to graduate students. Before moving to the United States in 1993, she toured extensively for five years with one of the finest Russian professional choirs, Lege Artis. Besides concertizing throughout Russia, Europe and the United States, the ensemble also recorded five CDs for the SONY Classical label and won numerous prizes at European choral festivals and competitions.

#### All-State Women's Chorus MITOS ANDAYA



Mitos Andaya,
D.M.A., is the associate director of choral activities in the Boyer
College of Music and
Dance at Temple
University in

Philadelphia. She teaches undergraduate conducting and graduate choral literature, assists with graduate conducting and directs the Temple University

Singers. Prior to her appointment at

Temple, she served as associate director of choral activities at the University of Georgia, where she directed ensembles in early music, jazz, women's, chamber and symphonic chorus repertoire. There she was awarded one of the university's highest honors, the Richard B. Russell Undergraduate Teaching Award, and twice received the Student Government Association Award for Outstanding Commitment to Students and Academic Excellence. Dr. Andaya has taught choral and jazz at the university level in the United States, South Africa and Australia. She served as guest conductor of the Netherlands Chamber Choir in Amsterdam and Arnhem in 2007, conducted the Eric Ericson Chamber Choir in concert at the Lund International Choral Festival in Sweden and conducted the Netherlands Chamber Choir, Netherlands Radio Chorus, in Haarlem in 2005. She conducted at the 2005 Transient Glory Choral and Chamber Music Festival in New York and worked with Pulitzer Prize-winning composer David Del Tredici. In 2004, she prepared ensembles for the BBC Philharmonic conductor/Scottish composer James MacMillan for his Georgia residency. She was selected to study with Marin Alsop at the Colorado Symphony Orchestra Workshop in 2003, Helmuth Rilling at the Oregon Bach Festival in 2003 and 2004, Simon Halsey and André Thomas in Haarlem, Netherlands, in 2005 and Frieder Bernius in Varese, Italy, in 2006. Her conducting teachers at the University of Kansas were Simon Carrington and orchestral conductor Brian Priestman. Her ensembles have been invited to perform throughout the United States, such as at the Boston Early Music Festival, the Southern American Choral Directors

Association conference and the UNC/ Greeley Jazz Festival. Her choirs have also traveled and performed in England, Scotland, Germany, Austria, Italy, Portugal and Spain. She has been a member of the conducting faculty of the Westminster Chamber Choir with Westminster Choir College of Rider University since 2007, and she has served as a member of the judges panel for the International A Cappella Festival in Leipzig, Germany. In 2010, she served as clinician and guest conductor for the first Kenyan Choral Directors national conference, hosted by Moi University in Eldoret, Kenya. She continues to serve as a clinician, adjudicator and guest conductor for honor choruses, all-state choirs and festivals. Dr. Andaya has Renaissance and other editions published with Alliance Music Publications and jazz compositions and arrangements with UNC Jazz Press and Hal Leonard. She served as chairwoman for jazz repertoire and standards for the Georgia American Choral Directors Association, is active in the American Choral Directors Association and the International Federation of Choral Music and serves as president-elect of the National Collegiate Choral Organization. ∄

# Afumni Receptions

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2013

5 p.m 7 p.m.	Florida State University Alumni Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Lancaster Terrace
5:30 p.m 7 p.m.	University of Central Florida Alumni Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Peter O. Knight Room
5:30 p.m 8 p.m.	Stetson University Alumni Wine & Cheese Reception	Embassy Suites - Second Floor
6 p.m 7 p.m.	Frost School of Music at University of Miami Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Garrison Room
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	Florida Southern College Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - John Jackson Room
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	University of South Florida Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Lancaster Room
6 p.m 8 p.m.	University of Florida School of Music Alumni Reception	Marriott Waterside - Café Waterside Private Dining Room

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

8 a.m 9 a.m.	Jacksonville University Alumni Breakfast Meeting	Marriott Waterside - Café Waterside
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# FMEA President's Concert

Wednesday, January 9, 2013 7:30 p.m. - 9:20 p.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A





#### **Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony Director: Sterling Frederick**

Dimensional Harmony is an organization composed of 50 Boynton Beach High School students. Dimensional Harmony has performed for Donald Trump, the Florida Vocal Association's music conference and many civic organizations, and has opened for renowned gospel singers Fred Hammond and the Mighty Clouds of Joy. The group continues to earn superior ratings at district, state and national competitions. Most recently, in November 2010, Dimensional Harmony won a national show choir competition.

Sterling Frederick is a Palm Beach Atlantic University graduate. He has been the choral director of Boynton Beach High School's Dimensional Harmony for 11 years of his 17-year teaching career.  $28^{\text{He has served as district coordinator and}}$ 

district chairman for FVA District 14. He is sought after as an adjudicator and clinician in Florida. Choirs under his direction have consistently earned superior ratings at national, state and district events.

#### Eau Gallie High School **Symphonic Band Director: Thomas Singletary**

The Eau Gallie High School Band Program, under the direction of Thomas Singletary, Laura Singletary and Veronica Curran, consists of three concert bands, two jazz bands, four percussion ensembles, many student-led ensembles and the 200-member Marching Commodores. The Eau Gallie Symphonic Band has been awarded superior ratings at many district and regional music festivals, and the ensemble performed at the National Band and Orchestra Festival at Carnegie Hall in 2009.

Thomas Singletary is a native of Statesboro, Ga. He holds the B.M.E. from Florida State University, where he was





under the direction of James Croft, Bentley Shellahamer and Robert Sheldon. He also holds the M.M. from the University of Illinois at Champaign/Urbana, where he studied conducting with Donald Schleicher and James Keene. In 2012, he received the Oliver Hobbs Award from the Florida Bandmasters Association in recognition of his exceptional work over a long period at Eau Gallie High School. He is a music arranger for the FSU Marching Chiefs.

#### Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr

The Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra is under the joint direction of Jennifer Zahn and Ian Schwindt with string consultant Marcey Sperr. This 79-member ensemble has consistently performed at the highest levels at both district and state MPAs, as well as at the many concerts it presents. Multiple smaller ensembles make up the Symphony Orchestra, including the THS Jazz Band and a 20-member chamber orchestra, along with many quartets and quintets. All of these smaller groups maintain an active performing schedule in concerts as well as support community events.

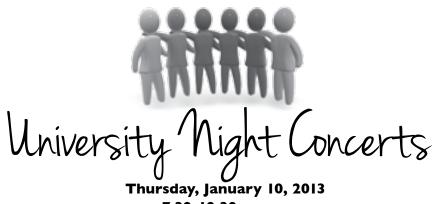
Ian Schwindt teaches instrumental music at Titusville High School, where he has served for the last 13 years. During his tenure, the program has doubled in size and significantly expanded its musical offerings, including a full orchestra, AP Music Theory and an active chamber ensemble program. In 2004, Titusville High School was named a Music Demonstration School by the State of Florida Department of Education and then renewed again in 2007. He is in his third year as conductor of the Brevard County Youth Orchestra Symphony.

Marcey Sperr is in her 11th year of teaching and her sixth year in Brevard County, Fla. She is the itinerant string teacher for the Titusville High School feeder chain, where she serves five schools. She is a cellist and bassoonist with a degree in music education from the University of South Florida. She began her teaching career in Hillsborough County as an elementary music specialist. She taught high school band in Connecticut Public Schools for four years and cello through the Community Music School in Essex, Conn.

Jennifer Zahn is in her 11th year at Titusville High School teaching instrumental music. She has held numerous leadership positions, including FOA district chairwoman, FBA district chairwoman, Brevard County Music Leadership Team and School Advisory Council. She has also been named an FMEA Emerging Leader and has received an NBA citation for her work with the Titusville Wind Orchestra. She remains active through her private lesson studio and serves as a clinician for orchestras and bands throughout Central Florida. She continues to play professionally on clarinet and violin.



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#### Florida Gulf Coast University -Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Director: Trent R. Brown

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See first general session for director's biography.

#### University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra 8:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Director: William W. Wiedrich

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#### University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble I Jazz Faculty Thursday, 9:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. Director: J.B. Scott

The UNF Jazz Ensemble 1 is the premier ensemble of the University of North Florida Jazz Studies program and part of the UNF Music Flagship Program, winning numerous awards and consistent recognitions from *DownBeat* magazine and other notable publications. The group has performed internationally, throughout China, Europe and the United States, with appearances on the Great Wall of China; the Montreux, North Sea, Monterey, Jacksonville and Savannah jazz festivals; the IAJE and FMEA conferences; and The Midwest Clinic.



The UNF Jazz Faculty features Lynne Arriale - piano, Todd Del Giudice - saxophone, Marc Dickman - euphonium, Danny Gottlieb - drums, Barry Greene - guitar, Clarence Hines - trombone, Dennis Marks - bass and J.B. Scott - trumpet. The UNF Jazz Faculty is an extremely talented and diverse group of international performers and educators. The group has played with and recorded with artists such as Pat Metheny, Randy

Brecker, Stan Getz, Arturo Sandoval, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich, Paquito D'Rivera, Sarah Vaughn, MJT and Dukes of Dixieland; has published works with Mel Bay, Hudson Music and UNC Press; and is endorsed by Yamaha, Buscarino, Besson, Thomasik-Infeld, Remo, Eames and DW.

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# First General Membership Session

Thursday, January 10, 2013
10:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

The first general session for FMEA members will be presided by FMEA President Sheila S. King and will feature three performing ensembles.

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Trent R. Brown, D.M.A., is director of choral activities and assistant professor of music at Florida Gulf Coast University,



where he leads the choral ensembles and teaches courses in conducting at the Bower School of Music. Prior to academia he taught public high school for eight years in Minnesota and Wisconsin. He holds the D.M.A. in choral conducting from the University of Arizona, the M.M. from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and the B.M.E from the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. Choirs under his

direction have performed at state ACDA conventions and have toured nationally and internationally, including a 2007 tour to China.

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each semester, and non-music majors are welcome to participate by performing a successful audition.

William W. Wiedrich, D.M.A., is in constant demand as a guest conductor and clinician. He is director of orchestral studies at the University of South Florida in Tampa, where he conducts the USF Symphony Orchestra and Opera Theatre and maintains a large conducting studio. He is also music director of the Tampa Metropolitan Youth Orchestra. His youth orchestras have appeared twice in Carnegie Hall and have maintained an active commissioning program of music for young orchestras. He frequently serves as an all-state conductor, most recently in Michigan, Georgia, Florida and North Carolina.

#### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott

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J.B. Scott is an associate professor of jazz studies at the University of North Florida. He teaches trumpet and directs the award-winning UNF JE 1 big band. He is a Yamaha trumpet artist/clinician, FBA adjudicator and freelance artist. He and vocalist Lisa Kelly-Scott have coreleased five successful CDs and have performed for numerous jazz societies and festivals, including the Montreux, Elkhart, Monterey, Savannah, Jacksonville and Mammoth Lakes jazz festivals; the Suncoast Dixie Classic; and the Sacramento Jazz Jubilee. He has presented clinics for IAJE, FMEA, The Midwest Clinic and JEN, and he conducted the 2009 Florida All-State Jazz Band at the annual FMEA Clinic-Conference in Tampa. 

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# Second General Membership Session

Friday, January II, 2013 9 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A



The second general session for FMEA members will be presided by FMEA President Sheila S. King and will feature three performing ensembles.

#### Touch – USF iPad Quintet Director: David A. Williams

Touch is the University of South Florida's iPad Quintet. The group, made up of music education faculty and doctoral students from the School of Music, formed two years ago, shortly after the release of the first iPad. Touch is a live performance ensemble and serves as a model for undergraduate music education students as a progressive approach to music education. Touch performs a wide variety of music from across musical styles, including rock, rap and classical, as well as original music composed

specifically for the ensemble. A typical program will feature collaborations with students and faculty from across campus and will include dance, theater and video. A Touch concert is a multimedia experience of sound, light and motion, where the audience plays an important role and anything is possible! Ensemble members include faculty Clint Randles, assistant professor of music education, and David A. Williams, associate professor of music education doctoral students Victor Ezquerra, Chris Morris and Nick Stefanic.

David A. Williams, Ph.D., teaches instrumental music education and technology courses at USF, including Computer Applications in Music Education. His research projects include Musical Meaning: Teenage Participation

in Musical Activities In and Out of School (funded by a "Sounds of Learning: The Impact of Music Education" grant), Collaboration Among Music Teachers, Skills and Behaviors Important to Successful Music Teaching (an insider's look at what it takes) and What Are We Doing and How Well Are We Doing It? (a philosophical paper published in Music Educators Journal). He has published articles in the Journal of Research in Music Education, Update: Applications of Research to Music Education, Journal of Technology in Music Learning, Southern Music Education Research Journal, Teaching Music, Journal of Music Teacher Education, FETConnection, Technological Directions in Music Learning and General Music Today and contributed a book chapter to On the Nature of the Musical Experience. He recently presented a paper, Enhancing Pre-Service Music Teachers' Learning in Digital Arts Education Through Innovative Approaches to K-12 Classroom Instruction, at a joint national conference of the College Music Society and the Association for Technology in Music Instruction in Quebec City, Canada. He holds the Ph.D. in music education from Northwestern University and the M.M.E. from the State University of West Georgia. His bachelor's degree is in music education from Morehead State University.



# The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet Director: Terry Bingham

Since its inception in 1972, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has gained a reputation as one of the most highly respected and sought-after groups of its kind. The ensemble has appeared before audiences and dignitaries in 48 states and 14 countries. An element of The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in Washington, D.C., The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed at the White House, presidential inaugurations and official state ceremonies in the nation's capital. It has been selected repeatedly as the first ensemble to honor new presidents with the traditional Hail to the Chief on live national broadcasts. In addition, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet frequently provides musical support for special events hosted by the secretary of defense, the secretary of the army and the army chief of staff, as well as for ceremonies supporting the Military District of Washington. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed on NBC's Today Show, the Food Network's Emeril Live, NPR's A Prairie Home Companion, CBS's Sunday Morning, ABC, Fox, CNN, TNN and internationally on BBC. The group also appears regularly on local and regional broadcasts throughout the nation. The group's repertoire includes more than 500 selections from all eras and genres of classical and popular music, interactive entertainment, video and works for children's concerts. The Brass Quintet's library also includes historic musical selections from the American Civil War, which the ensemble enjoys performing on authentic instruments. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet continues a long tradition in support of music education. The ensemble's outreach activities include frequent appearances at The Midwest Clinic, the International Trumpet Guild Conference, The U.S. Army Band Tuba-Euphonium Conference and at high schools, universities and conservatories throughout the United States and around the world.

SFC Terry Bingham came to The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in 1994 and assumed the position of principal trumpet in the Concert Band and Orchestra in 2010. He is also first trumpet with The U.S. Army Brass Quintet and has enjoyed a diverse career as a member of "Pershing's Own," performing with the Army Blues, Swamp Romp and The U.S. Army Band DownRange, with whom he toured Kuwait, Iraq and Afghanistan as part of the Sergeant Major of the Army's Hope and Freedom Tour 2010. He is a true part of the rich heritage of "Pershing's Own," having followed the footsteps of his mother and father, who both served in the unit. He is the father to three wonderful children, and he has enjoyed a varied career as a trumpeter, performing with the Baltimore Symphony, John Williams, Usher, Bono, the late Ray Charles and Frank Sinatra, Jr., among others.

# The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble Director: David Coash

David Coash, D.M.A., has been a member of The Florida Orchestra since 1978. He earned degrees from the University of Michigan (D.M.A.), Northwestern University (M.M.) and the University of South Florida (B.A. music/B.A. music education). He is the principal percussionist with Opera Saratoga and co-founded Spectrum Contemporary Ensemble. He has been a member of the Brass Band of Battle Creek since 1994. He has performed with the London Symphony and the Detroit Symphony. He has been a member of the faculty at Florida Southern College in Lakeland, Fla., and The University of Tampa. He has performed numerous recitals and educational performances in Florida and around the United States. He has worked at both the district and state levels for FBA since 1986. In 2002, he served as a panelist for the Solo & Ensemble Adjudication Clinic presented at the FMEA convention.

John Shaw has been the principal percussionist with The Florida Orchestra since 1996 and a member of the orchestra's percussion section since 1992. He earned degrees from Florida State University (B.M.) and Temple University (M.M.). He has been featured as a soloist with The Florida Orchestra many times, performing the *Concerto for Percussion* by Joseph



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Schwantner, Concerto for Two Pianos and Percussion by Bela Bartók and Veni, Veni, Emmanuel by James MacMillan. His eightmember steel drum band, the Tampa Bay Steel Orchestra, was twice featured with The Florida Orchestra as part of the orchestra's pops series. He has been on

the faculty at St. Petersburg College since 1996. He is the principal percussionist with the Eastern Music Festival and has been with the festival since 2008. He is the vice president of the Florida chapter of the Percussive Arts Society, and he presented a master class on orchestral per-



cussion at the society's 2010 International Convention.

Kurt Grissom joined The Florida Orchestra in 1984 under then Music Director Irwin Hoffman. He graduated high school from the Interlochen Arts Academy in Michigan in 1979 and did his undergraduate studies at the University of South Florida, New England Conservatory of Music and The University of Tampa (B.M., 1985). He was a Florida Gulf Coast Symphony Young Artist Concerto winner in 1977, attended the Tanglewood Music Festival on a fellowship in 1987 and has performed

with the Boston Symphony Orchestra under Seiji Ozawa and Leonard Bernstein, as well as with the Naples, Jacksonville and Orlando orchestras of Florida. He also held the position of personnel manager of The Florida Orchestra from 1991 to 1999. 

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### Thursday, January 10, 2013

Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble 12:20 p.m. – 12:40 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, East Hall

# FMEA Exhibits Grand Opening Director: Doug Moser

The Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble, under the direction of Doug Moser, performs a wide variety of music for percussion, including modern and



new music, classical transcriptions, world and cultural music, as well as pop and jazz arrangements. The ensemble performed at the 2009 and 2011 McCormick Marimba Festival at the University of South Florida and was featured at the 2011 FMEA Clinic-Conference. Most recently, the ensemble was invited to perform at the 2012 Florida Percussive Arts Society Day of Percussion, hosted by USF Professor Bob McCormick. The Wharton Regiment Drumline is also known for consistently earning top honors at several marching festivals across Florida. Members of the ensemble have participated in the Florida State Solo & Ensemble Festival, Florida All-State Concert Bands, Yamaha Sounds of Summer camps, USF Festival of Winds and numerous area honor bands. The percussion ensemble also hosts an annual Spring Percussion Concert each school year.

Doug Moser is the marching percussion director and arranger for the USF Herd of Thunder Marching Band and the director of the WGI World Championship finalist BRAHMA Percussion Ensemble. He is the assistant director of bands and orchestras at Wharton High School in Tampa, Fla., where he also teaches classes for both piano and guitar. He is a graduate of Rollins College and received the M.M. in percussion performance from the University of South Florida. He has performed with the

Florida West Coast Symphony (Sarasota Orchestra), Southwest Florida Symphony, Florida Wind Band, Brass Band of Central Florida, Space Coast Pops, Messiah Choral Society of Orlando and Bach Festival Orchestra of Winter Park. He is co-author of *Masterworks for Mallets*, published by Rowl-Off Publications, and can be heard on several recordings with the McCormick Percussion Group on the Ravello and Capstone labels.

### University of North Florida Jazz Collective I:30 p.m. – 2 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

### **Director: Lynne Arriale**

The University of North Florida Jazz Collective represents the new breed of young musicians, steeped in tradition and forward-looking, incorporating diverse influences including free improvisation, pop, rock, Latin, Middle Eastern and Brazilian music, with a



strong emphasis on group interaction. Each member brings professional experience and musical vision to bring forth a unique ensemble sound, infused with passion and creativity.

Pianist/composer Lynne Arriale has performed internationally on concert and festival stages over the past 20 years. She has recorded 13 CDs as a leader; won the Great American Piano Competition; toured Japan with 100 Golden Fingers (Tommy Flanagan, Hank Jones, Monty Alexander, Cedar Walton and Kenny Barron); and has performed and/or recorded with Benny Golson, Randy Brecker and George Mraz. Her recordings have topped the national jazz radio charts and "Best Of" lists; other national and international media include PBS, NPR, Billboard, DownBeat, JazzTimes and cover stories for JazzEd, One Way and M Magazine. She is associate professor of jazz studies at the University of North Florida.





University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble 4 p.m. – 5 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Director: Scott Tobias

The UCF Wind Ensemble is the premier performance ensemble of the University of Central Florida's bands program. Composed of the finest wind and percussion students at the University of Central Florida, the UCF Wind Ensemble presents numerous concerts each year consisting of a variety of repertoire ranging from classic band compositions to new literature for the wind band medium. In recent years, the UCF Wind Ensemble has performed for the American School Band Directors Association's national convention and has worked with noted composers such as Karel Husa and Guy Woolfenden. In May 2013, the ensemble will embark on a seven-day performance tour of London, England.

Scott C. Tobias, D.M.A., is the director of bands and assistant professor of music at the University of Central Florida. His responsibilities include conducting the Wind Ensemble, teaching courses in conducting and music education and providing administrative leadership for the UCF Bands program. He previously served as associate director of bands at Appalachian State University as well as director of bands at Sumter High School in Sumter, S.C., and at Central High School in Macon, Ga.



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Center, Ballroom A
Director: J.B. Scott

The UNF Jazz Ensemble 1 is the premier ensemble of the University of North Florida Jazz Studies program and part of the UNF Music Flagship Program, winning numerous awards and consistent recognitions from *DownBeat* magazine and other notable publications. The group has performed internationally, throughout China, Europe and the United States, with appearances on the Great Wall of China; the Montreux, North Sea, Monterey, Jacksonville and Savannah jazz festivals; the IAJE and FMEA conferences; and The Midwest Clinic.

The UNF Jazz Faculty features Lynne Arriale - piano, Todd Del Giudice - saxophone, Marc Dickman - euphonium, Danny Gottlieb - drums, Barry Greene - guitar, Clarence Hines - trombone, Dennis Marks - bass and J.B. Scott - trumpet. The UNF Jazz Faculty is an extremely talented and diverse group of international performers and educators. The group has played with and recorded with artists such as Pat Metheny, Randy Brecker, Stan Getz, Arturo Sandoval, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich, Paquito D'Rivera, Sarah Vaughn, MJT and Dukes of Dixieland; has published works with Mel Bay, Hudson Music and UNC Press; and is endorsed by Yamaha, Buscarino, Besson, Thomasik-Infeld, Remo, Eames and DW.

See First General Session for director's biography.

### Performing Ensembles Friday, January 11, 2013



Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center,
Ballroom A

**Director: Christopher Perez** 

This year's Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra consists of 32 members and is part of the FHS Guitar Program with more than 190 students and three beginner guitar classes and three guitar ensembles, including the Intermediate Guitar Ensemble, the Advanced Guitar Ensemble and the Guitar Orchestra. The FHS Guitar Program is pleased and very excited to announce that the FHS Guitar Orchestra has been invited to perform in

concert at the 21st annual Long Island Guitar Festival in New York in March 2013. The FHS Guitar Program is proud to represent Florida and perform at this prestigious international guitar festival.

Christopher Perez is a graduate from Western Illinois University and teaches at Freedom High School in Orlando, directing the guitar program and electronic music. He is a member of FBA, NAfME and FMEA. His music is published with Drop6 Media, and he has several arrangements on the FBA State Music List. He serves on the FMEA General Music committee and is the Orange County Public Schools' guitar chairman. He is a percussionist and section leader with the Southern Winds Concert Band and also with the WDW "ENCORE! Cast Performing Arts." In March 2013, the FHS Guitar Orchestra, under his direction, will perform in concert at the Long Island Guitar Festival in New York.

# The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet 9:15 p.m. – 10:15 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

**Director: Terry Bingham** 



Since its inception in 1972, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has gained a reputation as one of the most highly respected and sought-after groups of its kind. The ensemble has appeared before audiences and dignitaries in 48 states and 14 countries. An element of The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in Washington, D.C., The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed at the White House, presidential inaugurations and official state ceremonies in the nation's capital. It has been selected repeatedly as the first ensemble to honor new presidents with the traditional *Hail to the Chief* on live national broadcasts. In addition, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet frequently provides musical support for special events hosted by the secretary of defense, the secretary of the army and the army chief of staff, as well as for ceremonies supporting the Military District of Washington.

See Second General Session for director's biography.



**Tampa Convention Center, Lobby Stage** 

### Thursday, January 10, 2013

### Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble

Director: John Wicker 12:50 p.m. – 1:25 p.m.

Miami Country Day School's Contemporary Music Ensemble is an ensemble composed of both vocal and instrumental

music students. The group performs music in all styles: classical, rock, folk and jazz. The ensemble has performed all over the state of Florida during its two-year existence and is a favorite in Vero



Beach, where it performed high-profile gigs in front of thousands of spectators in 2012. The rhythm section of this group received a superior rating at district and at state in 2012 as a jazz combo.

A native of Florida, John Wicker studied with Col. Gilbert Mitchell, solo cornet with the U.S. Army Band. He is a music graduate of the University of Miami (Fla.). He studied under Gil Johnson, principal trumpet with the Philadelphia Orchestra, and Harry Glantz, principal trumpet of the New York Philharmonic/NBC Orchestra. He has earned Teacher of the Year on two occasions. A member of FVA, FBA, FMEA and district chairman of FOA, he is chairman of the Music Department at Miami Country Day School.

# Southwest Middle School Singers Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac 3 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The Southwest Middle School Singers is a dynamic group of girls with lots of heart. The chorus consists of 28 seventh and eighth grade girls who show dedication, ability and class. They meet before school every day. They perform all around Orlando, Fla., including appearances at children's hospitals, nursing homes, theme parks and community events. This ensemble has consistently received superior ratings in choral and special category at district music performance assessments.

Rebecca Gregorio Hammac directed choral and orchestral studies at Neptune Middle School in Osceola County, Fla., for two years before becoming the choral director at Southwest



Middle School. Her choruses have received straight superior ratings at FVA Choral MPAs for the past seven years. She is also the recipient of the FMEA Emerging Leader Award for 2006-2009. She is a graduate of Loyola University New Orleans, School of Music. She is an active member of FMEA, NAfME, FVA and ACDA. She is the past FVA District 8 chairwoman and FVA clinic chairwoman and is an active clinician, adjudicator and conductor.

### Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble Director: Brian P. Dell

5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

The Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble was formed in 2006, and since its inception, this ensemble has performed at the 2007 Music for All National Percussion Festival in Indianapolis, Ind., the 2008 and 2010 FMEA Clinic-Conference, the 2012 PAS Florida Day of Percussion, the 2007, 2010 and 2012 USF Magic Marimba Festival and the FBA District and State Solo & Ensemble assessments.

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Brian P. Dell was appointed director of bands at Gaither High School in Tampa, Fla., in 2004 and the fine arts department chairman in 2010. He is responsible for two concert bands, two jazz bands, percussion and chamber ensembles, AP Music Theory and the Marching Cowboys. Prior teaching experience includes Leon High School and Fairview Middle School, both in Tallahassee, Fla., from 1998 to 2002. He has served the FBA as the District 7 chairman from 2008 to 2012, and he is the coordinator for the All-State Concert Band. He is the state chairman for the National Band Association. He earned the M.M. in wind conducting/percussion from LSU and the B.M.E. from FSU. He is a member of FMEA, FBA, NAfME, CBDNA, NBA, PAS and Phi Mu Alpha.

### Friday, January 11, 2013

Sebastian
River High
School
Caribbean
Steel Drum
Ensemble
Director: Sara
Gover DiPardo



#### 10:30 a.m. - II a.m.

The Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble has been in existence at Sebastian High School since 2007. The Steel Drum Ensemble offers a unique musical experience to its members. Students are exposed to a variety of musical genres including but not limited to reggae, Latin, calypso, soca, jazz and pop. The Steel Drum Ensemble is part of the band curriculum and meets during the school day. It performs at the fall and spring concerts in addition to regular performances throughout the community.

Sara Gover DiPardo is from Vero Beach, Fla., where she graduated from Vero Beach High School. She went on to earn the B.M.E. and the M.M.E. from Florida State University's College of Music. In 2011, she was appointed associate director of bands at Sebastian River High School. Prior to her current appointment, she was director of bands from 2007 to 2011 at Bell Middle/High School in Bell, Fla.

### St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys Director: Scott Baumer 12 noon – 12:30 p.m.

The Harps and Keys group is made up of three piano players and two harp players. The group was started at the beginning of the 2011 school year when Mrs. Nugent, the classroom music



teacher at St. Luke's, discovered a number of talented piano players in her fourth grade music classes. Mr. Baumer, the school's instrumental director, had started several harp players in third grade, and they were now ready to perform in the school's harp

ensemble as fourth graders. Harps and Keys brings these talented students together.

Scott Baumer graduated from the University of South Florida in 1974 and has been teaching in Florida schools ever since. The last 31 years have been spent at St. Luke's Lutheran School in Oviedo, Fla., developing the instrumental music program for the church and school.

### tallaBRASSee Director: William Haugeberg I:30 p.m. – 2 p.m.

tallaBRASSee is a professional brass quintet based in the Tallahassee area and originally formed at Florida State University. The quintet regularly performs in and



outside of the Tallahassee area and participates in competitions across the country. tallaBRASSee performs a broad repertoire of music, but its main focus is performing original brass quintet repertoire. As an ensemble, tallaBRASSee is equally committed to excellence in both performance and music education.

Aaron Witek (trumpet) is a doctoral candidate at Florida State University. John Powlison (trumpet) is earning his master's degree at Florida State University. Rebecca Chambers (horn) is a doctoral candidate at Florida State University. Bill Haugeberg (trombone) teaches low brass at Albany State University (Ga.). Daniel Rowland (tuba) teaches tuba and euphonium at Valdosta State University.



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### **Department Audition Dates**

Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 Friday, Jan. 25, 2013 Saturday, Feb. 16, 2013 Saturday, Mar. 9, 2013







# 2013 Conference Schedule VEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2013



8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FOA Adjudicator Certification Seminar**

Coordinator: Lee Stone

This training is for those interested in being certified to adjudicate concert MPA. This seminar is also for current certified adjudicators who need to renew their certification. The qualifications for becoming an FOA certified adjudicator are as follows: minimum of three years of teaching experience in Florida; certified teacher currently teaching orchestra at a Florida school; current full membership in NAfME and FOA; must have received a superior rating at district MPA at least three of the past five years.

Waterside, Meeting Room 2

9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FBA Adjudication Training Seminar**

Presenter: Kenneth Williams Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for approved candidates.

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9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **FBA Recertification Seminar**

Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for qualified FBA adjudicators.

TCC, 9

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### **FVA Adjudicator Recertification**

Coordinator: Dale Choate
Waterside, Meeting Room 4





10 a.m. - 12 noon

### **FMEA Board of Directors Meeting**

Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: Kathleen Sanz

TCC. 3

10:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula

TCC, Lobby

1 p.m. - 2 p.m.

### **FMEA PRE-CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION**

### Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment Where Are We and Where Are We Going?

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert, Don West Coordinator: Beth Cummings

This session will provide an overview of the progress in Year 1 as well as the vision for Years 2 and 3 of the Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment.

TCC, 18

1 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FVA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

TCC, 3

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

#### **FVA Executive Board Committee** Meetings

Coordinator: Brad Franks

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1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

### **FBA Classification Meeting**

Coordinator: Brian P. Dell Waterside, Meeting Room 1

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FBA Auxiliary Adjudication Seminar**

Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for approved candidates in the area of auxiliaries.

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### 1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. FMEA Student Leadership Workshop

Presenters: Kevin Ford, Fran Kick Coordinator: Kevin Ford

The Florida Music Educators' Association is pleased to present the third annual Student Leadership Workshop.

TCC, West Hall

2 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

### New and New to Florida Teacher **Pre-Conference Sessions**

Presenter: Beth Cummings Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Join a group of FMEA Emerging Leaders and gain valuable insights into FMEA, teaching music in Florida and networking with other music teachers. Topics to be focused on during this "center" driven format will include:

#### How To!:

- 1. How to navigate the FMEA clinic;
- 2. How to navigate administrators;
- 3. How to navigate parents

#### **MPA Process:**

- 1. What is the process? (component specific);
- 2. What is the process for good literature selection?;
- 3. What are sight reading do's and don'ts?

#### First-Year Planning vs. Surviving:

- 1. Unpacking the NGSSS;
- 2. Understanding course descriptions;
- 3. Lesson planning

### Management:

- 1. Routines:
- 2. Procedures;
- 3. Handbooks:
- 4. Grading;
- 5. Discipline

TCC, 15

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

#### How to Begin to Prepare for Assessments in Music by Unpacking the NGSSS

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert

Coordinator: Beth Cummings

How to begin to prepare for assessments in music by unpacking the NGSSS and taking a sneak peek at details of the Performing Fine Arts Assessment

TCC, 18

3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

### **All-State Ensemble Coordinators** Meeting

Presenter: John K. Southall Coordinator: Valeria Anderson

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4 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### FMSA Business Meeting

Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

TCC, 36

5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, 1

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FBA Committee Meeting 3**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

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5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FBA Professional Resources Meeting**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 35

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FBA Music Performance Assessment Committee Meeting**

Coordinator: Linda Mann

TCC, 37

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FBA Committee Meeting 4**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

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5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FOA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Donald Langland

TCC, 7

7:30 p.m. - 9:20 p.m.

#### **FMEA PRESIDENT'S CONCERT**

### **Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony**

Director: Sterling Frederick

#### Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band

Director: Thomas Singletary

### **Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra**

Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr Coordinator: John K. Southall

TCC, Ballroom A

8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon

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8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

#### **FOA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes

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7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### **Music Across the Curriculum**

Presenter: Jill Gallina Coordinator: Annette Johnson

Administrators and classroom teachers recognize the important contribution that music makes to the curriculum, both as an art form and as a valuable vehicle for interdisciplinary instruction. World music, multicultural chorals, musical games and thematic musicals on topics such as character education, ecology, history, science and reader's theater are just a few of the cross-curricular topics to be shared with attendees in this interactive workshop. Free packets of instructional materials and music will be available. *TCC.* 15

7:45 a.m. -10:15 a.m.

### FMEA New and New to Florida Teacher Resource Room

Presenter: Beth Cummings
Coordinator: Beth Cummings
Connect with FMEA Emerging Leaders and
component leadership to obtain resources and
information to help you throughout your year!
TCC, 17

7:45 a.m. -10 a.m.

### FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Anita Travaglino
TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 1416

8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### **FVA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

TCC, 3

8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula **TCC**, **Lobby** 

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### Meet the All-State Conductors

Presenters: Bobby Adams, Robert W. Rumbelow Coordinator: Richard Davenport Meet Bobby Adams, conductor of the All-State Symphonic Band, and Robert W. Rumbelow, conductor of the All-State Concert Band TCC, 1 9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### **FMEA Emerging Leaders**

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Judy Bowers TCC. 10

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### All Jazzed Up About Orff

Presenter: Katie Carlisle Coordinator: Debbie Fahmie

This workshop serves the dual purpose of introducing New Orleans Dixieland music and integrating this jazz styling into an Orff methodological approach. It will explore ways of applying jazz and improvisation within the contexts of upper elementary (third to fifth grade) and middle school (sixth to eighth grade) in comfortable ways that meet the learning needs and experiences of the participants.

TCC, 11

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### Ride the Waves Incorporating Sound Energy Experiments Into the General Elementary Music Class

Presenter: Paul McLaughlin
Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski
In this hands-on, information-packed session,
teachers will learn how to use items already in the
music room and the household, as well as purchased
items, to integrate science into the general music
classroom. Participants will use Boomwhackers,
oscilloscopes, tuning forks, etc., to complete a
variety of sound energy experiments that have been
successfully kid tested, kindergarten through fifth
grade. Use these experiments Monday morning!
TCC. 13

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### Words to Rhythms A Natural Collaboration

Presenter: Christine Hill Coordinator: Karen Van Beek

They want me to teach reading? Wait a minute—I already do! This session will offer activities for the general music classroom music specialist to include reading fluency to teach rhythms without compromising the music curriculum. Participants will be involved in songs and activities that will demonstrate a process for using words—any words—to create rhythm patterns. Everyone attending this session will leave with songs and activities they can use on Monday when returning to their classrooms.

TCC, 15

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### FMEA All-State Student Leadership Workshop

Presenters: Kevin Ford, Fran Kick Coordinator: Scott Houchins

This session is required attendance for the All-State Reading Chorus and the All-State Concert Chorus members. It is open to other students as well as to chaperons and directors.

TCC, West Hall

10:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

### FMEA FIRST GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION

### Florida Gulf Coast University Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

Director: Trent R. Brown

### University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra

Director: William W. Wiedrich

### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty

Director: J.B. Scott Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: John K. Southall

The FMEA First General Session will feature the Florida Gulf Coast University Bower School of Music Chamber Choir, the University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra and the University of North Florida Jazz Faculty.

TCC, Ballroom A

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski

Looking to purchase new curriculum, but not sure if it will be worth your investment? Come peruse tried-and-true favorite resources recommended by successful elementary music educators from across the state.

TCC, 1

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

### FEMEA Elementary Music Curriculum Fair

Coordinator: Julie Hebert

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside1416

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

### FEMEA All-State Elementary Chorus Registration

Coordinator: Robert Todd TCC, West Hall





12:20 p.m. - 12:40 p.m.

#### **FMEA EXHIBITS GRAND OPENING**

#### **Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble**

Directors: Jason Algair, Doug Moser Coordinator: Dominick Eggen

TCC, East Hall

12:30 p.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Guitar Ensemble**

Conductor: Stephen Robinson Coordinator: Edward Prasse

TCC, 20

12:30 p.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith TCC, East Hall

12:50 p.m. - 1:25 p.m.

### **MINI-CONCERT**

### Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble

Director: John Wicker Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Living Literature Project Development of Original Performance Pieces Using Children's Literature

Presenter: Angelyn Hirai
Coordinator: Rachel Robertson
Inspire your creative spirit! See how elementary
art and music teachers collaborated to perform
The Lorax by Dr. Seuss and Anasi the Spider by
Gerald McDermott and transformed third grade math
standards into musical productions. Come explore
compositional techniques, strategies for making costeffective props and costumes and how to make the

TCC, 10

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Percussion Games and Activities for Elementary Classrooms

most out of your performance space.

Presenter: Steve Campbell Coordinator: Sandy Maye

Enhance your music program with a new set of percussion games and activities for your elementary classroom. This hands-on, interactive session will cover four categories of percussion-based exercises: beginning activities, creative activities, leadership activities and assessment activities. These will

encourage students to play accurately, explore their creative ideas and build leadership skills and will enable teachers to assess students' proficiency. Resource materials will be provided (K-6).

TCC. 11

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Making Each Minute Count "If I Don't Have the Time to Teach It Right, How Will I Ever Find the Time to Teach It Over?"

Presenter: Cheryl Lavender Coordinator: John Deir

This session will explore general music classroom activities, games, strategies, tips and techniques that reinforce the learning of music concepts while creating an atmosphere of camaraderie and joy. *TCC*, 13

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### The World Music Drumming Curriculum: An Interdisciplinary Co-Curricular Approach to Music Education

Presenter: James Mader Coordinator: Sara DiPardo

In this session participants will develop a better understanding of how the world music drumming curriculum develops language arts, science, social studies, math and reading skills. This is a hands-on session with participants performing the ensembles that develop the aforementioned skills. This will give the participants a student's perspective of student-centered learning. This session is for elementary, middle and high school teachers, as well as professors of music education. What should music education look like? What should music education be like? What should music education do? **TCC**, **15** 

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

TCC, 17

### Chamber Winds in the High School Band: What, Why, When and How

Presenter: Colbert Howell Coordinator: Joshua Sall

The chamber wind ensemble is a beneficial element of a high school band program that is often overlooked. This clinic will discuss what a chamber wind ensemble is, why these ensembles should be included as a part of a high school band and how to implement or start a chamber wind ensemble. Chamber wind repertoire appropriate for high school groups will be discussed. There will also be video and audio demonstrations of these ensembles.

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Successful Tips for the High School Band Director

Presenter: Shelby R. Chipman Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will include tips for starting a beginning

band at the high school level.

TCC, 18

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Choral Diction Achieving Ensemble With a "Sound" Approach

Presenter: Constantina Tsolainou Coordinator: Barbara Kingman

This session will address the sounds of various languages and how they are produced. We will also discuss how they are articulated in various musical styles. Rules for English, Latin, Italian, German and French will be included.

TCC, 20

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Playing in Balance**

Presenter: Mimi Zweig Coordinator: Julie Nelson

Playing in balance is crucial to the freedom of movement necessary in string playing. This lecture will review the principles of balance and suggest ways to find the ideal dynamic relationship between body and instrument.

TCC, 3

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Mixing It Up: Sound Systems and Applications

Presenter: Michael Vetter Coordinator: David Williams

Have you ever wondered why there are so many different microphones? What is the difference between a dynamic microphone and a capacitor microphone? Which microphone is best for your situation, whether it is a band, a choral group or a vocal solo? This presentation will give practical examples of different microphones and speakers. Placement and sound design will also be discussed.

TCC, 31



1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Scoring Music for Film**

Presenter: Dennis Vincent Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

This session will discuss how to identify the essentials of a film, work with a director, prepare temp tracks and compose music for film.

TCC, 36

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### A 12-Step Program for Preparing a Research Proposal

Presenter: Stephen Zdzinski Coordinator: Tami Williams

Beginning researchers can have difficulty figuring out where to start a research project and how to create a credible research proposal. A systematic 12-step approach to proposal writing that fits a variety of research situations will be presented. The use of literature in the various chapters (introduction, review of literature and method) will be presented, as well as the functions of various chapters, through a question and answer approach.

TCC, 37

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### The Collaborative Music Department: Redefining Success

Presenters: Jason Locker, Jon Sever Coordinator: Elizabeth Phillips

How do we measure success in our programs? Discover commonsense strategies for using resources within the school and community to achieve musical moments that will outlast any competitive victory.

TCC, 5

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### The Incomplete Curriculum

Presenters: Kevin Albright, Cynthia Johnson Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

This session will introduce music educators to an innovative curriculum website, "The Incomplete Curriculum," that unwraps the Next Generation Standards in a unique and user-friendly fashion.

TCC, 7

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Fix It, We'll Show You How! Resurrect Your Percussion Now!

Presenter: Sandy Lantz
Coordinator: Stephen Forsythe
Come learn to salvage your old classroom
instruments on a shoestring budget. Repair
demonstrations will include Orff barred instruments
(pins and tubing), mallets and a variety of small
unpitched percussion.

TCC, 9

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### CONCERT

### University of North Florida Jazz Collective

Director: Lynne Arriale Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC. Ballroom A

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Warm-ups for Guitar: Advancing Your Students' Sound and Technique

Presenter: Christopher Perez Coordinator: Kimberly Annis

Aimed for any guitar teacher, this clinic will offer detailed information on using several types of warm-ups. Examples of different scale books and warm-up methods will be used and tied into developing your students' reading ability, musicality, sound/ tone production and technical facility. Guitars will be provided for the session.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside1416

2 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### CONCERT

### Polk County Schools All-County Piano Concert and Demonstration

Director: Beth Cummings Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Come and hear this unique all-county event and

learn how to start one in your area!

TCC, Ballroom D

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Student LEADerSHIP

Presenter: Jeremy D. Klein Coordinator: William Molineaux

Student leadership is an important element in any school setting. Creating an environment and opportunities for students to demonstrate their skills ultimately gives students more ownership of their music program. Through their ownership, students begin to feel empowered, which helps with the overall success of all they are involved in. LEADerSHIP will provide the tools necessary to promote student leadership through motivation, open communication, collaboration, respect and responsibility.

TCC, 10

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### District MPA Sight-Reading: Preparation in the Classroom = Less Sight-Reading Room Stress for You and Your Students

Presenter: Ree Nathan

Coordinator: Rebeccah Gregorio Hammac

This session will provide do's and don'ts as well as classroom practices to ensure a less stressed sight-reading room experience for you and your students.

TCC, 11

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### On the Road to Nashville: Cultivating Elementary Songwriters

Presenters: Iran Garcia, Kathleen Kerstetter Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

Need options and tools for leading a class through the creative process of songwriting? Even our youngest students are able to express themselves through words and music, to create a community environment and to feel musical ownership.

This workshop will explore musical elements of songwriting and creative approaches to musical composition, lyric writing and style appropriate for young musicians.

TCC, 13

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### **How to Assess Without the Stress**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

Participate in hands-on, kid-tested lessons that lend themselves to student assessment based upon the standards. Ideas will include strategies to evaluate students' progress without causing teacher/student

(Session repeats at 4 p.m.)

TCC, 15

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Middle and High School Flute and Piccolo Technique

Presenter: Nora Lee Garcia Coordinator: Fred Schiff

This session will address teaching middle and high school flute and piccolo players how to improve their sound and techniques.

TCC, 17

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Preparing for FBA State Solo & Ensemble MPA

Presenters: Ann Adams, Lynn Musco Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will discuss and demonstrate rehearsal techniques for preparing students to perform solo and chamber music. The focus of this clinic will be





to raise the awareness of artistry and creativity in developing musicianship and musical independence with students of all levels. This session will identify concepts that support artistic thinking as well as practical techniques to inspire, identify and build upon artistry at any stage of development. Topics to be addressed will include the evaluation form for MPA found on the FBA adjudicator's comment sheet for FBA State Solo & Ensemble, to include: performance fundamentals, technical accuracy, musical effect, stage presence, discipline, posture, strong points, weak points and appropriate literature selection.

TCC, 18

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Who Stole the Cookie From the Cookie Jar?

Presenter: Sterling Frederick Coordinator: Jamie Byran

This session will focus on techniques on how to become one of the most popular organizations on your campus. This session will discuss the importance of having passion and discipline and teaching life skills to students. You will learn to use these skills to build numbers and positive relationships with your students.

TCC, 20

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### StringSpeak for the Non-String Player

Presenter: David Eccles Coordinator: Lisa Hopko

From evaluating and selecting instruments to bowings, this session will help those without a string background establish and maintain a thriving string program.

TCC, 3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### MOODLE for Your Noodle: Increased Comprehension Through eLearning

Presenter: Charlotte Brasell Coordinator: David Williams

Tired of reteaching instead of reviewing due to instructional time constraints? Come explore ways to use free online software (MOODLE) to reinforce concepts taught in class and also provide common core reading and math standard integration opportunities. This session will share proven strategies that allow students to extend musical learning into the regular classroom setting. TCC, 31

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

**Reed and Mouthpiece Mechanics** Presenter: Andy Blanco Coordinator: Rachel Sensenig

This clinic will follow the making of the reed from the growing of the cane to the packaging of the reed. Through this presentation, most of the popular myths associated with reeds will be addressed. A mouthpiece overview will follow, showing exactly how clarinet and saxophone mouthpieces are made. Information on how to select the proper mouthpiece for students or budding professionals will also be presented.

TCC, 36

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### **Adapting for Students With Disabilities** in the Instrumental Ensemble

Presenters: Julie Heath, Shaun R. Popp, Charlie Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

Participating in performance groups is an important part of students' music education. All students deserve the opportunity to make music and to play with others. A panel of instrumental music educators will share successful strategies for inclusion as

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well as their personal experiences in working with students who have various physical, sensory and cognitive challenges.

TCC, 37

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance

Presenter: Jennifer A. Bugos Coordinator: Gerald Armbrister

Music programs contribute to musicianship and overall cognitive development. This presentation will provide data to clarify music's role in cognitive development, to evaluate how music prepares the mind for learning and to contribute to advocacy initiatives. Implications in the form of strategies and approaches regarding structural features that music programs need to maximize benefits for general cognitive development serve as a prescription for the application of this research to practice.

TCC, 39

### 2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. **Legendary Florida**

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

"Legendary Florida" is a cross-curricular project featuring the paintings of Florida artist Jackson Walker, set to music by Florida composer Robert Kerr. In this session, audience members will experience a sampling of selected movements of the work and samples of the artwork, along with descriptions of each. The purpose of this workshop is to offer "Legendary Florida" to schools throughout Florida as a curricular enhancement as well as a unique performance opportunity.

TCC, 5

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Tone Deafness and Other Myths

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Singing is one of the earliest developing and most fundamental musical skills. Despite its importance, we don't know as much as we should about how accurate singing develops and, more important, why it never develops for some children. Though research on "tone deafness" and "monotone singers" has been happening for decades, a clear picture of the problems of inaccurate singing has yet to emerge. Recently, a number of researchers from music education, psychology and neuroscience have begun to explore systematically the prevalence of accurate singing in the general population. They have also started to identify possible perceptual, motor

and neurological causes for inaccurate singing. This research has direct implications for how teachers identify and remediate inaccurate singing.

TCC, 7

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Making It Happen!

Presenter: Gordon R. Brock Coordinator: Daniel Lee

How do we make something happen when it seems there are insurmountable odds against it? Every educator is familiar with this feeling and has certainly grappled with the challenges. This session will offer a brief and entertaining perspective on concepts that have inspired Gordon Brock to be a better teacher. **TCC. 9** 

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Uncovering the Mysteries of the Fretboard

Presenter: Robert Phillips Coordinator: Ana Conner

The guitar fretboard can be daunting for the non-guitarist who is teaching classroom guitar. Students frequently play the right notes but miss the musical intent by playing them in the wrong place, and the non-guitarist teacher is often at a loss as to what needs to be changed or how to do it. This hands-on session will give the participants the technical tools needed to identify and address this issue. Guitars will be provided for use during the session. Limited to 20 participants.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Effective Strategies for Improving Tone in Your Flute Section

Presenter: Kathleen Melago Coordinator: Michael Weintraub

In this session, participants will be exposed to basic principles and hints for guiding their students, as individuals or in groups, to improved flute tone, whether the students are advanced or beginners. Participants will have the opportunity to gain knowledge as regards defining good flute tone, setting the stage for successful flute playing, developing flute tone in all registers, troubleshooting flute tone problems and helping advanced flutists take tone development to the next level.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Jazz Rehearsal Game Plan

Presenter: Dean Sorenson Coordinator: Joshua Sall

The best jazz rehearsals balance ensemble work, improvisation and the rhythm section. Making all of this happen in a short time period, often outside of the school day, requires a focused and organized approach. This clinic will offer a fresh look at the rehearsal and share strategies and techniques that can be applied to ensembles of all ability levels.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Text-Reading Strategies: Practical Application in Secondary Ensembles

Presenter: Wendy Barden Coordinator: Traci Dixon Fuller

Decoding, vocabulary, fluency and comprehension. Support schoolwide reading across the curriculum initiatives in a meaningful way. Better yet! Connect and capitalize on these text-reading strategies to improve music literacy and performance in secondary bands, choirs and orchestras. Participants will take away practical ideas they can use immediately in their ensemble rehearsals.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

### **Southwest Middle School Singers**

Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Pedagogy to Performance**

Presenter: Michael Roberts Coordinator: John Deir

Performance ideas derived from classroom curriculum will be modeled. Teachers will explore exciting performance designs that are informative and used within a creative classroom framework that models creativity derived from students. Experience canons in movement, instrument and voice, evolving from classical music that students can appreciate, in an elemental format. Strategies to coach but not dictate the creative process will be modeled.

TCC, 10





4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### The World Music Drumming Curriculum for the Middle and High School Years

Presenter: James Mader Coordinator: Sara DiPardo

This session will address the growing need for middle and high school band and choral directors to teach a wheel class or a general music class. It will also demonstrate how to capture the other 80 percent NOT in your music program. In this handson session, participants will learn and perform ensembles that are appropriate for the middle and high school years that entice students to learn music and develop their learning skills, all the while enriching the music program. What should music education be like? What should music education do?

TCC, 11

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### The Singing Voice: Our Primary Instrument

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

Regardless of what pedagogical foundation you use in your elementary music classroom, the singing voice remains the primary instrument. Together we will examine lessons that integrate music literacy, folk dance, creative movement and Orff instruments, all the while keeping the focus on cultivating good singing.

TCC, 13

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **How to Assess Without the Stress**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg Coordinator: Rosemary Pilonero

Participate in hands-on, kid-tested lessons that lend themselves to student assessment based upon the standards. Ideas will include strategies to evaluate students' progress without causing teacher/student stress!

(Repeated session)

TCC, 15

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### LMAO: Teaching the 21st Century High School Singer

Presenter: Denise R. Eaton Coordinator: Tori Bunke

Your students will love choir if the musical choices you offer are age appropriate and provide opportunities for learning, skill development and FUN!

TCC, 17

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Solid Foundations for Clarinet

Presenters: Gary Bottomley, Kathleen Kinion, James Matthews, Jennifer Zahn

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This clinic will be a panel of clarinet teachers working with basic fundamentals and problems of beginning clarinet players. Learn these tricks to help your clarinets make outstanding progress.

TCC, 18

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Have No Fear, Read It First Here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB

Presenter: Cara Tasher Coordinator: Heather Bice

SSA reading session with music packets

TCC, 20

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Culturally Responsive Teaching in the Orchestra Classroom

Presenter: Rebecca MacLeod Coordinator: Kate Zeng

Cultural background influences how students interact with others, process information and form ideas. This session will explore the specific ways that culture impacts students' learning and will provide culturally responsive teaching strategies that improve the effectiveness of instruction for all students.

TCC, 3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Doing More With Your SMART Board

Presenter: Carol Carstensen Coordinator: David Williams

Have you learned the basics of your SMART Board, but really want to find creative ways to use it? How many times have you wished for the opportunity to learn more about your SMART Board? This session will give you ideas that you may not have thought of and fun ways to use your SMART Board in your lessons. Ideas will be presented for grades K-12! **TCC. 31** 

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration With General Educators

Presenter: Cathy Benedict Coordinator: Brandon Monse

Music educators have a lot to gain from mindfully integrating their work with the day-to-day planning of general educators. "Value added" is the mantra in teacher evaluation, and music educators must be able to collaborate with, at times educate, and at times learn from, the general teacher. This session will provide information, developed from work with

generalists in a heavily Hispanic program at FIU, on how music specialists can effectively change how generalists view music in their school communities. **TCC. 37** 

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Integrated Movement for String Players**

Presenter: Melissa Kraut Coordinator: Joanna Sell

This session will explore the importance of body awareness in string playing.

TCC, 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Uncovering Meaning in Voice Change: Esteem, Identity and Transformation

Presenters: Craig Denison, Maria Denison Coordinator: Melissa Bumbach

Up until adolescence, children, knowingly or not, have a sense of who they are. Part of their self-understanding is the voice they have always known. In this session, esteem, identity and transformation of the child voice through adolescence will be discussed.

TCC, 7

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Cellos and Basses Are From Mars, Violins and Violas Are From Venus Low Strings Workshop

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme

Coordinator: Linda Waid

Instruments in the string family might all seem alike, but distinct differences between the upper and lower strings quickly become evident. This session will highlight some of the most important strategies for cello and bass students, including proper setup and instrument hold, using the bow and strategies for great fingerings and left hand position. Understanding what helps cellists and bassists play properly is important for building a great foundation in your string class and orchestra.

TCC, 9

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### CONCERT

### University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble

Director: Scott Tobias Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC. Ballroom A



4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

**Guitar 1 Pedagogy for All** 

Presenter: Joe Sandusky Coordinator: Colbert Page Howell, Jr.

This presentation is for individuals wanting to improve their guitar program. The presenter will address proper techniques for both plectrum (pick) and fingerstyle approach, as well as the pros and cons to each; how to engage your students and incorporate various styles of music; and what you should know to produce a musical guitar ensemble. By the end of the session, you should feel ready to take on a guitar class or to improve your current class.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### A New Approach in Secondary Music Theory Instruction

Presenter: Alyssa Kassler
Coordinator: Jimmy Higginbotham
How can classroom teachers ensure students'
comprehension of music theory knowledge? Music
learning theory concepts applied in a secondary
classroom assist development of aural skills,
improvisation, literacy, creativity and learning with
understanding. This session will provide "ears-on"
tools for teachers to teach, measure and assess
students' understanding in music theory or in the
general music classroom. Come ready to sing!

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Jazz Improvisation for Band Directors**

Presenter: Al Hager Coordinator: Rob Lambert

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

Teaching improvisation can be a daunting task. This clinic will give practical information and ideas for the average middle or high school band director.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Delivering a Quality 21st Century Music Education in the New Global Economy

Presenter: Alvin Davis Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

The 2012 Florida Teacher of the Year and National Teacher of the Year finalist, Alvin Davis, will discuss strategies, challenges and rewards of delivering a quality music education.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

#### Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble

Director: Brian P. Dell Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

#### FEMEA Districts 1 & 2 Meeting

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 11

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

#### FEMEA Districts 6 & 7 Meeting

Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

TCC. 13

5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

#### NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting

Coordinator: Jon Crane

TCC, 20

5:15 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FOA General Membership Meeting**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes

All FOA members are invited and encouraged to attend.

TCC, 3

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

### **FEMEA District 3 Meeting**

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski TCC. 5

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

### FEMEA Districts 4 & 5 Meeting

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, 7

5:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

### **FVA General Membership Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

Waterside, Grand Ballroom, Salon A

6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FEMEA General Business Meeting**

Presenter: Lisa Hewitt

Coordinator: April Laymon

The FEMEA General Business Meeting will feature the Westbrooke Elementary Orff Ensemble, composed of selected fourth and fifth grade students. These dedicated musicians meet once a week for 40 minutes before school to play mallet instruments, drums and recorders using the Orff process. Many participate in a summer Orff camp offered by their director, Lisa Hewitt. They perform throughout the year and accompany the Westbrooke Chorus on many occasions.

TCC, 13

6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

#### **FBA General Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Richard Davenport

TCC, 18

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

### Florida Gulf Coast University Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

Director: Trent R. Brown Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, Ballroom A

8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

#### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

### University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra

Director: William W. Wiedrich Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, Ballroom A

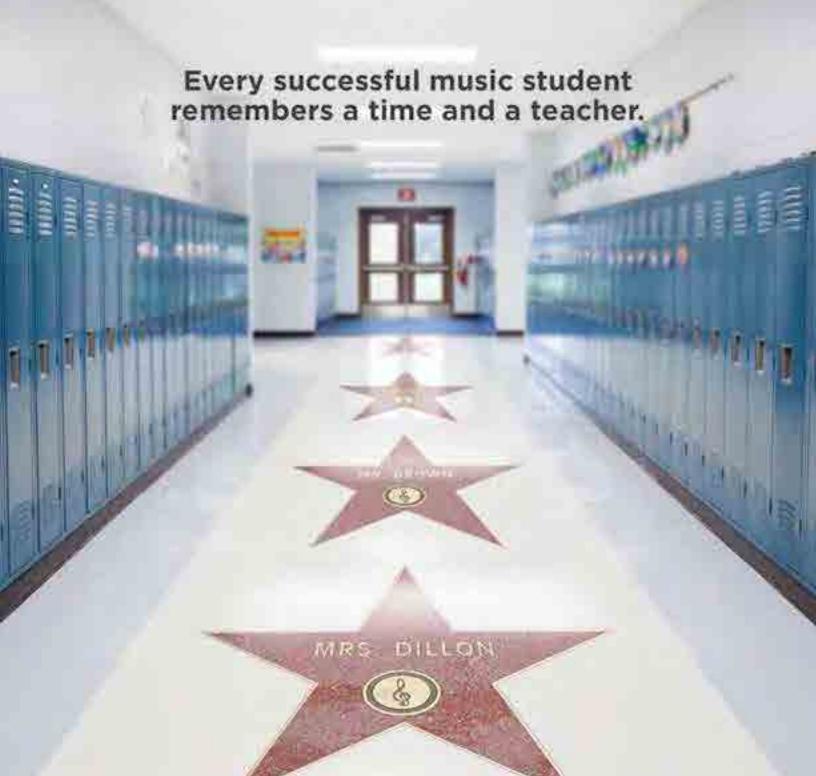
9:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

#### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

#### University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble 1

### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty

Director: J.B. Scott
Coordinator: Joel Pagan
TCC, Ballroom A



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# FRIDAY, JANUARY II, 2013 FRIDAY

7 a.m. - 8:50 a.m.

#### **FMEA Awards Breakfast**

Presenter: Debbie Fahmie Coordinator: Valeria Anderson TCC, 20

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### **Putting Classroom Technology to Work**

Presenter: Bradley L. Bonner Coordinator: Tiffanie Brown

BLB Studios has created more than 150 animated music lessons that encourage interactive, hands-on learning in pre-K through fifth grade music rooms. Projecting these elemental lessons from a DVD player or a computer source, teachers and their substitutes will use up-to-date technology to reach "standards-based" goals. The learning packages are available for hand bells, Boomwhackers, soprano recorders and both pitched and non-pitched percussion instruments.

TCC, 10

### 7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. **DynoDrumming!**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg Coordinator: Jane Whitaker

DynoDrumming is sure to light your fire and excite you and your elementary music students using hand drums, congas, tubanos and other small unpitched percussion instruments. This session will provide you with clear, standards-based, processed pieces that can be implemented on Monday! The examples will also enable participants and students to create their own ensembles and pieces. Come and join the DynoDrumming!

TCC, 11

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### A Story, A Song and We're Moving Along: Theme-Based Learning in the Early Childhood Music Classroom

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Lu Anne Leone

In preschool, kindergarten and even first grade, young learners often find themselves more engaged and committed to their learning if there is a theme that ties the activities together into a package that

makes sense to the young mind. In this workshop we use picture books to create themes that integrate learning through music and movement. These lessons can easily be used to coordinate with units of study in the general classroom, collaborating with academic disciplines.

TCC, 13

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences

Presenter: Artie Almeida Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

Enjoy a variety of child-friendly activities that empower students in the areas of rhythm, melody and form. We will sing, move, play and explore ways to make the elements of music come alive for our students. (Session repeats at 11:45 a.m.)

TCC, 15

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Music Teacher 2.0: Managing Your Program in the Digital Age

Presenter: Andrew Zweibel Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will take an in-depth look at the wide variety of social media and digital productivity tools that can enhance the management aspect of any music program. The focus of the session will be on the use of these tools for an instrumental music program; however, all the concepts are applicable to a wide variety of disciplines. Specifically, the presenter will discuss the use of Facebook, Twitter, blogging and Evernote, among other tools.

TCC, 17

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Achieving an Artistic Vibrato in the String Class

Presenter: Rebecca MacLeod Coordinator: Beth Bichler

This session will review pedagogical literature and compare various approaches that have been used to teach vibrato. Video clips of artist level performers in real time and slow motion will be presented to outline clearly the component motions of a beautiful vibrato. Practical applications for intermediate and advanced orchestra classrooms will be discussed, as well as the relationship to professional performance practice.

TCC, 3

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Secondary General Music: Bringing the Content to Life!

Presenter: Seth Pendergast Coordinator: Deitrich Vasquez

This session is for secondary general music teachers (music appreciation, theory, etc.) who are struggling to energize and engage their students. Whether you are teaching AP Music Theory or middle school music appreciation, there are real solutions for transforming an often "dry" curriculum into a rich, hands-on exploration of music. The ideas in this session will encourage teachers to use composition and music technology to engage students, grow their music program and enjoy teaching secondary general music!

TCC, 31

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Maximizing Your Marching Band Rehearsal Time

Presenter: Bob Buckner Coordinator: Keith Dodson

This session will present techniques and strategies to help your band's visual program reach the next level of performance. Concentration will be given to movement and marching techniques while maximizing your rehearsal time.

TCC, 36

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Music Technology 101: Recording Techniques for the Music Educator

Presenter: Kawachi Clemons Coordinator: Edrick Rhodes

This session will provide music educators with an overview of the digital recording process. Topics will include the basics of sound and production, microphone placement techniques, editing and mixing. The presenters will also cover strategies to eliminate common digital recording mistakes (clipping and distortion). After attending this session, attendees will possess the basic knowledge to produce high-quality ensemble and solo performance recordings.

TCC, 37

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7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Crank Up Your Classroom With QuaverMusic.com!

Presenter: Graham Hepburn Coordinator: Chris Burns

Ignite your kids' imagination with a high-energy mix of creativity and 21st century technology! Learn techniques that bring general music concepts to life for today's kids. This session will include improv activities, IWBs, video, online classrooms and Kids Virtual World. All-new session presented by Quaver (Graham Hepburn)!

TCC, 5

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Theory & Ear Training Made Fun: Engaging Students in Individualized Instruction and Assessment

Presenter: Peter Kelly Coordinator: James LeBon

Auralia and Musition offer an exciting way for students to learn and practice theory and ear training while saving you time. With the new Cloud editions, students can practice at home or at school! Easy to install, with no server required, the Cloud makes it easy for your students to practice anytime and anywhere—ideal for auditions and placement tests. Cloud-enabled technology can provide immediate, accurate assessment that helps your students to become better musicians while saving you time. *TCC*, 7

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Beat for Peace: Engaging At-Risk Students Through the Talking Drum

Presenter: Michelle King Coordinator: Cameron Underwood

Participants will use the Beat for Peace intervention model to learn how collaboration between guidance counselor, classroom teacher and music teacher can empower at-risk students. Participants will experience hands-on learning in the areas of initiating, planning and leading a drum circle. Beat for Peace has a collaborative goal of empowering students who have become disenfranchised with school through their motto "Listen – Focus Respect." *TCC*, 9

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Guitar Lab: Power Chord Techniques

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this session, attendees will be presented with power chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chord shapes, picking techniques and drills learned) will be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session"

presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate. *Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3* 

7:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### **FEMEA Idea Exchange**

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside1416

8 a.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

9 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

### FMEA SECOND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION

### Touch – USF iPad Quintet

Director: David A. Williams

### The U.S. Army Brass Quintet

Director: Terry Bingham

#### The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble

Director: David Coash Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: John K. Southall

The FMEA Second General Membership Session will feature the Touch – the USF iPad Quintet, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet and The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble.

TCC, Ballroom A

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### **Enhancing Access to Music Programs Through Collaborations**

Presenter: Judith Evans Coordinator: Jessica Davoli

This session will feature collaborative community projects that enhance and increase access to instrumental music programs. Examples of successful projects being used in Collier County will be featured. These include pre-K violin literacy, after school mariachi and class piano, band and orchestra master classes, private lessons and summer camp scholarship programs.

TCC, 10

10:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m.

### Lift Me Up! Adding Movement to Your Choral Program

Presenter: Andy Beck Coordinator: Carrie Leahy

Popular movement specialist Andy Beck will teach how to add simple yet effective riser choreography to your choral program—appropriate for singing groups of all ages and levels. A complimentary music packet will be given to each director in attendance. *TCC*. 11

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Not a Typical "Arts Integration" Session

Presenter: Michelle Berra Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

"Arts Integration" is in danger of becoming a clichéd phrase in education. In an effort to empower music teachers to explore arts integration in its true meaning, this session will explore storytelling, composition and collaboration with general education teachers. Using elementary standards from music and language arts, participants will witness the power of authentic arts integration as it unfolds into creative, meaningful musical experiences.

TCC, 13

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### **Awesome Books With Musical Hooks**

Presenter: Katharine Miller Coordinator: MerryBeth Schmidt

This session will focus on children's literature that can be used to teach different music skills to various grade levels in elementary school, so there will be something for everyone! Orff instruments, drums, non-pitched percussion and movement will be used during the session, so participants will be up and moving! This session will also go along well with the "collaboration" theme of the conference!

TCC, 15

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Meet the New Generation Gemeinhardt

Presenter: David Pirtle Coordinator: Pauline Latorre

Meet the new team, the new instruments, the new artists!

TCC. 17

10:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m.

### **Beginning Band Strategies for All Ages**

Presenters: Malena Calle, Susana M. Lalama,

Erich S. Rivero

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

With enrollments decreasing, music teachers are finding themselves teaching more beginning band classes in all grade levels to maintain sufficient numbers. This panel of music teachers will discuss beginning band practices, from recruiting to fundamental teaching strategies for students of all ages.

TCC, 18



10:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m.

### **Experiential Learning and Expressive** Singing

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Hilary Ridgley

Developmental choral singers of all ages and their teachers face the daunting task of performing with musical expression while also learning/teaching music skills and vocal technique. This session will focus on methods for accelerating the learning process and preparing singers to make musical decisions independently, leading to an artistic performance.

TCC, 20

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Teaching Études and Scales Musically

Presenter: Mimi Zweig Coordinator: Doreen Johnson

This lecture will use Wohlfhart Études Op. 45, Preparing for Kreutzer (Harvey Whistler) and Kreutzer Études and Scales and will demonstrate how they can be used to enhance the musical experience of string players.

TCC, 3

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Music Technology Lesson Plans for **Teachers Too Busy to Write Music** Technology Lesson Plans

Presenter: Dustin Hinzman Coordinator: David Williams

This session will provide educators with sample lesson plans and takeaway resources for use in a secondary music technology classroom. For teachers who have not yet started a course in music technology at their school, resources will be provided and briefly covered in the session. Each lesson plan presented will be accompanied by examples of the presenters' students' work over the last two years. TCC, 31

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Students With Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD): Implications for Music **Educators**

Presenter: Mary Adamek Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow The number of individuals diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) is increasing rapidly by a rate of 10 to 17 percent each year (Autism Society of America, 2010). Although autism is considered a low incidence disorder, many music educators work with students with autism each week in schools. This session will cover educational implications for music education for students with ASD as well as adaptations for successful music education experiences.

TCC, 36

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### **Manage Your Stress While Maintaining** Harmony in the Music Classroom

Presenter: Adrianna Andrews-Marshall

Coordinator: Jack Eaddy

Have the realities of teaching stressed you out? This session will offer strategies on how to keep your composure and maintain professionalism when faced with challenging situations. Learn how to promote an effective environment for music learning by not allowing stress to affect your quality of teaching. TCC, 37

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10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### ASBDA Clinic: MPAs for Dummies – Revisited

Presenters: Bruce Brazinski, Jason Duckett, J. Eric Miles, Lee Ponder

Coordinator: Paul Morton

Sponsored by the American School Bandmasters Association, this session will explore the necessities and pitfalls, from preparation through performance, regarding the MPA experience. This panel of experienced educators and adjudicators will share from their perspectives the ingredients to a successful musical event.

TCC, 5

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Music and Literacy: The Research, Connections and Strategies

Presenter: Christine Fisher Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Discover the latest research dealing with music and literacy. Investigate parallels between music learning and reading processes, and examine and discuss music strategies that can enhance student literacy outcomes.

TCC, 7

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Make Theory and Ear Training Easy Use the Cloud!

Presenters: Kelly Demoline, Peter Kelly Coordinator: Sophia Beharrie

Auralia and Musition offer an exciting way for students to learn and practice theory and ear training while saving you time. With the new Cloud editions, students can practice at home or at school! Easy to install, with no server required, the Cloud makes it easy for your students to practice anytime and anywhere—ideal for auditions and placement tests. Cloud-enabled technology can provide immediate, accurate assessment that helps your students to become better musicians while saving you time. *TCC*. 9

10:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

#### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith

TCC, East Hall

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 1

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on session, attendees will be presented with chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chords, strum patterns and drills learned) will be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab:

Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45p.m. Three major textbook series will be used. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar. *Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3* 

10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

### Sebastian River High School Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble

Director: Sara Gover DiPardo Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Teaching Improvisation in the School Ensemble or Instrumental Studio

Presenter: Stanley Haskins Coordinator: William Molineaux

It can be a real challenge for the school music teacher to address the National Learning Standard of "Improvisation." This session aims to demystify the process of teaching improvisation by demonstrating three systematic sequences to develop beginning improvisational skills in the school ensemble setting. This session will supply the in-service school instrumental teacher with ideas for immediate application to the classroom.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Musicianship in Middle School Band? Yeah, Right!

Presenter: Larry Clark

Coordinator: Michael Weintraub

Can middle school band students really use phrasing, play with a characteristic sound and make independent musical decisions? You bet they can, and this session will show you tried and true ways to make them do it—and love it, too. Get inspired and re-energized to share your love of music with your middle schoolers—these techniques really work!

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

10:30 a.m. -11:30 a.m.

### Tricks for Teaching Beginning Improvisation

Presenter: Michael Wilkinson Coordinator: James Yaques

To teach improvisation, we want to give the beginning improviser the tools to sound good, starting with their first notes. This clinic will be a discussion of various methods to teach improvisation to band students of all ages, including ear-training methods, improvisation games, basic composition and other activities. My ultimate goal in teaching is to give students the tools to be creative on their instruments.

Improvisation does not have to be a daunting concept to you or your students.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### ACDA Luncheon

Presenter: Scott Leaman Coordinator: Connie Drosakis

Hyatt, Garrison

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Establishing Focus and Ensemble Sound: Innovative Warm-Ups for Middle School Band

Presenter: David Lee Sellers, Jr. Coordinator: Keith Dodson

The presenter will share warm-ups that can be accomplished without books, sheets or notes on the board. Breathing exercises, ear training, articulation studies, solfège and scales integrated into fun and innovative warm-ups are designed to establish focus and a good ensemble sound.

TCC, 10

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Moving Beyond the Program Notes: Using Descriptive Language to Engage Students in Music

Presenter: Matthew McCutchen Coordinator: Veronica Curran

This session will explore ways to get students to feel connected to the music they are performing. I regularly ask students to tell me what their music is about. Some give answers based on the title or composer's notes, but often I am greeted by silence. Using personal anecdotes, video examples and audience participation, we will discuss ways to talk about music that will keep students engaged, help them make personal connections to the pieces and enhance their aesthetic experience.

TCC, 11

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

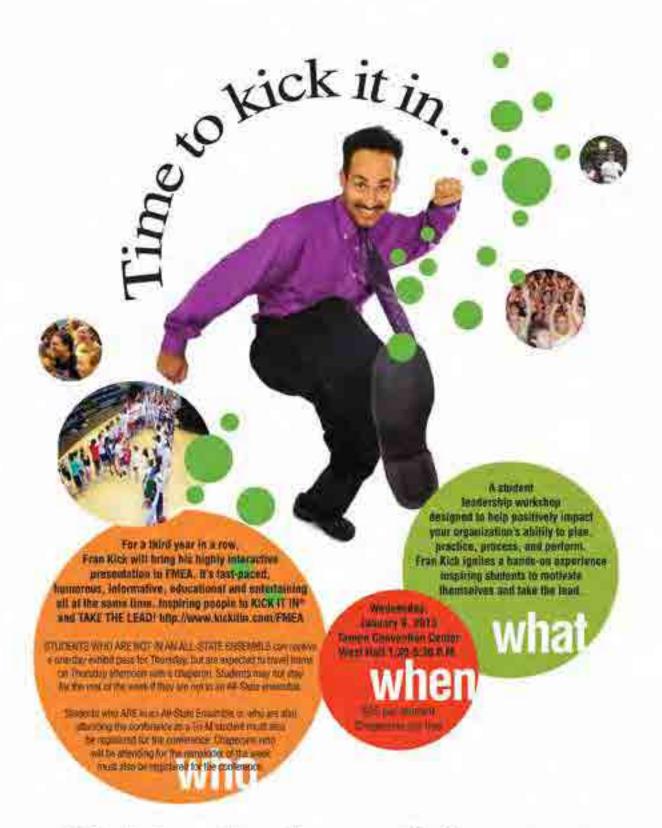
### Purposeful Pathways: Possibilities for the Elementary Music Room

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Suzy Reiser

Orff, Kodàly and Dalcroze Eurhythmics are each unique pedagogical approaches with their own processes and gifts for students' learning. Many American music teachers find themselves integrating these three approaches, selecting just the right process at the right moment to maximize students' success. Come explore diverse pathways for learning in the elementary music room that use the best of what all three pedagogies have to offer.

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### Uniting leaders + followers in collaboration!









11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences

Presenter: Artie Almeida Coordinator: Marie Radloff

Enjoy a variety of child-friendly activities that empower students in the areas of rhythm, melody and form. We will sing, move, play and explore ways to make the elements of music come alive for our students. (Repeated session)

TCC, 15

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### A New Way to Elevate Your Performance Program

Presenter: Jean McKen Coordinator: Paul Destito

You want a strong performance program, and we know that includes building music theory proficiency. How to find time and motivate students? Enter Breezin' Thru Theory. These new and engaging auto-assessed interactive drills with student tracking in the e-binder are reinforced with lessons, fun games and composition activities. A complete package. Accessed online, at home or in class, students achieve curriculum goals and foster a love for music. See the cool tools—it'll put a smile on your face. You'll be Breezin' Thru in no time.

TCC, 17

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Techniques for Building the Low Brass Section of Your Dreams

Presenter: Gail Robertson Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will give you a hands-on experience of how to improve and develop your low brass section. Session highlights: 1. Learn how to properly buzz on a mouthpiece visualizer so you can demonstrate it to your students; 2. Leave with a copy of and hear a demonstration of the proper kind of warm-up; 3. Gain information about equipment and find out more about proper mouthpiece selection; 4. Find out about current educational tools and methods that can help your students when they practice at home; 5. Learn how to feature your low brass section so they get to play the melody, too; and 6. Learn more about low brass events your students can participate in.

TCC, 18

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### The Voices in My Head: A Philosophy for Rehearsing

Presenter: Will Kesling Coordinator: Kevin Lusk

The goal of this session is to lay out a philosophical foundation for building an artistic choral ensemble via the rehearsal, age of the choir notwithstanding. Our success is no better than the voices in our heads and our philosophy of rehearsing.

TCC, 20

11:45 a.m. 12:45 p.m.

### Orchestra Rehearsal Techniques

Presenter: David Eccles Coordinator: Julie Nelson

TCC, 3

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### iCanDoThis! iPad in the Music Class

Presenter: Jason Litt Coordinator: Osvaldo Quezada

As the post-PC era moves from interesting theory to cold, hard reality, one of the most pressing questions is: How can we use tablets, most notably the iPad, to help students learn? This session will discuss ways to use the iPad in the music classroom—everything from free and paid applications (apps) to software development and textbook creation (for lesson plans and sheet music). In addition, grants, low-budget alternatives and common obstacles will be highlighted.

TCC, 31

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### **Empowering Students for Productive Practice**

Presenter: William I. Bauer Coordinator: Bobbe Jo Butler

In music, practice is necessary to enable musicians to acquire, develop and maintain aspects of technique, to learn new music, to memorize music for performance, to develop interpretation and to prepare for performance. This interactive session will provide practical, research-based strategies to help students engage in effective individual practice. Topics will include motivation, practice approaches, teaching students to practice and structuring practice sessions.

TCC, 36

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Using Popular Music to Increase Literacy in Your Percussion Section

Presenter: Lawrence Young Coordinator: Benny Bolden

This session will offer techniques and strategies for using the music our students listen to regularly to increase their reading levels while sharpening their musicianship skills.

TCC, 37

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### I've Got My Keys ... Now What? Strategies for Surviving Your First Year of Teaching

Presenter: Jeffrey Miller

Coordinator: Jessica LaMontangne

As a first-year teacher, you will encounter many challenges outside of music making. It is the purpose of this clinic to assist those who are new to the profession by providing a series of meaningful tips and strategies that primarily focus on effective communication, planning and organization, including budget and program handbook preparation.

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11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### ASBDA Clinic: The Three Ws: Why, Who and When to Bring in a Guest Conductor

Presenters: Jeff Cayer, Jon Eckman, James Hacker Coordinator: Paul Morton

Sponsored by the American School Band Directors Association, this session will explore: When is the best time to invite another expert to work with your students? Is this done only prior to a big performance? Does the music have to be perfect? What will my guest think of me as a teacher? Will this person help or hurt? This panel discussion of seasoned veterans will help to answer these questions and more, and will help show you how to provide a positive experience for your students.

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

## Assessment in the Choral Classroom: Maximizing Achievement in the Choral Arts

Presenter: Derrick Fox

Coordinator: Leanora Wilkinson

This session will demonstrate practical assessment models that actively involve students in learning, promote self-assessment and aid the teacher in adjusting instruction based on assessment results. This session will also include assessment strategies that can be useful in classroom management, retention and program advocacy. Participants will



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also be introduced to rubric models that will aid in delivering feedback rooted in national, state and district curriculum standards.

TCC, 7

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Music, Culture & the Brain

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Steven Demorest, Ruth Sutton Waters endowed professor of music and director of the Laboratory for Music Cognition, Culture & Learning at the University of Washington and a choral director and sight-singing instructor, will address singing accuracy, sight-singing pedagogy and music cognition.

TCC, 9

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 2

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with additional chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chords, strum patterns and drills learned) can be applied to your classroom teaching but will also be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Florida Retired Music Educators: **Sharing Models for Arts Collaborations**

Coordinator: Janice Lancaster

This will be an opportunity for retired members to share ideas about ways to support the FMEA conference theme "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." This session will also include lunch and a discussion among the attendees about their current involvement in the arts. Lunch provided at a cost to each attendee.

Embassy, Lobby

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### **Designing Measurement Tools for Music Performance Assessment**

Presenter: Brian Wesolowski Coordinator: Tom Silliman

A primary difficulty with music performance assessment is managing its subjective nature. To help improve objectivity, a variety of assessment tools can be used to develop a set of guidelines for clearly assessing students' performance as well as provide a written form of accountability. This presentation will focus on the complexities of music performance assessment and will provide guidance for developing and implementing measurement

tools, including rubrics, checklists, rating scales and

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### I Belong! Engaging Students in Band-Choir-Orchestra for a Better Performance

Presenter: Wendy Barden Coordinator: Tina Gill

When members of an ensemble know each other, respect each other and feel connected and committed to the collective result, the music they create together will be nothing short of amazing! This observation is more than anecdotal. Many research studies across all content areas show that school connectedness is a strong factor in students' achievement. Experience several activities to develop strong teacher-student and student-student interactions in your ensemble, as well as stronger performances.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Jazz Ensemble Techniques for the **Classically Trained Director**

Presenter: Mark Belfast Coordinator: Wayne Watson

This workshop will provide practical information for the classically trained music educators who believe they lack the knowledge and skills necessary to provide their students with a high-quality jazz education. Topics of interest include: print and online resources; ensemble setup; sound reinforcement systems; rehearsal and performance techniques; teaching improvisation; and discovering recruitment and performance opportunities.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

12 noon - 1 p.m.

#### FMEA Research Poster Session

Coordinator: Victor Fung TCC, East Hall

12 noon - 12:30 p.m.

#### MINI-CONCERT

### St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys

Director: Scott Baumer Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### CONCERT

#### Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra

Director: Christopher Perez Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, West Hall

1 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### ALL-STATE CONCERT

### **All-State Elementary Chorus**

Conductor: Earlene Rentz Coordinator: Robert Todd TCC. Ballroom A

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Drumset for the Non-Percussionist**

Presenter: Mike Wendeln Coordinator: Christopher Simmons

Non-percussionists, don't fear the drumset! This session is geared toward those non-percussionists who would like to begin to play the drumset or who need to direct a student on this instrument. The drumset is a crucial piece of any steel band, percussion ensemble, jazz or athletic band. This session will demonstrate techniques, grooves and practice tips that you (and your students) should know. While focusing on steel band applications, anyone teaching a group with a drumset will benefit! TCC, 10

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Jazz Workshop With the Pros: Vocal Jazz

Presenter: Lisa Kelly-Scott Coordinator: Valarie Williams

With a focus on recognizing and mentoring talented student jazz vocal soloists in Florida, professional vocalist Lisa Kelly-Scott will present this two-part clinic: 1. Useful information and techniques for teaching jazz voice to students of all ages; and 2. The presentation of three high school jazz vocal finalists from a statewide audition, each singing a jazz standard with the professional rhythm section of pianist Jeff Phillips, UNF bassist Dennis Marks and drummer Steve Salo. A handout is available for download on the FMEA website.

TCC, 11

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Orff for Little Peeps

Presenter: Deanna Stark Coordinator: Tricia Williams

"Percussion ensemble? Check. Program materials? Check. What to do with first grade this week? Ummmmmm." If this sounds like something you might utter, then please join us! We'll use instruments in a musically appropriate way for primary-aged students. (We'll be moving, too, so leave those high heels at the door.)

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1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Inspiration and Integration: Models for Uniting Music With Other Disciplines**

Presenter: Matt McCov Coordinator: Ann Leffard

This experiential session will emphasize the possibilities for integrating music with other art forms and curriculum areas. While several models of integration will be addressed as part of the session, participants will experience two lessons that join music making with dance and the visual arts as well as with written texts and literature. Wear comfortable clothes appropriate for movement and bring your soprano recorder if you can.

TCC, 15

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **ASBDA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Joe Luechauer

TCC. 17

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Review of the Pre-Conference Performing Fine Arts Assessment** Project

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will provide a review of the Pre-Conference Performing Fine Arts Assessment Project, discussing the progress and the vision of the project. Come and hear about assessment!

TCC, 18

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### 30 Girls and Three Boys. What Can We Sing for MPA?

Presenter: Jennifer Rock Coordinator: Gerald Armbrister

This session will address using two- and threepart "any combination" literature to fit the needs of unbalanced and/or developing choirs. This session will provide ideas on how to select literature that uses developing harmonic structures and accommodates changing male voices and/or limited ranges, while not breaking the "rules" of MPA.

TCC, 20

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Empowering Students Attitude and** Learning

Presenter: Melissa Kraut Coordinator: Jean Carlo Gonzalez

This session will explore how the attitude of the teacher affects the classroom, both positive and negative. It will also deal with the humanity of teaching and will provide ideas and exercises.

TCC, 3

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### FREE Technology for Musicians and Music Educators

Presenter: Barbara Ann Freedman Coordinator: David Williams

Everything that you could possibly need or use as a musician or a music educator is available to you over the Internet absolutely FREE. You just need to know where to look. Participants will be provided with a detailed list of website URLs and other locations to access the free, no-strings-attached technology. TCC, 31

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Back to Basics: Steps to Establishing Solid Rhythm, Intonation and Tone From the Beginning!

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme Coordinator: Maureen Baldino

Developing a superior beginning orchestra can become reality using a basic "three-pronged approach." Mr. "W" will focus on teaching with an emphasis on rhythm/group pulse from Day 1, incorporating singing and ear training in orchestra class and achieving a nice tone quality early in the school year. This session will also highlight and demonstrate a state-of-the-art technology component that will provide students the tools for a well-rounded, comprehensive music education.

TCC, 36

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Musical Ingenuity

Presenter: Richard Beckford Coordinator: Bernie Hendricks

This session will focus on concepts and strategies that may be used to establish a strong music program in challenging urban schools. Think outside the box to establish music opportunities for all students.

TCC, 37

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Improvisation – Take the Fear Out, Put the Fun In

Presenter: Jim Tinter

Coordinator: Angela Saltsman

Sing, say, move and play through a process for teaching improvisation in general music. Discover techniques, strategies, materials, activities and web resources to make improvising easy, fun and safe while fulfilling the national standards. Free Angel recorder compliments of Peripole

TCC, 5

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Brody Castle

This session will document two professional partnerships that were highly successful collaborations between university music education programs and public school music programs. One pairing involved a university adding nontraditional music to a middle school curriculum, and the second was a complete retraining of all middle school choral teachers in an urban district, Memphis, Tenn. Participants from both partnerships will provide perspectives so models can be used/adapted for other settings.

TCC, 7

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Music for Life: More Than a Slogan

Presenters: Don Coffman, Alice-Ann Darrow

Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

Music can play an important role in lifelong learning programs for older adults. Many older adults were involved in music education programs in their vounger years and wish to maintain their musical skills and interests. Other adults never had the opportunity to study music, but wish to in retirement. The presenters will share their experiences directing a New Horizons band for older adults and Rock of Ages, an intergenerational choir.

TCC. 9

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Guitar Lab: Teaching Notation**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with notation performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., notes, fingerings and techniques learned) will be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

### MINI-CONCERT

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Director: William Haugeberg Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage



















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1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. **Scanning Sheet Music** 

Presenter: Tom Johnson Coordinator: Lindsey Novitske

Whether you need that horn part transposed for alto sax or want to arrange an entirely new band orchestration, this workshop will focus on how to achieve success. Pitfalls and caveats will be discussed, with emphasis on ease of use and minimizing edits. Five pieces will be scanned, each demonstrating differing issues and their resolutions. *Waterside, Meeting Room 1* 

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Painless Assessment in the Music Classroom: Quick and Easy Ways to Assess While Supporting, Not Interrupting, Your Performance and Rehearsal Agenda

Presenter: Timothy J. Groulx Coordinator: Jessica Russell

This session will include presentation of different approaches to and models of assessment in the performing ensemble class. In a time of increased scrutiny and focus on accountability, it is important for all educators to be able to provide evidence of assessing progress in a meaningful way. This clinic will offer practical examples of how music educators can assess their musicians in an authentic and valid way with minimal time and a maximum amount of educational and musical integrity.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Jazz Articulations for Saxophone

Presenter: Jeff Rupert Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session is designed to aid high school and middle school band directors to convey concepts in applied jazz saxophone articulation. The successful jazz band performance relies in part on saxophonists articulating in a unified and appropriate fashion. Join Jeff Rupert for a practical and clear demonstration of jazz articulation for your saxophone section.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### FEMEA Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

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2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### **Helping Your Struggling Readers!**

Presenter: Meghan Alfaro Coordinator: Nancye Boyer

This session will discuss an action research project focused on helping students who struggle with reading but excel in music. Students were selected

based on their scores in reading and music. Students met with the music teacher once a week and did musical activities with the books the classroom teachers were using during reading instruction.

Results of the research showed that participation in the music-focused reading group greatly increased students' motivation to read.

TCC, 10

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Jazz Band 101: The Missing Manual

Presenter: R. Gary Langford Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This interactive clinic will present practical, hands-on information for junior high and high school directors in developing and maintaining a jazz band/ensemble as part of an overall instrumental program. In addition to the basics, particular attention will be paid to each of the adjudication captions found on the FBA MPA judging sheet.

TCC, 11

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Movement: "Aaaah" or "Aaargh!"

Presenter: Deanna Stark Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

Some of us love to move. Others? Not so much. But we all need to provide movement opportunities for our students. In this session, we'll practice facilitating movement with the help of some über groovy percussion instruments, a classic piece of children's literature and a nursery rhyme about a time-keeping device and its live-in rodent.

TCC. 13

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### **Interactive Improvisation**

Presenter: Matt McCoy Coordinator: Karen Bouton

In this experiential session, participants will have the opportunity to explore the possibilities of teaching improvisation as a cooperative and interactive form of music making. Strategies for fostering improvisational skills will be presented through model lessons that extend typical general music activities (e.g., songs, games, etc.) in creative ways. Participants should wear comfortable clothes as well as bring their energy and artistry as we improve our improvised music together.

TCC, 15

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Suggested Repertoire for a Successful Percussion MPA Performance

Presenters: John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt

Grissom, John Shaw Coordinator: Steven Johnson

This session will include performances of repertoire chosen from the FBA MPA list that may help directors

to suggest lesser known or newer additions to the repertoire to their students. Solos for timpani, mallets, snare drum and multiple-percussion will be demonstrated. Solo pieces that emphasize musical considerations over technical prowess will be performed and discussed.

TCC. 17

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Phi Beta Mu Clinic: Sonority; Without It Nothing Else Matters!

Presenter: Andrew J. Crew Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will provide a discussion on how to achieve the best sonority by playing examples of recordings with an iPhone. Examples will include recordings from the Chicago Symphony, the United States Marine Band and the Netherlands Wind Ensemble, among other recordings by various bands and solo players. I believe the quickest and most efficient way to teach how music should sound is to let the people you are teaching hear the kind of sounds you are trying to have them produce. While playing examples from the recordings, I will also discuss how to blend sounds together with different combinations of instruments.

TCC, 18

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Teaching for Transfer in Choral Rehearsals

Presenters: Matthew Garrett, Sean Linfors, Tesfa Wondemagegnehu

Coordinator: Brett Carson

This participatory clinic will feature warm-up exercises that connect with vocal challenges found in choral repertoire. Presenters will demonstrate transfers between exercises based on vocal pedagogy (breathing, vocal production and functions of the vocal folds) and healthy singing in choral ensembles. Choral directors with instrumental and/or vocal backgrounds will leave with creative group exercises to promote healthy singing and develop musical independence among students.

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### **New Music Reading Session**

Presenter: Nancy Beebe Coordinator: Bob Medlin

This will be a new music reading session geared toward all levels. Bring your instrument with you if you would like to be a part of the orchestra.

TCC, 3

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2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### The SMART Board in Elementary Music

Presenters: Jennifer Carter, Jessica Fredricks, Luke Hart, Lynn McCoy, Ann McFall Coordinator: David Williams

This session will feature innovative ways to incorporate SMART Board activities into your elementary music lessons. SMART Boards are an incredible tool for engaging student learners and incorporating technology. Session will cover basics, discuss practical applications for using the SMART Board with recorders, rhythm reading and composition and will also explain how to use peripherals like Senteo and Airliner in conjunction with the SMART Board.

TCC, 31

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Rehearsal Hierarchy of Needs

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme Coordinator: Crystal Golinello

With a baby it is milk before meat, as it should be in our orchestra classes. We should be mindful of the rehearsal hierarchy of needs and what should be addressed and rectified first before moving on in class. Ideas such as rehearsal priorities, breaking down and simplifying the music, class pacing and teaching by example will be addressed in this session on rehearsal techniques.

TCC. 36

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Unleashing the Power of Sound Innovations: The Revolutionary New Band and String Method

Presenter: Robert Sheldon Coordinator: Christine Lundahl

Alfred Music Publishing's new method books for band and strings create choices that teachers have always dreamed about. Learn how to customize the techniques, contents and materials in your method book, CD and SmartMusic. Come see why band and string teachers everywhere are talking about this method. A free Grade 1 band or string piece (only available at these clinics) will be given to every attendee.

TCC. 37

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Music Education and Performance, A Cross Generational Case Study of Youth and Adults in a Collaborative and Creative Environment

Presenter: Amy Thrift Coordinator: Tammy Roggen

This session will discuss the educational and social benefits of a community band where a 60-plus year age span exists among the members. We will examine the unexpected but pleasantly surprising rewards of a musical group with a large age span. The Nassau Community Band is a musical ensemble composed of citizens primarily from Nassau County, Fla. Beginning as a senior adult only band nine years ago, the band has since opened its membership to other musicians.

TCC. 39

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Here Comes the Judge

Presenters: Ronald Burrichter, Brenda Smith Coordinator: Jody Schnell

This session will address factors considered for superior ratings by adjudicators at MPA festivals, to include repertoire, style, language, punctuation, diction, meaning of text, etc. Bring your questions! Preparing students for collegiate entrance auditions will also be discussed.

TCC, 5

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Meet the Supervisors

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

Participants (college music education students) will have the opportunity to meet the music supervisors from throughout the state of Florida.

TCC, 7

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# The Challenges and Rewards of Parenting and Teaching a Teen With Asperger Syndrome

Presenters: Judy Arthur, Suzanne Byrnes,

William Fredrickson

Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

This presentation will include words from the parents and a music teacher of a teen with Asperger Syndrome and other challenges. We will discuss how we see him, how he sees the world and how we can all work together to establish a healthy home and classroom environment.

TCC, 9

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 1

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, guitar performance techniques such as chord strumming, note reading, power chords, barre chords and capo use will be applied to the following classic rock tunes: You Really Got Me, Come as You Are, Hey Jude and Pride and Joy! Techniques and concepts presented at previous guitar lab sessions will equip you for participation at this session.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Advanced String Methods for the Non-String Teacher: What You Didn't Learn in College

Presenter: David Pope Coordinator: Michelle Fry

This session is for non-string players who teach orchestra. To increase effectiveness in the classroom, differences between teaching band and orchestra will be discussed. Additional topics will include techniques for teaching the proper setup to beginning string players, repertoire selection, shifting, vibrato, principles of tone production and the importance of the bow arm.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### How I Use SmartMusic at Ransom Everglades Middle School

Presenter: Cathi Leibinger Coordinator: Mark Frisbie

Cathi Leibinger will demonstrate how to use SmartMusic for class instruction, rehearsals and home practice. Learn how to use SmartMusic's method books, concert repertoire and exercises to deliver curriculum, create assignments for home practice, monitor students' progress on any computer or mobile device and allow parents to view/hear their child's online portfolio.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# The Importance of Fundamentals in Developing Comprehensive Musicianship and Ability to Play in Diverse Styles

Presenter: Dennis Vincent Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

BERT (Boris Ivanov - piano, Ernie Ealum - electric bass, Rick Kirkland - drums and Tony Steve - vibraphone and auxiliary percussion), with Claire Heusinger on vocals, will use selections from Hoedown, Epistrophy, Spirit of the West, La Fiesta and Blue Rondo a la Turk to demonstrate and discuss technical issues, harmonic concepts, range of styles, ensemble playing and small instrument techniques, as well as combining odd-meter with the blues.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1



4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Starting Your Strings – It's All About the Beginning

Presenter: Bob Phillips Coordinator: Kim Dickman

Discover how to create highly successful beginning string classes. What are the factors of success that ensure your students will play well, be engaged and, most of all, continue in music? Come learn from the master of large group instruction, whether you have 20 or 200 beginners.

TCC. 10

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **Jazz Music Reading Session**

Presenter: Al Hager Coordinator: Rob Lambert

Al Hager and friends will get together and demonstrate new releases in jazz music.

TCC, 11

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Beginning a Dynamic Recorder Program**

Presenter: Jim Tinter Coordinator: Karen Van Beek

This session will provide proven strategies to develop a fun, exciting and dynamic recorder program.

Topics covered will include the fantastic first lesson, instrument selection, sound production, articulation, classroom management and equipping students for success. Come ready for demonstration, imagination and participation. Free Angel recorder compliments of Peripole

TCC, 13

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Simply Schulwerk

Presenter: Sue Mueller Coordinator: Staci Pendry

Carl Orff's visionary teaching philosophy is rooted in the belief that through active participation in speech, song, play, movement and improvisation, the child becomes the active music maker, the composer. The Schulwerk offers many varied ways to teach and extend lessons. Through canon, rondo, improvisation and ostinati, we will explore, extend and energize activities aimed at the K-6 grades.

TCC, 15

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Turning Your Drummers Into Percussionists and Then Into Musicians

Presenters: John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw

Coordinator: Jessica Russell

This session will focus on four areas of percussion performance: timpani, mallet instruments, cymbals and accessory instruments (tambourine, triangle, bass drum). Discussion will focus on ways to play the instruments with regard to tone color, tone production, some basic performance techniques, note length and musical applications. This will include stick/mallet choices, stroke types and applications, note length/muffling and musical considerations/phrasing.

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4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Green Eggs and Ham: Creative Concert Programming**

Presenter: Andy Beck Coordinator: Marti Koch

Andy Beck will share his insights on creating varied, well-paced concerts. Using a variety of Alfred chorals, you will learn what criteria should be considered and how to make the best choices for the ultimate program. A complimentary music packet will be given to each director in attendance.

TCC, 18

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Practical Repertoire for Building Tone and Musicianship (High School/ Advanced Middle School: TB, TBB, TTBB, SATB and SAB)

Presenter: Ryan Hebert Coordinator: Valarie Williams TBB reading session with packets TCC, 20

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#### 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. 21st Century String Pedagogy

Presenter: Charles Laux, Jr. Coordinator: Lynne Rudzik

Motivating beginning orchestra students in the 21st century requires teachers to take a new look at the materials they use in the classroom. Come and see how sequential learning can occur with up-to-date pedagogy, expanded technology and a wealth of enrichment opportunities. Learn how to motivate your classroom and enhance your teaching strategies. All attendees will receive complimentary materials. *TCC. 3* 

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Avoid Extinction With Technology**

Presenter: Radio Cremata Coordinator: Kody Wallace

Technology has revolutionized music education. Music is learned, written, produced, recorded and shared digitally, instantly and internationally. Indaba, GrooveZoo, Synthesia and YouTube are examples of some tools being widely used by people to learn, create, collaborate and share music. 21st century music educators should be aware of this phenomenon, arm themselves with new teaching strategies and adapt to the ever-changing musical landscape so as to remain relevant and avoid extinction.

TCC, 31

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Melodic Learning: Transforming the Teaching/Learning Paradigm Through the Neuroscience of Music

Presenter: Susan Homan Coordinator: Tamyra DiFruscio

This session will present the most recent research from the Institute of Neuroscience and Music and how to best use that information in the music classroom and across the curriculum. New information on melodic learning gives music a leadership role in promoting enhanced learning in every classroom.

TCC, 36

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### FMEA Black Caucus Business Meeting and Reception

Coordinator: Bernie Hendricks
Annual business meeting and reception for members
and those interested in the mission of the Florida
Music Educators' Association Black Caucus
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4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### International Teaching Opportunities for Music Educators

Presenter: Russell Robinson Coordinator: Jane Whitaker

There are numerous opportunities for music teachers all over the world. Dr. Robinson has been a speaker at international conferences and a consultant for international schools in Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, Mexico, Central America and South America. He will share teaching opportunities and access to those opportunities, including commentary by international music teachers worldwide.

TCC, 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Interview Strategies for Future Music Educators

Presenter: Monty Musgrave
Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

The purpose of this session is to offer effective interview strategies to prospective music educators. Participants will be offered the opportunity to participate in mock interviews with music supervisors.

TCC, 7

4 p.m. 5 p.m.

#### Music, Cognition and Neuroscience

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Steven Demorest, Ruth Sutton Waters endowed professor of music and director of the Laboratory for Music Cognition, Culture & Learning at the University of Washington, will present an overview of the research on music cognition and neuroscience, including his own research.

TCC. 9

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 2

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this second hands-on playing session, guitar performance techniques such as chord strumming, note reading, power chords, barre chords and capo use will be applied to the following classic rock tunes: You Really Got Me, Come as You Are, Hey Jude and Pride and Joy! Provided for this session will be 25 guitars, 25 sets of textbooks, picks, footstools, music stands, etc. Come sing, strum and jam out with us! Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FCMEA Meeting**

Coordinator: Vincent Dennis Waterside, Meeting Room 1

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Improving Music Teacher Leadership: What Every Educator Must Know About Policy in Times of High Accountability

Presenters: Cathy Benedict, Patrick Schmidt Coordinator: Julia House

Music teachers are constantly making decisions for the good of the classroom and often consider the present and future life of the school and community. So, how can we cultivate these leadership dispositions so they become more evident and helpful? How can policy skills shape music education's future within our schools and communities? This session will provide early career and experienced teachers with clear tools for how to better use and understand policy for strong leadership within schools.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4



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4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Intercollegiate Band

Conductor: Michael Haithcock Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC, Ballroom A

6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Men's Chorus

Conductor: Michael Dye Coordinator: Jeff Boque

#### **All-State Reading Chorus**

Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope Coordinator: Mary Catherine Salo

TCC, West Hall

7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m. ALL-STATE CONCERTS

#### **High School Honors Band**

Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips Coordinator: Tony Chiarito

#### **All-State Jazz Band**

Conductor: Bill Prince Coordinator: Rob Lambert TCC, Ballroom A

7:45 p.m. - 9:15 p.m.

## Folk Dance for Learning, Folk Dance for Fun

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Julie Hebert

The focus will be fun as we gather together to socialize and enjoy one another through folk dances from around the world.

TCC, 13

8:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.

#### **FMEA All-State Student Reception**

Coordinator: Valeria Anderson

Participating all-state students, parents and chaperons are welcome to attend this evening event.

TCC, West Hall

9:15 p.m. - 10:15 p.m.

#### **CONCERT**

#### The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet

Director: Terry Bingham Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC, Ballroom A

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# NUARY 12, 2013

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

#### **FOA Past Presidents Breakfast**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes The past presidents of the Florida Orchestra Association are invited to join us for a breakfast honoring their service to the organization.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

#### **FMEA Past Presidents Breakfast**

Coordinator: Valeria Anderson Waterside, Meeting Room 2

8 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.

#### Phi Beta Mu Business Meeting

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 18

8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

8:30 a.m. - 9 a.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **High School Honors Orchestra**

Conductor: Andrew Lane Coordinator: Jessica Talbott TCC, West Hall

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### It's May - I Think I Can!

Presenter: Deanna Stark

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski

Maybe it's just me, but I find that last month of school (not to mention my students) to be a bit, well, difficult. If you'd like to challenge your older students with some interesting pitched and unpitched pieces of music, please join us. And be prepared to drum! TCC, 10

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **Orff Schulwerk: A Creative Community**

Presenter: Sue Mueller

Coordinator: Rosemary Pilonero

The Schulwerk approach embraces creativity while fostering a community of learners that work together through speech, song, movement and playing. Explore, collaborate and create in a handson session designed for K-6 students. Small and

large group activities will require collaboration in this session aimed at improvisation.

TCC, 13

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### A Band Director's Guide to the **Percussion Section: Performance** Techniques in Standard and **Contemporary Wind Band Literature**

Presenter: Jeffrey Moore Coordinator: Randy Folsom

Featuring works by Barnes, Bernstein, Gillingham, Granthman, Hazo, Hindemith, Holst, Holsinger, Maslanka, Nelson, Persichetti and Williams and interpretation suggestions for the marches of King, Fillmore and Sousa, this session will include the performance of the percussion parts in popular wind band literature with recordings. Attendees will see and hear the percussion section and the requisite techniques up close, but still in context. With assistance from other performers, there will be a demonstration of the technical approaches to the various instruments, including implement selection, instrument selection (e.g., cymbals, gongs, tambourine, triangle, etc.) and placement in the ensemble. Live performance of the selected literature will be used to demonstrate the percussion techniques and the musical considerations for each

TCC, 18

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### Band and Choral Conductors: What Can We Learn From Each Other?

Presenters: Frances Fonza, Shaun R. Popp Coordinator: Mary Oser

Band and choral conductors each have their own "bag of tricks" to use in rehearsals, yet many of these techniques can be used across disciplines. Session topics will include warm-up routines, rehearsal strategies and repertoire, as well as a discussion of opportunities for collaboration.

TCC, 20

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### A Fresh Look at Conn-Selmer

Presenter: Derek Bowen

Coordinator: Colbert Colbert Page Howell, Jr., Jr. Conn-Selmer will present new products intended for you and your students. Included in the lineup are the new Selmer AS32 and AS42 alto saxophone, the new Musser 3PM practice marimba and King "System Blue" marching brass. Come join us to learn about the new instruments and how they can be used in your band room!

TCC, 3

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **FCMEA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Dennis Vincent TCC, 36

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **Guitar Lab: Capo Use and Barre Chord Techniques**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with capo and barre chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Several major textbook series will be used. This session will have 25 lab seats, each containing a guitar, books, woodblock, music stand, etc.; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate. Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

8:45 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### **FEMEA Idea Exchange**

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith

TCC, East Hall

9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **Middle School Honors Orchestra**

Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo Coordinator: Victor Fernandez

TCC, West Hall

10 a.m. 11 a.m.

#### Salsa - Picante Spicy: Latin Music Styles

Presenter: Alejandro Jimenez Coordinator: Robert Todd

This session will explore some ideas and song materials that have proven to be successful for teaching in urban areas. The styles will include from Cuba: Son-Cha-Cha, from Dominican Republic: Merengue and from Puerto Rico: Bomba-Plena. The session will include hands-on collaboration and integration of singing, moving and playing recorders, Latin percussion and Orff instruments.

TCC, 10

10 a.m. -11 a.m.

## Collaborative Composition: Speech Pieces From Start to Finish

Presenter: Matt McCoy Coordinator: Julie Hebert

One of the hallmarks of the approach to music education known as Orff Schulwerk is an emphasis on speech work as a means of musical performance and instruction. In this session, participants will collaboratively create rhythmic compositions based on the spoken word that may be performed through the voice or transferred to another medium (e.g., found objects). Additionally, this session will address the "hows" and "whys" of speech work in relation to curricular development and implementation.

TCC, 13

10 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

#### NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting 2

Coordinator: Jon Crane

TCC, 18

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

## The Jazz Vocal Ensemble: What Is It and How Does It Work?

Presenter: Lawrence Lapin Coordinator: Carl Ashley

This session will attempt to isolate and demonstrate the similarities and differences between a jazz vocal ensemble and a traditional choir.

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TCC, 20

10 a.m. - 12 noon

#### **CBDNA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Kyle Prescott

TCC, 3

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### What's New in Music Technology K-12

Presenter: Jody Underwood Coordinator: David Williams

This session will examine the latest trends in music technology labs at K-12 and university music programs. From handheld recorders to recording software, MIDI controllers to vocal trainers, no stone will go unturned in this fast-paced show-and-tell of the latest and greatest products for teaching music with technology. The session will also trace the process of creating a music technology lab solution—from consultation through training. All aspects of lab implementation will be discussed.

TCC, 31

10 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Treble Chorus**

Conductor: Elena Sharkova Coordinator: Suzi Lambert **Waterside, Grand Ballroom**  10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### All-State Middle School Orchestra

Conductor: Deborah Perkins Coordinator: Michael Sedloff

TCC, West Hall

11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Middle School Band

Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon Coordinator: Kristy Dell

#### Middle School Honors Band

Conductor: Eric W. Mendez Coordinator: Bill Reany

TCC, Ballroom A

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

#### Schulwerk and the Arts, a Collaboration

Presenter: Sue Mueller Coordinator: April Laymon

Using the arts in collaboration with classroom curriculum and Orff Schulwerk motivates, enhances and is a communal experience that celebrates the integrity of all subjects. This session will focus on creating an environment of teamwork, respect and cooperation. This workshop will explore these questions through our own direct experience and shared reflection (early elementary years).

TCC, 13

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

#### MUTECH: A Customized Multi-Instrument Digital Lab

Presenter: Jody Underwood Coordinator: David Williams

Join an in-depth, interactive discussion on effective strategies for designing a music technology program at your school. Topics covered will include defining learning objectives, evaluating a project's timeframe, creating and evaluating a budget and crafting a proposal. The session will discuss instrument options for creating electronic music and will define strategies for curriculum and project-based learning objectives. **TCC. 31** 

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### Gems of Choral Literature

Presenter: Z. Randall Stroope Coordinator: Mary Catherine Salo

This session will present gems of choral literature.

TCC, West Hall

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Choral Reading Session**

Presenter: Grace Jordan Coordinator: Lu Anne Leone

Join this elementary reading session with veteran and highly respected choral director Grace Jordan, music specialist at Arbor Ridge School in Orlando. Music packets will be provided by JW Pepper.

TCC, 13

12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

## Florida Vocal Association Past Presidents Luncheon

Coordinator: Mark Scott

Waterside, Marriott Waterside Café

1 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus**

Conductor: Trey Jacobs Coordinator: David Pletincks **Waterside, Grand Ballroom** 

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, 1

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### **All-State Concert Orchestra**

Conductor: John Whitney Coordinator: Kristina Cutchens

TCC, Ballroom A

3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Concert Band**

Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow Coordinator: Brian P. Dell TCC, Ballroom A

5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Women's Chorus

Conductor: Mitos Andaya Coordinator: John Luffred TCC, Ballroom A

6:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Concert Chorus**

Conductor: André J. Thomas Coordinator: Judy Arthur TCC, Ballroom A

7:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Symphonic Orchestra**

Conductor: William LaRue Jones Coordinator: Andrea Szarowicz

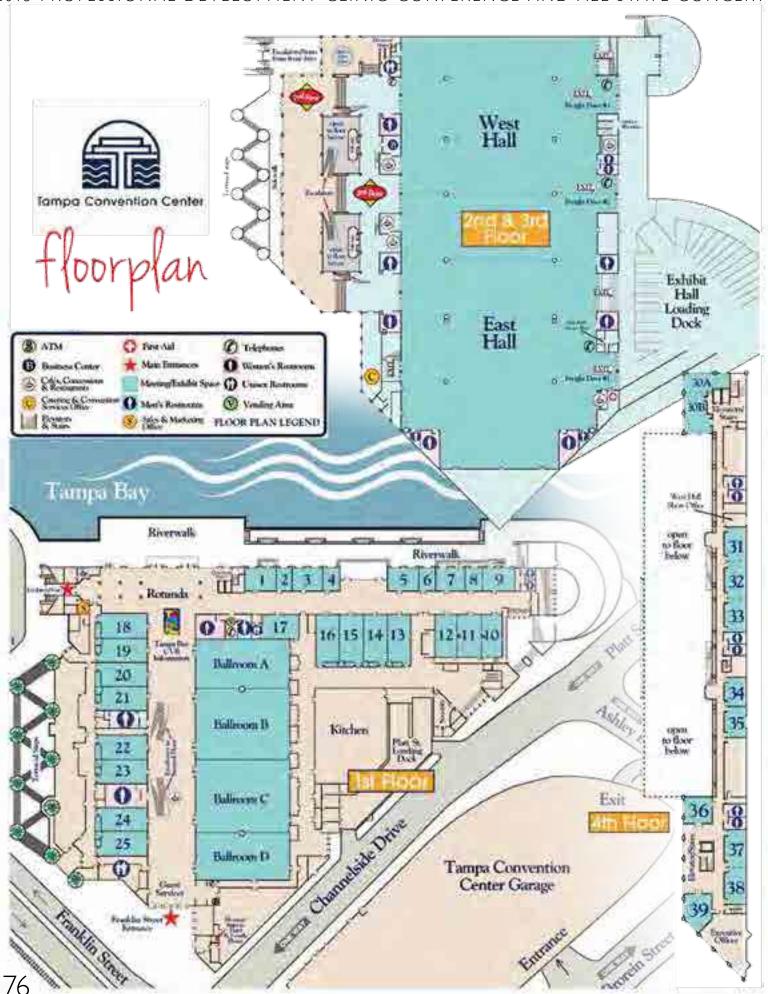
TCC, Ballroom A

9 p.m. - 9:40 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Symphonic Band**

Conductor: Bobby Adams
Coordinator: John Seth
TCC, Ballroom A



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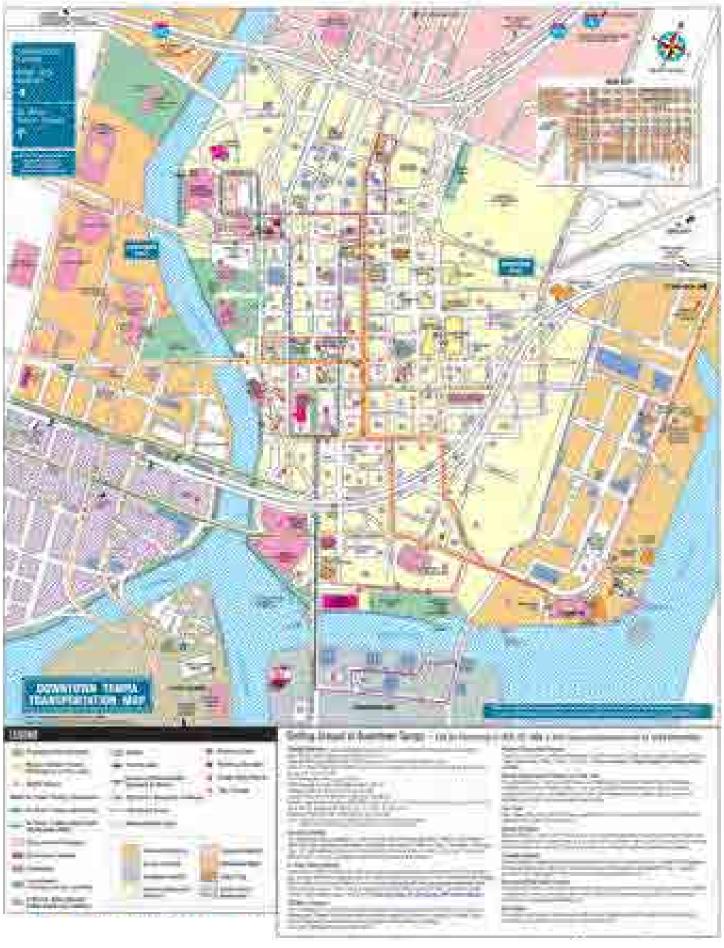


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### **Department Audition Dates**

Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 Friday, Jan. 25, 2013 Saturday, Feb. 16, 2013 Saturday, Mar. 9, 2013

### FMEA Clinic Conference Schedule

Jazz Faculty and Jazz Ensemble 1 Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 9:30 p.m. in Ballrooms A,B,C

The University of North Florida Jazz Faculty is an extremely accomplished and diverse group of international performers and educators. They have performed and recorded with artists such as Pat Metheny, Randy Brecker, Benny Golson, Rufus Reid, Stan Getz, Arturo Sandoval, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich, Paquito D'Rivera and Sarah Vaughan. The jazz faculty members have recorded and published extensively (Mel Bay and UNC Press) and continue to tour and conduct master classes in the U.S. and internationally.

Directed by J.B. Scott, Jazz Ensemble 1 is the flagship ensemble of the University of North Florida Jazz Studies program, winning numerous awards and consistent recognition from DownBeat Magazine and other notable publications. The group has performed internationally, throughout China, Europe and the U.S., with appearances on the Great Wall of China, the Montreux, North Sea, Montrerey, Jacksonville and Savannah Jazz Festivals, the IAJE and FMEA Conferences and the Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic.

Jazz Combo Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. in Ballrooms A.B.C

Directed by Lynne Arriale, the Jazz Combo "UNFiltered" represents the new breed of young musicians steeped in the tradition and forward-looking, incorporating diverse influences including free improvisation, pop, rock, Latin, Middle Eastern and Brazilian music with a strong emphasis on group interaction. Each member of this UNF Jazz Combo brings their professional experience and musical vision to bring forth a unique ensemble sound, infused with passion and creativity.

Session with Dr. Cara Tasher, "Have no fear, read it first here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB" Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 4 p.m. in TCC 20 / TCC 21

Jacksonville SINGSI Artistic Director Dr. Cara Tasher is now in her 7th year as Director of Choral Activities and Associate Professor of Voice at the University of North Florida where she conducts Chorale and Chamber Singers, teaches voice, advanced gesture and choral materials. Proficient in several languages, Tasher's engagements as both a singer and a conductor have brought her to nearly 10 states and 20 countries for concerts, festivals, workshops or as a featured soloist. In addition to a full array of choral octavos for mixed voices, recent masterworks include Bach St. John Passion, Brahms Requiem, Handel Messiah and Orff Carmina Burana. UNF is proud to have recently added Professor Wayne Balley to our ranks, conducting the Men's and Women's Chorales. Additional voice faculty include newly appointed tenor Dr. Jimmy Hall (voice area coordinator), bacitone Dr. Krzysztof Biernacki (opera), Michelle Amato (Jazz), Karen Coker and Marilyn Smart (diction).

Session with Dr. Gordon Brock, "Making it happen!" Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 2:45 p.m. in TCC 9

How do we make things happen when it seems there are insurmountable odds against it? Every educator is familiar with this feeling and has certainly grappled with the challenges. Continually intripued by the discussion, this session offers a brief and entertaining perspective on those concepts that have inspired Ω: Brock to re-a better resulter.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
8 a.m 5 p.m.	FOA Adjudicator Certification Seminar		Waterside, Meeting Room 2
9 a.m 6 p.m.	FBA Adjudication Training Seminar	Kenneth Williams	TCC, 5
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FBA Recertification Seminar		TCC, 9
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FVA Adjudicator Recertification		Waterside, Meeting Room
10 a.m 12 noon	FMEA Board of Directors Meeting	Sheila S. King	TCC, 3
10:30 a.m 7 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
1 p.m 2 p.m.	FMEA PRE-CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment - Where Are We and Where Are We Going?	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert, Don West	TCC, 18
1 p.m 7 p.m.	FVA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 3
1 p.m 3 p.m.	FVA Executive Board Committee Meetings		TCC, 34
1 p.m 3 p.m.	FBA Classification Meeting		Waterside, Meeting Room
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FBA Auxiliary Adjudication Seminar		TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 5:30 p.m.	FMEA Student Leadership Workshop	Kevin Ford, Fran Kick	TCC, West Hall
2 p.m 5:30 p.m.	New and New to Florida Teacher Pre-Conference Sessions	Beth Cummings	TCC, 15
2 p.m 4 p.m.	How to Begin to Prepare for Assessments in Music by Unpacking the NGSSS	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert	TCC, 18
3 p.m 4:30 p.m.	All-State Ensemble Coordinators Meeting	John K. Southall	TCC, 37
4 p.m 7 p.m.	FMSA Business Meeting		TCC, 36
5 p.m 7 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Committee Meeting 3		TCC, 34
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Professional Resources Meeting		TCC, 35
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Music Performance Assessment Committee Meeting		TCC, 37
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Committee Meeting 4		TCC, 39
5 p.m 7 p.m.	FOA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 7
7:30 p.m 9:20 p.m.	FMEA PRESIDENT'S CONCERT		TCC, Ballroom A
	Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony Director: Sterling Frederick		
	Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band Director: Thomas Singletary		
	Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr		
8:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
8:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	FOA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 7



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7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Across the Curriculum	Jill Gallina	TCC, 15
7:45 a.m 10:15 a.m.	FMEA New and New to Florida Teacher Resource Room	Beth Cummings	TCC, 17
7:45 a.m 10 a.m.	FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside14-16
8 a.m 10 a.m.	FVA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 3
8 a.m 6 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Meet the All-State Conductors	Bobby Adams, Robert W. Rumbelow	TCC, 1
9 a.m 10 a.m.	FMEA Emerging Leaders	Judy Bowers	TCC, 10
9 a.m 10 a.m.	All Jazzed Up About Orff	Katie Carlisle	TCC, 11
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Ride the Waves - Incorporating Sound Energy Experiments Into the General Elementary Music Class	Paul McLaughlin	TCC, 13
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Words to Rhythms - A Natural Collaboration	Christine Hill	TCC, 15
9 a.m 10 a.m.	FMEA All-State Student Leadership Workshop	Kevin Ford, Fran Kick	TCC, West Hall
10:30 a.m 12:15 p.m.	FMEA FIRST GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION	Sheila S. King	TCC, Ballroom A
	Florida Gulf Coast University - Bower School of Music Chamber Choir Director: Trent R. Brown		
	University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra Director: William W. Wiedrich		
	University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott		
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA Elementary Music Curriculum Fair		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside14-16
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA All-State Elementary Chorus Registration		TCC, West Hall
12:20 p.m 12:40 p.m.	FMEA EXHIBITS GRAND OPENING Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble Directors: Jason Algair, Doug Moser		TCC, East Hall
12:30 p.m 1 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Guitar Ensemble, Conductor: Stephen Robinson		TCC, 20
12:30 p.m 6 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
12:50 p.m 1:25 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble Director: John Wicker		TCC, Lobby Stage
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Living Literature Project Development of Original Performance Pieces Using Children's Literature	Angelyn Hirai	TCC, 10
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Percussion Games and Activities for Elementary Classrooms	Steve Campbell	TCC, 11

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Making Each Minute Count - "If I Don't Have the Time to Teach It Right, How Will I Ever Find the Time to Teach It Over?"	Cheryl Lavender	TCC, 13
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The World Music Drumming Curriculum: An Interdisciplinary Co- Curricular Approach to Music Education	James Mader	TCC, 15
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Chamber Winds in the High School Band: What, Why, When and How	Colbert Howell	TCC, 17
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Successful Tips for the High School Band Director	Shelby R. Chipman	TCC, 18
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Choral Diction - Achieving Ensemble With a "Sound" Approach	Constantina Tsolainou	TCC, 20
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Playing in Balance	Mimi Zweig	TCC, 3
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Mixing It Up: Sound Systems and Applications	Michael Vetter	TCC, 31
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Scoring Music for Film	Dennis Vincent	TCC, 36
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	A 12-Step Program for Preparing a Research Proposal	Stephen Zdzinski	TCC, 37
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The Collaborative Music Department: Redefining Success	Jason Locker, Jon Sever	TCC, 5
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The Incomplete Curriculum	Kevin Albright, Cynthia Johnson	TCC, 7
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Fix It, We'll Show You How! Resurrect Your Percussion Now!	Sandy Lantz	TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	CONCERT University of North Florida Jazz Collective, Director: Lynne Arriale		TCC, Ballroom A
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Warm-ups for Guitar: Advancing Your Students' Sound and Technique	Christopher Perez	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside14-16
2 p.m 2:30 p.m.	DEMONTRATION CONCERT Polk County Schools All-County Piano Concert and Demonstration Director: Beth Cummings		TCC, Ballroom D
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Student LEADerSHIP	Jeremy D. Klein	TCC, 10
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	District MPA Sight-Reading: Preparation in the Classroom = Less Sight-Reading Room Stress for You and Your Students	Ree Nathan	TCC, 11
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	On the Road to Nashville: Cultivating Elementary Songwriters	Iran Garcia, Kathleen Kerstetter	TCC, 13
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	How to Assess Without the Stress	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 15
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Middle and High School Flute and Piccolo Technique	Nora Lee Garcia	TCC, 17
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Preparing for FBA State Solo & Ensemble MPA	Ann Adams, Lynn Musco	TCC, 18
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Who Stole the Cookie From the Cookie Jar?	Sterling Frederick	TCC, 20
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	StringSpeak for the Non-String Player	David Eccles	TCC, 3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	MOODLE for Your Noodle: Increased Comprehension Through eLearning	Charlotte Brasell	TCC, 31
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Reed and Mouthpiece Mechanics	Andy Blanco	TCC, 36
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Adapting for Students With Disabilities in the Instrumental Ensemble	Julie Heath, Shaun R. Popp, Charlie Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski	TCC, 37
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance	Jennifer A. Bugos	TCC, 39
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Legendary Florida	Monty Musgrave	TCC, 5
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Tone Deafness and Other Myths	Steven Demorest	TCC, 7
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Making It Happen!	Gordon R. Brock	TCC, 9
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Uncovering the Mysteries of the Fretboard	Robert Phillips	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
	Effective Strategies for Improving Tone in Your Flute Section	Kathleen Melago	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Lifective Strategies for improving folie in four Flute Section	J J	
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m. 2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Jazz Rehearsal Game Plan	Dean Sorenson	Waterside, Meeting Room 4

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TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
3 p.m 3:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Southwest Middle School Singers, Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac		TCC, Lobby Stage
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Pedagogy to Performance	Michael Roberts	TCC, 10
4 p.m 5 p.m.	The World Music Drumming Curriculum for the Middle and High School Years	James Mader	TCC, 11
4 p.m 5 p.m.	The Singing Voice: Our Primary Instrument	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
4 p.m 5 p.m.	How to Assess Without the Stress	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 15
4 p.m 5 p.m.	LMAO: Teaching the 21st Century High School Singer	Denise R. Eaton	TCC, 17
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Solid Foundations for Clarinet	Gary Bottomley, Kathleen Kinion, James Matthews, Jennifer Zahn	TCC, 18
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Have No Fear, Read It First Here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB	Cara Tasher	TCC, 20
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Culturally Responsive Teaching in the Orchestra Classroom	Rebecca MacLeod	TCC, 3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Doing More With Your SMART Board	Carol Carstensen	TCC, 31
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration With General Educators	Cathy Benedict	TCC, 37
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Integrated Movement for String Players	Melissa Kraut	TCC, 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Uncovering Meaning in Voice Change: Esteem, Identity and Transformation	Craig Denison, Maria Denison	TCC, 7
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Cellos and Basses Are From Mars, Violins and Violas Are From Venus - Low Strings Workshop	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 9
4 p.m 5 p.m.	CONCERT University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble, Director: Scott Tobias		TCC, Ballroom A
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Guitar 1 Pedagogy for All	Joe Sandusky	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	A New Approach in Secondary Music Theory Instruction	Alyssa Kassler	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Jazz Improvisation for Band Directors	Al Hager	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Delivering a Quality 21st Century Music Education in the New Global Economy	Alvin Davis	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
5 p.m 5:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble, Director: Brian P. Dell		TCC, Lobby Stage
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 1 & 2 Meeting		TCC, 11
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 6 & 7 Meeting		TCC, 13
5:15 p.m 6:15 p.m.	NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting		TCC, 20
5:15 p.m 7 p.m.	FOA General Membership Meeting		TCC, 3
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA District 3 Meeting		TCC, 5
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 4 & 5 Meeting		TCC, 7
5:15 p.m 6:45 p.m.	FVA General Membership Meeting		Waterside, Grand Ballroom, Salon A
6 p.m 7 p.m.	FEMEA General Business Meeting	Lisa Hewitt	TCC, 13
6:30 p.m 8 p.m.	FBA General Business Meeting		TCC, 18
7:30 p.m 8:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT Florida Gulf Coast University - Bower School of Music Chamber Choir Director: Trent R. Brown		TCC, Ballroom A
8:30 p.m 9:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra Director: William W. Wiedrich		TCC, Ballroom A
9:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble 1 University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott		TCC, Ballroom A





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' a.m 8:50 a.m.	FMEA Awards Breakfast	Debbie Fahmie	TCC, 20
:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Putting Classroom Technology to Work	Bradley L. Bonner	TCC, 10
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Dyno-Drumming!	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 11
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	A Story, A Song and We're Moving Along: Theme-Based Learning in the Early Childhood Music Classroom	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences	Artie Almeida	TCC, 15
:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Teacher 2.0: Managing Your Program in the Digital Age	Andrew Zweibel	TCC, 17
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Achieving an Artistic Vibrato in the String Class	Rebecca MacLeod	TCC, 3
':45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Secondary General Music: Bringing the Content to Life!	Seth Pendergast	TCC, 31
:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Maximizing Your Marching Band Rehearsal Time	Bob Buckner	TCC, 36
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Technology 101: Recording Techniques for the Music Educator	Kawachi Clemons	TCC, 37
:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Crank Up Your Classroom With QuaverMusic.com!	Graham Hepburn	TCC, 5
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Theory & Ear Training Made Fun: Engaging Students in Individualized Instruction and Assessment	Peter Kelly	TCC, 7
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Beat for Peace: Engaging At-Risk Students Through the Talking Drum	Michelle King	TCC, 9
':45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Power Chord Techniques	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
7:45 a.m 11:30 a.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside14-16
3 a.m 7 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
a.m 10:15 a.m.	FMEA SECOND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION	Sheila S. King	TCC, Ballroom A
	Touch – USF iPad Quintet, Director: David A. Williams		
	The U.S. Army Brass Quintet, Director: Terry Bingham		
	The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble, Director: David Coash		
0:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Enhancing Access to Music Programs Through Collaborations	Judith Evans	TCC, 10
0:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Lift Me Up! Adding Movement to Your Choral Program	Andy Beck	TCC, 11
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Not a Typical "Arts Integration" Session	Michelle Berra	TCC, 13
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Awesome Books With Musical Hooks	Katharine Miller	TCC, 15
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Meet the New Generation Gemeinhardt	David Pirtle	TCC, 17
0:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Beginning Band Strategies for All Ages	Malena Calle, Susana M. Lalama, Erich S. Rivero	TCC, 18
.0:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Experiential Learning and Expressive Singing	Judy Bowers	TCC, 20
0:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Teaching Études and Scales Musically	Mimi Zweig	TCC, 3

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10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Music Technology Lesson Plans for Teachers Too Busy to Write Music Technology Lesson Plans	Dustin Hinzman	TCC, 31
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Students With Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD): Implications for Music Educators	Mary Adamek	TCC, 36
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Manage Your Stress While Maintaining Harmony in the Music Classroom	Adrianna Andrews-Marshall	TCC, 37
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	ASBDA Clinic: MPAs for Dummies — Revisited	Bruce Brazinski, Jason Duckett, J. Eric Miles, Lee Ponder	TCC, 5
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Music and Literacy: The Research, Connections and Strategies	Christine Fisher	TCC, 7
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Make Theory and Ear Training Easy - Use the Cloud!	Kelly Demoline, Peter Kelly	TCC, 9
10:30 a.m 6:30 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 1	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
10:30 a.m 11 a.m.	MINI-CONCERT Sebastian River High School Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble Director: Sara Gover DiPardo		TCC, Lobby Stage
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Teaching Improvisation in the School Ensemble or Instrumental Studio	Stanley Haskins	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Musicianship in Middle School Band? Yeah, Right!	Larry Clark	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Tricks for Teaching Beginning Improvisation	Michael Wilkinson	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
11:30 a.m 1:30 p.m.	ACDA Luncheon	Scott Leaman	Hyatt, Garrison
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Establishing Focus and Ensemble Sound: Innovative Warm-Ups for Middle School Band	David Lee Sellers, Jr.	TCC, 10
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Moving Beyond the Program Notes: Using Descriptive Language to Engage Students in Music	Matthew McCutchen	TCC, 11
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Purposeful Pathways: Possibilities for the Elementary Music Room	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences	Artie Almeida	TCC, 15
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	A New Way to Elevate Your Performance Program	Jean McKen	TCC, 17
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Techniques for Building the Low Brass Section of Your Dreams	Gail Robertson	TCC, 18
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	The Voices in My Head: A Philosophy for Rehearsing	Will Kesling	TCC, 20
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Orchestra Rehearsal Techniques	David Eccles	TCC, 3
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	iCanDoThis! - iPad in the Music Class	Jason Litt	TCC, 31
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Empowering Students for Productive Practice	William I. Bauer	TCC, 36
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Using Popular Music to Increase Literacy in Your Percussion Section	Lawrence Young	TCC, 37
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	I've Got My Keys Now What? Strategies for Surviving Your First Year of Teaching	Jeffrey Miller	TCC, 39
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	ASBDA Clinic: The Three Ws: Why, Who and When to Bring in a Guest Conductor	Jeff Cayer, Jon Eckman, James Hacker	TCC, 5
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Assessment in the Choral Classroom: Maximizing Achievement in the Choral Arts	Derrick Fox	TCC, 7
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Music, Culture & the Brain	Steven Demorest	TCC, 9
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 2	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
11:45 a.m 1 p.m.	Florida Retired Music Educators: Sharing Models for Arts Collaborations		Embassy, Lobby
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Designing Measurement Tools for Music Performance Assessment	Brian Wesolowski	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	I Belong! Engaging Students in Band–Choir–Orchestra for a Better Performance	Wendy Barden	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Jazz Ensemble Techniques for the Classically Trained Director	Mark Belfast	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
12 noon - 1 p.m.	FMEA Research Poster Session		TCC, East Hall
12 noon - 12:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys, Director: Scott Baumer		TCC, Lobby Stage

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12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.	CONCERT Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra, Director: Christopher Perez		TCC, West Hall
1 p.m 1:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Elementary Chorus, Conductor: Earlene Rentz		TCC, Ballroom A
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Drumset for the Non-Percussionist	Mike Wendeln	TCC, 10
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Jazz Workshop With the Pros: Vocal Jazz	Lisa Kelly-Scott	TCC, 11
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Orff for Little Peeps	Deanna Stark	TCC, 13
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Inspiration and Integration: Models for Uniting Music With Other Disciplines	Matt McCoy	TCC, 15
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	ASBDA Business Meeting		TCC, 17
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Review of the Pre-Conference - Performing Fine Arts Assessment Project	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert	TCC, 18
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	30 Girls and Three Boys. What Can We Sing for MPA?	Jennifer Rock	TCC, 20
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Empowering Students - Attitude and Learning	Melissa Kraut	TCC, 3
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	FREE Technology for Musicians and Music Educators	Barbara Ann Freedman	TCC, 31
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Back to Basics: Steps to Establishing Solid Rhythm, Intonation and Tone From the Beginning!	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 36
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Musical Ingenuity	Richard Beckford	TCC, 37
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Improvisation – Take the Fear Out, Put the Fun In	Jim Tinter	TCC, 5
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration	Judy Bowers	TCC, 7
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Music for Life: More Than a Slogan	Don Coffman, Alice-Ann Darrow	TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Teaching Notation	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT tallaBRASSee, Director: William Haugeberg		TCC, Lobby Stage
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Scanning Sheet Music	Tom Johnson	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Painless Assessment in the Music Classroom: Quick and Easy Ways to Assess While Supporting, Not Interrupting, Your Performance and Rehearsal Agenda	Timothy J. Groulx	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Jazz Articulations for Saxophone	Jeff Rupert	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside14-16
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Helping Your Struggling Readers!	Meghan Alfaro	TCC, 10
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Jazz Band 101: The Missing Manual	R. Gary Langford	TCC, 11
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Movement: "Aaaah" or "Aaargh!"	Deanna Stark	TCC, 13
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Interactive Improvisation	Matt McCoy	TCC, 15
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Suggested Repertoire for a Successful Percussion MPA Performance	John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw	TCC, 17
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Phi Beta Mu Clinic: Sonority; Without It Nothing Else Matters!	Andrew J. Crew	TCC, 18
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Teaching for Transfer in Choral Rehearsals	Matthew Garrett, Sean Linfors, Tesfa Wondemagegnehu	TCC, 20
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	New Music Reading Session	Nancy Beebe	TCC, 3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The SMART Board in Elementary Music	Jennifer Carter, Jessica Fredricks, Luke Hart, Lynn McCoy, Ann McFall	TCC, 31
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Rehearsal Hierarchy of Needs	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 36
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Unleashing the Power of Sound Innovations: The Revolutionary New Band and String Method	Robert Sheldon	TCC, 37
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Music Education and Performance, A Cross Generational Case Study of Youth and Adults in a Collaborative and Creative Environment	Amy Thrift	TCC, 39

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Here Comes the Judge	Ronald Burrichter, Brenda Smith	TCC, 5
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Meet the Supervisors	Monty Musgrave	TCC, 7
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The Challenges and Rewards of Parenting and Teaching a Teen With Asperger Syndrome	Judy Arthur, Suzanne Byrnes, William Fredrickson	TCC, 9
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 1	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Advanced String Methods for the Non-String Teacher: What You Didn't Learn in College	David Pope	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	How I Use SmartMusic at Ransom Everglades Middle School	Cathi Leibinger	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The Importance of Fundamentals in Developing Comprehensive Musicianship and Ability to Play in Diverse Styles	Dennis Vincent	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Starting Your Strings – It's All About the Beginning	Bob Phillips	TCC, 10
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Jazz Music Reading Session	Al Hager	TCC, 11
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Beginning a Dynamic Recorder Program	Jim Tinter	TCC, 13
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Simply Schulwerk	Sue Mueller	TCC, 15
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Turning Your Drummers Into Percussionists and Then Into Musicians	John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw	TCC, 17
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Green Eggs and Ham: Creative Concert Programming	Andy Beck	TCC, 18
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Practical Repertoire for Building Tone and Musicianship (High School/ Advanced Middle School: TB, TBB, TTBB, SATB and SAB)	Ryan Hebert	TCC, 20
4 p.m 5 p.m.	21st Century String Pedagogy	Charles Laux, Jr.	TCC, 3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Avoid Extinction With Technology	Radio Cremata	TCC, 31
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Melodic Learning: Transforming the Teaching/Learning Paradigm Through the Neuroscience of Music	Susan Homan	TCC, 36
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FMEA Black Caucus Business Meeting and Reception		TCC, 37
4 p.m 5 p.m.	International Teaching Opportunities for Music Educators	Russell Robinson	TCC, 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Interview Strategies for Future Music Educators	Monty Musgrave	TCC, 7
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Music, Cognition and Neuroscience	Steven Demorest	TCC, 9
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 2	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FCMEA Meeting		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Improving Music Teacher Leadership: What Every Educator Must Know About Policy in Times of High Accountability	Cathy Benedict, Patrick Schmidt	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
4:30 p.m 5:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Intercollegiate Band, Conductor: Michael Haithcock		TCC, Ballroom A
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Men's Chorus, Conductor: Michael Dye All-State Reading Chorus, Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope		TCC, West Hall
7:30 p.m 9 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT High School Honors Band, Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips All-State Jazz Band, Conductor: Bill Prince		TCC, Ballroom A
7:45 p.m 9:15 p.m.	Folk Dance for Learning, Folk Dance for Fun	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
8:30 p.m 10 p.m.	FMEA All-State Student Reception		TCC, West Hall
9:15 p.m 10:15 p.m.	CONCERT The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet Director: Terry Bingham		TCC, Ballroom A



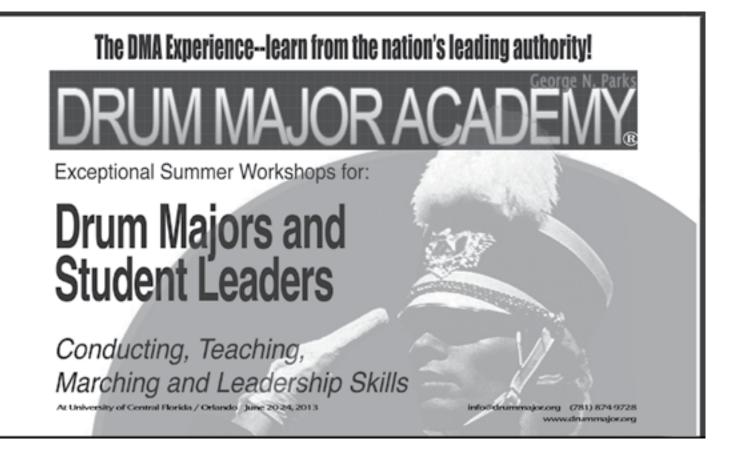


SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
7 a.m 8:30 a.m.	FOA Past Presidents Breakfast		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
7 a.m 8:30 a.m.	FMEA Past Presidents Breakfast		Waterside, Meeting Room 2
8 a.m 8:40 a.m.	Phi Beta Mu Business Meeting		TCC, 18
8 a.m 1 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
8:30 a.m 9 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT High School Honors Orchestra, Conductor: Andrew Lane		TCC, West Hall
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	It's May — I Think I Can!	Deanna Stark	TCC, 10
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Orff Schulwerk: A Creative Community	Sue Mueller	TCC, 13
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	A Band Director's Guide to the Percussion Section: Performance Techniques in Standard and Contemporary Wind Band Literature	Jeffrey Moore	TCC, 18
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Band and Choral Conductors: What Can We Learn From Each Other?	Frances Fonza, Shaun R. Popp	TCC, 20
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	A Fresh Look at Conn-Selmer	Derek Bowen	TCC, 3
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	FCMEA Business Meeting		TCC, 36
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Capo Use and Barre Chord Techniques	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
8:45 a.m 11 a.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside14-16
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
9:30 a.m 10 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT Middle School Honors Orchestra, Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo		TCC, West Hall
10 a.m 11 a.m.	Salsa – Picante – Spicy: Latin Music Styles	Alejandro Jimenez	TCC, 10
10 a.m 11 a.m.	Collaborative Composition: Speech Pieces From Start to Finish	Matt McCoy	TCC, 13
10 a.m 11:15 a.m.	NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting 2		TCC, 18
10 a.m 11 a.m.	The Jazz Vocal Ensemble: What Is It and How Does It Work?	Lawrence Lapin	TCC, 20
10 a.m 12 noon	CBDNA Business Meeting		TCC, 3
10 a.m 11 a.m.	What's New in Music Technology K-12	Jody Underwood	TCC, 31
10 a.m 10:45 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Treble Chorus, Conductor: Elena Sharkova		Waterside, Grand Ballroom
10:30 a.m 11 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Orchestra, Conductor: Deborah Perkins		TCC, West Hall
11 a.m 12:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Band, Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon Middle School Honors Band, Conductor: Eric W. Mendez		TCC, Ballroom A

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
11:15 a.m 12:15 p.m.	Schulwerk and the Arts, a Collaboration	Sue Mueller	TCC, 13
11:15 a.m 12:15 p.m.	MUTECH: A Customized Multi-Instrument Digital Lab	Jody Underwood	TCC, 31
11:30 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Gems of Choral Literature	Z. Randall Stroope	TCC, West Hall
12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.	FEMEA Choral Reading Session	Grace Jordan	TCC, 13
12:30 p.m 2 p.m.	Florida Vocal Association Past Presidents Luncheon		Waterside, Marriott Waterside Café
1 p.m 1:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus, Conductor: Trey Jacobs		Waterside, Grand Ballroom
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Orchestra, Conductor: John Whitney		TCC, Ballroom A
3 p.m 3:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Band, Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow		TCC, Ballroom A
5 p.m 5:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Women's Chorus, Conductor: Mitos Andaya		TCC, Ballroom A
6:15 p.m 6:45 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Chorus, Conductor: André J. Thomas		TCC, Ballroom A
7:30 p.m 8 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Symphonic Orchestra, Conductor: William LaRue Jones		TCC, Ballroom A
9 p.m 9:40 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Symphonic Band, Conductor: Bobby Adams		TCC, Ballroom A





## Rehearsal Sites & Times

## All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus

Hyatt Regency, Regency 1-3/ Marriott Waterside

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m2 p.m.
Thursday	2 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1:30 p.m4:30 p.m.
Saturday	11:30 a.m12:30 p.m.,
-	MW Grand Ballroom

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 1 p.m., Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom Conductor: Trey Jacobs

#### **All-State Treble Chorus**

Hyatt Regency, Regency 5-7/ Marriott Waterside

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m2 p.m.
Thursday	2 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1:30 p.m4:30 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m9:30 a.m.,
	MW, Grand Ballroom

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 10 a.m., Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom

Conductor: Elena Sharkova

#### **All-State Guitar Ensemble**

Marriott Waterside/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Tuesday	7 p.m9 p.m., MW, 8
Wednesday	8:30 a.m5 p.m., MW, 7
Thursday	8:30 a.m12 noon, MW,
	Florida Ballroom, 1-3
Thursday	12 noon-12:30 p.m., TCC, 20

#### CONCERT:

Thursday, January 10, 2013, 12:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, 20 Conductor: Stephen Robinson

#### All-State Concert Band

Sheraton Riverwalk, Riverwalk Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### RESEATING AUDITIONS:

Thursday, 9 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m12 noon
Saturday	2:30 p.m3 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 3 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow

#### **All-State Concert Chorus**

Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.
Thursday	1:30 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	5:15 p.m5:30 p.m., TCC, 18
Saturday	5:45 p.m6:15 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 6:15 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: André J. Thomas

#### All-State Concert Orchestra

Marriott Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 5-6/Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m10:30 a.m.
Saturday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 1:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

Conductor: John Whitney

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## All-State Elementary Chorus

Tampa Convention Center, West Hall & Ballroom A

#### **REHEARSALS:**

#### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 1 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Earlene Rentz

## All-State Intercollegiate Band

Doubletree Westshore, Lake Forest Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	9 a.m11 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m12 noon
Friday	3:30 p.m4:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

CONCERT: Friday, January 11, 2013, 4:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

Conductor: Michael Haithcock

#### **All-State Jazz Band**

Tampa Convention Center, 30A & Ballroom A

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Wednesday	2 p.m9 p.m., 30A
,	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m., 30A
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m., 30A
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m., 30A
Friday	8:30 a.m12 noon, 30A
Friday5:30 p	o.m6:30 p.m., Ballroom A

#### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Bill Prince

## All-State Middle School Band

Hyatt Regency, Buccaneer/ Tampa Convention Center

#### RESEATING AUDITIONS:

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m., Hyatt Regency Buccaneer

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m9 a.m., TCC, 22
Saturday	9:30 a.m10 a.m.,
-	TCC, Ballroom A

#### CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 11 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon

#### **All-State Symphonic Band**

Tampa Convention Center, 22

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m10:30 a.m.	
Flute	TCC, 7
Horn	TCC, 5
Trombone	TCC, 9
Percussion	TCC, 22
Tuba, Euphonium	TCC, 24
Clarinet	TCC, 36
Sax, Double Reed	TCC, 37
Trumpet	TCC, 39
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#### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 p.m9 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 9 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Bobby Adams

## All-State Symphonic Orchestra

Tampa Convention Center, 24

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

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Violin I	TCC, 20
Violin II	TCC, 18
Viola, Bass	TCC, 34
Cello	TCC, 35

#### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.
Saturday	7 p.m7:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: William LaRue Jones

#### **All-State Women's Chorus**

The Westin Harbour Island, Harbour Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	3:45 p.m4:15 p.m., TCC, 24
Saturday	4:30 p.m5 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 5 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Mitos Andaya





#### **High School Honors Band**

Sheraton Riverwalk, Bayshore Ballroom/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Friday	6:45 p.m7:30 p.m.,
-	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Friday, January 11, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips

#### **Middle School Honors Band**

Hyatt Regency, Esplanade/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

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Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m10 a.m.
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Saturday	10:30 a.m11 a.m.,
	TCC. Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 11 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Eric W. Mendez

#### **All-State Men's Chorus**

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Gandy/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Friday	5:30 p.m6 p.m.,
	TCC, West Hall

#### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 6 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Michael Dye

## All-State Middle School Orchestra

Marriott Waterside, 8/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m10:30 a.m.,
	TCC, West Hall

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 10:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Deborah Perkins

### **All-State Reading Chorus**

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Bayside Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.
Thursday	1:30 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m4:30 p.m.
Friday	4:45 p.m5:15 p.m.,
	TCC, West Hall

#### **REQUIRED PERFORMANCE:**

Gems of Choral L	iterature Session
Saturday	11 a.m12:30 p.m.,
	TCC. West Hall

#### **CONCERT:**

Friday, January 11, 2013, 6 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope

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#### High School Honors Orchestra

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Skyway/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.,
-	TCC, West Hall

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 8:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall

Conductor: Andrew Lane

#### Middle School Honors Orchestra

Sheraton Riverwalk, Riverview/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m9:30 a.m.,
•	TCC, West Hall

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## Congratulations to 2012 Hall of Fame Inductees

Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D., and Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D.

Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D., is professor and department chair emeritus in music education and music therapy at the University of Miami (Fla.) Frost School of Music. Her area of expertise is general music, K-12 and early childhood music education. She was primarily involved in the teacher-training program, teaching elementary and secondary general music



education methods classes and serving as the coordinator of all music internships and supervisor of elementary placements. In addition, she taught graduate courses in general music education, pedagogy and early childhood music education and guided both master's theses and doctoral dissertations. Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo received the B.M. in piano performance (1965), the M.M.E. from the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music (1970) and the Ph.D. in music education from Kent State University (1981).

Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo is an active researcher in early childhood music education and has published widely in music education journals, including Journal of Research in Music Education, Council for Research in Music Education, Psychomusicology and *General Music Today.* Over her career she has presented research and served as a clinician at international, national and local venues regarding the importance of music from birth through the elementary years. Awards include: president, Florida College Music Educators Association (1988) and founder of Research Perspectives in Music Education during that term; Florida College Teacher of the Year (1997); University of Miami Philip Frost Award for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship (1999); Kent State School of Music Alumni Achievement Award (2003); Lifetime Membership Award from Early Childhood Music and Movement Association (2006); Award for Excellence in Early Childhood Programming by Miami Children's Trust

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Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D., is associate dean of administration and professor of music education and music therapy emeritus at the University of Miami (Fla.), where he oversaw all administrative matters in the Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music, taught conducting and undergraduate and graduate courses in instrumental methods, supervised associ-

ate teachers and guided numerous graduate student theses and dissertations. A native of Youngstown, Ohio, Dr. DeCarbo attended Youngstown State University, where he received the bachelor's (1968) and master's (1971) degrees in music education. He received the Ph.D. in music education from Kent State University (1981), where he received the University Graduate Teaching Award. He taught at Louisiana State University for one year before coming to the University of Miami School of Music in 1982.

Dr. DeCarbo began his teaching career in the public schools of West Middlesex (Penn.), where he taught instrumental music at the elementary, junior high and senior high school levels for 10 years. In addition, he served as music director and conductor of the Youngstown (Ohio) Symphony Youth Orchestra for 12 years. Dr. DeCarbo studied advanced conducting with Franz Bibo and John Boyd. He has more than 400 guest conducting experiences throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico in chamber music, opera, symphony orchestra and wind bands. For 25 years, Dr. DeCarbo was the music director and conductor of the South Florida Honor Band Festival, which brought together talented high school instrumentalists from across the state of Florida to the Frost School of Music campus for two days of master classes, large ensemble rehearsals and a performance for the public.

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#### FMEA 2012 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

### Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D.

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Foundation (2006); 25-Year Service Award from Florida Music Educators' Association (2009); tapped for membership in Beta Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Lambda Graduate Honor Society (2010); and an honored VIP member of Covington *Who's Who* (2012).

Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo served as president of the Early Childhood Music and Movement Association (ECMMA) from 1996 to 1998. ECMMA is the only organization committed to advocacy for music and movement for children from birth to 8 years old. She continues to serve on the editorial research review board for ECMMA Perspectives, the official journal of the organization. She published quarterly articles in Early Childhood Connections from 1995 to 2005, a broadly circulated journal focused on the impact of the arts on children's early development. She is the co-author of the chapter "Music and Early Childhood Education" in The New Handbook of Research on Music Teaching and Learning, published in 2002. Following six years of research with infants to 5-year-olds, supported by grants from the Miami Children's Trust, Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo was the lead author of a chapter in the book Learning From Young Children: Research in Early Childhood Music, published in 2011. She continues to advocate for music in preschools. She and colleague Dr. Joy Galliford have created a research-based curriculum, Experience the Music, that is easily integrated into a preschool schedule and can be delivered by the classroom teacher.

A native of Louisville, Ky., Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo has one brother and one sister and seven great nieces and nephews, who continue to reside in Louisville.

### Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D.

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Dr. DeCarbo has published research in the major journals in music education, including the *Journal of Research in Music Education, Journal of Band Research, Contributions to Music Education, Research Perspectives in Music Education* and *Music Educators Journal*. His main research interests are error detection for conductors and administration in higher education in music. He published *Error Detection for Conductors* (4<sup>th</sup> edition) with Richard Fiese. He has chapters in books for Oxford University Press (*The New Handbook in Teaching and Learning*), the National Association of Schools of Music and the College Music Society. Dr. DeCarbo served as editor for *Research Perspectives in Music Education* from 1998 to 2000 for the Florida Music Educators' Association and was on its editorial board from 2000 to 2012. He was research chairman for FMEA from 1986 to 1988.

Dr. DeCarbo received the Phillip Frost Award for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship from the Frost School of Music faculty in 2006. When he retired from the University of Miami in May 2011, President Donna Shalala honored Dr. DeCarbo for his exemplary work at the university. Dr. DeCarbo has one brother, Michael. Michael and his wife, Donna, reside in Enon, Ohio.

Please help me to applaud
all these worthy awardees.
As you read about the 2012
FMEA award winners,
you may have exemplary
teachers or programs come
to mind. Please remember
them when next year's nomination period
rolls around.

Debbie Fahmie FMEA Awards Chairwoman

## Florida Music Educators' Association Selects 2012 Award Winners

The FMEA Awards Program recognizes the efforts and accomplishments of exemplary music teachers, school and district administrators, business leaders and others who have made an outstanding contribution to music education. Their efforts help FMEA attain our mission of promoting a quality, comprehensive music education for all Florida students as a part of a complete education. Please join FMEA in applauding these individuals, as well as all the awardees before them, as we strive to improve music education throughout our state.

### Superintendent of the Year

The Superintendent of the Year designation is awarded to the Florida school district superintendent who is not a professional music educator, but has displayed ardent support of the district's school music programs. This award recognizes leadership, excellence in encouragement and promotion of music education in Florida schools. The recipient must have demonstrated significant efforts in support of music education, resulting in awareness or enhancement of the county's music program.



Congratulations to Lori White, superintendent, Sarasota County; nominated by Angela Hartvigsen.

**Lori White** has served as superintendent of Sarasota County Schools since 2008 and is

renowned across the district and state for her support of music and arts education. Mrs. White grew up in Sarasota and has spent her entire career as a teacher and then an administrator in the district. She served as director of curriculum and instruction from 1995 to 2003. In 2003, she was appointed associate superintendent of instructional services. Mrs. White attended Florida State University for both her bachelor's and master's degrees. She is married with two grown children and two grandchildren.

Despite an era of challenging budgetary shortfalls and recommendations from an outside audit to cut music and art positions, Mrs. White has staunchly supported the presence of the arts in all of Sarasota's public schools. Her support has led the way to Sarasota County being designated as the seventh district chosen for the Kennedy Center's *Any Given Child* initiative. This initiative addresses access and equity in arts experiences for all students K-8, using the existing resources of the school district, the local arts community and the Kennedy Center. Mrs. White is an eloquent speaker about the arts and their importance to a

child's whole education. She is also proud to tell you about her days playing the violin at school.

#### Music Educator of the Year

The Music Educator of the Year designation is awarded to the music educator who has served his or her students, community and profession in an exemplary manner. This award recognizes outstanding merit in music teaching. The recipient must have demonstrated notable achievement as a music education professional for 10 or more years.



Congratulations to Karen W. Bouton, music teacher from Graceville Elementary School in Jackson County; nominated by Anita Travaglino on behalf of FEMEA.

National board certified teacher Karen Bouton

has touched numerous lives through music throughout Florida. Currently the music teacher at Graceville Elementary (a two-time Music Demonstration School), Mrs. Bouton holds the B.M. from the University of Alabama and the M.S. in music education from Troy University. She is a former Teacher of the Year, and her students have performed at AOSA (1999) and the FMEA conference (2001). Mrs. Bouton has served as the children's choir director and pianist at her church, as an adjunct professor of music education and theory at Florida Baptist College and as an assessor for the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. She is a writer for item specs, as well as a writer and a reviewer, for the Florida Music Assessment Project.

Her ongoing service to the community is only a small part of her commitment to promoting elementary music education. Mrs. Bouton has been serving on the FEMEA's board of directors since 1997, first as District VI chairwoman, then president-elect, president and now immediate past president. She also served

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on the FMEA's board of directors from 2009 to 2011 and on the Graceville Arts League's board of directors from 2004 to 2009.

Passionate about professional development and providing a comprehensive music education for all students in the state of Florida, Mrs. Bouton has planned and coordinated several workshops throughout Florida and has been an integral part in reaching out to teachers in some of the underserviced areas in the state, especially the panhandle, resulting in increased membership and student achievement. In 2011, Mrs. Bouton initiated and planned the inaugural Panhandle Honors Chorus. In 2012, the event grew tremendously. She is a tireless advocate for music education and an inspiration to both students and teachers alike.

### Distinguished Service Award

The Distinguished Service designation is awarded to persons or organizations outside the field of professional music education. This award recognizes exceptional service to or support of music education. The recipient(s) must have demonstrated noteworthy contributions to music education, with statewide impact preferred.



Congratulations to Beaches Fine Arts Series, Kathryn Wallis, executive director; nominated by April Laymon on behalf of FEMEA.

In 1972, the **Beaches Fine Arts Series** (BFAS) began offering the people of the Jacksonville

Metropolitan area free world-class music and dance performances eight times a year. St. Paul's by-the-Sea Episcopal Church in Jacksonville Beach is the setting for the majority of the concerts, but BFAS also brings extraordinary artists to downtown Jacksonville at various venues. At least once per season, the annual "Beach Meets West!" program introduces a wider audience to the series. Programming encompasses eclectic styles from classical to contemporary, from jazz to world music and dance, from traditional to avant-garde.

BFAS has always been guided by the belief that great art transcends the artificial boundaries of race, class, religion, education, age and economic status. The concerts are always free to the public. In addition, each performing artist that presents on the series also participates in an educational outreach for the children in Duval County schools. BFAS works closely with Duval County Public Schools' district music coordinators to assure that underserved and inner-city youth have an opportunity to participate in the outreach program. BFAS even pays for bus transportation to the concerts to assure these students are provided this experience

Once per year, BFAS brings an artist or a group to select

schools for an entire week in an extended residency. This indepth study is complemented with activity books and lesson plans produced by BFAS for teachers to relate art and music with core academic subjects including math, literacy and history. The Duval County community is a brighter and better place as a result of the Beaches Fine Arts Series. Nominator April Laymon says, "Beaches Fine Arts Series not only recognizes the power of the arts—they are a compelling force in making sure that the arts do not disappear from our schools."

#### Leadership Award

The Leadership designation is awarded to an individual who demonstrates outstanding and sustained skill in a leadership or an administrative capacity and who carries the mission of FMEA forward throughout the state and/or the nation. The recipient must have demonstrated notable achievements as a leader in promotion of music education and a continued commitment to the profession.



Congratulations to Joseph L. Luechauer, music and performing arts curriculum supervisor, Broward County Public Schools; nominated by LuAnne Leone on behalf of FEMEA.

Since 2000, Joseph Luechauer has served as the music and performing arts curriculum supervisor for the school board of Broward County. In that capacity, he supervises programs for 235 schools. He is immediate past president of the Florida Music Educators' Association and has served since 2005 as an executive board member. In addition, Mr. Luechauer has represented Florida as a national assembly and southern division board member of the National Association for Music Education. From 2005 through 2007, he served as president of the Florida Music Supervision Association. He is an active member of the Florida Bandmasters Association, where he is involved as a certified adjudicator and has served as chairman of the Ethics committee. Additional leadership positions include state chairman of the American School Band Directors Association and member of the Phi Beta Mu Steering committee. He is a framer for the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards and a reviewer for the Florida Department of Education Music Assessment Grant. Mr. Luechauer earned his undergraduate and master's degrees from Florida Atlantic University.

Mr. Luechauer is not only passionate and dedicated about his work, but he is also a visionary leader with a keen sense of timing. As president of FMSA, he demonstrated his visionary skills in organizing a strong conference event for administrators of arts-focused schools. This conference was the impetus for the Florida Arts Network of Administrators. Mr. Luechauer is a founding member of this organization, which is a lasting legacy of his work for music education in the state.

Another example of Mr. Luechauer's visionary leadership is the creation of the Conference committee, instituted under his FMEA presidency. This committee has led to the planning and implementation of some of our most successful FMEA conferences, despite several unique and unprecedented challenges faced in those years.

#### Exemplary Model Program/ Project Award

The Exemplary Model Program/Project designation is awarded to an individual or groups for meritorious, exemplary or innovative programs or projects completed in the field of music education. Projects may include exemplary model and/or innovative music education programs or projects that provided or continue to provide a significant, positive impact on students, music educators and/or the state/community.



Congratulations to Robert Chisholm and Scott Rudes for "The Rhythm of Life: A School-Community Arts Integration Partnership With the Florida Aquarium"; nominated by Robert Chisholm.

This project brought together 200 K-12 students from Hillsborough County to participate in an integration of marine science and the arts. "The Rhythm of Life" event brought together students, teachers and administrators from all of the arts schools in Hillsborough County in a celebration of learning in and through the arts. Music educators and other arts professionals joined together in a district professional learning community to collaborate on integrated lesson plans for students. Deborah Barron, Robert Chisholm, Shana Christian, Scott Rudes, Mariana Socorro, Meredith Scribner and Seth Travaglino were collaborators on this project.

The project provided the unique opportunity for music educators and young musicians from elementary, middle and high schools to come together and participate in a common share-out of what was learned. "Process over product" was a consistent theme throughout each class, and the students not only demonstrated their newfound knowledge of what they experienced about marine life, but they also displayed a profound enthusi-

asm for what they were able to share through music and other art forms. Numerous leadership opportunities were provided for students at all levels, culminating in a final project that celebrated the power of music and the arts in daily life. Groups were placed throughout the aquarium to demonstrate the process of what was learned about marine life in and through music and the arts. Lesson plans were provided to all participants in order for educators to replicate these lessons in their own classrooms.

This project provided a national model for members of the Arts Schools Network conference. After observing events such as a group of middle and high school jazz musicians demonstrating improvisation based on the movements of sea creatures, and choral students using the process of echolocation to communicate with each other throughout the aquarium, Kristy Callaway, executive director of the Arts Schools Network, exclaimed, "The excitement generated by what the students learned and their ability to share that experience was truly magical!"

#### Administrator of the Year Award

The Administrator of the Year designation is awarded to a school administrator who is not a professional music educator, but who displays ardent support of the school music program. This award recognizes leadership, excellence in encouragement and promotion of music education in Florida schools. The recipient must have demonstrated significant efforts in support of music education resulting in awareness or enhancement of the school's music program and allocation of resources.

Congratulations to Myra Russell, principal, Gene Witt Elementary School in Manatee County (Elementary Administrator of the Year); nominated by Julie Hebert.

Myra Russell has been the instructional leader at Gene Witt Elementary in Manatee County since 1995. Under Ms. Russell's leadership, Gene Witt Elementary has consistently been rated an "A" school and has received 5-Star School Distinction as well as countless other accolades. Prior to taking the leadership reins at Gene Witt, Ms. Russell served as an assistant principal at Abel Elementary and taught second, third and fourth grades in Florida and Pennsylvania. Ms. Russell's encouragement and assistance have fostered a model music program at Gene Witt Elementary. In a time when music programs are being cut due to budget constraints or state pressures to perform well on standardized tests, Ms. Russell's actions have not only sustained the music program at Gene Witt Elementary, but have

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also promoted the necessity for strong music programs locally as well as throughout the state.

Under Ms. Russell's supportive leadership, the doors to Gene Witt Elementary School have been opened to host a variety of events that enhance music education. Music teacher workshops, in-services, conferences, all-state chorus adjudication and more have been hosted at the school. Ms. Russell's commitment to the cause assures that these are all offered free of charge. This means that Ms. Russell herself will be on site even when the events extend well beyond the normal school day or on the weekend. She does so cheerfully because she knows these events are contributing to the improvement of music education for those beyond her school.

When a doctoral student approached several elementary schools about conducting music education research as part of a dissertation project, Ms. Russell was one of the few administrators who showed interest in the project. Once she realized that the dissertation project would contribute to the field of music education, she not only agreed to have her school involved, but she also rearranged the entire school's schedule to accommodate the research.

Ms. Russell attends every performance, even when they take place out of town. She occasionally makes a guest appearance as part of a performance or provides a celebratory ice cream party for the students after the event. Ms. Russell has even been seen performing a "Rooftop Rap" as a reward for students raising \$10,000 for special area classes, including music and art.

In 2011, Gene Witt Elementary was listed as the number four performing elementary school in the state of Florida, as evidence by FCAT statistics. When asked what her school was doing differently to outperform other schools with similar demographics, Ms. Russell reported that Gene Witt's fine arts programs were the difference.

Congratulations to Sherry T. Wells, principal, Ridge Community High School in Polk County (Secondary Administrator of the Year); nominated by Roanna Combs.

Sherry Wells is an unconditional supporter of the fine arts at Ridge Community High School. Mrs. Wells is a woman of great passion, dedication and vision. Working with an open-door policy, she is immensely committed to every student, faculty and staff member, with the expectation of high accomplishments from all. She firmly believes that music and the fine arts play a significant role in the comprehensive and educational development of students.

Mrs. Wells is in her eighth year as principal of Ridge

Community High School. After earning her bachelor's degree from Morehead State University in 1986, she began her teaching career at Lake Wales High School, where she developed the largest Polk County Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America. After earning the master's degree in educational leadership at St. Leo College in 1998, her career moved her to Lakeland High School as the assistant principal for curriculum, where she worked until she was asked to open a brand new high school, Ridge Community, as principal.

Upon her appointment as principal, Mrs. Wells immediately established a strong commitment to music education at Ridge Community by hiring a distinguished music faculty. In the very first year of existence, the program achieved superior ratings at music performance assessments. This was, in part, due to the support of Mrs. Wells, who ensured appropriate funding and allocation of resources to the music program. This program has grown so much over the past seven years that the music faculty now includes three full-time music teachers and one part-time string instructor.

Mrs. Wells continually seeks to expand and improve arts offerings for her students. With her insistence, a strings program was introduced at Ridge Community a year ago and has already doubled in size. In addition, the first Recording Arts Academy in the Polk County school district was begun at Ridge Community under Mrs. Wells' visionary leadership. She has dedicated space, resources, individualized schedules and much more to ensure the success of the academy, which is a partnership with Workforce Education and the Department of Fine Arts. Mrs. Wells' support of quality music education extends beyond Ridge Community High School as well. She is a strong advocate throughout Polk County. Beyond supporting music at her school with resources, quality scheduling and her own personal time, Mrs. Wells has hosted districtwide events.

Mrs. Wells is totally committed to excellence in the arts. She is a lady of high standards and asks no more than she gives in return. With her extraordinary vision for the future, all Ridge Community High School's fine arts programs hold much opportunity and rigor.

#### 2012 Music Education Service Award

The Music Education Service designation is awarded to music educators who have been active in music education for 25 years or more. This award recognizes the outstanding service of our members who have committed themselves to this profession for most of their adult lives. This year, we celebrate **499** total years of teaching among the following honorees:

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Mr. Dewey A. Dodds	years
Mr. Russell L. Bertles31.5 J.H. Workman Middle School, Escambia County	years
Ms. Melinda A. Rogers31.5  Davis Elementary School, Hillsborough County	years
Ms. Carol J. Allen	years
Ms. Kathy Burrier	years
<b>Dr. Gordon R. Brock</b>	years
Mr. William T. Henley	years

#### 50-Year Music Education Service Award

The 50-Year Music Education Service designation acknowledges that the members have shaped the growth and development of music education through the years. This award pays tribute to members who have been active in music education for 50 years for their dedication to the profession. Even beyond retirement, these individuals have remained active members of FMEA. Congratulations to this year's honoree:

Mr. John DeYoung, Retired Member Joined FMEA in 1952 Served as FMEA president, 1983-1985 Taught at Bartow High School in Polk County, 1960-1985

## Middle/High School Music Enrollment Awards

The Middle and High School Music Enrollment designation is awarded to music programs demonstrating high enrollment in music courses. This award recognizes the effectiveness of programs that offer attractive music curricula as well as those that excel in the recruitment and retention of students. Schools hold the award for three years. They may be looked to as models of quality programming, scheduling, recruitment and retention of students. To qualify for this award, at least 35 percent at the high school level and 45 percent at the middle school level of the entire student body must be enrolled in a music course. Congratulations to the following schools:

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Southwest Florida Christian Academy,

**Middle School** – Lee County.......46% Gail Blackburn; Jennifer Rouskey

**J.H. Workman Middle School** – Escambia County.......46% Russell Bertles; Zenda Swearengin; H. Cecil Clark

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Florida Christian Middle School – Miami-Dade County47%	Memorial Middle School – Orange County54%
Angela Goff; Timothy Miner; Barbara Kingman; Jeannine Stemmer	Marcus Collins; Jennifer Erickson; Tiffany Thomas
	Cypress Palm Middle School – Collier County55%
Marianna Middle School – Jackson County48% Amy Allen; Joyce Lingerfelt	Elizabeth Ceto; Paxon Roan
Thirty force English	Wolf Lake Middle School – Orange County57%
Southwest Middle School – Orange County48% Rebecca Hammac; Amy Bernloehr; Katherine Zeng	Lindsay Cannon; David Laniewski; Ashley Cobb
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Jim C. Bailey Middle School – Escambia County57%
Judson Walker Middle School – Orange County49%	Larry Hughes; Virginia Clark; Ashley White; Lona Robinson;
Tashianna Torres; Catherine Basarich	Christy Stump; Nicole Matson
Pine Ridge Middle School – Collier County49%	Woodrow Wilson Middle School
Kelly Hardman Parker; Stephen Detjen; Nanette Grant	Hillsborough County57%
	Kristy Dell; Timothy Fox
Progress Village Middle Magnet School of the Arts –	
Hillsborough County50%	SunRidge Middle School – Orange County57%
Robert Chisholm; Kelly Cottet; Kristen Franzen	Joanna Sell; Missie Ellis; Rhea Parks-Smith
Herbert C. Hoover Middle School – Brevard County51%	Conway Middle School – Orange County62%
Sue Antonition; Crystal Golinello; Laura Pinfield	Keith Nichols; Nancy Wood
Indian Trails Middle School – Seminole County51%	McLaughlin Middle School and Fine Arts Academy –
Monique McIntyre; Jason Ernst	Polk County66%
	David Fisher; Seth Pendergast; Colin Hansen; Dathan Boone
Williams Middle Magnet School – Hillsborough County 51%	
Leslie Wolfe; Robert Halczyn	Freedom Middle School – Orange County68%
Arbor Ridge Middle School – Orange County52%	Jennifer Rhodes; Autumn Hassell; Jennifer Ashpaugh Boles
Pam Guess	James Madison Middle School – Brevard County77%
	Paul Jackson; Dustin Werner; Dennis Phillips
South Miami Middle Community School Center for the Arts	
- Miami-Dade County52%	St. Edwards School, Middle School –
Francisco Williams; Besnik Hashani; Leslie Denning	Indian River County86%
	Allyson Royster; Daniel Koh
Howard Middle School Academy for the Visual and	
Performing Arts – Orange County53%	St. Edwards School, Upper School –
Aaron Penfield; Melissa Sandusky; Damon Wille; Linda Kessler	Indian River County88%
	Daniel Koh; Allyson Royster
Mulrennan Middle School – Hillsborough County53%	
Donald Langland; Michael Vail; Bryce Mallernee	Pine Crest School, Middle School – Broward County88%
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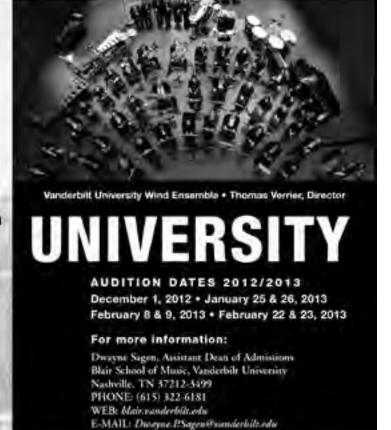


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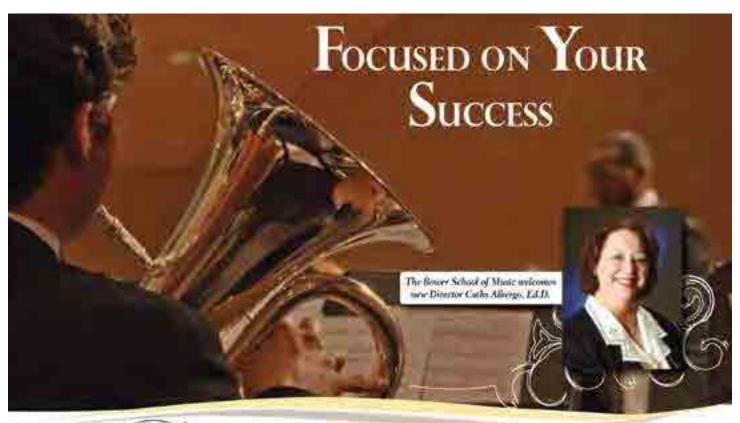
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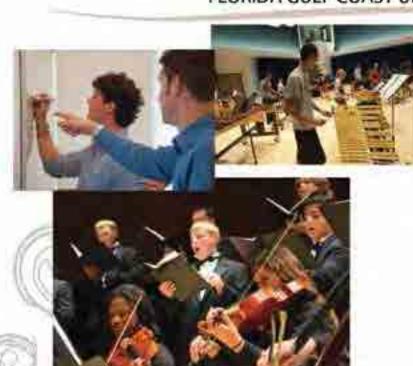
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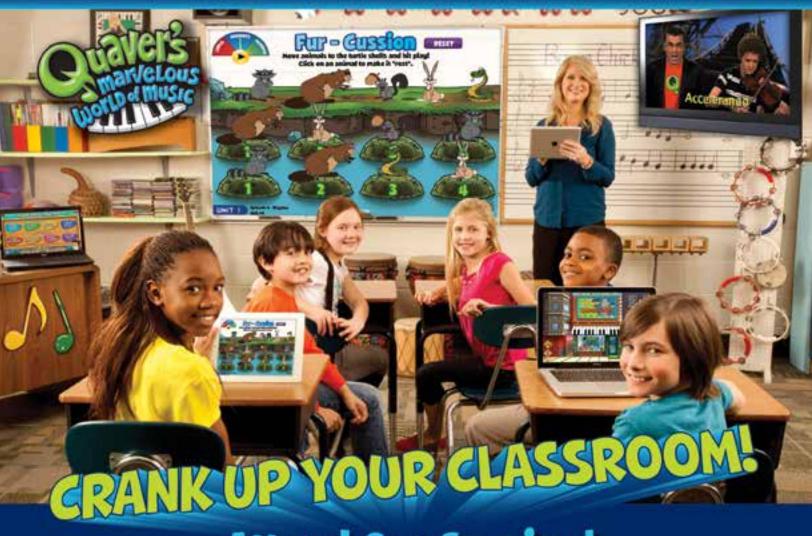
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Our theme this year is "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." Our overall idea continues: "Together" we make the same music. We need to continue to build and develop new relationships with each other, our students and all stakeholders to build a strong, quality and comprehensive music education for all. Conference sessions will emphasize successful practices for promoting interaction with colleagues and students, cooperative teamwork and partnerships across the disciplines.

Many thanks to Beth Cummings, FMEA president-elect, for putting together the outstanding Pre-Conference, "Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment: Where Are We and Where Are We Going?" Sessions will provide participants with an overview of how to begin to prepare for assessments by unpacking the NGSSS. In addition, there will be special sessions for new and new-to-Florida teachers, clinics on how to integrate Common Core Literacy Standards, as well as our third annual Student Leadership Workshop led by Kevin Ford and Fran Kick. Wow!

Consider putting the President's Concert and the University Night Concerts on your list of mustattend events. If you need a little inspiration, there is no substitute for hearing great music performed by students who have been well taught. I encourage you to make a special effort to attend both general sessions to hear outstanding performances by our college students and faculty, The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble and The United States Army Brass Quintet. You won't want to miss Touch, the University of South Florida iPad Quintet. Audience members are encouraged to bring their own iPad or iPhone (or any portable device) with an app installed that includes percussion sounds. "Percussions" from Chimson Technology, "Bongos" and "Congas" from Skunk Brothers and "ThumbJam" from Sonosaurus are good choices. Come prepared to join in on the fun!

Kudos and much appreciation go to our conference chairman, Dr. John Southall, and the Conference committee, along with our component organizations, committee chairpersons, exhibits managers and our amazing FMEA office staff coordinated by Dr. Kathleen Sanz, executive director, for their tireless efforts to prepare for this conference. Thank you as well to our members who work and live in the Tampa Bay area, who provide much of the materials and resources needed to make this conference happen.

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It is a pleasure to welcome you to the Florida Music Educators' Association's 2013 Professional Development Conference and All-State Concerts to be held in Tampa, January 9-12, 2013, with the theme "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." We are proud once again to host this event, and we know the organizers have worked bard to ensure your visit is memorable.

The City of Tampa is committed to making sure our citizens, particularly our children, are provided an opportunity for a thriving educational experience and is appreciative of the Florida Music Educators' Association's mission of promoting quality, comprehensive music education for all Florida students as a part of their comprehensive education.

For those of you who are new to our area, I hope you will have the opportunity to experience the many cultural and historical attractions our city has to offer. We have exciting nightlife, a diverse selection of great restaurants and some of the state's best attractions. Of particular note are the Tampa Bay History Center, the Tampa Museum of Art, the Glazer Children's Museum and the Curtis Hixon Waterfront Park. All of these facilities are located along our downtown riverfront, and they are a true reflection of our community's history, heritage and commitment to the arts.

Again, thank you for your efforts, and best wishes for a successful conference.

Sincerely.

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# to the Florida Music Educators' Association 2013 Annual Professional Development Conference and All-State Concerts

### Executive **NOTES**



Kathleen D. Sanz, Ph.D. Executive Director—FMEA/FSMA

he conference theme, "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration," focuses on the need for collaborating with our colleagues for the betterment of Florida's students.

The 2013 FMEA Professional Development Conference has a multitude of opportunities for educators to hear from leading experts during sessions that are applicable to and directly related to both teaching and learning. Instrumental and vocal ensembles will fill the halls with music. All-state conductors will provide exemplary models during rehearsals and performances. Take the time to observe the leading conductors in the field!

The opportunity to attend one of the largest music education conferences, with more than 8,000 attendees, is truly inspirational and educational. The networking of professionals who work with students pre-K through college gives us a chance to see the sequential and spiraling curricula for students in music education. This conference provides an opportunity for collaborations with music merchants, students, parents and community artists, providing a unique experience for all attendees.

Our continual focus on improving music education for students in the state, through interactions with colleagues and fellow students and by remaining current in the field of education, defines us as leaders in music education.

Remember to visit the exhibition hall for the latest instructional materials and products. You can show your support by talking with the exhibitors and sharing the needs of your students and program. Our exhibitors provide an opportunity for us to work together with the industry to provide our students with the most up-to-date equipment and materials. Make a concerted effort to lead the way in the industry by sharing your expertise from the classroom with these knowledgeable businesspeople.

Download the conference app onto your iPad and/or iPhone so you will have the most current updates on the conference's schedule and other information. You may want to bookmark sessions you want to be sure not to miss.

The FMEA Board of Directors and staff are here to provide assistance in any way possible to make the conference a learning experience that generates renewed enthusiasm for music education for ALL Florida students.

We are in some challenging times for education. The FMEA Professional Development Conference provides a unique opportunity to renew acquaintances and build new collaborations. Working together, we have the power to make a positive difference for music education and Florida's students.

Have a wonderful professional development experience! ∃

Kathleen D. Sanz, Ph.D.

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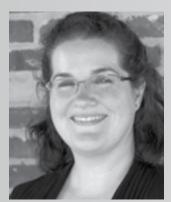
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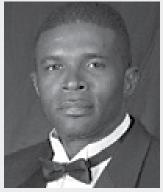


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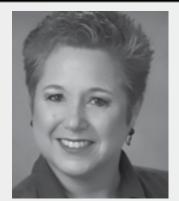
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January 9, 2013



John K. Southall, Ph.D. FMEA Conference Chairman

Dear FMEA members, dignitaries and guests:

elcome to the 2013 FMEA Professional Development Conference and All-State Concerts. This annual event has grown over the years to become one of the nation's most distinguished conferences with a primary focus on the professional development of K-20 music educators. The conference's activities will include more than 175 clinic sessions, 20 all-state ensemble concerts and 12 invited ensemble performances.

Numerous individuals from across the state have been organizing what will prove to be an outstanding conference for all. The FMEA Board of Directors, Executive committee, Conference committee and component associations have worked diligently for the past 11 months to develop the most comprehensive conference for all. Our principal concern during the conference is to assist in making your experience educationally rewarding.

Warmest regards are in order for our new FMEA event coordinators Joel Pagan, Wes Rainer, Jason Albert, Dominick Eggen, Debbie Mock and Jane Whitaker. The event coordinators will be working with all invited performing ensembles and all-state ensemble coordinators for a seamless rehearsal and performance process throughout the conference.

There are many wonderful performances scheduled during the conference this year with secondary, college and professional ensembles. The Wednesday evening President's Concert will feature three outstanding high school ensembles. Thursday evening will feature college and professional ensembles. The all-state ensembles will begin their performances on Thursday afternoon and continue on Friday and Saturday. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet will be the late night Friday featured professional ensemble.

We have many exciting and inspirational activities planned for the first general session on Thursday and the second general session on Friday. The FMEA awards presentations will again be the highlight of Friday's general session. Also, President Sheila King will lead us in a magnificent grand opening of the conference exhibits area on Thursday at 12:15 p.m.

Please let us know if we can be of assistance to you, and on behalf of the FMEA Board of Directors, have a wonderful conference.  $\exists$ 

Sincerely,

John K. Southall, Ph.D.

FMEA Conference Chairman Florida Music Educators' Association

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# History of the FMEA Professional Development Conference

With grateful appreciation, the Florida Music Educators' Association recognizes the history of this annual Conference and the chronology of its outstanding leadership.

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1965

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1970 & 1971

Conference Site:

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1972

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1973

Conference Site: Gainesville

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1974 & 1975

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Daytona Beach

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1976 & 1977

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1978

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2000 & 2001

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2002 & 2003

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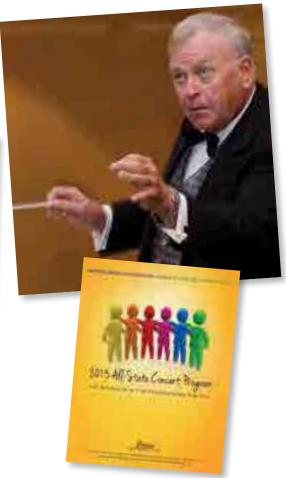
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# All-State Tickets





# Policies & Procedures

- 1. Registered (badged) attendees do not require tickets to attend any all-state concert held at the Tampa Convention Center or the Marriott Waterside Hotel. These include directors/members, directors' non-teaching spouses, performing all-state students, registered chaperons, collegiate student members, retired members and VIP guests that directors entered as part of their conference registration.
- 2. There are no concerts at the Straz Center for the Performing Arts during the January 2013 conference, so there is no longer a need for badged attendees to request free tickets as in years past.
- 3. All non-registered (non-badged) attendees (parents, family members, guests, etc.) are required to purchase tickets for any all-state concert they wish to attend at \$10.00 per ticket.
- 4. A director who preregisters online may reserve and prepay for all-state concert tickets for non-registered attendees for concerts in which he or she has registered all-state students as follows: 1 registered student = 2 tickets. If paid for online, these tickets will be preloaded into the director's registration package.

- Directors who register on site and register all-state students may purchase all of their required tickets during the on-site registration process.
- 6. Directors with all-state students may purchase additional concert tickets for nonregistered attendees for concerts in which they have performing students at the conference registration desk or at designated ticket sales locations at anytime.
- 7. General ticket sales for all-state concerts will begin at 11 a.m. on Friday at the FMEA registration desk. There is no requirement that the director or any other registered attendee be the person purchasing these tickets after this time.
- 8. All ticket sales are final. There are no refunds for any concert tickets.
- 9. For entrance, ticketing and concert purposes, a concert is defined as the pair of ensembles performing in the same venue in a common, defined block of time. An example of a "concert" for purposes of entrance, ticketing, etc., is Friday's 6 p.m. concert for the All-State Men's Chorus and the All-State Reading Chorus.

There are no concerts in the Straz center during the January 2013 conference. If you have additional questions or wish further clarification on ticket policies, please contact FMEA business manager, Richard Brown at richard@flmusiced.org or at the conference registration desk.



Remember to bring the All-State Concert Program that you will get at your first concert to each of the concerts.

A: Tickets for family members and guests beyond those taken care of by the standard student ticket allotment (2 per student) may be purchased from the registration desks anytime prior to 10 a.m. on Saturday. These tickets are \$10.00 each.

if I have <u>paid</u> for allotted student tickets for family members, can the family members pick them up at the FMEA registration desk?

A: No, these tickets will be preloaded into the director's registration package. It is your responsibility to make arrangements to get the tickets to each student's family members.

Q: If I purchase additional tickets for family members/guests after 11 a.m. on Friday, can I leave them at the FMEA registration desk for pickup later?

A: No. Once you purchase tickets, it is your responsibility to see that the tickets are given to the person(s) attending the concert.  $\exists$ 

# Frequently Asked Questions

D: If I register myself and my all-state student(s) online, but do not purchase my full allotment of tickets for family members at that time, do I have to wait until 11 a.m. on Friday to purchase those tickets?

A: No. You may purchase tickets for the ensemble(s) in which you have registered students any other time prior to 10 a.m. on Saturday at the on-site registration laptops.

I have a registered all-state student in one ensemble. Can I <u>purchase</u> a ticket for myself to attend another ensemble performance prior to 11 a.m. on Friday?

A: If you are a registered attendee, you are not required to <u>purchase</u> a ticket for any all-state performance. Your badge is all that is required for entry.

When do I get their tickets? There are more family members/guests coming to watch my all-state student(s) perform than the student ratio allotment (1 Student = 2 Tickets) allows. How and when do I get their tickets?

# Code of Conduct



# Student Curfew

- 1. Curfew for students on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights is from 11 p.m. until 6 a.m. Curfew for students on Saturday night begins at 11 p.m. or one hour after the end of the concert and lasts until 6 a.m. Curfew means that students must be in their rooms and remain there during the hours stated.
- Thirty (30) minutes after curfew, students not in their assigned rooms will be subject to withdrawal. If curfews are violated, members from that student's school component group will not be accepted for professional development conference participation the following year.

# Student Conduct

- Students must remain reasonably quiet at all times in hotel rooms, both day and night. People in neighboring rooms who are not connected with the Conference may be trying to sleep. Television and radios may only be played with volume at low level.
- Hotel rooms are bedrooms. Under no circumstances should students visit or entertain others of the opposite sex in their hotel rooms.
- 3. Room doors should be locked at all times. Extreme care should be exercised near hotel windows, and nothing is to be thrown from windows. Students are not allowed on hotel roofs.
- 4. Chaperons should have all rooms checked before leaving hotels so that damages, if any, can be determined immediately.
- Students are not to visit students in other hotels or motels without the permission of a chaperon. Students are not allowed in cars except with chaperons.
- No alcoholic beverage may be in students' possession at any time
- 7. Illegal use of drugs in any form is absolutely prohibited.
- 8. Use of tobacco products in public by students is prohibited.
- 9. Students should engage in activities of a group nature only. Under no circumstances are social dates involving students allowed.
- 10. Students should wear appropriate clothing, including shoes, at all times.

# Registration and Chaperons

- 1. All participants (directors, students, chaperons and guests) must be registered for the conference.
- 2. Only directors are to register their groups or pick up registration materials if preregistered.
- 3. All participating students must be chaperoned. At least one chaperon, other than the director, is required for every 10 students or group fewer than 10.
- 4. If the director does not accompany a participating student from that student's school, then the principal from that school must furnish a paper designating who is to be in charge of that student. The letter from the school should be addressed to the FMEA executive director and submitted with registration materials.
- Student observers are not allowed to attend the conference. If any student observers are brought to the conference, the offending school's participation in the conference may be eliminated the following year.
- 6. All school music teachers must register for the conference as directors and be current members of FMEA.

# Rehearsals and Name Badges

- Name badges must be worn at all times by students, directors, guests and chaperons.
- 2. Lost badges may be replaced at the registration desk only by the director, who must appear in person and pay the appropriate fee. The original registration receipt must be shown to obtain replacement badges.
- Each component president is responsible for the policing of his or her groups and rehearsals.

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# 2013 FMEA All-State Conductors

# All-State Elementary Chorus EARLENE RENTZ



Earlene Rentz, Ph.D., received the B.M.E. from the University of Montevallo (Alabama) and both master's and doctoral degrees in music education from

Florida State University. She is a native of Moultrie, Ga., and taught choral music for seven years in Habersham County at elementary, junior high and high school levels. She has also taught choral music education courses in higher education. She has conducted all-state choirs in Georgia, Florida, Kentucky and Alabama and received ASCAP awards from 1998 to 2011. She has published more than 400 choral compositions with 17 publishers since 1994, and she recently formed her own publication company, Earlene Rentz Online Publications. Her company's goals are to provide quality choral music for choral directors at affordable prices and to supply teachers with supplementary, time-saving materials for the choral classroom. Dr. Rentz published her first book, From Concepts to Concerts: Building

Competence in the Choral Classroom, with Carl Fischer Music in March 2009. This book is designed with sequential exercises to lead students toward choral competence and improved musicianship in the classroom. Dr. Rentz lives near Lexington, Ky., where she enjoys her current profession as a full-time choral music publisher, composer and arranger.

# Middle School Honors Orchestra ELLIOT DEL BORGO



Born in Port Chester, N.Y., Elliot Del Borgo holds the B.S. degree from the State University of New York, the Ed.M. from Temple University

and the M.M. from the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music, where he studied theory and composition with Vincent Persichetti and trumpet with Gilbert Johnson. In 1973, he was granted the doctoral equivalency by SUNY and was elected to membership in the American Bandmasters Association in 1993. Mr. Del Borgo taught instrumental music in the Philadelphia public schools and was professor of music at the Crane School of Music, where he held teaching and administrative positions from 1966 to 1995. An award-winning member of ASCAP, he is a frequent consultant, clinician, lecturer and adjudicator in the United States and abroad. Mr. Del Borgo is an internationally known conductor of bands and orchestras. In addition to his music for the 1980 Olympics in Lake Placid, he has published more than 600 compositions for a variety of media. His music reflects the aesthetics of 20th century musical ideals through its eclectic nature and vigorous harmonic and rhythmic style. Mr. Borgo is available to work with you and your students in an educational setting to enhance the overall musical experience for teachers and players at all levels. His tips and clinics for getting the most from rehearsals and performances of young players are in constant demand. His energetic and firm but humorous style lends itself well to students of middle school and high school age.

## Middle School Honors Band ERIC W. MENDEZ



Eric W. Mendez, a product of Orange County Public Schools, attended Conway Junior High, Colonial High School and Valencia

Community College. He received the B.M.E. from Florida State University in 1988. He holds membership in the FBA, NAfME, FMEA and ASBDA, and he is certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. Since 1988, Mr. Mendez has been teaching middle school band in Central Florida public schools. Mr. Mendez's bands have received consistent superior ratings at FBA events. He is the director of bands at Maitland Middle School, where his Wind Ensemble has played to musical standards rarely achieved at the middle school level. The group was chosen to perform a concert hour at the 2010 FMEA convention. In that same year, the ensemble also performed at the ASBDA summer convention in Orlando. Mr. Mendez has been active as an adjudicator and clinician, serving districts throughout Florida. He has been an all-county clinician for Polk, Brevard, Osceola, Lee, Alachua and Orange counties. Mr. Mendez attributes most of his success to the associations he has had with mentors and other music educators who have been terrific role models for him. Among these are Ken Potter, Larry Weed, James Croft, Bentley Shellahamer, John Gorecki, Pat Malloy, Craig Collins, Jack Crew, Mike Parks and Keith Ledford. He believes that students should be thoroughly challenged every time they walk through the door of the music hall. With this in mind, he is constantly challenging his students to become the best they can

possibly be. In addition to his duties at Maitland, Mr. Mendez is a devoted husband and father to his wife, Angie, and their children, Zachary, Hannah and Claire, and he is active as a leader in his church.

## All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus TREY JACOBS



Trey Jacobs is the artistic director of the Turtle Creek Chorale in Dallas. Before arriving in Dallas, Mr. Jacobs was assistant professor and director

of choral activities for four years at Eastern Michigan University. While at Eastern Michigan University, his choirs performed at the Michigan ACDA convention and for the Michigan Music Educators' conference. In July 2011, he was the high school choral conductor for Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp in Michigan. Mr. Jacobs has completed his coursework for the D.M.A. in choral conducting from Michigan State University in East Lansing and has the M.M. from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth and the B.M.E. from East Carolina University in Greenville. At Michigan State University, he was the conductor of the Michigan State University Women's Glee Club and was the graduate teaching assistant with the Michigan State University Chorale and Choral Union. Mr. Jacobs was director of choral activities at Winter Park High School in Winter Park, Fla., for 11 years. While at Winter Park High School, his choirs consistently received superior ratings at district and state MPAs. His choirs performed for three different American Choral Directors Association state conventions and for the national ACDA convention in San Diego, Calif. He conducted his choirs three times at Carnegie Hall. Mr. Jacobs was a founding director of the Orlando Children's Chorus and was co-conductor of the Bach Children's Choir at Rollins College, conductor for the Orlando Concert Chorale and conductor of the Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra's Holiday Choir. He has conducted the Florida All-State High School Women's Chorus and honor choirs in Florida, New York, North Carolina, Ohio and Tennessee, and he has adjudicated in Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Michigan, Mississippi and Missouri. Mr. Jacobs is an active member of ACDA, NAfME, NATS, OMEA, MSVMA and GALA, and he maintains a private voice studio.

#### All-State Concert Band ROBERT W. RUMBELOW



Robert W. Rumbelow, D.M.A., is director of bands at the University of Illinois, where he manages the band faculty and staff, conducts the Illinois

Wind Symphony, teaches graduate conducting and oversees all aspects of our country's largest comprehensive band program. He is only the fifth director of bands in the over 100-year history of our nation's first college band program. Ensembles under Dr. Rumbelow's baton have partnered with world-renowned soloists, released internationally respected recording projects on the Summit and Naxos labels and have given numerous world premieres. Dr. Rumbelow is recognized as an exceptional conductor, clinician, arranger, composer and lecturer throughout the United States and abroad. He has earned international acclaim for his teaching of conductors, compositions,

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orchestral performances and wind band performances, some of which have been broadcast on major networks such as NBC, CBS, ABC, PBS, NPR, NHK Japan and the BBC. Dr. Rumbelow's many commissions and consortia have resulted in new compositions by composers Christopher Theofanidis, Shafer Mahoney, Alfred Cohen, J.M. David and Dorothy Chang, among others. Kjos, Ludwig/Masters, Warner Brothers, Alfred Music and C. Alan publish Dr. Rumbelow's compositions, which are performed internationally. He has received many noteworthy commissions and has authored articles and chapters within a wide array of music publications. Dr. Rumbelow is a recipient of several notable accolades including national and international conducting prizes, an annual recipient of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP) awards, National Band Association awards and praise from critics for both recordings and live performances.

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## All-State Middle School Orchestra DEBORAH PERKINS



Deborah Perkins, Ph.D., is known for her love of teaching diverse musical styles and her ability to have fun by creating an encouraging atmo-

sphere where students are challenged yet achieve mastery of musical skills that defy the age level of the students playing. She received the B.M.E. from State University College at Potsdam, N.Y., the M.M.E. from the University of South Carolina and the Ph.D. from the University of North Texas. Also known for building programs, Dr. Perkins has

built and rebuilt public school orchestra programs in Florida, South Carolina and Texas. She has served in leadership positions in professional organizations of ASTA, NSOA, SCMEA, FMEA and TMEA, and she is a member of TMAA and TODA. She teaches string pedagogy and techniques at Southern Methodist University and is the cofounder of the Texas Youth Orchestra & Choir, which travels internationally. A clinician for Eastman Strings, she is a frequent guest conductor and clinician. A hallmark of her teaching is how to make music that expresses and touches the hearts of the students and the audience alike. Her dissertation focused on the motivation of students to be enrolled in orchestra, and her friends fondly call her the "Pied Piper of Strings." She is married to Steve Perkins, and they have one daughter, Kayla.

## All-State Guitar Ensemble STEPHEN ROBINSON



Acclaimed by *The New York Times* for his
"effortless virtuosity,"
Stephen Robinson,
D.M., performs extensively and conducts
master classes at lead-

ing musical institutions and festivals worldwide. He has appeared as a guest soloist with orchestras including the Cincinnati Symphony and Boston Pops Orchestras, and he performs regularly throughout Florida as a member of the State of Florida Division of Cultural Affairs premier Arts on Tour program roster. In addition to serving as a professor of guitar at Stetson University in DeLand, Fla., since 1983, where he is both founder and director of Stetson's guitar program, Dr. Robinson is an award-

winning recording artist. His many CDs for Clear Note, Centaur and Lakeside Records have received unanimous critical acclaim from the international publications American Record Guide, Fonoforum, Classical Guitar, Soundboard, Guitar Review, On the Air and Fanfare. The late renowned guitarist Andrés Segovia described him as "a magnificent guitarist, one of the most brilliant guitarists of our times." And of a recent performance, Soundboard Magazine said, "Anyone who has not heard Robinson play is missing one of America's great guitarists, a performer of brilliance, elegance, and lyricism." Of his Clear Note CD Felicidade, Steve Marsh of Classical Guitar Magazine (UK) said, "Occasionally a CD comes along in the review stack in which the featured performer immediately stands out from amongst the others for their sheer musicality, technical virtuosity and 'listenability' factor-and this new release from North American guitarist Stephen Robinson is such a CD. Everything about this disc smacks of quality: Where the music dictates a delicate touch, Robinson's playing has an almost spiritual intensity which is very moving; equally where the music needs dazzling bravura, this player supplies this commodity in heaps. His deft finger work brushes aside all the immense technical difficulties contained in much of this music." A native of New York, Dr. Robinson began his guitar studies with Bruce Holzman at Florida State University and also worked closely with Andrés Segovia. After he pursued graduate studies at the Yale School of Music, Florida State University awarded Dr. Robinson its first D.M. in guitar performance.

## High School Honors Orchestra ANDREW LANE



For 16 years (1994-2010), Andrew Lane held the position of principal pops and resident conductor of the Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra. As resident

conductor, Maestro Lane directed the OPO in a wide variety of concerts, including a series of educational concerts that reached more than 60,000 Orlando area students each season. His pops concerts have included Branford Marsalis, Deborah Gibson, Peter Schieckele, Arturo Sandoval, Roy Scheider, Doc Severinsen, Ricky Skaggs, Broadway star Davis Gaines as well as many other renowned artists. In October 2006, Mr. Lane conducted members of the Chicago Symphony featuring Greek tenor Mario Frangoulis at Orchestra Hall in Chicago. Mr. Lane has also been featured as conductor in 25 CD recordings produced by Madacy Entertainment Group of Quebec, Canada. A dynamic and popular pops conductor, Maestro Lane serves as principal pops conductor of the Sarasota Orchestra and will lead that ensemble for all subscription pops concerts for the 2012-2013 season. He has also been a featured guest conductor with the Rochester Philharmonic, Florida Orchestra, Asheville Symphony and San Antonio Symphony and is a regular guest conductor with The Naples Philharmonic. Maestro Lane is also music director of the Florida Symphony Youth Orchestra, where he enjoys leading one of the finest youth orchestras in the nation. In October 2010, he was chosen by Bank of America as a "Local Hero" for his commitment to music education in Central Florida. In 2011, United Arts of Central Florida named him Music Educator of the Year.

Mr. Lane received his musical education from the University of South Florida and the University of Maryland.

## All-State Symphonic Orchestra WILLIAM LARUE JONES



William LaRue Jones, D.M.A., is "one the most active and versatile symphonic conductors in America today, possessing a unique ability to work

effectively with musicians at all levels of performing capability and experience" (Minneapolis Star-Tribune). His conducting schedule averages more than 100 concerts annually and includes a wide array of professional, festival, collegiate and student ensembles throughout North America, Latin America, Europe and Asia, ranging from the Minnesota Orchestra and the Minneapolis Pops to the Penang (Malaysia) Symphony, the Antofagasta (Chile) Symphony and the Symphony Orchestra of Lucerne (Switzerland). Recent conducting engagements include orchestras in Illinois, Wisconsin, New York, Nevada, Ohio, Minnesota, Arizona, Delaware, Maryland, Nebraska and Florida, as well as concerts in Singapore, Kuala Lumpur and Penang (Malaysia), Belem (Brazil) and Shenyang, Wuhan and Shijiazhuang (China). As a professional performer noted for his outstanding technique and musicality, Dr. Jones was principal bassoon of the Minnesota Opera and Minnesota Ballet and was first call associate with the Minnesota Orchestra and Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra for more than 15 seasons. He has performed under such maestros esteemed as Stanislaw Skrowaczewski, Klaus Tennstedt, Antol Dorati, Charles Dutoit, Aaron Copland,

Zubin Mehta, Neville Marriner, Edo deWaart and Leonard Slatkin, to name a few. For his untiring work on behalf of music and arts education, he has been honored with the David W. Preuss Leadership Award, the American String Teachers Association's Exceptional Leadership and Merit Award, the Sigma Alpha Iota Musician of the Year Award, WCCO Radio's Good Neighbor Award and the State of Minnesota Governor's Proclamation of "Dr. William LaRue Iones Day." A Texas native, Dr. Jones holds degrees from the University of Wisconsin, the University of Iowa and Kansas State University, with additional studies at The Juilliard School of Music and the University of North Texas.

## All-State Middle School Band CLEVE A. MALOON



Cleve A. Maloon is director of music programs at the Oxbridge Academy of the Palm Beaches. Previously he was director of bands at Bak Middle School of

the Arts in Palm Beach County from 2001 to 2012. Under his leadership, both the Concert Band and Jazz Band received straight superior ratings for 11 consecutive years at the FBA MPA and at numerous competitions throughout the country. Mr. Maloon began his teaching career at Rock Island High School in Illinois and served as director of bands and the district's music coordinator K-12. Mr. Maloon earned the B.M.E. from Augustana College (Illinois) and the M.A. in performance/pedagogy from the University of Iowa. A native of St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, he is a trombonist who has performed professionally throughout the

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Caribbean and the United States in calypso, salsa, reggae, jazz bands and symphony orchestras. In 2005, he was nominated for the American Stars of Teaching Award, and he was the finalist for the Palm Beach County Economic Council William Dwyer Awards for Excellence in Education. The Palm Beach Post selected him as a recipient of the "I Make a Difference Teacher of Excellence" Award. Western Illinois University awarded him Most Inspirational Teacher, and the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy selected him for the Teacher Award of Excellence. Mr. Maloon has been a guest conductor, clinician and adjudicator in Illinois, Iowa and Florida. He maintains an active membership with Florida Bandmasters Association and served as the District 14 chairman, 2001-2003.

## All-State Intercollegiate Band MICHAEL HAITHCOCK



Michael Haithcock assumed his duties as director of bands and professor of music (conducting) at the University of Michigan in the fall of 2001 fol-

lowing 23 years on the faculty of Baylor University. Following in the footsteps of William D. Revelli and H. Robert Reynolds, Professor Haithcock conducts the internationally renowned University of Michigan Symphony Band, guides the acclaimed graduate band and wind ensemble conducting program and provides administrative leadership for all aspects of the University of Michigan's diverse and historic band program. Ensembles under Professor Haithcock's guidance have received a wide array of critical acclaim for their high artistic stan-

dards of performance and repertoire. These accolades have come through concerts at national and state conventions, performances in major concert venues and recordings on the Albany, Arsis and Equilibrium labels. Professor Haithcock was selected to conduct the world premiere of Daron Hagen's Bandanna, an opera for voice and wind band, commissioned by the College Band Directors National Association, and he is a leader in commissioning and premiering new works for concert band. Professor Haithcock has earned the praise of both composers and conductors for his innovative approaches to developing the wind ensemble repertoire and programming. He is in constant demand as a guest conductor and as a resource person for symposiums and workshops in a variety of instructional settings as well as for festival and all-state appearances throughout the country. A graduate of East Carolina University, where he received the 1996 Outstanding Alumni Award from the School of Music, and Baylor University, Professor Haithcock has done additional study at a variety of conducting workshops, including the Herbert Blomstedt Orchestral Conducting Institute. The Instrumentalist, the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association, the School Musician, the Southwest Music Educator and WINDS magazine have published his articles on conducting and wind litera-

All-State Jazz Band BILL PRINCE



Bill Prince, D.M.A., a professor emeritus at the University of North Florida, comes from a background rich in music. He has performed with numerous

bands and orchestras, including Buddy Rich; the NORAD Band; the Denver, Fort Lauderdale, Palm Beach and Jacksonville symphonies; and the American Wind Symphony Orchestra. He has also performed with a number of well-known big bands, including Xavier Cugat, Tex Beneke, Harry James, Tommy Dorsey and Louis Bellson. He has appeared on TV shows in the United States, Canada and across the world. Dr. Prince has performed on more than 70 albums, including his *The Best Kept* Secret in Jazz. He can be heard on Duffy Jackson's CD Swing! Swing! Swing! and Buddy Rich's CDs Mercy Mercy and The Best of Buddy Rich. In more recent years, Dr. Prince has developed a cabaret show that he performs on cruise ships around the world. One of his most unique talents is his ability to perform professionally on several instruments. For example, although he played trumpet with Buddy Rich, he was first offered a chair in the saxophone section. His performing instruments include trumpet, flugelhorn, trombone, flute, clarinet, saxophone, piano and electric bass. Dr. Prince produced his own CD, Happy Thoughts, on which he composed, arranged and performed all parts. He holds the D.M.A. with a major in theory and composition from the University of Miami (Fla.). He has taught at Florida Atlantic University, the University of Colorado/Denver, St. Francis Xavier University, Nova Scotia and the University

of North Florida, and he has served as a visiting lecturer at Cape Town University and Natal University in South Africa. Music has taken him to all 50 states and 80 countries of the world.

## High School Honors Band DOUGLAS L. PHILLIPS



Douglas L. Phillips, D.M.A., is acting director of bands and visiting assistant professor of music at the Stetson University School of Music in DeLand, Fla.

Dr. Phillips is the conductor of the University Symphonic Band and teaches courses in advanced instrumental conducting and music education. Prior to his appointment at Stetson, Dr. Phillips served as associate director of bands and assistant professor of music at Western Illinois University and as associate director of bands at the University of Virginia, and he taught public school in the state of Florida, where he was director of bands at Douglas Anderson School of the Arts and director of instrumental music at Merritt Island High School. Dr. Phillips received the D.M.A. in instrumental conducting from the Frost School of Music at the University of Miami, the M.M. in instrumental conducting from Western Michigan University and the B.M.E. from Stetson University. Dr. Phillips serves on the board of directors of the National Band Association as chairman of the NBA Awards committee. He holds additional active memberships in CBDNA, CMS, FBA, FMEA, NAfME, WASBE and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia.

## All-State Symphonic Band BOBBY ADAMS



Bobby Adams, Ph.D., is director of bands, professor of music education and coordinator of instrumental music at the Stetson University School of Music in

DeLand, Fla. A member of the Stetson University faculty since 1987, Dr. Adams conducts the University Symphonic Band and teaches advanced instrumental conducting and courses in music education. Prior to his appointment at Stetson, Dr. Adams taught in the public schools of Indiana and Florida for 25 years. He is principal conductor and music director of Southern Winds, an ensemble made up of Stetson faculty, former students, band directors and other professional musicians. A native of Kentucky, Dr. Adams received the B.A. from Morehead State University, the M.M.E. from Murray State University and the Ph.D. in music education from Florida State University. Bands under his direction have performed at 36 state, regional and national conventions. He is a past president of the National Association, the National Band Association for Music Education-Southern Division, the College Band Directors National Association-Southern Division, the Florida Music Educators' Association and the Florida Bandmasters Association. He is also chairman of the FBA Hall of Fame's board of directors. Dr. Adams is an elected member of Phi Beta Mu, the American Bandmasters Association, the FMEA Hall of Fame, the FBA Hall of Fame, the FBA Roll of Distinction and the NBA Hall of Fame. In addition, Dr. Adams conducts all-state/honor bands and orchestras throughout the United States.

## All-State Concert Orchestra JOHN WHITNEY



John Whitney is a native of Glens Falls, N.Y., and earned music degrees from Ithaca College and the New England Conservatory. Among numerous per-

forming and teaching stints, including two decades teaching at the University of Central Florida, Mr. Whitney taught 22 years in New York public schools, including those in Long Beach, Olean, Ithaca and Camillus (West Genesee Central Schools), and he served as director of strings for Buffalo Academy for Visual and Performing Arts. In 2007, he taught conducting and orchestra at SUNY Fredonia as director of orchestras. Mr. Whitney is internationally known for his performances and pedagogy, and he has conducted or performed with a host of platinum artists, including Luciano Pavarotti, Clark Terry, Frank Foster, Tony Bennett, Ray Charles, Dave Samuels, Buddy DeFranco, Henry Mancini, Cab Calloway, Liberace, Doc Severinsen, Phil Woods and The Irish Tenors. As a violinist, he has performed at Walt Disney World and with the symphonies of Syracuse, Utica, Elmira and Brevard. A uniquely versatile "musician's musician," Mr. Whitney has distinguished himself in both classical and jazz arenas through his conducting, performing, composing, arranging and teaching.



## All-State Concert Chorus ANDRÉ J. THOMAS



André J. Thomas, D.M.A., the Owen F. Sellers professor of music, is director of choral activities and professor of choral music education at

Florida State University. A previous faculty member at the University of Texas, Austin, Dr. Thomas received his degrees from Friends University (B.A.), Northwestern University (M.M.) and the University of Illinois (D.M.A). He is in demand as a choral adjudicator, clinician and director of all-state/honor choirs throughout the United States, Europe, Asia, New Zealand and Australia. Dr. Thomas has conducted choirs at the state, division and national conventions of the National Association for Music Education and the American Choral Directors Association (ACDA). His international conducting credits are extensive. They include conductor/clinician for the International Federation of Choral Musicians, summer residency of the World Youth Choir in the Republic of China and the Philippines, winter residency of the World Youth Choir in Europe and a premiere performance by an American choir (Florida State University Singers) in Vietnam. He has been the guest conductor of such distinguished orchestras and choirs as the Birmingham Symphony Orchestra in England, the Berlin Radio Choir in Germany, the Netherlands Radio Choir, the Charlotte Symphony, the Tallahassee Symphony, China's People's Liberation Orchestra and the Czech National Symphony Orchestra. Since 1988, he has also served as artistic director of the Tallahassee Community

Chorus. Dr. Thomas has also distinguished himself as a composer/arranger. Hinshaw Music Company, Mark Foster Music Company, Fitzsimons Music Company, Lawson Gould, Earthsongs, Choristers Guild and Heritage Music Company publish his compositions and arrangements. Dr. Thomas has produced two instructional videos, What They See Is What You Get on choral conducting, with Rodney Eichenberger, and Body, Mind, Spirit, Voice on adolescent voices, with Anton Armstrong. His recent book Way Over in Beulah Lan'. Understanding and Performing the Negro Spiritual has quickly become a major source in this area of study. The African Diaspora Sacred Music honored Dr. Thomas as a Living Legend. In 2011, Dr. Thomas's dedication to and accomplishments in the choral arts were recognized by his peers in Chorus America, when that organization presented Dr. Thomas with its Distinguished Service Award. He is a past president of the Florida ACDA and the past president of the Southern Division of ACDA.

## All-State Reading Chorus Z. RANDALL STROOPE



Z. Randall Stroope, D.M.A., is one of the most active choral conductors and composers working today, with recent conducting engagements at

the American School in Singapore, Canterbury Cathedral (England), Salzburger Dom (Austria), The Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts (Washington, D.C.), the Vancouver Symphony (British Columbia) and three performances at the Vatican in the past two years. He is artistic director for summer international choral festivals in Berlin, Germany, and Rome, Italy. Dr. Stroope has toured 15 countries with ensembles under his direction, including visits to China and South Africa. In the United States, Dr. Stroope has conducted 35 all-state choirs (Kentucky, New Hampshire and Delaware in 2011), and he does many clinics a year for professional choirs, universities and state music organizations across the country. At Oklahoma State University, Dr. Stroope is the director of choral and vocal studies. He conducts the Concert Chorale and the Chamber Choir, oversees recruitment activities and coordinates the undergraduate and graduate conducting program. He and the other six faculty and staff in the choral/vocal division have seen tremendous growth in the number of music majors and general university involvement in the choral program. Prior to teaching at OSU, Dr. Stroope was the director of choral studies at Rowan University in Glassboro, N.J. In October 2009, Dr. Stroope was featured in an hourlong interview ("Sounds Choral") with well-known radio personality Marjorie Herman in a series with WWFM The Classical Network. In this interview, Dr. Stroope talked about his compositional study with Cecil Effinger and Normand Lockwood, both students of Nadia Boulanger (in turn, a student of Gabriel Fauré), as well as various aspects of his conducting work. Dr. Stroope has 95 published works with Alliance, Walton, Colla Voce, MorningStar and Heritage Music Press. His compositions sell more than 200,000 copies a year and are performed regularly by esteemed ensembles throughout the world, including professional ensembles in the United States, France, Holland, Hong Kong, Spain, Japan,

Australia, the Czech Republic and Canada. Dr. Stroope has personally conducted/recorded 13 professional CDs, and recordings of his music are heard frequently on radio and television broadcasts, including National Public Radio. Born in Albuquerque, N.M., Dr. Stroope completed his master's in voice performance at the University of Colorado (Boulder) and a doctorate in conducting at Arizona State University. He also did post-graduate individual conducting study with Margaret Hillis, chorus master of the Chicago Symphony. As a recipient of the Australian-American Fulbright, Dr. Stroope has also done work in Western Australia. He and his wife, Cheryl (a middle school choral music teacher in Stillwater, Okla.), enjoy traveling and spending time with their Sheltie.

## All-State Men's Chorus MICHAEL DYE



Michael Dye has begun his 23rd year as choral director at Niceville High School and his 37th year as a music educator. He received the B.M.E.

from Henderson State University in Arkadelphia, Ark., and the M.M.E. from Arkansas State University in Jonesboro. Mr. Dye began his choral music career in Arkansas at Southwest Junior High School in Hot Springs (1976) before accepting a position at Dollarway High School in Pine Bluff, where he served 12 years as choral director. He served as the Arkansas state president of the American Choral Directors Association (1984-1986). He later served as state president of the state's choral interscholastic organization, the

Arkansas Choral Directors Association (1986-1988). In 1989, the Arkansas Choral Directors Association selected him as Arkansas Choral Director of the Year. In 1990, Mr. Dye began his career as director of the Niceville High School choruses. He was selected Niceville High School's Teacher of the Year and was runner-up for Okaloosa County's Teacher of the Year in 2004. He served on the Florida Music Educators' Association Board of Directors (2007-2009) and has recently been named the Florida Vocal Association's liaison to the Florida School Music Association. Mr. Dye is an active member of the Florida Vocal Association, which he has served as state president (2007-2009) and twice as the District 1 chairman (1997-1999 and 2005-2007). He continues to serve the FVA board as state music chairman and as the FVA past presidents coordinator. Mr. Dye is also a member of the American Choral Directors Association, the Florida Music Educators' Association and the National Association for Music Education. His Niceville Singers have sung at the FCDA's state convention and have toured and performed in Central Europe (2002), Great Britain (2004, International Church Music Festival), the People's Republic of China (2006, All-China Choral Directors Association's national convention), Northern Italy (2008) and Spain (2011), as well as three time in Manhattan at Carnegie Hall and throughout the southeastern United States. Mr. Dye is an active clinician and adjudicator. He is married to Wanda Thomas Dye. They have two sons, Dr. Matthew Norton, a physical therapist in Pensacola, and Timothy Norton, a master's degree candidate at Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary in East Hamilton, Mass.

## All-State Treble Chorus ELENA SHARKOVA



Elena Sharkova, artistic director of the Symphony Silicon Valley Chorale, is recognized nationally and internationally as an inspirational and

effective conductor, choral clinician and music educator. She has conducted professional, university, children's and community choirs and orchestras in North America, Eastern and Western Europe, Russia and the Middle East, and she has served as an adjudicator at numerous national and international music festivals and competitions. An expert on Russian choral music, Ms. Sharkova has lectured extensively on its repertoire and performance practices and has conducted several U.S. premieres of Russian contemporary compositions. In her 11th year as artistic director of the Symphony Silicon Valley Chorale (formerly San Jose State University Chorale), Maestra Sharkova has prepared and conducted the chorus in more than 30 major choralorchestral works such as Handel's Messiah, Mozart's Requiem, Poulenc's Gloria, Bruckner's Te Deum, Brahms's Nanie, Orff's Carmina Burana and many others. Regarded for her passion for non-Western, cross-genre and multicultural music, Ms. Sharkova and the chorale have delighted South Bay, Calif., audiences with performances of such folk-inspired compositions as Navidad Nuestra and Missa Criolla by Argentinean composer Ariel Ramirez, Caribbean Mass by contemporary American composer Glen McClure and jazz-inspired Mass in Blue by English composer Will Todd. Artistic director of the 180-voice

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strong Cantabile Youth Singers since 2004, Maestra Sharkova conducts CYS's top choirs, Vocalise and Ensemble, and oversees all educational and performance aspects of the program. Under her direction, Cantabile made its Carnegie Hall debut in 2005 and returned to that legendary stage in 2010. Ms. Sharkova was born and raised in St. Petersburg, Russia, where she received an undergraduate degree in music education and piano and a graduate degree in conducting from St. Petersburg State Rimski-Korsakov Conservatory. From 1988 to 1993, Ms. Sharkova served as chairwoman of the choral department of the preparatory music school at the conservatory, where she conducted four children's choruses and taught the innovative Ogorodnov Method to graduate students. Before moving to the United States in 1993, she toured extensively for five years with one of the finest Russian professional choirs, Lege Artis. Besides concertizing throughout Russia, Europe and the United States, the ensemble also recorded five CDs for the SONY Classical label and won numerous prizes at European choral festivals and competitions.

## All-State Women's Chorus MITOS ANDAYA



Mitos Andaya,
D.M.A., is the associate director of choral activities in the Boyer
College of Music and
Dance at Temple
University in

Philadelphia. She teaches undergraduate conducting and graduate choral literature, assists with graduate conducting and directs the Temple University Singers. Prior to her appointment at

Temple, she served as associate director of choral activities at the University of Georgia, where she directed ensembles in early music, jazz, women's, chamber and symphonic chorus repertoire. There she was awarded one of the university's highest honors, the Richard B. Russell Undergraduate Teaching Award, and twice received the Student Government Association Award for Outstanding Commitment to Students and Academic Excellence. Dr. Andaya has taught choral and jazz at the university level in the United States, South Africa and Australia. She served as guest conductor of the Netherlands Chamber Choir in Amsterdam and Arnhem in 2007, conducted the Eric Ericson Chamber Choir in concert at the Lund International Choral Festival in Sweden and conducted the Netherlands Chamber Choir, Netherlands Radio Chorus, in Haarlem in 2005. She conducted at the 2005 Transient Glory Choral and Chamber Music Festival in New York and worked with Pulitzer Prize-winning composer David Del Tredici. In 2004, she prepared ensembles for the BBC Philharmonic conductor/Scottish composer James MacMillan for his Georgia residency. She was selected to study with Marin Alsop at the Colorado Symphony Orchestra Workshop in 2003, Helmuth Rilling at the Oregon Bach Festival in 2003 and 2004, Simon Halsey and André Thomas in Haarlem, Netherlands, in 2005 and Frieder Bernius in Varese, Italy, in 2006. Her conducting teachers at the University of Kansas were Simon Carrington and orchestral conductor Brian Priestman. Her ensembles have been invited to perform throughout the United States, such as at the Boston Early Music Festival, the Southern American Choral Directors

Association conference and the UNC/ Greeley Jazz Festival. Her choirs have also traveled and performed in England, Scotland, Germany, Austria, Italy, Portugal and Spain. She has been a member of the conducting faculty of the Westminster Chamber Choir with Westminster Choir College of Rider University since 2007, and she has served as a member of the judges panel for the International A Cappella Festival in Leipzig, Germany. In 2010, she served as clinician and guest conductor for the first Kenyan Choral Directors national conference, hosted by Moi University in Eldoret, Kenya. She continues to serve as a clinician, adjudicator and guest conductor for honor choruses, all-state choirs and festivals. Dr. Andaya has Renaissance and other editions published with Alliance Music Publications and jazz compositions and arrangements with UNC Jazz Press and Hal Leonard. She served as chairwoman for jazz repertoire and standards for the Georgia American Choral Directors Association, is active in the American Choral Directors Association and the International Federation of Choral Music and serves as president-elect of the National Collegiate Choral Organization.

# Afumni Receptions

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2013

5 p.m 7 p.m.	Florida State University Alumni Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Lancaster Terrace
5:30 p.m 7 p.m.	University of Central Florida Alumni Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Peter O. Knight Room
5:30 p.m 8 p.m.	Stetson University Alumni Wine & Cheese Reception	Embassy Suites - Second Floor
6 p.m 7 p.m.	Frost School of Music at University of Miami Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Garrison Room
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	Florida Southern College Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - John Jackson Room
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	University of South Florida Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Lancaster Room
6 p.m 8 p.m.	University of Florida School of Music Alumni Reception	Marriott Waterside - Café Waterside Private Dining Room

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

8 a.m 9 a.m.	Jacksonville University Alumni Breakfast Meeting	Marriott Waterside - Café Waterside
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# FMEA President's Concert

Wednesday, January 9, 2013 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A





#### Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony Director: Sterling Frederick

Dimensional Harmony is an organization composed of 50 Boynton Beach High School students. Dimensional Harmony has performed for Donald Trump, the Florida Vocal Association's music conference and many civic organizations, and has opened for renowned gospel singers Fred Hammond and the Mighty Clouds of Joy. The group continues to earn superior ratings at district, state and national competitions. Most recently, in November 2010, Dimensional Harmony won a national show choir competition.

Sterling Frederick is a Palm Beach Atlantic University graduate. He has been the choral director of Boynton Beach High School's Dimensional Harmony for 11 years of his 17-year teaching career. He has served as district coordinator and district chairman for FVA District 14. He is sought after as an adjudicator and clinician in Florida. Choirs under his direction have consistently earned superior ratings at national, state and district events.

#### Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band Director: Thomas Singletary

The Eau Gallie High School Band Program, under the direction of Thomas Singletary, Laura Singletary and Veronica Curran, consists of three concert bands, two jazz bands, four percussion ensembles, many student-led ensembles and the 200-member Marching Commodores. The Eau Gallie Symphonic Band has been awarded superior ratings at many district and regional music festivals, and the ensemble performed at the National Band and Orchestra Festival at Carnegie Hall in 2009.

Thomas Singletary is a native of Statesboro, Ga. He holds the B.M.E. from Florida State University, where he was





under the direction of James Croft, Bentley Shellahamer and Robert Sheldon. He also holds the M.M. from the University of Illinois at Champaign/Urbana, where he studied conducting with Donald Schleicher and James Keene. In 2012, he received the Oliver Hobbs Award from the Florida Bandmasters Association in recognition of his exceptional work over a long period at Eau Gallie High School. He is a music arranger for the FSU Marching Chiefs.

#### Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr

The Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra is under the joint direction of Jennifer Zahn and Ian Schwindt with string consultant Marcey Sperr. This 79-member ensemble has consistently performed at the highest levels at both district and state MPAs, as well as at the many concerts it presents. Multiple smaller ensembles make up the Symphony Orchestra, including the THS Jazz Band and a 20-member chamber orchestra, along with many quartets and quintets. All of these smaller groups maintain an active performing schedule in concerts as well as support community events.

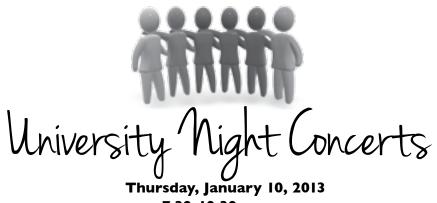
Ian Schwindt teaches instrumental music at Titusville High School, where he has served for the last 13 years. During his tenure, the program has doubled in size and significantly expanded its musical offerings, including a full orchestra, AP Music Theory and an active chamber ensemble program. In 2004, Titusville High School was named a Music Demonstration School by the State of Florida Department of Education and then renewed again in 2007. He is in his third year as conductor of the Brevard County Youth Orchestra Symphony.

Marcey Sperr is in her 11th year of teaching and her sixth year in Brevard County, Fla. She is the itinerant string teacher for the Titusville High School feeder chain, where she serves five schools. She is a cellist and bassoonist with a degree in music education from the University of South Florida. She began her teaching career in Hillsborough County as an elementary music specialist. She taught high school band in Connecticut Public Schools for four years and cello through the Community Music School in Essex, Conn.

Jennifer Zahn is in her 11th year at Titusville High School teaching instrumental music. She has held numerous leadership positions, including FOA district chairwoman, FBA district chairwoman, Brevard County Music Leadership Team and School Advisory Council. She has also been named an FMEA Emerging Leader and has received an NBA citation for her work with the Titusville Wind Orchestra. She remains active through her private lesson studio and serves as a clinician for orchestras and bands throughout Central Florida. She continues to play professionally on clarinet and violin. 

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Thursday, January 10, 2013 7:30-10:30 p.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A



#### Florida Gulf Coast University -Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Director: Trent R. Brown

The Bower School of Music Chamber Choir at Florida Gulf Coast University is a select ensemble open to all students on campus by audition. In the short history of the Bower School of Music, the Chamber Choir has established itself in the choral community of Southwest Florida and beyond. The ensemble is preparing for a performance tour of Germany, Austria and Italy in December 2013.

See first general session for director's biography.

#### University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra 8:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Director: William W. Wiedrich

The University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra is nationally renowned for its "fearless" programming of contemporary works as well as established major orchestral repertoire. The USFSO has premiered 10 works for orchestra or chamber orchestra, most recently FLASH, for chorus and orchestra, by former Chicago Symphony Composer-in-Residence Augusta Read Thomas. This was a commission by the USF College of the Arts to commemorate the grand opening of the new USF Concert Hall in 2010.

See first general session for director's biography.



#### University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble I Jazz Faculty Thursday, 9:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. Director: J.B. Scott

The UNF Jazz Ensemble 1 is the premier ensemble of the University of North Florida Jazz Studies program and part of the UNF Music Flagship Program, winning numerous awards and consistent recognitions from *DownBeat* magazine and other notable publications. The group has performed internationally, throughout China, Europe and the United States, with appearances on the Great Wall of China; the Montreux, North Sea, Monterey, Jacksonville and Savannah jazz festivals; the IAJE and FMEA conferences; and The Midwest Clinic.



The UNF Jazz Faculty features Lynne Arriale - piano, Todd Del Giudice - saxophone, Marc Dickman - euphonium, Danny Gottlieb - drums, Barry Greene - guitar, Clarence Hines - trombone, Dennis Marks - bass and J.B. Scott - trumpet. The UNF Jazz Faculty is an extremely talented and diverse group of international performers and educators. The group has played with and recorded with artists such as Pat Metheny, Randy

Brecker, Stan Getz, Arturo Sandoval, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich, Paquito D'Rivera, Sarah Vaughn, MJT and Dukes of Dixieland; has published works with Mel Bay, Hudson Music and UNC Press; and is endorsed by Yamaha, Buscarino, Besson, Thomasik-Infeld, Remo, Eames and DW.

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# First General Membership Session

Thursday, January 10, 2013 | 10:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

The first general session for FMEA members will be presided by FMEA President Sheila S. King and will feature three performing ensembles.

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Trent R. Brown, D.M.A., is director of choral activities and assistant professor of music at Florida Gulf Coast University,



where he leads the choral ensembles and teaches courses in conducting at the Bower School of Music. Prior to academia he taught public high school for eight years in Minnesota and Wisconsin. He holds the D.M.A. in choral conducting from the University of Arizona, the M.M. from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and the B.M.E from the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. Choirs under his

direction have performed at state ACDA conventions and have toured nationally and internationally, including a 2007 tour to China.

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each semester, and non-music majors are welcome to participate by performing a successful audition.

William W. Wiedrich, D.M.A., is in constant demand as a guest conductor and clinician. He is director of orchestral studies at the University of South Florida in Tampa, where he conducts the USF Symphony Orchestra and Opera Theatre and maintains a large conducting studio. He is also music director of the Tampa Metropolitan Youth Orchestra. His youth orchestras have appeared twice in Carnegie Hall and have maintained an active commissioning program of music for young orchestras. He frequently serves as an all-state conductor, most recently in Michigan, Georgia, Florida and North Carolina.

#### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott

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J.B. Scott is an associate professor of jazz studies at the University of North Florida. He teaches trumpet and directs the award-winning UNF JE 1 big band. He is a Yamaha trumpet artist/clinician, FBA adjudicator and freelance artist. He and vocalist Lisa Kelly-Scott have coreleased five successful CDs and have performed for numerous jazz societies and festivals, including the Montreux, Elkhart, Monterey, Savannah, Jacksonville and Mammoth Lakes jazz festivals; the Suncoast Dixie Classic; and the Sacramento Jazz Jubilee. He has presented clinics for IAJE, FMEA, The Midwest Clinic and JEN, and he conducted the 2009 Florida All-State Jazz Band at the annual FMEA Conference in Tampa. ∃



# Second General Membership Session

Friday, January II, 2013 9 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A



The second general session for FMEA members will be presided by FMEA President Sheila S. King and will feature three performing ensembles.

## Touch – USF iPad Quintet Director: David A. Williams

Touch is the University of South Florida's iPad Quintet. The group, made up of music education faculty and doctoral students from the School of Music, formed two years ago, shortly after the release of the first iPad. Touch is a live performance ensemble and serves as a model for undergraduate music education students as a progressive approach to music education. Touch performs a wide variety of music from across musical styles, including rock, rap and classical, as well as original music composed

specifically for the ensemble. A typical program will feature collaborations with students and faculty from across campus and will include dance, theater and video. A Touch concert is a multimedia experience of sound, light and motion, where the audience plays an important role and anything is possible! Ensemble members include faculty Clint Randles, assistant professor of music education, and David A. Williams, associate professor of music education doctoral students Victor Ezquerra, Chris Morris and Nick Stefanic.

David A. Williams, Ph.D., teaches instrumental music education and technology courses at USF, including Computer Applications in Music Education. His research projects include Musical Meaning: Teenage Participation

in Musical Activities In and Out of School (funded by a "Sounds of Learning: The Impact of Music Education" grant), Collaboration Among Music Teachers, Skills and Behaviors Important to Successful Music Teaching (an insider's look at what it takes) and What Are We Doing and How Well Are We Doing It? (a philosophical paper published in Music Educators Journal). He has published articles in the Journal of Research in Music Education, Update: Applications of Research to Music Education, Journal of Technology in Music Learning, Southern Music Education Research Journal, Teaching Music, Journal of Music Teacher Education, FETConnection, Technological Directions in Music Learning and General Music Today and contributed a book chapter to On the Nature of the Musical Experience. He recently presented a paper, Enhancing Pre-Service Music Teachers' Learning in Digital Arts Education Through Innovative Approaches to K-12 Classroom Instruction, at a joint national conference of the College Music Society and the Association for Technology in Music Instruction in Quebec City, Canada. He holds the Ph.D. in music education from Northwestern University and the M.M.E. from the State University of West Georgia. His bachelor's degree is in music education from Morehead State University.



#### The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet Director: Terry Bingham

Since its inception in 1972, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has gained a reputation as one of the most highly respected and sought-after groups of its kind. The ensemble has appeared before audiences and dignitaries in 48 states and 14 countries. An element of The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in Washington, D.C., The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed at the White House, presidential inaugurations and official state ceremonies in the nation's capital. It has been selected repeatedly as the first ensemble to honor new presidents with the traditional Hail to the Chief on live national broadcasts. In addition, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet frequently provides musical support for special events hosted by the secretary of defense, the secretary of the army and the army chief of staff, as well as for ceremonies supporting the Military District of Washington. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed on NBC's Today Show, the Food Network's Emeril Live, NPR's A Prairie Home Companion, CBS's Sunday Morning, ABC, Fox, CNN, TNN and internationally on BBC. The group also appears regularly on local and regional broadcasts throughout the nation. The group's repertoire includes more than 500 selections from all eras and genres of classical and popular music, interactive entertainment, video and works for children's concerts. The Brass Quintet's library also includes historic musical selections from the American Civil War, which the ensemble enjoys performing on authentic instruments. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet continues a long tradition in support of music education. The ensemble's outreach activities include frequent appearances at The Midwest Clinic, the International Trumpet Guild Conference, The U.S. Army Band Tuba-Euphonium Conference and at high schools, universities and conservatories throughout the United States and around the world.

SFC Terry Bingham came to The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in 1994 and assumed the position of principal trumpet in the Concert Band and Orchestra in 2010. He is also first trumpet with The U.S. Army Brass Quintet and has enjoyed a diverse career as a member of "Pershing's Own," performing with the Army Blues, Swamp Romp and The U.S. Army Band DownRange, with whom he toured Kuwait, Iraq and Afghanistan as part of the Sergeant Major of the Army's Hope and Freedom Tour 2010. He is a true part of the rich heritage of "Pershing's Own," having followed the footsteps of his mother and father, who both served in the unit. He is the father to three wonderful children, and he has enjoyed a varied career as a trumpeter, performing with the Baltimore Symphony, John Williams, Usher, Bono, the late Ray Charles and Frank Sinatra, Jr., among others.

# The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble Director: David Coash

David Coash, D.M.A., has been a member of The Florida Orchestra since 1978. He earned degrees from the University of Michigan (D.M.A.), Northwestern University (M.M.) and the University of South Florida (B.A. music/B.A. music education). He is the principal percussionist with Opera Saratoga and co-founded Spectrum Contemporary Ensemble. He has been a member of the Brass Band of Battle Creek since 1994. He has performed with the London Symphony and the Detroit Symphony. He has been a member of the faculty at Florida Southern College in Lakeland, Fla., and The University of Tampa. He has performed numerous recitals and educational performances in Florida and around the United States. He has worked at both the district and state levels for FBA since 1986. In 2002, he served as a panelist for the Solo & Ensemble Adjudication Clinic presented at the FMEA convention.

John Shaw has been the principal percussionist with The Florida Orchestra since 1996 and a member of the orchestra's percussion section since 1992. He earned degrees from Florida State University (B.M.) and Temple University (M.M.). He has been featured as a soloist with The Florida Orchestra many times, performing the *Concerto for Percussion* by Joseph

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Schwantner, Concerto for Two Pianos and Percussion by Bela Bartók and Veni, Veni, Emmanuel by James MacMillan. His eightmember steel drum band, the Tampa Bay Steel Orchestra, was twice featured with The Florida Orchestra as part of the orchestra's pops series. He has been on

the faculty at St. Petersburg College since 1996. He is the principal percussionist with the Eastern Music Festival and has been with the festival since 2008. He is the vice president of the Florida chapter of the Percussive Arts Society, and he presented a master class on orchestral per-



cussion at the society's 2010 International Convention.

Kurt Grissom joined The Florida Orchestra in 1984 under then Music Director Irwin Hoffman. He graduated high school from the Interlochen Arts Academy in Michigan in 1979 and did his undergraduate studies at the University of South Florida, New England Conservatory of Music and The University of Tampa (B.M., 1985). He was a Florida Gulf Coast Symphony Young Artist Concerto winner in 1977, attended the Tanglewood Music Festival on a fellowship in 1987 and has performed

with the Boston Symphony Orchestra under Seiji Ozawa and Leonard Bernstein, as well as with the Naples, Jacksonville and Orlando orchestras of Florida. He also held the position of personnel manager of The Florida Orchestra from 1991 to 1999. 

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#### Thursday, January 10, 2013

#### **Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble**

I2:20 p.m. – I2:40 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, East Hall FMEA Exhibits Grand Opening Director: Doug Moser



The Wharton High

School Percussion Ensemble, under the direction of Doug Moser, performs a wide variety of music for percussion, including modern and new music, classical transcriptions, world and cultural music, as well as pop and jazz arrangements. The ensemble performed at the 2009 and 2011 McCormick Marimba Festival at the University of South Florida and was featured at the 2011 FMEA Conference. Most recently, the ensemble was invited to perform at the 2012 Florida Percussive Arts Society Day of Percussion, hosted by USF Professor Bob McCormick. The Wharton Regiment Drumline is also known for consistently earning top honors at several marching festivals across Florida. Members of the ensemble have participated in the Florida State Solo & Ensemble Festival, Florida All-State Concert Bands, Yamaha Sounds of Summer camps, USF Festival of Winds and numerous area honor bands. The percussion ensemble also hosts an annual Spring Percussion Concert each school year.

Doug Moser is the marching percussion director and arranger for the USF Herd of Thunder Marching Band and the director of the WGI World Championship finalist BRAHMA Percussion Ensemble. He is the assistant director of bands and orchestras at Wharton High School in Tampa, Fla., where he also teaches classes for piano and guitar. He is a graduate of Rollins College and received the M.M. in percussion performance from the University of South Florida. He has performed with the Florida West Coast Symphony (Sarasota Orchestra), Southwest Florida Symphony, Florida Wind Band, Brass Band of Central Florida, Space Coast Pops, Messiah Choral Society of Orlando and Bach Festival Orchestra of Winter Park. He is co-author of *Masterworks for Mallets*, published by Rowl-Off Publications, and can be

heard on several recordings with the McCormick Percussion Group on the Ravello and Capstone labels.

#### University of North Florida Jazz Collective

I:30 p.m. – 2 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Director: Lynne Arriale

The University of North Florida Jazz Collective represents the new breed of young musicians, steeped in tradition and forwardlooking, incorporating diverse influences including free improvisation,



pop, rock, Latin, Middle Eastern and Brazilian music, with a strong emphasis on group interaction. Each member brings professional experience and musical vision to bring forth a unique ensemble sound, infused with passion and creativity.

Pianist/composer Lynne Arriale has performed internationally on concert and festival stages over the past 20 years. She has recorded 13 CDs as a leader; won the Great American Piano Competition; toured Japan with 100 Golden Fingers (Tommy Flanagan, Hank Jones, Monty Alexander, Cedar Walton and Kenny Barron); and has performed and/or recorded with Benny Golson, Randy Brecker and George Mraz. Her recordings have topped the national jazz radio charts and "Best Of" lists; other national and international media include PBS, NPR, Billboard, DownBeat, JazzTimes and cover stories for JazzEd, One Way and M Magazine. She is associate professor of jazz studies at the University of North Florida.

#### University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble 4 p.m. – 5 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Director: Scott Tobias

The UCF Wind Ensemble is the premier performance ensemble of the University of Central Florida's bands program. Composed of the finest wind and percussion students at the





University of Central Florida, the UCF Wind Ensemble presents numerous concerts each year consisting of a variety of repertoire ranging from classic band compositions to new literature for the wind band medium. In recent years, the UCF Wind Ensemble has performed for the American School Band Directors Association's national convention and has worked with noted composers such as Karel Husa and Guy Woolfenden. In May 2013, the ensemble will embark on a seven-day performance tour of London, England.

Scott C. Tobias, D.M.A., is the director of bands and assistant professor of music at the University of Central Florida. His responsibilities include conducting the Wind Ensemble, teaching courses in conducting and music education and providing administrative leadership for the UCF Bands program. He previously served as associate director of bands at Appalachian State University as well as director of bands at Sumter High School in Sumter, S.C., and at Central High School in Macon, Ga.

## Performing Ensembles Friday, January 11, 2013

Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Director:



#### Christopher Perez

This year's Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra consists of 32 members and is part of the FHS Guitar Program with more than 190 students and three beginner guitar classes and three guitar ensembles, including the Intermediate Guitar Ensemble, the Advanced Guitar Ensemble and the Guitar Orchestra. The FHS Guitar Program is pleased and very excited to announce

that the FHS Guitar Orchestra has been invited to perform in concert at the 21st annual Long Island Guitar Festival in New York in March 2013. The FHS Guitar Program is proud to represent Florida and perform at this prestigious international guitar festival.

Christopher Perez is a graduate from Western Illinois University and teaches at Freedom High School in Orlando, Fla. directing the guitar program and electronic music. He is a member of FBA, NAfME and FMEA. His music is published with Drop6 Media, and he has several arrangements on the FBA State Music List. He serves on the FMEA General Music committee and is the Orange County Public Schools' guitar chairman. He is a percussionist and section leader with the Southern Winds Concert Band and also with the WDW "ENCORE! Cast Performing Arts."

# The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet 9:15 p.m. – 10:15 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

#### **Director: Terry Bingham**

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#### Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble

#### Director: John Wicker 12:50 p.m. – 1:25 p.m.

Miami Country Day School's Contemporary Music Ensemble is an ensemble composed of both vocal and instrumental

music students. The group performs music in all styles: classical, rock, folk and jazz. The ensemble has performed all over the state of Florida during its two-year existence and is a favorite in Vero



Beach, Fla., where it performed high-profile gigs in front of thousands of spectators in 2012. The rhythm section of this group received a superior rating at district and at state in 2012 as a jazz combo.

A native of Florida, John Wicker studied with Col. Gilbert Mitchell, solo cornet with The U.S. Army Band. He is a music graduate of the University of Miami (Fla.). He studied under Gil Johnson, principal trumpet with the Philadelphia Orchestra, and Harry Glantz, principal trumpet of the New York Philharmonic/NBC Orchestra. He has earned Teacher of the Year on two occasions. A member of FVA, FBA, FMEA and district chairman of FOA, he is chairman of the Music Department at Miami Country Day School.

# Southwest Middle School Singers Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac 3 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The Southwest Middle School Singers is a dynamic group of girls with lots of heart. The chorus consists of 28 seventh and eighth grade girls who show dedication, ability and class. They meet before school every day. They perform all around Orlando, Fla., including appearances at children's hospitals, nursing homes, theme parks and community events. This ensemble has consistently received superior ratings in choral and special category at district music performance assessments.

Rebecca Gregorio Hammac directed choral and orchestral studies at Neptune Middle School in Osceola County, Fla., for two years before becoming the choral director at Southwest



Middle School. Her choruses have received straight superior ratings at FVA Choral MPAs for the past seven years. She is also the recipient of the FMEA Emerging Leader Award for 2006-2009. She is a graduate of Loyola University New Orleans, School of Music. She is an active member of FMEA, NAfME, FVA and ACDA. She is the past FVA District 8 chairwoman and FVA clinic chairwoman and is an active clinician, adjudicator and conductor.

## Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble Director: Brian P. Dell

5 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

The Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble was formed in 2006, and since its inception, this ensemble has performed at the 2007 Music for All National Percussion Festival in Indianapolis, Ind., the 2008 and 2010 FMEA Conference, the 2012 PAS Florida Day of Percussion, the 2007, 2010 and 2012 USF Magic Marimba Festival and the FBA District and State Solo & Ensemble assessments.

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Brian P. Dell was appointed director of bands at Gaither High School in Tampa, Fla., in 2004 and the fine arts department chairman in 2010. He is responsible for two concert bands, two jazz bands, percussion and chamber ensembles, AP Music Theory and the Marching Cowboys. Prior teaching experience includes Leon High School and Fairview Middle School, both in Tallahassee, Fla., from 1998 to 2002. He has served the FBA as the District 7 chairman from 2008 to 2012, and he is the coordinator for the All-State Concert Band. He is the state chairman for the National Band Association. He earned the M.M. in wind conducting/percussion from LSU and the B.M.E. from FSU. He is a member of FMEA, FBA, NAfME, CBDNA, NBA, PAS and Phi Mu Alpha.

#### Friday, January 11, 2013

Sebastian
River High
School
Caribbean
Steel Drum
Ensemble
Director: Sara
Gover DiPardo



#### 10:30 a.m. - II a.m.

The Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble has been in existence at Sebastian High School since 2007. The Steel Drum Ensemble offers a unique musical experience to its members. Students are exposed to a variety of musical genres including but not limited to reggae, Latin, calypso, soca, jazz and pop. The Steel Drum Ensemble is part of the band curriculum and meets during the school day. It performs at the fall and spring concerts in addition to regular performances throughout the community.

Sara Gover DiPardo is from Vero Beach, Fla., where she graduated from Vero Beach High School. She went on to earn the B.M.E. and the M.M.E. from Florida State University's College of Music. In 2011, she was appointed associate director of bands at Sebastian River High School. Prior to her current appointment, she was director of bands from 2007 to 2011 at Bell Middle/High School in Bell, Fla.

#### St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys Director: Scott Baumer 12 noon – 12:30 p.m.

The Harps and Keys group is made up of three piano players and two harp players. The group was started at the beginning of the 2011 school year when Mrs. Nugent, the classroom music



teacher at St. Luke's, discovered a number of talented piano players in her fourth grade music classes. Mr. Baumer, the school's instrumental director, had started several harp players in third grade, and they were now ready to perform in the school's harp

ensemble as fourth graders. Harps and Keys brings these talented students together.

Scott Baumer graduated from the University of South Florida in 1974 and has been teaching in Florida schools ever since. The last 31 years have been spent at St. Luke's Lutheran School in Oviedo, Fla., developing the instrumental music program for the church and school.

#### tallaBRASSee Director: William Haugeberg I:30 p.m. – 2 p.m.

tallaBRASSee is a professional brass quintet based in the Tallahassee, Fla., area and originally formed at Florida State University. The quintet regularly performs in and



outside of the Tallahassee area and participates in competitions across the country. tallaBRASSee performs a broad repertoire of music, but its main focus is performing original brass quintet repertoire. As an ensemble, tallaBRASSee is equally committed to excellence in both performance and music education.

Aaron Witek (trumpet) is a doctoral candidate at Florida State University. John Powlison (trumpet) is earning his master's degree at Florida State University. Rebecca Chambers (horn) is a doctoral candidate at Florida State University. Bill Haugeberg (trombone) teaches low brass at Albany State University (Ga.). Daniel Rowland (tuba) teaches tuba and euphonium at Valdosta State University.



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#### **Department Audition Dates**

Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 Friday, Jan. 25, 2013 Saturday, Feb. 16, 2013 Saturday, Mar. 9, 2013







# 2013 Conference Schedule VEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2013



8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **FOA Adjudicator Certification Seminar**

Coordinator: Lee Stone

This training is for those interested in being certified to adjudicate concert MPA. This seminar is also for current certified adjudicators who need to renew their certification. The qualifications for becoming an FOA certified adjudicator are as follows: minimum of three years of teaching experience in Florida; certified teacher currently teaching orchestra at a Florida school; current full membership in NAfME and FOA; must have received a superior rating at district MPA at least three of the past five years.

Waterside, Meeting Room 2

9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FBA Adjudication Training Seminar**

Presenter: Kenneth Williams Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for approved candidates.

TCC, 5

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **FBA Recertification Seminar**

Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for qualified FBA adjudicators.

TCC, 9

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **FVA Adjudicator Recertification**

Coordinator: Dale Choate
Waterside, Meeting Room 4





10 a.m. - 12 noon

#### **FMEA Board of Directors Meeting**

Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: Kathleen Sanz

TCC. 3

10:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula

TCC, Lobby

1 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### FMEA PRE-CONFERENCE **OPENING SESSION**

#### Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment—Where Are We and Where Are We Going?

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert, Don West Coordinator: Beth Cummings

This session will provide an overview of the progress in Year 1 as well as the vision for Years 2 and 3 of the Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment.

TCC, 18

1 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FVA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

TCC, 3

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

#### **FVA Executive Board Committee** Meetings

Coordinator: Brad Franks

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1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

#### **FBA Classification Meeting**

Coordinator: Brian P. Dell Waterside, Meeting Room 1

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **FBA Auxiliary Adjudication Seminar**

Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for approved candidates in the area of auxiliaries.

TCC, 9

1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### **FMEA Student Leadership Workshop**

Presenters: Kevin Ford, Fran Kick

Coordinator: Kevin Ford

The Florida Music Educators' Association is pleased to present the third annual Student Leadership Workshop.

TCC, West Hall

2 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### New and New to Florida Teacher **Pre-Conference Sessions**

Presenter: Beth Cummings Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Join a group of FMEA Emerging Leaders and gain valuable insights into FMEA, teaching music in Florida and networking with other music teachers. Topics to be focused on during this "center" driven format will include:

#### How To!:

- 1. How to navigate the FMEA clinic
- 2. How to navigate administrators
- 3. How to navigate parents

#### **MPA Process:**

- 1. What is the process? (component specific)
- 2. What is the process for good literature selection?;
- 3. What are sight-reading do's and don'ts?

#### First-Year Planning vs. Surviving:

- 1. Unpacking the NGSSS
- 2. Understanding course descriptions
- 3. Lesson planning

#### Management:

- 1. Routines
- 2. Procedures
- 3. Handbooks
- 4. Grading
- 5. Discipline

TCC, 15

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

#### How to Begin to Prepare for Assessments in Music by Unpacking the NGSSS

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert

Coordinator: Beth Cummings

How to begin to prepare for assessments in music by unpacking the NGSSS and taking a sneak peek at details of the Performing Fine Arts Assessment.

TCC, 18

3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

#### **All-State Ensemble Coordinators** Meeting

Presenter: John K. Southall Coordinator: Valeria Anderson

TCC, 37

4 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### FMSA Business Meeting

Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

TCC, 36

5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, 1

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FBA Committee Meeting 3**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 34

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FBA Professional Resources Meeting**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 35

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FBA Music Performance Assessment Committee Meeting**

Coordinator: Linda Mann

TCC, 37

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FBA Committee Meeting 4**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 39

5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FOA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Donald Langland

TCC, 7

7:30 p.m. - 9:20 p.m.

#### **FMEA PRESIDENT'S CONCERT**

#### **Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony**

Director: Sterling Frederick

#### Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band

Director: Thomas Singletary

#### **Titusville High School** Symphony Orchestra

Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr

Coordinator: John K. Southall

TCC, Ballroom A

8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Board Meeting** Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, 1

8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

#### **FOA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes

TCC, 7



7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### **Music Across the Curriculum**

Presenter: Jill Gallina Coordinator: Annette Johnson

Administrators and classroom teachers recognize the important contribution that music makes to the curriculum, both as an art form and as a valuable vehicle for interdisciplinary instruction. World music, multicultural chorals, musical games and thematic musicals on topics such as character education, ecology, history, science and reader's theater are just a few of the cross-curricular topics to be shared with attendees in this interactive workshop. Free packets of instructional materials and music will be available. *TCC.* 15

7:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

## FMEA New and New to Florida Teacher Resource Room

Presenter: Beth Cummings
Coordinator: Beth Cummings
Connect with FMEA Emerging Leaders and
component leadership to obtain resources and
information to help you throughout your year!
TCC, 17

7:45 a.m. - 10 a.m.

## FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Anita Travaglino
TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### **FVA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

TCC, 3

8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### Meet the All-State Conductors

Presenters: Bobby Adams, Robert W. Rumbelow Coordinator: Richard Davenport
Meet Bobby Adams, conductor of the All-State
Symphonic Band, and Robert W. Rumbelow,
conductor of the All-State Concert Band.
TCC, 1

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### **FMEA Emerging Leaders**

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Judy Bowers TCC. 10

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### All Jazzed Up About Orff

Presenter: Katie Carlisle Coordinator: Debbie Fahmie

This workshop serves the dual purpose of introducing New Orleans Dixieland music and integrating this jazz styling into an Orff methodological approach. It will explore ways of applying jazz and improvisation within the contexts of upper elementary (third to fifth grade) and middle school (sixth to eighth grade) in comfortable ways that meet the learning needs and experiences of the participants.

TCC, 11

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### Ride the Waves – Incorporating Sound Energy Experiments Into the General Elementary Music Class

Presenter: Paul McLaughlin
Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski
In this hands-on, information-packed session,
teachers will learn how to use items already in the
music room and the household, as well as purchased
items, to integrate science into the general music
classroom. Participants will use Boomwhackers,
oscilloscopes, tuning forks, etc., to complete a
variety of sound energy experiments that have been
successfully kid tested, kindergarten through fifth
grade. Use these experiments Monday morning!

TCC, 13

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

## Words to Rhythms – A Natural Collaboration

Presenter: Christine Hill Coordinator: Karen Van Beek

They want me to teach reading? Wait a minute—I already do! This session will offer activities for the general music classroom music specialist to include reading fluency to teach rhythms without compromising the music curriculum. Participants will be involved in songs and activities that will demonstrate a process for using words—any words—to create rhythm patterns. Everyone attending this session will leave with songs and activities they can use on Monday when returning to their classrooms.

TCC, 15

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

## FMEA All-State Student Leadership Workshop

Presenters: Kevin Ford, Fran Kick Coordinator: Scott Houchins

This session is required attendance for the All-State Reading Chorus and the All-State Concert Chorus members. It is open to other students as well as to chaperons and directors.

TCC, West Hall

10:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

## FMEA FIRST GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION

## Florida Gulf Coast University – Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

Director: Trent R. Brown

## University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra

Director: William W. Wiedrich

#### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty

Director: J.B. Scott
Presenter: Sheila S. King
Coordinator: John K. Southall

The FMEA First General Session will feature the Florida Gulf Coast University – Bower School of Music Chamber Choir, the University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra and the University of North Florida Jazz Faculty.

TCC, Ballroom A

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski

Looking to purchase new curriculum, but not sure if it will be worth your investment? Come peruse tried-and-true favorite resources recommended by successful elementary music educators from across the state.

TCC, 1

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

## FEMEA Elementary Music Curriculum Fair

Coordinator: Julie Hebert

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

## FEMEA All-State Elementary Chorus Registration

Coordinator: Robert Todd TCC, West Hall

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12:20 p.m. - 12:40 p.m.

#### **FMEA EXHIBITS GRAND OPENING**

**Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble** 

Directors: Jason Algair, Doug Moser Coordinator: Dominick Eggen

TCC, East Hall

12:30 p.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Guitar Ensemble**

Conductor: Stephen Robinson Coordinator: Edward Prasse

TCC, 20

12:30 p.m. - 6 p.m.

#### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith TCC, East Hall

12:50 p.m. - 1:25 p.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

#### Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble

Director: John Wicker Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Living Literature Project Development of Original Performance Pieces Using Children's Literature

Presenter: Angelyn Hirai
Coordinator: Rachel Robertson
Inspire your creative spirit! See how elementary
art and music teachers collaborated to perform
The Lorax by Dr. Seuss and Anasi the Spider by
Gerald McDermott and transformed third grade math
standards into musical productions. Come explore
compositional techniques, strategies for making costeffective props and costumes and how to make the
most out of your performance space.

TCC, 10

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Percussion Games and Activities for Elementary Classrooms

Presenter: Steve Campbell Coordinator: Sandy Maye

Enhance your music program with a new set of percussion games and activities for your elementary classroom. This hands-on, interactive session will cover four categories of percussion-based exercises: beginning activities, creative activities, leadership activities and assessment activities. These will

encourage students to play accurately, explore their creative ideas and build leadership skills and will enable teachers to assess students' proficiency. Resource materials will be provided (K-6).

TCC. 11

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Making Each Minute Count – "If I Don't Have the Time to Teach It Right, How Will I Ever Find the Time to Teach It Over?"

Presenter: Cheryl Lavender Coordinator: John Deir

This session will explore general music classroom activities, games, strategies, tips and techniques that reinforce the learning of music concepts while creating an atmosphere of camaraderie and joy. *TCC*, 13

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### The World Music Drumming Curriculum: An Interdisciplinary Co-Curricular Approach to Music Education

Presenter: James Mader Coordinator: Sara DiPardo

In this session participants will develop a better understanding of how the world music drumming curriculum develops language arts, science, social studies, math and reading skills. This is a hands-on session with participants performing the ensembles that develop the aforementioned skills. This will give the participants a student's perspective of student-centered learning. This session is for elementary, middle and high school teachers, as well as professors of music education. What should music education look like? What should music education be like? What should music education do?

TCC, 15

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Chamber Winds in the High School Band: What, Why, When and How

Presenter: Colbert Howell Coordinator: Joshua Sall

The chamber wind ensemble is a beneficial element of a high school band program that is often overlooked. This clinic will discuss what a chamber wind ensemble is, why these ensembles should be included as a part of a high school band and how to implement or start a chamber wind ensemble. Chamber wind repertoire appropriate for high school groups will be discussed. There will also be video and audio demonstrations of these ensembles.

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Successful Tips for the High School Band Director

Presenter: Shelby R. Chipman Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will include tips for starting a beginning

band at the high school level.

TCC, 18

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Choral Diction – Achieving Ensemble With a "Sound" Approach

Presenter: Constantina Tsolainou Coordinator: Barbara Kingman

This session will address the sounds of various languages and how they are produced. We will also discuss how they are articulated in various musical styles. Rules for English, Latin, Italian, German and French will be included.

TCC, 20

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Playing in Balance**

Presenter: Mimi Zweig Coordinator: Julie Nelson

Playing in balance is crucial to the freedom of movement necessary in string playing. This lecture will review the principles of balance and suggest ways to find the ideal dynamic relationship between body and instrument.

TCC, 3

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Mixing It Up: Sound Systems and Applications

Presenter: Michael Vetter Coordinator: David Williams

Have you ever wondered why there are so many different microphones? What is the difference between a dynamic microphone and a capacitor microphone? Which microphone is best for your situation, whether it is a band, a choral group or a vocal solo? This presentation will give practical examples of different microphones and speakers. Placement and sound design will also be discussed.

TCC, 31



1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Scoring Music for Film**

Presenter: Dennis Vincent Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

This session will discuss how to identify the essentials of a film, work with a director, prepare temp tracks and compose music for film.

TCC, 36

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## A 12-Step Program for Preparing a Research Proposal

Presenter: Stephen Zdzinski Coordinator: Tami Williams

Beginning researchers can have difficulty figuring out where to start a research project and how to create a credible research proposal. A systematic 12-step approach to proposal writing that fits a variety of research situations will be presented. The use of literature in the various chapters (introduction, review of literature and method) will be presented, as well as the functions of various chapters, through a question and answer approach.

TCC, 37

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## The Collaborative Music Department: Redefining Success

Presenters: Jason Locker, Jon Sever Coordinator: Elizabeth Phillips

How do we measure success in our programs? Discover common-sense strategies for using resources within the school and community to achieve musical moments that will outlast any competitive victory.

TCC, 5

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### The Incomplete Curriculum

Presenters: Kevin Albright, Cynthia Johnson Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

This session will introduce music educators to an innovative curriculum website, "The Incomplete Curriculum," that unwraps the Next Generation Standards in a unique and user-friendly fashion.

TCC, 7

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Fix It, We'll Show You How! Resurrect Your Percussion Now!

Presenter: Sandy Lantz
Coordinator: Stephen Forsythe
Come learn to salvage your old classroom
instruments on a shoestring budget. Repair
demonstrations will include Orff barred instruments
(pins and tubing), mallets and a variety of small
unpitched percussion.

TCC, 9

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m. **CONCERT** 

#### University of North Florida Jazz Collective

Director: Lynne Arriale Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC. Ballroom A

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Warm-ups for Guitar: Advancing Your Students' Sound and Technique

Presenter: Christopher Perez Coordinator: Kimberly Annis

Aimed for any guitar teacher, this clinic will offer detailed information on using several types of warm-ups. Examples of different scale books and warm-up methods will be used and tied into developing your students' reading ability, musicality, sound/ tone production and technical facility. Guitars will be provided for the session.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

2 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### CONCERT

## Polk County Schools All-County Piano Concert and Demonstration

Director: Beth Cummings Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Come and hear this unique all-county event and

learn how to start one in your area!

TCC, Ballroom D

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Student LEADerSHIP

Presenter: Jeremy D. Klein Coordinator: William Molineaux

Student leadership is an important element in any school setting. Creating an environment and opportunities for students to demonstrate their skills ultimately gives students more ownership of their music program. Through their ownership, students begin to feel empowered, which helps with the overall success of all they are involved in. LEADerSHIP will provide the tools necessary to promote student leadership through motivation, open communication, collaboration, respect and responsibility.

TCC, 10

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## District MPA Sight-Reading: Preparation in the Classroom = Less Sight-Reading Room Stress for You and Your Students

Presenter: Ree Nathan

Coordinator: Rebeccah Gregorio Hammac

This session will provide do's and don'ts as well as classroom practices to ensure a less stressed sight-reading room experience for you and your students.

TCC, 11

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### On the Road to Nashville: Cultivating Elementary Songwriters

Presenters: Iran Garcia, Kathleen Kerstetter Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

Need options and tools for leading a class through the creative process of songwriting? Even our youngest students are able to express themselves through words and music, to create a community environment and to feel musical ownership.

This workshop will explore musical elements of songwriting and creative approaches to musical composition, lyric writing and style appropriate for young musicians.

TCC, 13

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### **How to Assess Without the Stress**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

Participate in hands-on, kid-tested lessons that lend themselves to student assessment based upon the standards. Ideas will include strategies to evaluate students' progress without causing teacher/student street.

(Session repeats at 4 p.m.)

TCC, 15

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Middle and High School Flute and Piccolo Technique

Presenter: Nora Lee Garcia Coordinator: Fred Schiff

This session will address teaching middle and high school flute and piccolo players how to improve their sound and techniques.

TCC, 17

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Preparing for FBA State Solo & Ensemble MPA

Presenters: Ann Adams, Lynn Musco Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will discuss and demonstrate rehearsal techniques for preparing students to perform solo and chamber music. The focus of this clinic will be





to raise the awareness of artistry and creativity in developing musicianship and musical independence with students of all levels. This session will identify concepts that support artistic thinking as well as practical techniques to inspire, identify and build upon artistry at any stage of development. Topics to be addressed will include the evaluation form for MPA found on the FBA adjudicator's comment sheet for FBA State Solo & Ensemble, to include: performance fundamentals, technical accuracy, musical effect, stage presence, discipline, posture, strong points, weak points and appropriate literature selection.

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

TCC, 18

## Who Stole the Cookie From the Cookie Jar?

Presenter: Sterling Frederick Coordinator: Jamie Byran

This session will focus on techniques on how to become one of the most popular organizations on your campus. Sterling Frederick session will discuss the importance of having passion and discipline and teaching life skills to students. You will learn to use these skills to build numbers and positive relationships with your students.

TCC, 20

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### StringSpeak for the Non-String Player

Presenter: David Eccles Coordinator: Lisa Hopko

From evaluating and selecting instruments to bowings, this session will help those without a string background establish and maintain a thriving string program.

TCC, 3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## MOODLE for Your Noodle: Increased Comprehension Through eLearning

Presenter: Charlotte Brasell Coordinator: David Williams

Tired of reteaching instead of reviewing due to instructional time constraints? Come explore ways to use free online software (MOODLE) to reinforce concepts taught in class and also provide common core reading and math standard integration opportunities. This session will share proven strategies that allow students to extend musical learning into the regular classroom setting. **TCC. 31** 

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### **Reed and Mouthpiece Mechanics**

Presenter: Andy Blanco Coordinator: Rachel Sensenig

This clinic will follow the making of the reed from the growing of the cane to the packaging of the reed. Through this presentation, most of the popular myths associated with reeds will be addressed. A mouthpiece overview will follow, showing exactly how clarinet and saxophone mouthpieces are made. Information on how to select the proper mouthpiece for students or budding professionals will also be presented.

TCC, 36

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Adapting for Students With Disabilities in the Instrumental Ensemble

Presenters: Julie Heath, Shaun R. Popp, Charlie Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

Participating in performance groups is an important part of students' music education. All students deserve the opportunity to make music and to play with others. A panel of instrumental music educators will share successful strategies for inclusion as

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well as their personal experiences in working with students who have various physical, sensory and cognitive challenges.

TCC, 37

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance

Presenter: Jennifer A. Bugos Coordinator: Gerald Armbrister

Music programs contribute to musicianship and overall cognitive development. This presentation will provide data to clarify music's role in cognitive development, to evaluate how music prepares the mind for learning and to contribute to advocacy initiatives. Implications in the form of strategies and approaches regarding structural features that music programs need to maximize benefits for general cognitive development serve as a prescription for the application of this research to practice.

TCC, 39

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. **Legendary Florida** 

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

"Legendary Florida" is a cross-curricular project featuring the paintings of Florida artist Jackson Walker, set to music by Florida composer Robert Kerr. In this session, audience members will experience a sampling of selected movements of the work and samples of the artwork, along with descriptions of each. The purpose of this workshop is to offer "Legendary Florida" to schools throughout Florida as a curricular enhancement as well as a unique performance opportunity.

TCC, 5

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Tone Deafness and Other Myths

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Singing is one of the earliest developing and most fundamental musical skills. Despite its importance, we don't know as much as we should about how accurate singing develops and, more important, why it never develops for some children. Though research on "tone deafness" and "monotone singers" has been happening for decades, a clear picture of the problems of inaccurate singing has yet to emerge. Recently, a number of researchers from music education, psychology and neuroscience have begun to explore systematically the prevalence of accurate singing in the general population. They have also started to identify possible perceptual, motor

and neurological causes for inaccurate singing. This research has direct implications for how teachers identify and remediate inaccurate singing.

TCC. 7

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Making It Happen!

Presenter: Gordon R. Brock Coordinator: Daniel Lee

How do we make something happen when it seems there are insurmountable odds against it? Every educator is familiar with this feeling and has certainly grappled with the challenges. This session will offer a brief and entertaining perspective on concepts that have inspired Gordon Brock to be a better teacher. **TCC. 9** 

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Uncovering the Mysteries of the Fretboard

Presenter: Robert Phillips Coordinator: Ana Conner

The guitar fretboard can be daunting for the non-guitarist who is teaching classroom guitar. Students frequently play the right notes but miss the musical intent by playing them in the wrong place, and the non-guitarist teacher is often at a loss as to what needs to be changed or how to do it. This hands-on session will give the participants the technical tools needed to identify and address this issue. Guitars will be provided for use during the session. Limited to 20 participants.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Effective Strategies for Improving Tone in Your Flute Section

Presenter: Kathleen Melago Coordinator: Michael Weintraub

In this session, participants will be exposed to basic principles and hints for guiding their students, as individuals or in groups, to improved flute tone, whether the students are advanced or beginners. Participants will have the opportunity to gain knowledge as regards defining good flute tone, setting the stage for successful flute playing, developing flute tone in all registers, troubleshooting flute tone problems and helping advanced flutists take tone development to the next level.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Jazz Rehearsal Game Plan

Presenter: Dean Sorenson Coordinator: Joshua Sall

The best jazz rehearsals balance ensemble work, improvisation and the rhythm section. Making all of this happen in a short time period, often outside of the school day, requires a focused and organized approach. This clinic will offer a fresh look at the rehearsal and share strategies and techniques that can be applied to ensembles of all ability levels.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Text-Reading Strategies: Practical Application in Secondary Ensembles

Presenter: Wendy Barden Coordinator: Traci Dixon Fuller

Decoding, vocabulary, fluency and comprehension. Support schoolwide reading across the curriculum initiatives in a meaningful way. Better yet! Connect and capitalize on these text-reading strategies to improve music literacy and performance in secondary bands, choirs and orchestras. Participants will take away practical ideas they can use immediately in their ensemble rehearsals.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

#### **Southwest Middle School Singers**

Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **Pedagogy to Performance**

Presenter: Michael Roberts Coordinator: John Deir

Performance ideas derived from classroom curriculum will be modeled. Teachers will explore exciting performance designs that are informative and used within a creative classroom framework that models creativity derived from students. Experience canons in movement, instrument and voice, evolving from classical music that students can appreciate, in an elemental format. Strategies to coach but not dictate the creative process will be modeled.

TCC, 10





4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## The World Music Drumming Curriculum for the Middle and High School Years

Presenter: James Mader Coordinator: Sara DiPardo

This session will address the growing need for middle and high school band and choral directors to teach a wheel class or a general music class. It will also demonstrate how to capture the other 80 percent NOT in your music program. In this handson session, participants will learn and perform ensembles that are appropriate for the middle and high school years that entice students to learn music and develop their learning skills, all the while enriching the music program. What should music education be like? What should music education do?

TCC, 11

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## The Singing Voice: Our Primary Instrument

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

Regardless of what pedagogical foundation you use in your elementary music classroom, the singing voice remains the primary instrument. Together we will examine lessons that integrate music literacy, folk dance, creative movement and Orff instruments, all the while keeping the focus on cultivating good singing.

TCC, 13

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **How to Assess Without the Stress**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg Coordinator: Rosemary Pilonero

Participate in hands-on, kid-tested lessons that lend themselves to student assessment based upon the standards. Ideas will include strategies to evaluate students' progress without causing teacher/student stress!

(Repeated session)

TCC, 15

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## LMAO: Teaching the 21st Century High School Singer

Presenter: Denise R. Eaton Coordinator: Tori Bunke

Your students will love choir if the musical choices you offer are age appropriate and provide opportunities for learning, skill development and FUN!

TCC, 17

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Solid Foundations for Clarinet

Presenters: Gary Bottomley, Kathleen Kinion, James Matthews, Jennifer Zahn

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This clinic will be a panel of clarinet teachers working with basic fundamentals and problems of beginning clarinet players. Learn these tricks to help your clarinets make outstanding progress.

TCC, 18

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Have No Fear, Read It First Here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB

Presenter: Cara Tasher Coordinator: Heather Bice

SSA reading session with music packets.

TCC, 20

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Culturally Responsive Teaching in the Orchestra Classroom

Presenter: Rebecca MacLeod Coordinator: Kate Zeng

Cultural background influences how students interact with others, process information and form ideas. This session will explore the specific ways that culture impacts students' learning and will provide culturally responsive teaching strategies that improve the effectiveness of instruction for all students.

TCC, 3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Doing More With Your SMART Board

Presenter: Carol Carstensen Coordinator: David Williams

Have you learned the basics of your SMART Board, but really want to find creative ways to use it? How many times have you wished for the opportunity to learn more about your SMART Board? This session will give you ideas that you may not have thought of and fun ways to use your SMART Board in your lessons. Ideas will be presented for grades K-12! **TCC. 31** 

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration With General Educators

Presenter: Cathy Benedict Coordinator: Brandon Monse

Music educators have a lot to gain from mindfully integrating their work with the day-to-day planning of general educators. "Value added" is the mantra in teacher evaluation, and music educators must be able to collaborate with, at times educate, and at times learn from, the general teacher. This session will provide information, developed from work with

generalists in a heavily Hispanic program at FIU, on how music specialists can effectively change how generalists view music in their school communities. **TCC. 37** 

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **Integrated Movement for String Players**

Presenter: Melissa Kraut Coordinator: Joanna Sell

This session will explore the importance of body awareness in string playing.

TCC, 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## Uncovering Meaning in Voice Change: Esteem, Identity and Transformation

Presenters: Craig Denison, Maria Denison Coordinator: Melissa Bumbach

Up until adolescence, children, knowingly or not, have a sense of who they are. Part of their self-understanding is the voice they have always known. In this session, esteem, identity and transformation of the child voice through adolescence will be discussed.

TCC, 7

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Cellos and Basses Are From Mars, Violins and Violas Are From Venus – Low Strings Workshop

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme

Coordinator: Linda Waid

Instruments in the string family might all seem alike, but distinct differences between the upper and lower strings quickly become evident. This session will highlight some of the most important strategies for cello and bass students, including proper setup and instrument hold, using the bow and strategies for great fingerings and left hand position. Understanding what helps cellists and bassists play properly is important for building a great foundation in your string class and orchestra.

TCC, 9

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### CONCERT

## University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble

Director: Scott Tobias Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, Ballroom A



4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

**Guitar 1 Pedagogy for All** 

Presenter: Joe Sandusky Coordinator: Colbert Page Howell, Jr.

This presentation is for individuals wanting to improve their guitar program. The presenter will address proper techniques for both plectrum (pick) and fingerstyle approach, as well as the pros and cons to each; how to engage your students and incorporate various styles of music; and what you should know to produce a musical guitar ensemble. By the end of the session, you should feel ready to take on a guitar class or to improve your current class.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## A New Approach in Secondary Music Theory Instruction

Presenter: Alyssa Kassler
Coordinator: Jimmy Higginbotham
How can classroom teachers ensure students'
comprehension of music theory knowledge? Music
learning theory concepts applied in a secondary
classroom assist development of aural skills,
improvisation, literacy, creativity and learning with
understanding. This session will provide "ears-on"
tools for teachers to teach, measure and assess
students' understanding in music theory or in the
general music classroom. Come ready to sing!

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **Jazz Improvisation for Band Directors**

Presenter: Al Hager Coordinator: Rob Lambert

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

Teaching improvisation can be a daunting task. This clinic will give practical information and ideas for the average middle or high school band director.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## Delivering a Quality 21st Century Music Education in the New Global Economy

Presenter: Alvin Davis Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

The 2012 Florida Teacher of the Year and National Teacher of the Year finalist, Alvin Davis, will discuss strategies, challenges and rewards of delivering a quality music education.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

#### Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble

Director: Brian P. Dell Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

#### 5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. FEMEA Districts 1 & 2 Meeting

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 11

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

#### FEMEA Districts 6 & 7 Meeting

Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

TCC. 13

5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

#### NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting

Coordinator: Jon Crane

TCC, 20

5:15 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### FOA General Membership Meeting

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes

All FOA members are invited and encouraged to attend.

TCC, 3

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

#### FEMEA District 3 Meeting

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski **TCC. 5** 

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

#### FEMEA Districts 4 & 5 Meeting

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, 7

5:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

#### **FVA General Membership Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

Waterside, Grand Ballroom, Salon A

6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

#### **FEMEA General Business Meeting**

Presenter: Lisa Hewitt

Coordinator: April Laymon

The FEMEA General Business Meeting will feature the Westbrooke Elementary Orff Ensemble, composed of selected fourth and fifth grade students. These dedicated musicians meet once a week for 40 minutes before school to play mallet instruments, drums and recorders using the Orff process. Many participate in a summer Orff camp offered by their director, Lisa Hewitt. They perform throughout the year and accompany the Westbrooke Chorus on many occasions.

TCC, 13

6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

#### **FBA General Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Richard Davenport

TCC, 18

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

#### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

#### Florida Gulf Coast University Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

Director: Trent R. Brown Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, Ballroom A

8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

#### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

## University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra

Director: William W. Wiedrich Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, Ballroom A

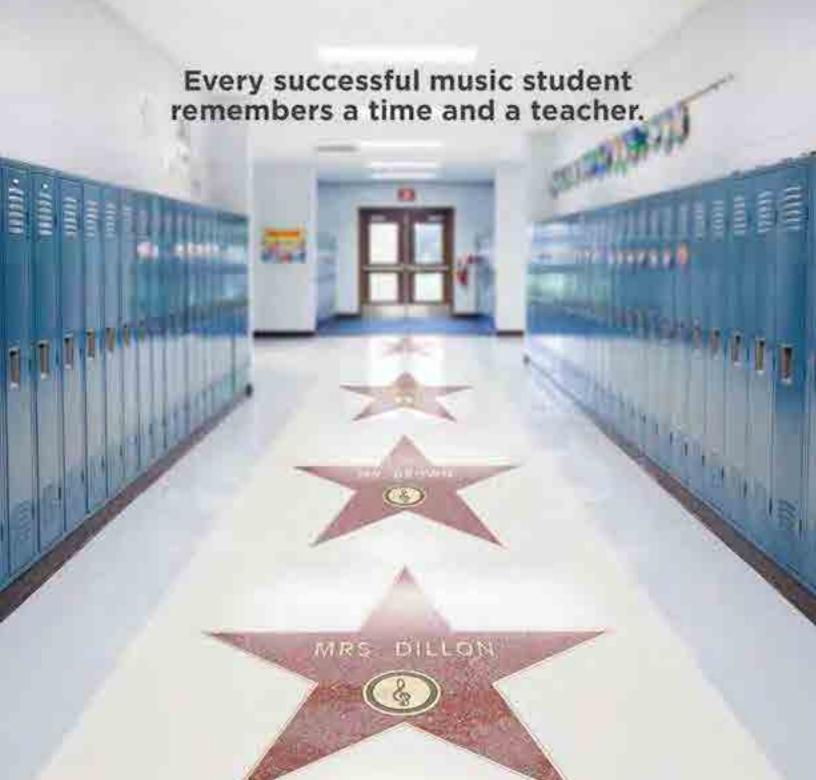
9:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

#### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

#### University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble 1

#### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty

Director: J.B. Scott
Coordinator: Joel Pagan
TCC, Ballroom A



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# FRIDAY, JANUARY II, 2013 FRIDAY

7 a.m. - 8:50 a.m.

#### **FMEA Awards Breakfast**

Presenter: Debbie Fahmie Coordinator: Valeria Anderson **TCC. 20** 

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### **Putting Classroom Technology to Work**

Presenter: Bradley L. Bonner Coordinator: Tiffanie Brown

BLB Studios has created more than 150 animated music lessons that encourage interactive, hands-on learning in pre-K through fifth grade music rooms. Projecting these elemental lessons from a DVD player or a computer source, teachers and their substitutes will use up-to-date technology to reach "standards-based" goals. The learning packages are available for hand bells, Boomwhackers, soprano recorders and both pitched and non-pitched percussion instruments.

TCC, 10

## 7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. **DynoDrumming!**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg Coordinator: Jane Whitaker

DynoDrumming is sure to light your fire and excite you and your elementary music students using hand drums, congas, tubanos and other small unpitched percussion instruments. This session will provide you with clear, standards-based, processed pieces that can be implemented on Monday! The examples will also enable participants and students to create their own ensembles and pieces. Come and join the DynoDrumming!

TCC, 11

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### A Story, A Song and We're Moving Along: Theme-Based Learning in the Early Childhood Music Classroom

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Lu Anne Leone

In preschool, kindergarten and even first grade, young learners often find themselves more engaged and committed to their learning if there is a theme that ties the activities together into a package that

makes sense to the young mind. In this workshop we use picture books to create themes that integrate learning through music and movement. These lessons can easily be used to coordinate with units of study in the general classroom, collaborating with academic disciplines.

TCC, 13

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences

Presenter: Artie Almeida Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

Enjoy a variety of child-friendly activities that empower students in the areas of rhythm, melody and form. We will sing, move, play and explore ways to make the elements of music come alive for our students. (Session repeats at 11:45 a.m.)

TCC, 15

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

## Music Teacher 2.0: Managing Your Program in the Digital Age

Presenter: Andrew Zweibel Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will take an in-depth look at the wide variety of social media and digital productivity tools that can enhance the management aspect of any music program. The focus of the session will be on the use of these tools for an instrumental music program; however, all the concepts are applicable to a wide variety of disciplines. Specifically, the presenter will discuss the use of Facebook, Twitter, blogging and Evernote, among other tools.

TCC, 17

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

## Achieving an Artistic Vibrato in the String Class

Presenter: Rebecca MacLeod Coordinator: Beth Bichler

This session will review pedagogical literature and compare various approaches that have been used to teach vibrato. Video clips of artist-level performers in real time and slow motion will be presented to outline clearly the component motions of a beautiful vibrato. Practical applications for intermediate and advanced orchestra classrooms will be discussed, as well as the relationship to professional performance practice.

TCC, 3

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

## Secondary General Music: Bringing the Content to Life!

Presenter: Seth Pendergast Coordinator: Deitrich Vasquez

This session is for secondary general music teachers (music appreciation, theory, etc.) who are struggling to energize and engage their students. Whether you are teaching AP Music Theory or middle school music appreciation, there are real solutions for transforming an often "dry" curriculum into a rich, hands-on exploration of music. The ideas in this session will encourage teachers to use composition and music technology to engage students, grow their music program and enjoy teaching secondary general music!

TCC, 31

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

## Maximizing Your Marching Band Rehearsal Time

Presenter: Bob Buckner Coordinator: Keith Dodson

This session will present techniques and strategies to help your band's visual program reach the next level of performance. Concentration will be given to movement and marching techniques while maximizing your rehearsal time.

TCC, 36

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

## Music Technology 101: Recording Techniques for the Music Educator

Presenter: Kawachi Clemons Coordinator: Edrick Rhodes

This session will provide music educators with an overview of the digital recording process. Topics will include the basics of sound and production, microphone placement techniques, editing and mixing. The presenters will also cover strategies to eliminate common digital recording mistakes (clipping and distortion). After attending this session, attendees will possess the basic knowledge to produce high-quality ensemble and solo performance recordings.

TCC, 37

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7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### **Crank Up Your Classroom With** QuaverMusic.com!

Presenter: Graham Hepburn Coordinator: Chris Burns

Ignite your kids' imagination with a high-energy mix of creativity and 21st century technology! Learn techniques that bring general music concepts to life for today's kids. This session will include improv activities, IWBs, video, online classrooms and Kids Virtual World. All-new session presented by Quaver (Graham Hepburn)!

TCC, 5

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### Theory & Ear Training Made Fun: **Engaging Students in Individualized Instruction and Assessment**

Presenter: Peter Kelly Coordinator: James LeBon

Auralia and Musition offer an exciting way for students to learn and practice theory and ear training while saving you time. With the new Cloud editions, students can practice at home or at school! Easy to install, with no server required, the Cloud makes it easy for your students to practice anytime and anywhere—ideal for auditions and placement tests. Cloud-enabled technology can provide immediate, accurate assessment that helps your students to become better musicians while saving you time. TCC, 7

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### Beat for Peace: Engaging At-Risk Students Through the Talking Drum

Presenter: Michelle King Coordinator: Cameron Underwood

Participants will use the Beat for Peace intervention model to learn how collaboration between guidance counselor, classroom teacher and music teacher can empower at-risk students. Participants will experience hands-on learning in the areas of initiating, planning and leading a drum circle. Beat for Peace has a collaborative goal of empowering students who have become disenfranchised with school through their motto "Listen - Focus -Respect."

TCC, 9

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

#### **Guitar Lab: Power Chord Techniques**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this session, attendees will be presented with power chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chord shapes, picking techniques and drills learned) will be specifically

used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate. Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

7:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### FEMEA Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC. Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

#### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

9 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

#### FMEA SECOND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION

#### Touch – USF iPad Quintet

Director: David A. Williams

#### The U.S. Army Brass Quintet

Director: Terry Bingham

#### The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble

Director: David Coash Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: John K. Southall

The FMEA Second General Membership Session will feature Touch - the USF iPad Quintet, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet and The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble.

TCC, Ballroom A

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### **Enhancing Access to Music Programs** Through Collaborations

Presenter: Judith Evans Coordinator: Jessica Davoli

This session will feature collaborative community projects that enhance and increase access to instrumental music programs. Examples of successful projects being used in Collier County will be featured. These include pre-K violin literacy, after school mariachi and class piano, band and orchestra master classes, private lessons and summer camp scholarship programs.

TCC, 10

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Lift Me Up! Adding Movement to Your **Choral Program**

Presenter: Andy Beck Coordinator: Carrie Leahy

Popular movement specialist Andy Beck will teach how to add simple yet effective riser choreography to your choral program—appropriate for singing groups of all ages and levels. A complimentary music packet will be given to each director in attendance.

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Not a Typical "Arts Integration" Session

Presenter: Michelle Berra Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

"Arts Integration" is in danger of becoming a clichéd phrase in education. In an effort to empower music teachers to explore arts integration in its true meaning, this session will explore storytelling, composition and collaboration with general education teachers. Using elementary standards from music and language arts, participants will witness the power of authentic arts integration as it unfolds into creative, meaningful musical experiences.

TCC, 13

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### **Awesome Books With Musical Hooks**

Presenter: Katharine Miller Coordinator: MerryBeth Schmidt

This session will focus on children's literature that can be used to teach different music skills to various grade levels in elementary school, so there will be something for everyone! Orff instruments, drums, non-pitched percussion and movement will be used during the session, so participants will be up and moving! This session will also go along well with the "collaboration" theme of the conference!

TCC, 15

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Meet the New Generation Gemeinhardt

Presenter: David Pirtle Coordinator: Pauline Latorre

Meet the new team, the new instruments, the new artists!

TCC, 17

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### **Beginning Band Strategies for All Ages**

Presenters: Malena Calle, Susana M. Lalama, Erich S. Rivero

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

With enrollments decreasing, music teachers are finding themselves teaching more beginning band classes in all grade levels to maintain sufficient numbers. This panel of music teachers will discuss beginning band practices, from recruiting to fundamental teaching strategies for students of all ages.

TCC, 18



10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

## **Experiential Learning and Expressive Singing**

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Hilary Ridgley

Developmental choral singers of all ages and their teachers face the daunting task of performing with musical expression while also learning/teaching music skills and vocal technique. This session will focus on methods for accelerating the learning process and preparing singers to make musical decisions independently, leading to an artistic performance.

TCC, 20

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### **Teaching Études and Scales Musically**

Presenter: Mimi Zweig Coordinator: Doreen Johnson

This lecture will use Wohlfhart Études Op. 45, Preparing for Kreutzer (Harvey Whistler) and Kreutzer Études and Scales and will demonstrate how they can be used to enhance the musical experience of string players.

TCC, 3

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Music Technology Lesson Plans for Teachers Too Busy to Write Music Technology Lesson Plans

Presenter: Dustin Hinzman Coordinator: David Williams

This session will provide educators with sample lesson plans and takeaway resources for use in a secondary music technology classroom. For teachers who have not yet started a course in music technology at their school, resources will be provided and briefly covered in the session. Each lesson plan presented will be accompanied by examples of the presenter's students' work over the last two years. **TCC**, 31

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Students With Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD): Implications for Music Educators

Presenter: Mary Adamek
Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow
The number of individuals diagnosed with Autism
Spectrum Disorders (ASD) is increasing rapidly by

a rate of 10 to 17 percent each year (Autism Society of America, 2010). Although autism is considered a low incidence disorder, many music educators work with students with autism each week in schools. This session will cover educational implications for music education for students with ASD as well as adaptations for successful music education experiences.

TCC, 36

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Manage Your Stress While Maintaining Harmony in the Music Classroom

Presenter: Adrianna Andrews-Marshall

Coordinator: Jack Eaddy

Have the realities of teaching stressed you out? This session will offer strategies on how to keep your composure and maintain professionalism when faced with challenging situations. Learn how to promote an effective environment for music learning by not allowing stress to affect your quality of teaching. *TCC*, 37

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10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

## ASBDA Clinic: MPAs for Dummies – Revisited

Presenters: Bruce Brazinski, Jason Duckett, J. Eric Miles, Lee Ponder Coordinator: Paul Morton

Sponsored by the American School Bandmasters Association, this session will explore the necessities and pitfalls, from preparation through performance, regarding the MPA experience. This panel of experienced educators and adjudicators will share from their perspectives the ingredients to a successful musical event.

TCC, 5

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Music and Literacy: The Research, Connections and Strategies

Presenter: Christine Fisher Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Discover the latest research dealing with music and literacy. Investigate parallels between music learning and reading processes, and examine and discuss music strategies that can enhance student literacy outcomes.

TCC, 7

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

## Make Theory and Ear Training Easy – Use the Cloud!

Presenters: Kelly Demoline, Peter Kelly Coordinator: Sophia Beharrie

Auralia and Musition offer an exciting way for students to learn and practice theory and ear training while saving you time. With the new Cloud editions, students can practice at home or at school! Easy to install, with no server required, the Cloud makes it easy for your students to practice anytime and anywhere—ideal for auditions and placement tests. Cloud-enabled technology can provide immediate, accurate assessment that helps your students to become better musicians while saving you time. *TCC*, 9

10:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

#### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith

TCC, East Hall

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 1

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on session, attendees will be presented with chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chords, strum patterns and drills

learned) will be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. Three major textbook series will be used. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

## Sebastian River High School Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble

Director: Sara Gover DiPardo Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Teaching Improvisation in the School Ensemble or Instrumental Studio

Presenter: Stanley Haskins Coordinator: William Molineaux

It can be a real challenge for the school music teacher to address the National Learning Standard of "Improvisation." This session aims to demystify the process of teaching improvisation by demonstrating three systematic sequences to develop beginning improvisational skills in the school ensemble setting. This session will supply the in-service school instrumental teacher with ideas for immediate application to the classroom.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

#### Musicianship in Middle School Band? Yeah, Right!

Presenter: Larry Clark Coordinator: Michael Weintraub

Can middle school band students really use phrasing, play with a characteristic sound and make independent musical decisions? You bet they can, and this session will show you tried and true ways to make them do it—and love it, too. Get inspired and re-energized to share your love of music with your middle schoolers—these techniques really work!

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

## Tricks for Teaching Beginning Improvisation

Presenter: Michael Wilkinson Coordinator: James Yaques

To teach improvisation, we want to give the beginning improviser the tools to sound good, starting with their first notes. This clinic will be a discussion of various methods to teach improvisation to band students of all ages, including ear-training methods, improvisation games, basic composition and other activities. My ultimate goal in teaching is to give

students the tools to be creative on their instruments. Improvisation does not have to be a daunting concept to you or your students.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### **ACDA Luncheon**

Presenter: Scott Leaman Coordinator: Connie Drosakis

Hyatt, Garrison

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Establishing Focus and Ensemble Sound: Innovative Warm-Ups for Middle School Band

Presenter: David Lee Sellers, Jr. Coordinator: Keith Dodson

The presenter will share warm-ups that can be accomplished without books, sheets or notes on the board. Breathing exercises, ear training, articulation studies, solfège and scales integrated into fun and innovative warm-ups are designed to establish focus and a good ensemble sound.

TCC, 10

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Moving Beyond the Program Notes: Using Descriptive Language to Engage Students in Music

Presenter: Matthew McCutchen Coordinator: Veronica Curran

This session will explore ways to get students to feel connected to the music they are performing. I regularly ask students to tell me what their music is about. Some give answers based on the title or composer's notes, but often I am greeted by silence. Using personal anecdotes, video examples and audience participation, we will discuss ways to talk about music that will keep students engaged, help them make personal connections to the pieces and enhance their aesthetic experience.

TCC, 11

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Purposeful Pathways: Possibilities for the Elementary Music Room

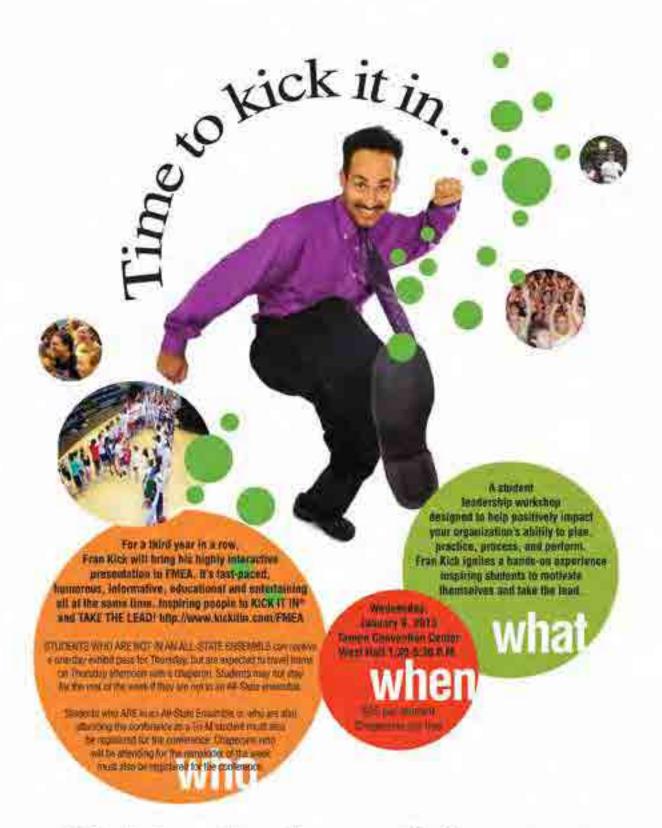
Presenter: Roger Sams

Coordinator: Suzy Reiser

Orff, Kodàly and Dalcroze Eurhythmics are each unique pedagogical approaches with their own processes and gifts for students' learning. Many American music teachers find themselves integrating these three approaches, selecting just the right process at the right moment to maximize students' success. Come explore diverse pathways for learning in the elementary music room that use the best of what all three pedagogies have to offer.

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# Uniting leaders + followers in collaboration!









11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences

Presenter: Artie Almeida Coordinator: Marie Radloff

Enjoy a variety of child-friendly activities that empower students in the areas of rhythm, melody and form. We will sing, move, play and explore ways to make the elements of music come alive for our

students. (Repeated session)

TCC, 15

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# A New Way to Elevate Your Performance Program

Presenter: Jean McKen Coordinator: Paul Destito

You want a strong performance program, and we know that includes building music theory proficiency. How to find time and motivate students? Enter Breezin' Thru Theory. These new and engaging auto-assessed interactive drills with student tracking in the e-binder are reinforced with lessons, fun games and composition activities. A complete package. Accessed online, at home or in class, students achieve curriculum goals and foster a love for music. See the cool tools—it'll put a smile on your face. You'll be Breezin' Thru in no time.

TCC, 17

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Techniques for Building the Low Brass Section of Your Dreams

Presenter: Gail Robertson Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will give you a hands-on experience of how to improve and develop your low brass section. Session highlights: 1. Learn how to properly buzz on a mouthpiece visualizer so you can demonstrate it to your students; 2. Leave with a copy of and hear a demonstration of the proper kind of warm-up; 3. Gain information about equipment and find out more about proper mouthpiece selection; 4. Find out about current educational tools and methods that can help your students when they practice at home; 5. Learn how to feature your low brass section so they get to play the melody, too; and 6. Learn more about low brass events your students can participate in.

TCC, 18

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# The Voices in My Head: A Philosophy for Rehearsing

Presenter: Will Kesling Coordinator: Kevin Lusk

The goal of this session is to lay out a philosophical foundation for building an artistic choral ensemble via the rehearsal, age of the choir notwithstanding. Our success is no better than the voices in our heads and our philosophy of rehearsing.

TCC, 20

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Orchestra Rehearsal Techniques

Presenter: David Eccles Coordinator: Julie Nelson

TCC, 3

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### iCanDoThis! - iPad in the Music Class

Presenter: Jason Litt Coordinator: Osvaldo Quezada

As the post-PC era moves from interesting theory to cold, hard reality, one of the most pressing questions is: How can we use tablets, most notably the iPad, to help students learn? This session will discuss ways to use the iPad in the music classroom—everything from free and paid applications (apps) to software development and textbook creation (for lesson plans and sheet music). In addition, grants, low-budget alternatives and common obstacles will be highlighted.

TCC, 31

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

## **Empowering Students for Productive Practice**

Presenter: William I. Bauer Coordinator: Bobbe Jo Butler

In music, practice is necessary to enable musicians to acquire, develop and maintain aspects of technique, to learn new music, to memorize music for performance, to develop interpretation and to prepare for performance. This interactive session will provide practical, research-based strategies to help students engage in effective individual practice. Topics will include motivation, practice approaches, teaching students to practice and structuring practice sessions.

TCC, 36

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Using Popular Music to Increase Literacy in Your Percussion Section

Presenter: Lawrence Young Coordinator: Benny Bolden

This session will offer techniques and strategies for using the music our students listen to regularly to increase their reading levels while sharpening their musicianship skills.

TCC, 37

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### I've Got My Keys ... Now What? Strategies for Surviving Your First Year of Teaching

Presenter: Jeffrey Miller
Coordinator: Jessica LaMontangne
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As a first-year teacher, you will encounter many challenges outside of music making. It is the purpose of this clinic to assist those who are new to the profession by providing a series of meaningful tips and strategies that primarily focus on effective communication, planning and organization, including budget and program handbook preparation.

TCC. 39

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# ASBDA Clinic: The Three Ws: Why, Who and When to Bring in a Guest Conductor

Presenters: Jeff Cayer, Jon Eckman, James Hacker Coordinator: Paul Morton

Sponsored by the American School Band Directors Association, this session will explore: When is the best time to invite another expert to work with your students? Is this done only prior to a big performance? Does the music have to be perfect? What will my guest think of me as a teacher? Will this person help or hurt? This panel discussion of seasoned veterans will help to answer these questions and more, and will help show you how to provide a positive experience for your students.

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Assessment in the Choral Classroom: Maximizing Achievement in the Choral Arts

Presenter: Derrick Fox
Coordinator: Leanora Wilkinson

This session will demonstrate practical assessment models that actively involve students in learning, promote self-assessment and aid the teacher in adjusting instruction based on assessment results. This session will also include assessment strategies that can be useful in classroom management, retention and program advocacy. Participants will



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also be introduced to rubric models that will aid in delivering feedback rooted in national, state and district curriculum standards.

TCC, 7

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Music, Culture & the Brain

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Steven Demorest, Ruth Sutton Waters endowed professor of music and director of the Laboratory for Music Cognition, Culture & Learning at the University of Washington and a choral director and sight-singing instructor, will address singing accuracy, sight-singing pedagogy and music cognition.

TCC, 9

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### **Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 2**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with additional chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chords, strum patterns and drills learned) can be applied to your classroom teaching but will also be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. *Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3* 

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### Florida Retired Music Educators: Sharing Models for Arts Collaborations

Coordinator: Janice Lancaster

This will be an opportunity for retired members to share ideas about ways to support the FMEA conference theme "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." This session will also include lunch and a discussion among the attendees about their current involvement in the arts. Lunch provided at a cost to each attendee.

Embassy, Atrium

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Designing Measurement Tools for Music Performance Assessment

Presenter: Brian Wesolowski Coordinator: Tom Silliman

A primary difficulty with music performance assessment is managing its subjective nature. To help improve objectivity, a variety of assessment tools can be used to develop a set of guidelines for clearly assessing students' performance as well as provide a written form of accountability. This presentation will focus on the complexities of music performance assessment and will provide guidance for developing and implementing measurement

tools, including rubrics, checklists, rating scales and portfolios

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### I Belong! Engaging Students in Band-Choir-Orchestra for a Better Performance

Presenter: Wendy Barden Coordinator: Tina Gill

When members of an ensemble know each other, respect each other and feel connected and committed to the collective result, the music they create together will be nothing short of amazing! This observation is more than anecdotal. Many research studies across all content areas show that school connectedness is a strong factor in students' achievement. Experience several activities to develop strong teacher-student and student-student interactions in your ensemble, as well as stronger performances.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

#### Jazz Ensemble Techniques for the Classically Trained Director

Presenter: Mark Belfast Coordinator: Wayne Watson

This workshop will provide practical information for the classically trained music educators who believe they lack the knowledge and skills necessary to provide their students with a high-quality jazz education. Topics of interest include: print and online resources; ensemble setup; sound reinforcement systems; rehearsal and performance techniques; teaching improvisation; and discovering recruitment and performance opportunities.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

12 noon - 1 p.m.

#### **FMEA Research Poster Session**

Coordinator: Victor Fung TCC, East Hall

12 noon - 12:30 p.m.

#### **MINI-CONCERT**

#### St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys

Director: Scott Baumer Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman TCC, Lobby Stage

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12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### CONCERT

#### Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra

Director: Christopher Perez Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, West Hall 1 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Elementary Chorus**

Conductor: Earlene Rentz Coordinator: Robert Todd TCC, Ballroom A

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Drumset for the Non-Percussionist**

Presenter: Mike Wendeln

Coordinator: Christopher Simmons

Non-percussionists, don't fear the drumset! This session is geared toward those non-percussionists who would like to begin to play the drumset or who need to direct a student on this instrument. The drumset is a crucial piece of any steel band, percussion ensemble, jazz or athletic band. This session will demonstrate techniques, grooves and practice tips that you (and your students) should know. While focusing on steel band applications, anyone teaching a group with a drumset will benefit! *TCC*, 10

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Jazz Workshop With the Pros: Vocal Jazz

Presenter: Lisa Kelly-Scott Coordinator: Valarie Williams

With a focus on recognizing and mentoring talented student jazz vocal soloists in Florida, professional vocalist Lisa Kelly-Scott will present this two-part clinic: 1. Useful information and techniques for teaching jazz voice to students of all ages; and 2. The presentation of three high school jazz vocal finalists from a statewide audition, each singing a jazz standard with the professional rhythm section of pianist Jeff Phillips, UNF bassist Dennis Marks and drummer Steve Salo. A handout is available for download on the FMEA website.

TCC, 11

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Orff for Little Peeps

Presenter: Deanna Stark Coordinator: Tricia Williams

"Percussion ensemble? Check. Program materials? Check. What to do with first grade this week? Ummmmmm." If this sounds like something you might utter, then please join us! We'll use instruments in a musically appropriate way for primary-aged students. (We'll be moving, too, so leave those high heels at the door.)

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1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Inspiration and Integration: Models for Uniting Music With Other Disciplines**

Presenter: Matt McCov Coordinator: Ann Leffard

This experiential session will emphasize the possibilities for integrating music with other art forms and curriculum areas. While several models of integration will be addressed as part of the session, participants will experience two lessons that join music making with dance and the visual arts as well as with written texts and literature. Wear comfortable clothes appropriate for movement and bring your soprano recorder if you can.

TCC, 15

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **ASBDA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Joe Luechauer

TCC. 17

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Review of the Pre-Conference Performing Fine Arts Assessment** Project

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will provide a review of the Pre-Conference Performing Fine Arts Assessment Project, discussing the progress and the vision of the project. Come and hear about assessment!

TCC, 18

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### 30 Girls and Three Boys. What Can We Sing for MPA?

Presenter: Jennifer Rock Coordinator: Gerald Armbrister

This session will address using two- and threepart "any combination" literature to fit the needs of unbalanced and/or developing choirs. This session will provide ideas on how to select literature that uses developing harmonic structures and accommodates changing male voices and/or limited ranges, while not breaking the "rules" of MPA.

TCC, 20

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Empowering Students – Attitude and** Learning

Presenter: Melissa Kraut

Coordinator: Jean Carlo Gonzalez

This session will explore how the attitude of the teacher affects the classroom, both positive and negative. It will also deal with the humanity of teaching and will provide ideas and exercises.

TCC, 3

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### FREE Technology for Musicians and Music Educators

Presenter: Barbara Ann Freedman Coordinator: David Williams

Everything that you could possibly need or use as a musician or a music educator is available to you over the internet absolutely FREE. You just need to know where to look. Participants will be provided with a detailed list of website URLs and other locations to access the free, no-strings-attached technology. TCC, 31

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Back to Basics: Steps to Establishing Solid Rhythm, Intonation and Tone From the Beginning!

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme Coordinator: Maureen Baldino

Developing a superior beginning orchestra can become reality using a basic "three-pronged approach." Mr. "W" will focus on teaching with an emphasis on rhythm/group pulse from Day 1, incorporating singing and ear training in orchestra class and achieving a nice tone quality early in the school year. This session will also highlight and demonstrate a state-of-the-art technology component that will provide students the tools for a well-rounded, comprehensive music education.

TCC, 36

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Musical Ingenuity

Presenter: Richard Beckford Coordinator: Bernie Hendricks

This session will focus on concepts and strategies that may be used to establish a strong music program in challenging urban schools. Think outside the box to establish music opportunities for all students.

TCC, 37

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Improvisation – Take the Fear Out, Put the Fun In

Presenter: Jim Tinter

Coordinator: Angela Saltsman

Sing, say, move and play through a process for teaching improvisation in general music. Discover techniques, strategies, materials, activities and web resources to make improvising easy, fun and safe while fulfilling the national standards. Free Angel recorder compliments of Peripole.

TCC, 5

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Brody Castle

This session will document two professional partnerships that were highly successful collaborations between university music education programs and public school music programs. One pairing involved a university adding nontraditional music to a middle school curriculum, and the second was a complete retraining of all middle school choral teachers in an urban district, Memphis, Tenn. Participants from both partnerships will provide perspectives so models can be used/adapted for other settings.

TCC, 7

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Music for Life: More Than a Slogan

Presenters: Don Coffman, Alice-Ann Darrow

Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

Music can play an important role in lifelong learning programs for older adults. Many older adults were involved in music education programs in their vounger years and wish to maintain their musical skills and interests. Other adults never had the opportunity to study music, but wish to in retirement. The presenters will share their experiences directing a New Horizons band for older adults and Rock of Ages, an intergenerational choir.

TCC. 9

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### **Guitar Lab: Teaching Notation**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with notation performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., notes, fingerings and techniques learned) will be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### MINI-CONCERT

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1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. **Scanning Sheet Music** 

Presenter: Tom Johnson Coordinator: Lindsey Novitske

Whether you need that horn part transposed for alto sax or want to arrange an entirely new band orchestration, this workshop will focus on how to achieve success. Pitfalls and caveats will be discussed, with emphasis on ease of use and minimizing edits. Five pieces will be scanned, each demonstrating differing issues and their resolutions. *Waterside, Meeting Room 1* 

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Painless Assessment in the Music Classroom: Quick and Easy Ways to Assess While Supporting, Not Interrupting, Your Performance and Rehearsal Agenda

Presenter: Timothy J. Groulx Coordinator: Jessica Russell

This session will include presentation of different approaches to and models of assessment in the performing ensemble class. In a time of increased scrutiny and focus on accountability, it is important for all educators to be able to provide evidence of assessing progress in a meaningful way. This clinic will offer practical examples of how music educators can assess their musicians in an authentic and valid way with minimal time and a maximum amount of educational and musical integrity.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

#### Jazz Articulations for Saxophone

Presenter: Jeff Rupert Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session is designed to aid high school and middle school band directors to convey concepts in applied jazz saxophone articulation. The successful jazz band performance relies in part on saxophonists articulating in a unified and appropriate fashion. Join Jeff Rupert for a practical and clear demonstration of jazz articulation for your saxophone section.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### FEMEA Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### **Helping Your Struggling Readers!**

Presenter: Meghan Alfaro Coordinator: Nancye Boyer

This session will discuss an action research project focused on helping students who struggle with reading but excel in music. Students were selected

based on their scores in reading and music. Students met with the music teacher once a week and did musical activities with the books the classroom teachers were using during reading instruction. Results of the research showed that participation in the music-focused reading group greatly increased students' motivation to read.

TCC, 10

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Jazz Band 101: The Missing Manual

Presenter: R. Gary Langford Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This interactive clinic will present practical, hands-on information for junior high and high school directors in developing and maintaining a jazz band/ensemble as part of an overall instrumental program. In addition to the basics, particular attention will be paid to each of the adjudication captions found on the FBA MPA judging sheet.

TCC, 11

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Movement: "Aaaah" or "Aaargh!"

Presenter: Deanna Stark Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

Some of us love to move. Others? Not so much. But we all need to provide movement opportunities for our students. In this session, we'll practice facilitating movement with the help of some über groovy percussion instruments, a classic piece of children's literature and a nursery rhyme about a time-keeping device and its live-in rodent.

TCC. 13

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Interactive Improvisation

Presenter: Matt McCoy Coordinator: Karen Bouton

In this experiential session, participants will have the opportunity to explore the possibilities of teaching improvisation as a cooperative and interactive form of music making. Strategies for fostering improvisational skills will be presented through model lessons that extend typical general music activities (e.g., songs, games, etc.) in creative ways. Participants should wear comfortable clothes as well as bring their energy and artistry as we improve our improvised music together.

TCC, 15

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Suggested Repertoire for a Successful Percussion MPA Performance

Presenters: John Bannon, David Coash.

Kurt Grissom, John Shaw Coordinator: Steven Johnson

This session will include performances of repertoire chosen from the FBA MPA list that may help directors

to suggest lesser known or newer additions to the repertoire to their students. Solos for timpani, mallets, snare drum and multiple-percussion will be demonstrated. Solo pieces that emphasize musical considerations over technical prowess will be performed and discussed.

TCC. 17

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Phi Beta Mu Clinic: Sonority; Without It Nothing Else Matters!

Presenter: Andrew J. Crew Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will provide a discussion on how to achieve the best sonority by playing examples of recordings with an iPhone. Examples will include recordings from the Chicago Symphony, the United States Marine Band and the Netherlands Wind Ensemble, among other recordings by various bands and solo players. I believe the quickest and most efficient way to teach how music should sound is to let the people you are teaching hear the kind of sounds you are trying to have them produce. While playing examples from the recordings, I will also discuss how to blend sounds together with different combinations of instruments.

TCC, 18

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Teaching for Transfer in Choral Rehearsals

Presenters: Matthew Garrett, Sean Linfors, Tesfa Wondemagegnehu

Coordinator: Brett Carson

This participatory clinic will feature warm-up exercises that connect with vocal challenges found in choral repertoire. Presenters will demonstrate transfers between exercises based on vocal pedagogy (breathing, vocal production and functions of the vocal folds) and healthy singing in choral ensembles. Choral directors with instrumental and/ or vocal backgrounds will leave with creative group exercises to promote healthy singing and develop musical independence among students. *TCC*, 20

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### New Music Reading Session

Presenter: Nancy Beebe Coordinator: Bob Medlin

This will be a new music reading session geared toward all levels. Bring your instrument with you if you would like to be a part of the orchestra.

TCC, 3

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2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### The SMART Board in Elementary Music

Presenters: Jennifer Carter, Jessica Fredricks, Luke Hart, Lynn McCoy, Ann McFall Coordinator: David Williams

This session will feature innovative ways to incorporate SMART Board activities into your elementary music lessons. SMART Boards are an incredible tool for engaging student learners and incorporating technology. Session will cover basics, discuss practical applications for using the SMART Board with recorders, rhythm reading and composition and will also explain how to use peripherals like Senteo and Airliner in conjunction with the SMART Board.

TCC, 31

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Rehearsal Hierarchy of Needs

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme Coordinator: Crystal Golinello

With a baby it is milk before meat, as it should be in our orchestra classes. We should be mindful of the rehearsal hierarchy of needs and what should be addressed and rectified first before moving on in class. Ideas such as rehearsal priorities, breaking down and simplifying the music, class pacing and teaching by example will be addressed in this session on rehearsal techniques.

TCC. 36

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Unleashing the Power of Sound Innovations: The Revolutionary New Band and String Method

Presenter: Robert Sheldon Coordinator: Christine Lundahl

Alfred Music Publishing's new method books for band and strings create choices that teachers have always dreamed about. Learn how to customize the techniques, contents and materials in your method book, CD and SmartMusic. Come see why band and string teachers everywhere are talking about this method. A free Grade 1 band or string piece (only available at these clinics) will be given to every attendee.

TCC. 37

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Music Education and Performance, A Cross Generational Case Study of Youth and Adults in a Collaborative and Creative Environment

Presenter: Amy Thrift Coordinator: Tammy Roggen

This session will discuss the educational and social benefits of a community band where a 60-plus year age span exists among the members. We will examine the unexpected but pleasantly surprising rewards of a musical group with a large age span. The Nassau Community Band is a musical ensemble composed of citizens primarily from Nassau County, Fla. Beginning as a senior adult only band nine years ago, the band has since opened its membership to other musicians.

TCC. 39

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Here Comes the Judge

Presenters: Ronald Burrichter, Brenda Smith Coordinator: Jody Schnell

This session will address factors considered for superior ratings by adjudicators at MPA festivals, to include repertoire, style, language, punctuation, diction, meaning of text, etc. Bring your questions! Preparing students for collegiate entrance auditions will also be discussed.

TCC, 5

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Meet the Supervisors

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

Participants (college music education students) will have the opportunity to meet the music supervisors from throughout the state of Florida.

TCC, 7

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# The Challenges and Rewards of Parenting and Teaching a Teen With Asperger Syndrome

Presenters: Judy Arthur, Suzanne Byrnes,

William Fredrickson

Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

This presentation will include words from the parents and a music teacher of a teen with Asperger Syndrome and other challenges. We will discuss how we see him, how he sees the world and how we can all work together to establish a healthy home and classroom environment.

TCC, 9

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 1

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, guitar performance techniques such as chord strumming, note reading, power chords, barre chords and capo use will be applied to the following classic rock tunes: You Really Got Me, Come as You Are, Hey Jude and Pride and Joy! Techniques and concepts presented at previous guitar lab sessions will equip you for participation at this session.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### Advanced String Methods for the Non-String Teacher: What You Didn't Learn in College

Presenter: David Pope Coordinator: Michelle Fry

This session is for non-string players who teach orchestra. To increase effectiveness in the classroom, differences between teaching band and orchestra will be discussed. Additional topics will include techniques for teaching the proper setup to beginning string players, repertoire selection, shifting, vibrato, principles of tone production and the importance of the bow arm.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

#### How I Use SmartMusic at Ransom Everglades Middle School

Presenter: Cathi Leibinger Coordinator: Mark Frisbie

Cathi Leibinger will demonstrate how to use SmartMusic for class instruction, rehearsals and home practice. Learn how to use SmartMusic's method books, concert repertoire and exercises to deliver curriculum, create assignments for home practice, monitor students' progress on any computer or mobile device and allow parents to view/hear their child's online portfolio.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# The Importance of Fundamentals in Developing Comprehensive Musicianship and Ability to Play in Diverse Styles

Presenter: Dennis Vincent Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

BERT (Boris Ivanov - piano, Ernie Ealum - electric bass, Rick Kirkland - drums and Tony Steve - vibraphone and auxiliary percussion), with Claire Heusinger on vocals, will use selections from Hoedown, Epistrophy, Spirit of the West, La Fiesta and Blue Rondo a la Turk to demonstrate and discuss technical issues, harmonic concepts, range of styles, ensemble playing and small instrument techniques, as well as combining odd-meter with the blues.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1



4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## Starting Your Strings – It's All About the Beginning

Presenter: Bob Phillips Coordinator: Kim Dickman

Discover how to create highly successful beginning string classes. What are the factors of success that ensure your students will play well, be engaged and, most of all, continue in music? Come learn from the master of large group instruction, whether you have 20 or 200 beginners.

TCC. 10

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **Jazz Music Reading Session**

Presenter: Al Hager Coordinator: Rob Lambert

Al Hager and friends will get together and demonstrate new releases in jazz music.

TCC, 11

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **Beginning a Dynamic Recorder Program**

Presenter: Jim Tinter Coordinator: Karen Van Beek

This session will provide proven strategies to develop a fun, exciting and dynamic recorder program.

Topics covered will include the fantastic first lesson, instrument selection, sound production, articulation, classroom management and equipping students for success. Come ready for demonstration, imagination and participation. Free Angel recorder compliments of Peripole.

TCC, 13

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Simply Schulwerk

Presenter: Sue Mueller Coordinator: Staci Pendry

Carl Orff's visionary teaching philosophy is rooted in the belief that through active participation in speech, song, play, movement and improvisation, the child becomes the active music maker, the composer. The Schulwerk offers many varied ways to teach and extend lessons. Through canon, rondo, improvisation and ostinati, we will explore, extend and energize activities aimed at the K-6 grades.

TCC, 15

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# Turning Your Drummers Into Percussionists and Then Into Musicians

Presenters: John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw

Coordinator: Jessica Russell

This session will focus on four areas of percussion performance: timpani, mallet instruments, cymbals and accessory instruments (tambourine, triangle, bass drum). Discussion will focus on ways to play the instruments with regard to tone color, tone production, some basic performance techniques, note length and musical applications. This will include stick/mallet choices, stroke types and applications, note length/muffling and musical considerations/phrasing.

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4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# **Green Eggs and Ham: Creative Concert Programming**

Presenter: Andy Beck Coordinator: Marti Koch

Andy Beck will share his insights on creating varied, well-paced concerts. Using a variety of Alfred chorals, you will learn what criteria should be considered and how to make the best choices for the ultimate program. A complimentary music packet will be given to each director in attendance.

TCC, 18

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Practical Repertoire for Building Tone and Musicianship (High School/ Advanced Middle School: TB, TBB, TTBB, SATB and SAB)

Presenter: Ryan Hebert Coordinator: Valarie Williams TBB reading session with packets.

TCC, 20

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### 21st Century String Pedagogy

Presenter: Charles Laux, Jr. Coordinator: Lynne Rudzik

Motivating beginning orchestra students in the 21st century requires teachers to take a new look at the materials they use in the classroom. Come and see how sequential learning can occur with up-to-date pedagogy, expanded technology and a wealth of enrichment opportunities. Learn how to motivate your classroom and enhance your teaching strategies. All attendees will receive complimentary materials.

TCC, 3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **Avoid Extinction With Technology**

Presenter: Radio Cremata Coordinator: Kody Wallace

Technology has revolutionized music education. Music is learned, written, produced, recorded and shared digitally, instantly and internationally. Indaba, GrooveZoo, Synthesia and YouTube are examples of some tools being widely used by people to learn, create, collaborate and share music. 21st century music educators should be aware of this phenomenon, arm themselves with new teaching strategies and adapt to the ever-changing musical landscape so as to remain relevant and avoid extinction.

TCC, 31

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Melodic Learning: Transforming the Teaching/Learning Paradigm Through the Neuroscience of Music

Presenter: Susan Homan Coordinator: Tamyra DiFruscio

This session will present the most recent research from the Institute of Neuroscience and Music and how to best use that information in the music classroom and across the curriculum. New information on melodic learning gives music a leadership role in promoting enhanced learning in every classroom.

TCC, 36

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# FMEA Black Caucus Business Meeting and Reception

Coordinator: Bernie Hendricks
Annual business meeting and reception for members
and those interested in the mission of the Florida
Music Educators' Association Black Caucus.

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

TCC. 37

# International Teaching Opportunities for Music Educators

Presenter: Russell Robinson Coordinator: Jane Whitaker

There are numerous opportunities for music teachers all over the world. Dr. Robinson has been a speaker at international conferences and a consultant for international schools in Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, Mexico, Central America and South America. He will share teaching opportunities and access to those opportunities, including commentary by international music teachers worldwide.

TCC, 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## Interview Strategies for Future Music Educators

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

The purpose of this session is to offer effective interview strategies to prospective music educators. Participants will be offered the opportunity to participate in mock interviews with music supervisors.

TCC, 7

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Music, Cognition and Neuroscience

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Steven Demorest, Ruth Sutton Waters endowed professor of music and director of the Laboratory for Music Cognition, Culture & Learning at the University of Washington, will present an overview of the research on music cognition and neuroscience, including his own research.

TCC. 9

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

## Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 2

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this second hands-on playing session, guitar performance techniques such as chord strumming, note reading, power chords, barre chords and capo use will be applied to the following classic rock tunes: You Really Got Me, Come as You Are, Hey Jude and Pride and Joy! Provided for this session will be 25 guitars, 25 sets of textbooks, picks, footstools, music stands, etc. Come sing, strum and jam out with us! Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **FCMEA Meeting**

Coordinator: Vincent Dennis Waterside, Meeting Room 1

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### Improving Music Teacher Leadership: What Every Educator Must Know About Policy in Times of High Accountability

Presenters: Cathy Benedict, Patrick Schmidt Coordinator: Julia House

Music teachers are constantly making decisions for the good of the classroom and often consider the present and future life of the school and community. So, how can we cultivate these leadership dispositions so they become more evident and helpful? How can policy skills shape music education's future within our schools and communities? This session will provide early career and experienced teachers with clear tools for how to better use and understand policy for strong leadership within schools.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4



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#### 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### **All-State Intercollegiate Band**

Conductor: Michael Haithcock Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC, Ballroom A

6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### All-State Men's Chorus

Conductor: Michael Dye Coordinator: Jeff Boque

#### All-State Reading Chorus

Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope Coordinator: Mary Catherine Salo

TCC, West Hall

7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m. ALL-STATE CONCERTS

#### **High School Honors Band**

Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips Coordinator: Tony Chiarito

#### All-State Jazz Band

Conductor: Bill Prince Coordinator: Rob Lambert TCC, Ballroom A

7:45 p.m. - 9:15 p.m.

## Folk Dance for Learning, Folk Dance for Fun

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Julie Hebert

The focus will be fun as we gather together to socialize and enjoy one another through folk dances from around the world.

TCC, 13

8:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.

#### FMEA All-State Student Reception

Coordinator: Valeria Anderson

Participating all-state students, parents and chaperons are welcome to attend this evening event.

TCC, West Hall

9:15 p.m. - 10:15 p.m.

#### CONCERT

#### The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet

Director: Terry Bingham Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC, Ballroom A



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# NUARY 12, 2013

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

#### **FOA Past Presidents Breakfast**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes The past presidents of the Florida Orchestra Association are invited to join us for a breakfast honoring their service to the organization.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

#### **FMEA Past Presidents Breakfast**

Coordinator: Valeria Anderson Waterside, Meeting Room 2

8 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.

#### Phi Beta Mu Business Meeting

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 18

8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

8:30 a.m. - 9 a.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **High School Honors Orchestra**

Conductor: Andrew Lane Coordinator: Jessica Talbott

TCC, West Hall

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### It's May - I Think I Can!

Presenter: Deanna Stark

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski

Maybe it's just me, but I find that last month of school (not to mention my students) to be a bit, well, difficult. If you'd like to challenge your older students with some interesting pitched and unpitched pieces of music, please join us. And be prepared to drum! TCC, 10

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **Orff Schulwerk: A Creative Community**

Presenter: Sue Mueller

Coordinator: Rosemary Pilonero

The Schulwerk approach embraces creativity while fostering a community of learners that work together through speech, song, movement and playing. Explore, collaborate and create in a handson session designed for K-6 students. Small and

large group activities will require collaboration in this session aimed at improvisation.

TCC, 13

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### A Band Director's Guide to the **Percussion Section: Performance** Techniques in Standard and **Contemporary Wind Band Literature**

Presenter: Jeffrey Moore Coordinator: Randy Folsom

Featuring works by Barnes, Bernstein, Gillingham, Granthman, Hazo, Hindemith, Holst, Holsinger, Maslanka, Nelson, Persichetti and Williams and interpretation suggestions for the marches of King, Fillmore and Sousa, this session will include the performance of the percussion parts in popular wind band literature with recordings. Attendees will see and hear the percussion section and the requisite techniques up close, but still in context. With assistance from other performers, there will be a demonstration of the technical approaches to the various instruments, including implement selection, instrument selection (e.g., cymbals, gongs, tambourine, triangle, etc.) and placement in the ensemble. Live performance of the selected literature will be used to demonstrate the percussion techniques and the musical considerations for each

TCC, 18

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### Band and Choral Conductors: What Can We Learn From Each Other?

Presenters: Frances Fonza, Shaun R. Popp Coordinator: Mary Oser

Band and choral conductors each have their own "bag of tricks" to use in rehearsals, yet many of these techniques can be used across disciplines. Session topics will include warm-up routines, rehearsal strategies and repertoire, as well as a discussion of opportunities for collaboration.

TCC, 20

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### A Fresh Look at Conn-Selmer

Presenter: Derek Bowen

Coordinator: Colbert Colbert Page Howell, Jr. Conn-Selmer will present new products intended for you and your students. Included in the lineup are the new Selmer AS32 and AS42 alto saxophone, the new Musser 3PM practice marimba and King "System Blue" marching brass. Come join us to learn about the new instruments and how they can be used in your band room!

TCC, 3

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **FCMEA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Dennis Vincent TCC, 36

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

#### **Guitar Lab: Capo Use and Barre Chord Techniques**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with capo and barre chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Several major textbook series will be used. This session will have 25 lab seats, each containing a guitar, books, woodblock, music stand, etc.; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate. Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

8:45 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### **FEMEA Idea Exchange**

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

#### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith

TCC, East Hall

9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **Middle School Honors Orchestra**

Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo Coordinator: Victor Fernandez

TCC, West Hall

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### Salsa – Picante – Spicy: **Latin Music Styles**

Presenter: Alejandro Jimenez Coordinator: Robert Todd

This session will explore some ideas and song materials that have proven to be successful for teaching in urban areas. The styles will include from Cuba: Son-Cha-Cha, from Dominican Republic: Merengue and from Puerto Rico: Bomba-Plena. The session will include hands-on collaboration and

integration of singing, moving and playing recorders, Latin percussion and Orff instruments.

TCC, 10

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### **Collaborative Composition: Speech** Pieces From Start to Finish

Presenter: Matt McCov Coordinator: Julie Hebert

One of the hallmarks of the approach to music education known as Orff Schulwerk is an emphasis on speech work as a means of musical performance and instruction. In this session, participants will collaboratively create rhythmic compositions based on the spoken word that may be performed through the voice or transferred to another medium (e.g., found objects). Additionally, this session will address the "hows" and "whys" of speech work in relation to curricular development and implementation.

TCC, 13

10 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

#### **NAfME Collegiate General Business** Meeting 2

Coordinator: Jon Crane

TCC, 18

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### The Jazz Vocal Ensemble: What Is It and **How Does It Work?**

Presenter: Lawrence Lapin Coordinator: Carl Ashley

This session will attempt to isolate and demonstrate the similarities and differences between a jazz vocal ensemble and a traditional choir.

TCC, 20

10 a.m. - 12 noon

#### **CBDNA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Kyle Prescott

TCC, 3

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### What's New in Music Technology K-12

Presenter: Jody Underwood Coordinator: David Williams

This session will examine the latest trends in music technology labs at K-12 and university music programs. From handheld recorders to recording software, MIDI controllers to vocal trainers, no stone will go unturned in this fast-paced show-and-tell of the latest and greatest products for teaching music with technology. The session will also trace the process of creating a music technology lab solution from consultation through training. All aspects of lab implementation will be discussed.

TCC. 31

10 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Treble Chorus**

Conductor: Elena Sharkova Coordinator: Suzi Lambert Waterside, Grand Ballroom 10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### All-State Middle School Orchestra

Conductor: Deborah Perkins Coordinator: Michael Sedloff TCC. West Hall

11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### All-State Middle School Band

Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon Coordinator: Kristy Dell

#### Middle School Honors Band

Conductor: Eric W. Mendez Coordinator: Bill Reany

TCC, Ballroom A

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

#### Schulwerk and the Arts, a Collaboration

Presenter: Sue Mueller Coordinator: April Lavmon

Using the arts in collaboration with classroom curriculum and Orff Schulwerk motivates, enhances and is a communal experience that celebrates the integrity of all subjects. This session will focus on creating an environment of teamwork, respect and cooperation. This workshop will explore these questions through our own direct experience and shared reflection (early elementary years).

TCC, 13

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

#### MUTECH: A Customized Multi-Instrument Digital Lab

Presenter: Jody Underwood Coordinator: David Williams

Join an in-depth, interactive discussion on effective strategies for designing a music technology program at your school. Topics covered will include defining learning objectives, evaluating a project's timeframe, creating and evaluating a budget and crafting a proposal. The session will discuss instrument options for creating electronic music and will define strategies for curriculum and project-based learning objectives. TCC. 31

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### Gems of Choral Literature

Presenter: Z. Randall Stroope Coordinator: Mary Catherine Salo

This session will present gems of choral literature.

TCC, West Hall

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### FEMEA Choral Reading Session

Presenter: Grace Jordan Coordinator: Lu Anne Leone

Join this elementary reading session with veteran and highly respected choral director Grace Jordan, music specialist at Arbor Ridge School in Orlando. Music packets will be provided by JW Pepper.

TCC, 13

12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### Florida Vocal Association **Past Presidents Luncheon**

Coordinator: Mark Scott

Waterside, Marriott Waterside Café

1 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus

Conductor: Trey Jacobs Coordinator: David Pletincks Waterside, Grand Ballroom

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC. 1

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Concert Orchestra

Conductor: John Whitney Coordinator: Kristina Cutchens

TCC, Ballroom A

3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Concert Band**

Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow Coordinator: Brian P. Dell TCC, Ballroom A

5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Women's Chorus

Conductor: Mitos Andaya Coordinator: John Luffred TCC, Ballroom A

6:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Concert Chorus**

Conductor: André J. Thomas Coordinator: Judy Arthur TCC. Ballroom A

7:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Symphonic Orchestra

Conductor: William LaRue Jones Coordinator: Andrea Szarowicz

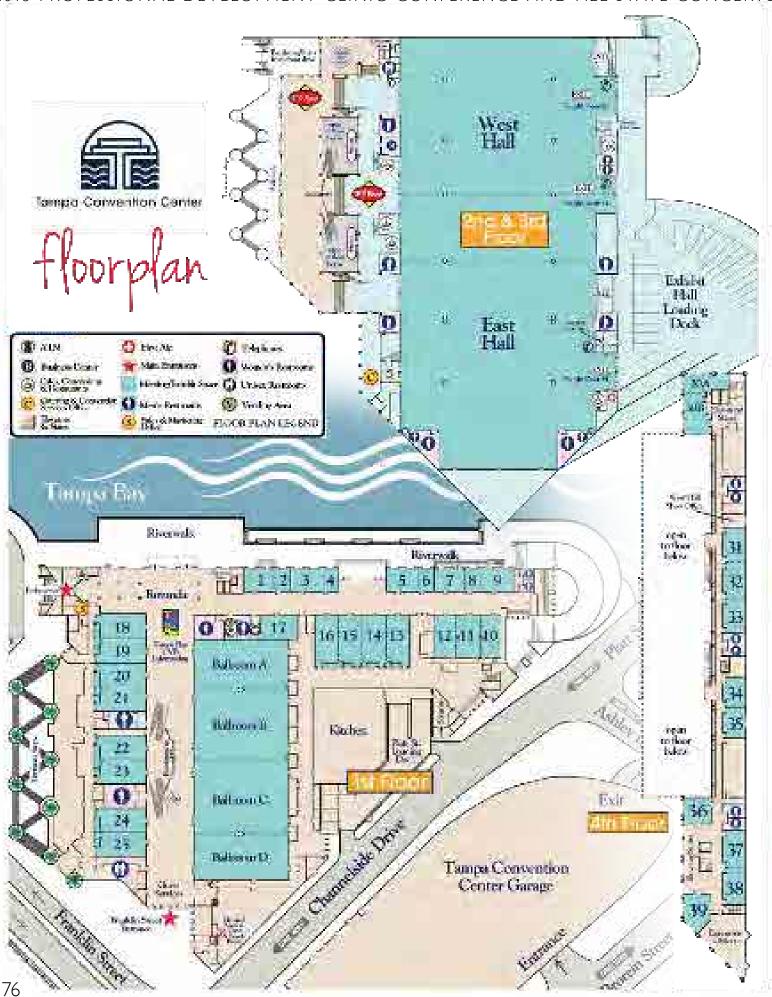
TCC, Ballroom A

9 p.m. - 9:40 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Symphonic Band

Conductor: Bobby Adams Coordinator: John Seth TCC, Ballroom A



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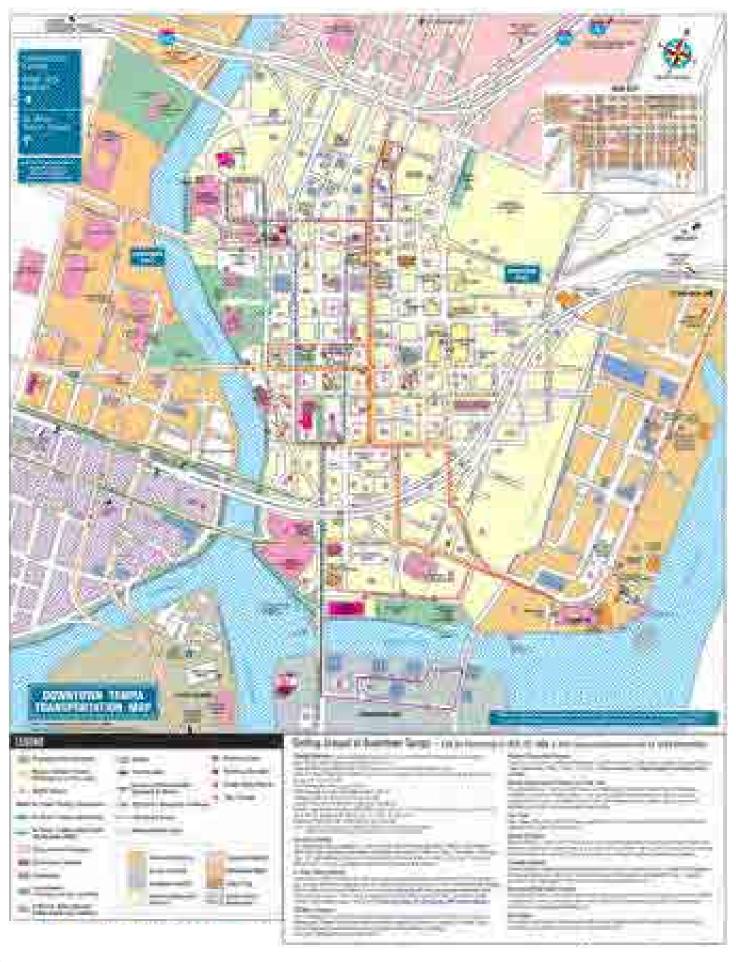


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Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 Friday, Jan. 25, 2013 Saturday, Feb. 16, 2013 Saturday, Mar. 9, 2013

### FMEA Clinic Conference Schedule

Jazz Faculty and Jazz Ensemble 1 Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 9:30 p.m. in Ballrooms A,B,C

The University of North Florida Jazz Faculty is an extremely accomplished and diverse group of international performers and educators. They have performed and recorded with artists such as Pat Metheny, Randy Brecker, Benny Golson, Rufus Reid, Stan Getz, Arturo Sandoval, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich, Paquito D'Rivera and Sarah Vaughan. The jazz faculty members have recorded and published extensively (Mel Bay and UNC Press) and continue to tour and conduct master classes in the U.S. and internationally.

Directed by J.B. Scott, Jazz Ensemble 1 is the flagship ensemble of the University of North Florida Jazz Studies program, winning numerous awards and consistent recognition from DownBeat Magazine and other notable publications. The group has performed internationally, throughout China, Europe and the U.S., with appearances on the Great Wall of China, the Montreux, North Sea, Montrerey, Jacksonville and Savannah Jazz Festivals, the IAJE and FMEA Conferences and the Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic.

Jazz Combo Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. in Ballrooms A.B.C

Directed by Lynne Arriale, the Jazz Combo "UNFiltered" represents the new breed of young musicians steeped in the tradition and forward-looking, incorporating diverse influences including free improvisation, pop, rock, Latin, Middle Eastern and Brazilian music with a strong emphasis on group interaction. Each member of this UNF Jazz Combo brings their professional experience and musical vision to bring forth a unique ensemble sound, infused with passion and creativity.

Session with Dr. Cara Tasher, "Have no fear, read it first here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB" Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 4 p.m. in TCC 20 / TCC 21

Jacksonville SINGSI Artistic Director Dr. Cara Tasher is now in her 7th year as Director of Choral Activities and Associate Professor of Voice at the University of North Florida where she conducts Chorale and Chamber Singers, teaches voice, advanced gesture and choral materials. Proficient in several languages, Tasher's engagements as both a singer and a conductor have brought her to nearly 10 states and 20 countries for concerts, festivals, workshops or as a featured soloist. In addition to a full array of choral octavos for mixed voices, recent masterworks include Bach St. John Passion, Brahms Requiem, Handel Messiah and Orff Carmina Burana. UNF is proud to have recently added Professor Wayne Balley to our ranks, conducting the Men's and Women's Chorales. Additional voice faculty include newly appointed tenor Dr. Jimmy Hall (voice area coordinator), bacitone Dr. Krzysztof Biernacki (opera), Michelle Amato (Jazz), Karen Coker and Marilyn Smart (diction).

Session with Dr. Gordon Brock, "Making it happen!" Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 2:45 p.m. in TCC 9

How do we make things happen when it seems there are insurmountable odds against it? Every educator is familiar with this feeling and has certainly grappled with the challenges. Continually intripued by the discussion, this session offers a brief and entertaining perspective on those concepts that have inspired Ω: Brock to re-a better resulter.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
8 a.m 5 p.m.	FOA Adjudicator Certification Seminar		Waterside, Meeting Room 2
9 a.m 6 p.m.	FBA Adjudication Training Seminar	Kenneth Williams	TCC, 5
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FBA Recertification Seminar		TCC, 9
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FVA Adjudicator Recertification		Waterside, Meeting Room 4
10 a.m 12 noon	FMEA Board of Directors Meeting	Sheila S. King	TCC, 3
10:30 a.m 7 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
1 p.m 2 p.m.	FMEA PRE-CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment - Where Are We and Where Are We Going?	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert, Don West	TCC, 18
1 p.m 7 p.m.	FVA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 3
1 p.m 3 p.m.	FVA Executive Board Committee Meetings		TCC, 34
1 p.m 3 p.m.	FBA Classification Meeting		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FBA Auxiliary Adjudication Seminar		TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 5:30 p.m.	FMEA Student Leadership Workshop	Kevin Ford, Fran Kick	TCC, West Hall
2 p.m 5:30 p.m.	New and New to Florida Teacher Pre-Conference Sessions	Beth Cummings	TCC, 15
2 p.m 4 p.m.	How to Begin to Prepare for Assessments in Music by Unpacking the NGSSS	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert	TCC, 18
3 p.m 4:30 p.m.	All-State Ensemble Coordinators Meeting	John K. Southall	TCC, 37
4 p.m 7 p.m.	FMSA Business Meeting		TCC, 36
5 p.m 7 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
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5 p.m 7 p.m.	FOA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 7
7:30 p.m 9:20 p.m.	FMEA PRESIDENT'S CONCERT		TCC, Ballroom A
	Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony Director: Sterling Frederick		
	Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band Director: Thomas Singletary		
	Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr		
8:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
8:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	FOA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 7



THURSDAY, JANUARY	10	2013
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TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Across the Curriculum	Jill Gallina	TCC, 15
7:45 a.m 10:15 a.m.	FMEA New and New to Florida Teacher Resource Room	Beth Cummings	TCC, 17
7:45 a.m 10 a.m.	FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
8 a.m 10 a.m.	FVA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 3
8 a.m 6 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Meet the All-State Conductors	Bobby Adams, Robert W. Rumbelow	TCC, 1
9 a.m 10 a.m.	FMEA Emerging Leaders	Judy Bowers	TCC, 10
9 a.m 10 a.m.	All Jazzed Up About Orff	Katie Carlisle	TCC, 11
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Ride the Waves - Incorporating Sound Energy Experiments Into the General Elementary Music Class	Paul McLaughlin	TCC, 13
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Words to Rhythms - A Natural Collaboration	Christine Hill	TCC, 15
9 a.m 10 a.m.	FMEA All-State Student Leadership Workshop	Kevin Ford, Fran Kick	TCC, West Hall
10:30 a.m 12:15 p.m.	FMEA FIRST GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION	Sheila S. King	TCC, Ballroom A
	Florida Gulf Coast University - Bower School of Music Chamber Choir Director: Trent R. Brown		
	University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra Director: William W. Wiedrich		
	University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott		
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA Elementary Music Curriculum Fair		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA All-State Elementary Chorus Registration		TCC, West Hall
12:20 p.m 12:40 p.m.	FMEA EXHIBITS GRAND OPENING Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble Directors: Jason Algair, Doug Moser		TCC, East Hall
12:30 p.m 1 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Guitar Ensemble, Conductor: Stephen Robinson		TCC, 20
12:30 p.m 6 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
12:50 p.m 1:25 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble Director: John Wicker		TCC, Lobby Stage
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Living Literature Project Development of Original Performance Pieces Using Children's Literature	Angelyn Hirai	TCC, 10
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Percussion Games and Activities for Elementary Classrooms	Steve Campbell	TCC, 11

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2013

TIME	, JANUART TU, 2013 EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Making Each Minute Count - "If I Don't Have the Time to Teach It Right, How Will I Ever Find the Time to Teach It Over?"	Cheryl Lavender	TCC, 13
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The World Music Drumming Curriculum: An Interdisciplinary Co- Curricular Approach to Music Education	James Mader	TCC, 15
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Chamber Winds in the High School Band: What, Why, When and How	Colbert Howell	TCC, 17
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Successful Tips for the High School Band Director	Shelby R. Chipman	TCC, 18
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Choral Diction - Achieving Ensemble With a "Sound" Approach	Constantina Tsolainou	TCC, 20
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Playing in Balance	Mimi Zweig	TCC, 3
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Mixing It Up: Sound Systems and Applications	Michael Vetter	TCC, 31
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Scoring Music for Film	Dennis Vincent	TCC, 36
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	A 12-Step Program for Preparing a Research Proposal	Stephen Zdzinski	TCC, 37
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The Collaborative Music Department: Redefining Success	Jason Locker, Jon Sever	TCC, 5
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The Incomplete Curriculum	Kevin Albright, Cynthia Johnson	TCC, 7
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Fix It, We'll Show You How! Resurrect Your Percussion Now!	Sandy Lantz	TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	CONCERT University of North Florida Jazz Collective, Director: Lynne Arriale		TCC, Ballroom A
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Warm-Ups for Guitar: Advancing Your Students' Sound and Technique	Christopher Perez	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
2 p.m 2:30 p.m.	CONCERT Polk County Schools All-County Piano Concert and Demonstration Director: Beth Cummings		TCC, Ballroom D
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Student LEADerSHIP	Jeremy D. Klein	TCC, 10
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	District MPA Sight-Reading: Preparation in the Classroom = Less Sight- Reading Room Stress for You and Your Students	Ree Nathan	TCC, 11
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	On the Road to Nashville: Cultivating Elementary Songwriters	Iran Garcia, Kathleen Kerstetter	TCC, 13
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	How to Assess Without the Stress	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 15
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Middle and High School Flute and Piccolo Technique	Nora Lee Garcia	TCC, 17
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Preparing for FBA State Solo & Ensemble MPA	Ann Adams, Lynn Musco	TCC, 18
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Who Stole the Cookie From the Cookie Jar?	Sterling Frederick	TCC, 20
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	StringSpeak for the Non-String Player	David Eccles	TCC, 3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	MOODLE for Your Noodle: Increased Comprehension Through eLearning	Charlotte Brasell	TCC, 31
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Reed and Mouthpiece Mechanics	Andy Blanco	TCC, 36
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Adapting for Students With Disabilities in the Instrumental Ensemble	Julie Heath, Shaun R. Popp, Charlie Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski	TCC, 37
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m. 2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Adapting for Students With Disabilities in the Instrumental Ensemble  Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance		TCC, 37 TCC, 39
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2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance	Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski Jennifer A. Bugos	TCC, 39
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m. 2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance Legendary Florida	Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski Jennifer A. Bugos Monty Musgrave	TCC, 39 TCC, 5
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2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m. 2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m. 2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m. 2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m. 2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance Legendary Florida Tone Deafness and Other Myths Making It Happen! Uncovering the Mysteries of the Fretboard	Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski Jennifer A. Bugos  Monty Musgrave Steven Demorest Gordon R. Brock Robert Phillips	TCC, 39  TCC, 5  TCC, 7  TCC, 9  Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
3 p.m 3:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Southwest Middle School Singers, Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac		TCC, Lobby Stage
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Pedagogy to Performance	Michael Roberts	TCC, 10
4 p.m 5 p.m.	The World Music Drumming Curriculum for the Middle and High School Years	James Mader	TCC, 11
4 p.m 5 p.m.	The Singing Voice: Our Primary Instrument	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
4 p.m 5 p.m.	How to Assess Without the Stress	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 15
4 p.m 5 p.m.	LMAO: Teaching the 21st Century High School Singer	Denise R. Eaton	TCC, 17
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Solid Foundations for Clarinet	Gary Bottomley, Kathleen Kinion, James Matthews, Jennifer Zahn	TCC, 18
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Have No Fear, Read It First Here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB	Cara Tasher	TCC, 20
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Culturally Responsive Teaching in the Orchestra Classroom	Rebecca MacLeod	TCC, 3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Doing More With Your SMART Board	Carol Carstensen	TCC, 31
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration With General Educators	Cathy Benedict	TCC, 37
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Integrated Movement for String Players	Melissa Kraut	TCC, 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Uncovering Meaning in Voice Change: Esteem, Identity and Transformation	Craig Denison, Maria Denison	TCC, 7
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Cellos and Basses Are From Mars, Violins and Violas Are From Venus - Low Strings Workshop	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 9
4 p.m 5 p.m.	CONCERT University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble, Director: Scott Tobias		TCC, Ballroom A
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Guitar 1 Pedagogy for All	Joe Sandusky	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	A New Approach in Secondary Music Theory Instruction	Alyssa Kassler	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Jazz Improvisation for Band Directors	Al Hager	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Delivering a Quality 21st Century Music Education in the New Global Economy	Alvin Davis	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
5 p.m 5:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble, Director: Brian P. Dell		TCC, Lobby Stage
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 1 & 2 Meeting		TCC, 11
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 6 & 7 Meeting		TCC, 13
5:15 p.m 6:15 p.m.	NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting		TCC, 20
5:15 p.m 7 p.m.	FOA General Membership Meeting		TCC, 3
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA District 3 Meeting		TCC, 5
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 4 & 5 Meeting		TCC, 7
5:15 p.m 6:45 p.m.	FVA General Membership Meeting		Waterside, Grand Ballroom, Salon A
6 p.m 7 p.m.	FEMEA General Business Meeting	Lisa Hewitt	TCC, 13
6:30 p.m 8 p.m.	FBA General Business Meeting		TCC, 18
7:30 p.m 8:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT Florida Gulf Coast University - Bower School of Music Chamber Choir Director: Trent R. Brown		TCC, Ballroom A
8:30 p.m 9:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra Director: William W. Wiedrich		TCC, Ballroom A
9:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble 1 University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott		TCC, Ballroom A





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7 a.m 8:50 a.m.	FMEA Awards Breakfast	Debbie Fahmie	TCC, 20
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Putting Classroom Technology to Work	Bradley L. Bonner	TCC, 10
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Dyno-Drumming!	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 11
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	A Story, A Song and We're Moving Along: Theme-Based Learning in the Early Childhood Music Classroom	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences	Artie Almeida	TCC, 15
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Teacher 2.0: Managing Your Program in the Digital Age	Andrew Zweibel	TCC, 17
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Achieving an Artistic Vibrato in the String Class	Rebecca MacLeod	TCC, 3
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Secondary General Music: Bringing the Content to Life!	Seth Pendergast	TCC, 31
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Maximizing Your Marching Band Rehearsal Time	Bob Buckner	TCC, 36
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Technology 101: Recording Techniques for the Music Educator	Kawachi Clemons	TCC, 37
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Crank Up Your Classroom With QuaverMusic.com!	Graham Hepburn	TCC, 5
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Theory & Ear Training Made Fun: Engaging Students in Individualized Instruction and Assessment	Peter Kelly	TCC, 7
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Beat for Peace: Engaging At-Risk Students Through the Talking Drum	Michelle King	TCC, 9
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Power Chord Techniques	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
7:45 a.m 11:30 a.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
8 a.m 7 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
9 a.m 10:15 a.m.	FMEA SECOND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION  Touch — USF iPad Quintet, Director: David A. Williams  The U.S. Army Brass Quintet, Director: Terry Bingham  The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble, Director: David Coash	Sheila S. King	TCC, Ballroom A
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Enhancing Access to Music Programs Through Collaborations	Judith Evans	TCC, 10
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Lift Me Up! Adding Movement to Your Choral Program	Andy Beck	TCC, 11
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Not a Typical "Arts Integration" Session	Michelle Berra	TCC, 13
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Awesome Books With Musical Hooks	Katharine Miller	TCC, 15
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Meet the New Generation Gemeinhardt	David Pirtle	TCC, 17
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Beginning Band Strategies for All Ages	Malena Calle, Susana M. Lalama, Erich S. Rivero	TCC, 18
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Experiential Learning and Expressive Singing	Judy Bowers	TCC, 20
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Teaching Études and Scales Musically	Mimi Zweig	TCC, 3

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10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Music Technology Lesson Plans for Teachers Too Busy to Write Music Technology Lesson Plans	Dustin Hinzman	TCC, 31
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Students With Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD): Implications for Music Educators	Mary Adamek	TCC, 36
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Manage Your Stress While Maintaining Harmony in the Music Classroom	Adrianna Andrews-Marshall	TCC, 37
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	ASBDA Clinic: MPAs for Dummies - Revisited	Bruce Brazinski, Jason Duckett, J. Eric Miles, Lee Ponder	TCC, 5
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Music and Literacy: The Research, Connections and Strategies	Christine Fisher	TCC, 7
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Make Theory and Ear Training Easy - Use the Cloud!	Kelly Demoline, Peter Kelly	TCC, 9
10:30 a.m 6:30 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 1	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
10:30 a.m 11 a.m.	MINI-CONCERT Sebastian River High School Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble Director: Sara Gover DiPardo		TCC, Lobby Stage
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Teaching Improvisation in the School Ensemble or Instrumental Studio	Stanley Haskins	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Musicianship in Middle School Band? Yeah, Right!	Larry Clark	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Tricks for Teaching Beginning Improvisation	Michael Wilkinson	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
11:30 a.m 1:30 p.m.	ACDA Luncheon	Scott Leaman	Hyatt, Garrison
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Establishing Focus and Ensemble Sound: Innovative Warm-Ups for Middle School Band	David Lee Sellers, Jr.	TCC, 10
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Moving Beyond the Program Notes: Using Descriptive Language to Engage Students in Music	Matthew McCutchen	TCC, 11
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Purposeful Pathways: Possibilities for the Elementary Music Room	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences	Artie Almeida	TCC, 15
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	A New Way to Elevate Your Performance Program	Jean McKen	TCC, 17
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Techniques for Building the Low Brass Section of Your Dreams	Gail Robertson	TCC, 18
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	The Voices in My Head: A Philosophy for Rehearsing	Will Kesling	TCC, 20
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Orchestra Rehearsal Techniques	David Eccles	TCC, 3
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	iCanDoThis! - iPad in the Music Class	Jason Litt	TCC, 31
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Empowering Students for Productive Practice	William I. Bauer	TCC, 36
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Using Popular Music to Increase Literacy in Your Percussion Section	Lawrence Young	TCC, 37
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	l've Got My Keys Now What? Strategies for Surviving Your First Year of Teaching	Jeffrey Miller	TCC, 39
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	ASBDA Clinic: The Three Ws: Why, Who and When to Bring in a Guest Conductor	Jeff Cayer, Jon Eckman, James Hacker	TCC, 5
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Assessment in the Choral Classroom: Maximizing Achievement in the Choral Arts	Derrick Fox	TCC, 7
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Music, Culture & the Brain	Steven Demorest	TCC, 9
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 2	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
11:45 a.m 1 p.m.	Florida Retired Music Educators: Sharing Models for Arts Collaborations		Embassy, Atrium
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Designing Measurement Tools for Music Performance Assessment	Brian Wesolowski	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	I Belong! Engaging Students in Band - Choir - Orchestra for a Better Performance	Wendy Barden	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Jazz Ensemble Techniques for the Classically Trained Director	Mark Belfast	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
12 noon - 1 p.m.	FMEA Research Poster Session		TCC, East Hall
12 noon - 12:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys, Director: Scott Baumer		TCC, Lobby Stage

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12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.	CONCERT Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra, Director: Christopher Perez		TCC, West Hall
1 p.m 1:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Elementary Chorus, Conductor: Earlene Rentz		TCC, Ballroom A
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Drumset for the Non-Percussionist	Mike Wendeln	TCC, 10
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Jazz Workshop With the Pros: Vocal Jazz	Lisa Kelly-Scott	TCC, 11
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Orff for Little Peeps	Deanna Stark	TCC, 13
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Inspiration and Integration: Models for Uniting Music With Other Disciplines	Matt McCoy	TCC, 15
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	ASBDA Business Meeting		TCC, 17
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Review of the Pre-Conference - Performing Fine Arts Assessment Project	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert	TCC, 18
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	30 Girls and Three Boys. What Can We Sing for MPA?	Jennifer Rock	TCC, 20
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Empowering Students - Attitude and Learning	Melissa Kraut	TCC, 3
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	FREE Technology for Musicians and Music Educators	Barbara Ann Freedman	TCC, 31
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Back to Basics: Steps to Establishing Solid Rhythm, Intonation and Tone From the Beginning!	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 36
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Musical Ingenuity	Richard Beckford	TCC, 37
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Improvisation - Take the Fear Out, Put the Fun In	Jim Tinter	TCC, 5
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration	Judy Bowers	TCC, 7
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Music for Life: More Than a Slogan	Don Coffman, Alice-Ann Darrow	TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Teaching Notation	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT tallaBRASSee, Director: William Haugeberg		TCC, Lobby Stage
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Scanning Sheet Music	Tom Johnson	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Painless Assessment in the Music Classroom: Quick and Easy Ways to Assess While Supporting, Not Interrupting, Your Performance and Rehearsal Agenda	Timothy J. Groulx	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Jazz Articulations for Saxophone	Jeff Rupert	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Helping Your Struggling Readers!	Meghan Alfaro	TCC, 10
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Jazz Band 101: The Missing Manual	R. Gary Langford	TCC, 11
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Movement: "Aaaah" or "Aaargh!"	Deanna Stark	TCC, 13
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Interactive Improvisation	Matt McCoy	TCC, 15
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Suggested Repertoire for a Successful Percussion MPA Performance	John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw	TCC, 17
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Phi Beta Mu Clinic: Sonority; Without It Nothing Else Matters!	Andrew J. Crew	TCC, 18
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Teaching for Transfer in Choral Rehearsals	Matthew Garrett, Sean Linfors, Tesfa Wondemagegnehu	TCC, 20
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	New Music Reading Session	Nancy Beebe	TCC, 3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The SMART Board in Elementary Music	Jennifer Carter, Jessica Fredricks, Luke Hart, Lynn McCoy, Ann McFall	TCC, 31
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Rehearsal Hierarchy of Needs	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 36
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Unleashing the Power of Sound Innovations: The Revolutionary New Band and String Method	Robert Sheldon	TCC, 37
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2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Here Comes the Judge	Ronald Burrichter, Brenda Smith	TCC, 5
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Meet the Supervisors	Monty Musgrave	TCC, 7
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The Challenges and Rewards of Parenting and Teaching a Teen With Asperger Syndrome	Judy Arthur, Suzanne Byrnes, William Fredrickson	TCC, 9
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 1	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Advanced String Methods for the Non-String Teacher: What You Didn't Learn in College	David Pope	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	How I Use SmartMusic at Ransom Everglades Middle School	Cathi Leibinger	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The Importance of Fundamentals in Developing Comprehensive Musicianship and Ability to Play in Diverse Styles	Dennis Vincent	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Starting Your Strings - It's All About the Beginning	Bob Phillips	TCC, 10
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Jazz Music Reading Session	Al Hager	TCC, 11
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Beginning a Dynamic Recorder Program	Jim Tinter	TCC, 13
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Simply Schulwerk	Sue Mueller	TCC, 15
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Turning Your Drummers Into Percussionists and Then Into Musicians	John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw	TCC, 17
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Green Eggs and Ham: Creative Concert Programming	Andy Beck	TCC, 18
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Practical Repertoire for Building Tone and Musicianship (High School/ Advanced Middle School: TB, TBB, TTBB, SATB and SAB)	Ryan Hebert	TCC, 20
4 p.m 5 p.m.	21st Century String Pedagogy	Charles Laux, Jr.	TCC, 3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Avoid Extinction With Technology	Radio Cremata	TCC, 31
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Melodic Learning: Transforming the Teaching/Learning Paradigm Through the Neuroscience of Music	Susan Homan	TCC, 36
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FMEA Black Caucus Business Meeting and Reception		TCC, 37
4 p.m 5 p.m.	International Teaching Opportunities for Music Educators	Russell Robinson	TCC, 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Interview Strategies for Future Music Educators	Monty Musgrave	TCC, 7
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Music, Cognition and Neuroscience	Steven Demorest	TCC, 9
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 2	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FCMEA Meeting		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Improving Music Teacher Leadership: What Every Educator Must Know About Policy in Times of High Accountability	Cathy Benedict, Patrick Schmidt	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
4:30 p.m 5:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Intercollegiate Band, Conductor: Michael Haithcock		TCC, Ballroom A
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Men's Chorus, Conductor: Michael Dye All-State Reading Chorus, Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope		TCC, West Hall
7:30 p.m 9 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT High School Honors Band, Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips All-State Jazz Band, Conductor: Bill Prince		TCC, Ballroom A
7:45 p.m 9:15 p.m.	Folk Dance for Learning, Folk Dance for Fun	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
8:30 p.m 10 p.m.	FMEA All-State Student Reception		TCC, West Hall
9:15 p.m 10:15 p.m.	CONCERT The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet Director: Terry Bingham		TCC, Ballroom A



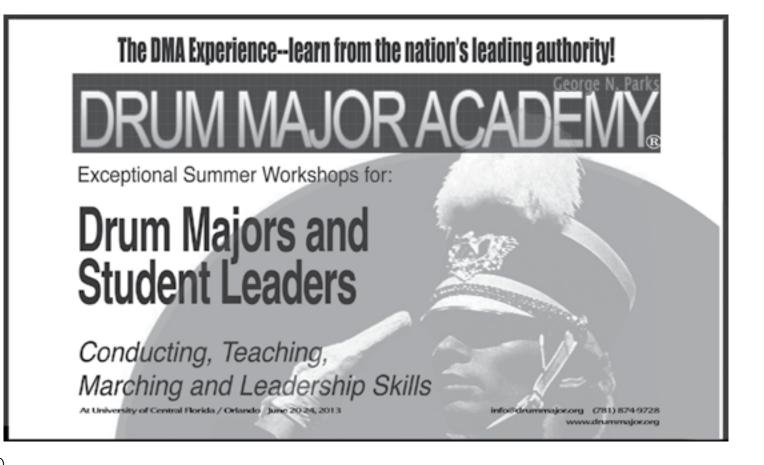


SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
7 a.m 8:30 a.m.	FOA Past Presidents Breakfast		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
7 a.m 8:30 a.m.	FMEA Past Presidents Breakfast		Waterside, Meeting Room 2
8 a.m 8:40 a.m.	Phi Beta Mu Business Meeting		TCC, 18
8 a.m 1 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
8:30 a.m 9 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT High School Honors Orchestra, Conductor: Andrew Lane		TCC, West Hall
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	It's May - I Think I Can!	Deanna Stark	TCC, 10
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Orff Schulwerk: A Creative Community	Sue Mueller	TCC, 13
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	A Band Director's Guide to the Percussion Section: Performance Techniques in Standard and Contemporary Wind Band Literature	Jeffrey Moore	TCC, 18
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Band and Choral Conductors: What Can We Learn From Each Other?	Frances Fonza, Shaun R. Popp	TCC, 20
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	A Fresh Look at Conn-Selmer	Derek Bowen	TCC, 3
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	FCMEA Business Meeting		TCC, 36
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Capo Use and Barre Chord Techniques	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
8:45 a.m 11 a.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
9:30 a.m 10 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT Middle School Honors Orchestra, Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo		TCC, West Hall
10 a.m 11 a.m.	Salsa - Picante - Spicy: Latin Music Styles	Alejandro Jimenez	TCC, 10
10 a.m 11 a.m.	Collaborative Composition: Speech Pieces From Start to Finish	Matt McCoy	TCC, 13
10 a.m 11:15 a.m.	NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting 2		TCC, 18
10 a.m 11 a.m.	The Jazz Vocal Ensemble: What Is It and How Does It Work?	Lawrence Lapin	TCC, 20
10 a.m 12 noon	CBDNA Business Meeting		TCC, 3
10 a.m 11 a.m.	What's New in Music Technology K-12	Jody Underwood	TCC, 31
10 a.m 10:45 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Treble Chorus, Conductor: Elena Sharkova		Waterside, Grand Ballroom
10:30 a.m 11 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Orchestra, Conductor: Deborah Perkins		TCC, West Hall
11 a.m 12:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Band, Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon Middle School Honors Band, Conductor: Eric W. Mendez		TCC, Ballroom A

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
11:15 a.m 12:15 p.m.	Schulwerk and the Arts, a Collaboration	Sue Mueller	TCC, 13
11:15 a.m 12:15 p.m.	MUTECH: A Customized Multi-Instrument Digital Lab	Jody Underwood	TCC, 31
11:30 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Gems of Choral Literature	Z. Randall Stroope	TCC, West Hall
12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.	FEMEA Choral Reading Session	Grace Jordan	TCC, 13
12:30 p.m 2 p.m.	Florida Vocal Association Past Presidents Luncheon		Waterside, Marriott Waterside Café
1 p.m 1:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus, Conductor: Trey Jacobs		Waterside, Grand Ballroom
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Orchestra, Conductor: John Whitney		TCC, Ballroom A
3 p.m 3:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Band, Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow		TCC, Ballroom A
5 p.m 5:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Women's Chorus, Conductor: Mitos Andaya		TCC, Ballroom A
6:15 p.m 6:45 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Chorus, Conductor: André J. Thomas		TCC, Ballroom A
7:30 p.m 8 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Symphonic Orchestra, Conductor: William LaRue Jones		TCC, Ballroom A
9 p.m 9:40 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Symphonic Band, Conductor: Bobby Adams		TCC, Ballroom A





# Rehearsal Sites & Times

# All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus

Hyatt Regency, Regency 1-3/ Marriott Waterside

### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m2 p.m.
Thursday	2 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1:30 p.m4:30 p.m.
Saturday	11:30 a.m12:30 p.m.,
	MW. Grand Ballroom

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 1 p.m., Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom Conductor: Trey Jacobs

# **All-State Treble Chorus**

Hyatt Regency, Regency 5-7/ Marriott Waterside

# REHEARSALS:

Thursday	1 p.m2 p.m.
Thursday	2 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1:30 p.m4:30 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m9:30 a.m.,
-	MW, Grand Ballroom

### CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 10 a.m., Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom

Conductor: Elena Sharkova

# **All-State Guitar Ensemble**

Marriott Waterside/ Tampa Convention Center

### **REHEARSALS:**

Tuesday	7 p.m9 p.m., MW, 8
Wednesday	8:30 a.m5 p.m., MW, 7
Thursday	8:30 a.m12 noon, MW,
	Florida Ballroom, 1-3
Thursday	. 12 noon-12:30 p.m., TCC, 20

### CONCERT:

Thursday, January 10, 2013, 12:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, 20 Conductor: Stephen Robinson

### **All-State Concert Band**

Sheraton Riverwalk, Riverwalk Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

# RESEATING AUDITIONS:

Thursday, 9 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m12 noon
Saturday	2:30 p.m3 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 3 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow

# **All-State Concert Chorus**

Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom/ Tampa Convention Center

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.
Thursday	1:30 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	5:15 p.m5:30 p.m., TCC, 18
Saturday	5:45 p.m6:15 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 6:15 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: André J. Thomas

# All-State Concert Orchestra

Marriott Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 5-6/Tampa Convention Center

### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m10:30 a.m.
Saturday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 1:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

Conductor: John Whitney



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# All-State Elementary Chorus

Tampa Convention Center, West Hall & Ballroom A

### **REHEARSALS:**

### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 1 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Earlene Rentz

# All-State Intercollegiate Band

Doubletree Westshore, Lake Forest Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	9 a.m11 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m12 noon
Friday	3:30 p.m4:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

CONCERT: Friday, January 11, 2013, 4:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

Conductor: Michael Haithcock

# All-State Jazz Band

Tampa Convention Center, 30A & Ballroom A

# **REHEARSALS:**

Wednesday	2 p.m9 p.m., 30A
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m., 30A
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m., 30A
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m., 30A
Friday	8:30 a.m12 noon, 30A
Friday5:30 p.	m6:30 p.m., Ballroom A

### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Bill Prince

# All-State Middle School Band

Hyatt Regency, Buccaneer/ Tampa Convention Center

### RESEATING AUDITIONS:

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m., Hyatt Regency Buccaneer

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m9 a.m., TCC, 22
Saturday	9:30 a.m10 a.m.,
-	TCC, Ballroom A

# CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 11 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon

# **All-State Symphonic Band**

Tampa Convention Center, 22

# **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m10:30 a.m.	
Flute	TCC, 7
Horn	TCC, 5
Trombone	TCC, 9
Percussion	TCC, 22
Tuba, Euphonium	TCC, 24
Clarinet	TCC, 36
Sax, Double Reed	TCC, 37
Trumpet	TCC, 39

### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 p.m9 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 9 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Bobby Adams

# All-State Symphonic Orchestra

Tampa Convention Center, 24

# **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

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Violin I	TCC, 20
Violin II	TCC, 18
Viola, Bass	TCC, 34
Cello	TCC. 35

### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.
Saturday	7 p.m7:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

### CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: William LaRue Jones

# **All-State Women's Chorus**

The Westin Harbour Island, Harbour Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	3:45 p.m4:15 p.m., TCC, 24
Saturday	4:30 p.m5 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 5 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Mitos Andaya





# **High School Honors Band**

Sheraton Riverwalk, Bayshore Ballroom/ Tampa Convention Center

# **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Friday	6:45 p.m7:30 p.m.,
-	TCC, Ballroom A

### **CONCERT:**

Friday, January 11, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips

# **Middle School Honors Band**

Hyatt Regency, Esplanade/ Tampa Convention Center

# **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

### REHEARSALS:

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Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m10 a.m.
Saturday	8 a.m9:30 a.m., TCC, 24
Saturday	10:30 a.m11 a.m.,
	TCC. Ballroom A

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 11 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Eric W. Mendez

# **All-State Men's Chorus**

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Gandy/ Tampa Convention Center

### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Friday	5:30 p.m6 p.m.,
	TCC. West Hall

# CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 6 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Michael Dye

# All-State Middle School Orchestra

Marriott Waterside, 8/ Tampa Convention Center

### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m10:30 a.m.,
	TCC, West Hall

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 10:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Deborah Perkins

# All-State Reading Chorus

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Bayside Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.
Thursday	1:30 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m4:30 p.m.
Friday	4:45 p.m5:15 p.m.,
	TCC, West Hall

# REQUIRED PERFORMANCE:

Gems of Choral Literature Session	
Saturday	11 a.m12:30 p.m.,
	TCC. West Hall

# **CONCERT:**

Friday, January 11, 2013, 6 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope



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# High School Honors Orchestra

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Skyway/ Tampa Convention Center

# **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.,
	TCC West Hall

# **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 8:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall

Conductor: Andrew Lane

# Middle School Honors Orchestra

Sheraton Riverwalk, Riverview/ Tampa Convention Center

# **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

# **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m9:30 a.m.,
•	TCC. West Hall

# **CONCERT:**

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Saturday, January 12, 2013, 9:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo



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# FMEA 2012 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

This prestigious award honors individuals for outstanding contributions over an extended period of time to music and education in Florida as well as throughout the nation. The awardees are elected by the FMEA Executive Board upon recommendation of the Hall of Fame committee.

# Congratulations to 2012 Hall of Fame Inductees

Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D., and Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D.

Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D., is professor and department chair emeritus in music education and music therapy at the University of Miami (Fla.) Frost School of Music. Her area of expertise is general music, K-12 and early childhood music education. She was primarily involved in the teacher-training program, teaching elementary and secondary general music



education methods classes and serving as the coordinator of all music internships and supervisor of elementary placements. In addition, she taught graduate courses in general music education, pedagogy and early childhood music education and guided both master's theses and doctoral dissertations. Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo received the B.M. in piano performance (1965), the M.M.E. from the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music (1970) and the Ph.D. in music education from Kent State University (1981).

Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo is an active researcher in early childhood music education and has published widely in music education journals, including Journal of Research in Music Education, Council for Research in Music Education, Psychomusicology and *General Music Today.* Over her career she has presented research and served as a clinician at international, national and local venues regarding the importance of music from birth through the elementary years. Awards include: president, Florida College Music Educators Association (1988) and founder of Research Perspectives in Music Education during that term; Florida College Teacher of the Year (1997); University of Miami Philip Frost Award for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship (1999); Kent State School of Music Alumni Achievement Award (2003); Lifetime Membership Award from Early Childhood Music and Movement Association (2006); Award for Excellence in Early Childhood Programming by Miami Children's Trust

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Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D., is associate dean of administration and professor of music education and music therapy emeritus at the University of Miami (Fla.), where he oversaw all administrative matters in the Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music, taught conducting and undergraduate and graduate courses in instrumental methods, supervised associ-

ate teachers and guided numerous graduate student theses and dissertations. A native of Youngstown, Ohio, Dr. DeCarbo attended Youngstown State University, where he received the bachelor's (1968) and master's (1971) degrees in music education. He received the Ph.D. in music education from Kent State University (1981), where he received the University Graduate Teaching Award. He taught at Louisiana State University for one year before coming to the University of Miami School of Music in 1982.

Dr. DeCarbo began his teaching career in the public schools of West Middlesex (Penn.), where he taught instrumental music at the elementary, junior high and senior high school levels for 10 years. In addition, he served as music director and conductor of the Youngstown (Ohio) Symphony Youth Orchestra for 12 years. Dr. DeCarbo studied advanced conducting with Franz Bibo and John Boyd. He has more than 400 guest conducting experiences throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico in chamber music, opera, symphony orchestra and wind bands. For 25 years, Dr. DeCarbo was the music director and conductor of the South Florida Honor Band Festival, which brought together talented high school instrumentalists from across the state of Florida to the Frost School of Music campus for two days of master classes, large ensemble rehearsals and a performance for the public.

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# Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D.

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Foundation (2006); 25-Year Service Award from Florida Music Educators' Association (2009); tapped for membership in Beta Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Lambda Graduate Honor Society (2010); and an honored VIP member of Covington *Who's Who* (2012).

Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo served as president of the Early Childhood Music and Movement Association (ECMMA) from 1996 to 1998. ECMMA is the only organization committed to advocacy for music and movement for children from birth to 8 years old. She continues to serve on the editorial research review board for ECMMA Perspectives, the official journal of the organization. She published quarterly articles in Early Childhood Connections from 1995 to 2005, a broadly circulated journal focused on the impact of the arts on children's early development. She is the co-author of the chapter "Music and Early Childhood Education" in The New Handbook of Research on Music Teaching and Learning, published in 2002. Following six years of research with infants to 5-year-olds, supported by grants from the Miami Children's Trust, Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo was the lead author of a chapter in the book Learning From Young Children: Research in Early Childhood Music, published in 2011. She continues to advocate for music in preschools. She and colleague Dr. Joy Galliford have created a research-based curriculum, Experience the Music, that is easily integrated into a preschool schedule and can be delivered by the classroom teacher.

A native of Louisville, Ky., Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo has one brother and one sister and seven great nieces and nephews, who continue to reside in Louisville.

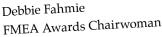
# Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D.

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Dr. DeCarbo has published research in the major journals in music education, including the *Journal of Research in Music Education, Journal of Band Research, Contributions to Music Education, Research Perspectives in Music Education* and *Music Educators Journal*. His main research interests are error detection for conductors and administration in higher education in music. He published *Error Detection for Conductors* (4<sup>th</sup> edition) with Richard Fiese. He has chapters in books for Oxford University Press (*The New Handbook in Teaching and Learning*), the National Association of Schools of Music and the College Music Society. Dr. DeCarbo served as editor for *Research Perspectives in Music Education* from 1998 to 2000 for the Florida Music Educators' Association and was on its editorial board from 2000 to 2012. He was research chairman for FMEA from 1986 to 1988.

Dr. DeCarbo received the Phillip Frost Award for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship from the Frost School of Music faculty in 2006. When he retired from the University of Miami in May 2011, President Donna Shalala honored Dr. DeCarbo for his exemplary work at the university. Dr. DeCarbo has one brother, Michael. Michael and his wife, Donna, reside in Enon, Ohio.

Please help me to applaud
all these worthy awardees.
As you read about the 2012
FMEA award winners,
you may have exemplary
teachers or programs come
to mind. Please remember
them when next year's nomination period
rolls around.



# Florida Music Educators' Association Selects 2012 Award Winners

The FMEA Awards Program recognizes the efforts and accomplishments of exemplary music teachers, school and district administrators, business leaders and others who have made an outstanding contribution to music education. Their efforts help FMEA attain our mission of promoting a quality, comprehensive music education for all Florida students as a part of a complete education. Please join FMEA in applauding these individuals, as well as all the awardees before them, as we strive to improve music education throughout our state.

# Superintendent of the Year

The Superintendent of the Year designation is awarded to the Florida school district superintendent who is not a professional music educator, but has displayed ardent support of the district's school music programs. This award recognizes leadership, excellence in encouragement and promotion of music education in Florida schools. The recipient must have demonstrated significant efforts in support of music education, resulting in awareness or enhancement of the county's music program.



Congratulations to Lori White, superintendent, Sarasota County; nominated by Angela Hartvigsen.

**Lori White** has served as superintendent of Sarasota County Schools since 2008 and is

renowned across the district and state for her support of music and arts education. Mrs. White grew up in Sarasota and has spent her entire career as a teacher and then an administrator in the district. She served as director of curriculum and instruction from 1995 to 2003. In 2003, she was appointed associate superintendent of instructional services. Mrs. White attended Florida State University for both her bachelor's and master's degrees. She is married with two grown children and two grandchildren.

Despite an era of challenging budgetary shortfalls and recommendations from an outside audit to cut music and art positions, Mrs. White has staunchly supported the presence of the arts in all of Sarasota's public schools. Her support has led the way to Sarasota County being designated as the seventh district chosen for the Kennedy Center's *Any Given Child* initiative. This initiative addresses access and equity in arts experiences for all students K-8, using the existing resources of the school district, the local arts community and the Kennedy Center. Mrs. White is an eloquent speaker about the arts and their importance to a

child's whole education. She is also proud to tell you about her days playing the violin at school.

# Music Educator of the Year

The Music Educator of the Year designation is awarded to the music educator who has served his or her students, community and profession in an exemplary manner. This award recognizes outstanding merit in music teaching. The recipient must have demonstrated notable achievement as a music education professional for 10 or more years.



Congratulations to Karen W. Bouton, music teacher from Graceville Elementary School in Jackson County; nominated by Anita Travaglino on behalf of FEMEA.

National board certified teacher Karen Bouton

has touched numerous lives through music throughout Florida. Currently the music teacher at Graceville Elementary (a two-time Music Demonstration School), Mrs. Bouton holds the B.M. from the University of Alabama and the M.S. in music education from Troy University. She is a former Teacher of the Year, and her students have performed at AOSA (1999) and the FMEA conference (2001). Mrs. Bouton has served as the children's choir director and pianist at her church, as an adjunct professor of music education and theory at Florida Baptist College and as an assessor for the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. She is a writer for item specs, as well as a writer and a reviewer, for the Florida Music Assessment Project.

Her ongoing service to the community is only a small part of her commitment to promoting elementary music education. Mrs. Bouton has been serving on the FEMEA's board of directors since 1997, first as District VI chairwoman, then president-elect, president and now immediate past president. She also served

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on the FMEA's board of directors from 2009 to 2011 and on the Graceville Arts League's board of directors from 2004 to 2009.

Passionate about professional development and providing a comprehensive music education for all students in the state of Florida, Mrs. Bouton has planned and coordinated several workshops throughout Florida and has been an integral part in reaching out to teachers in some of the underserviced areas in the state, especially the panhandle, resulting in increased membership and student achievement. In 2011, Mrs. Bouton initiated and planned the inaugural Panhandle Honors Chorus. In 2012, the event grew tremendously. She is a tireless advocate for music education and an inspiration to both students and teachers alike.

# Distinguished Service Award

The Distinguished Service designation is awarded to persons or organizations outside the field of professional music education. This award recognizes exceptional service to or support of music education. The recipient(s) must have demonstrated noteworthy contributions to music education, with statewide impact preferred.



Congratulations to Beaches Fine Arts Series, Kathryn Wallis, executive director; nominated by April Laymon on behalf of FEMEA.

In 1972, the **Beaches Fine Arts Series** (BFAS) began offering the people of the Jacksonville

Metropolitan area free world-class music and dance performances eight times a year. St. Paul's by-the-Sea Episcopal Church in Jacksonville Beach is the setting for the majority of the concerts, but BFAS also brings extraordinary artists to downtown Jacksonville at various venues. At least once per season, the annual "Beach Meets West!" program introduces a wider audience to the series. Programming encompasses eclectic styles from classical to contemporary, from jazz to world music and dance, from traditional to avant-garde.

BFAS has always been guided by the belief that great art transcends the artificial boundaries of race, class, religion, education, age and economic status. The concerts are always free to the public. In addition, each performing artist that presents on the series also participates in an educational outreach for the children in Duval County schools. BFAS works closely with Duval County Public Schools' district music coordinators to assure that underserved and inner-city youth have an opportunity to participate in the outreach program. BFAS even pays for bus transportation to the concerts to assure these students are provided this experience.

Once per year, BFAS brings an artist or a group to select

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# Leadership Award

The Leadership designation is awarded to an individual who demonstrates outstanding and sustained skill in a leadership or an administrative capacity and who carries the mission of FMEA forward throughout the state and/or the nation. The recipient must have demonstrated notable achievements as a leader in promotion of music education and a continued commitment to the profession.



Congratulations to Joseph L. Luechauer, music and performing arts curriculum supervisor, Broward County Public Schools; nominated by LuAnne Leone on behalf of FEMEA.

Since 2000, Joseph Luechauer has served as the music and performing arts curriculum supervisor for the school board of Broward County. In that capacity, he supervises programs for 235 schools. He is immediate past president of the Florida Music Educators' Association and has served since 2005 as an executive board member. In addition, Mr. Luechauer has represented Florida as a national assembly and southern division board member of the National Association for Music Education. From 2005 through 2007, he served as president of the Florida Music Supervision Association. He is an active member of the Florida Bandmasters Association, where he is involved as a certified adjudicator and has served as chairman of the Ethics committee. Additional leadership positions include state chairman of the American School Band Directors Association and member of the Phi Beta Mu Steering committee. He is a framer for the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards and a reviewer for the Florida Department of Education Music Assessment Grant. Mr. Luechauer earned his undergraduate and master's degrees from Florida Atlantic University.

Mr. Luechauer is not only passionate and dedicated about his work, but he is also a visionary leader with a keen sense of timing. As president of FMSA, he demonstrated his visionary skills in organizing a strong conference event for administrators of arts-focused schools. This conference was the impetus for the Florida Arts Network of Administrators. Mr. Luechauer is a founding member of this organization, which is a lasting legacy of his work for music education in the state.

Another example of Mr. Luechauer's visionary leadership is the creation of the Conference committee, instituted under his FMEA presidency. This committee has led to the planning and implementation of some of our most successful FMEA conferences, despite several unique and unprecedented challenges faced in those years.

# Exemplary Model Program/ Project Award

The Exemplary Model Program/Project designation is awarded to an individual or groups for meritorious, exemplary or innovative programs or projects completed in the field of music education. Projects may include exemplary model and/or innovative music education programs or projects that provided or continue to provide a significant, positive impact on students, music educators and/or the state/community.



Congratulations to Robert Chisholm and Scott Rudes for "The Rhythm of Life: A School-Community Arts Integration Partnership With the Florida Aquarium"; nominated by Robert Chisholm.

This project brought together 200 K-12 students from Hillsborough County to participate in an integration of marine science and the arts. "The Rhythm of Life" event brought together students, teachers and administrators from all of the arts schools in Hillsborough County in a celebration of learning in and through the arts. Music educators and other arts professionals joined together in a district professional learning community to collaborate on integrated lesson plans for students. Deborah Barron, Robert Chisholm, Shana Christian, Scott Rudes, Mariana Socorro, Meredith Scribner and Seth Travaglino were collaborators on this project.

The project provided the unique opportunity for music educators and young musicians from elementary, middle and high schools to come together and participate in a common share-out of what was learned. "Process over product" was a consistent theme throughout each class, and the students not only demonstrated their newfound knowledge of what they experienced about marine life, but they also displayed a profound enthusi-

asm for what they were able to share through music and other art forms. Numerous leadership opportunities were provided for students at all levels, culminating in a final project that celebrated the power of music and the arts in daily life. Groups were placed throughout the aquarium to demonstrate the process of what was learned about marine life in and through music and the arts. Lesson plans were provided to all participants in order for educators to replicate these lessons in their own classrooms.

This project provided a national model for members of the Arts Schools Network conference. After observing events such as a group of middle and high school jazz musicians demonstrating improvisation based on the movements of sea creatures, and choral students using the process of echolocation to communicate with each other throughout the aquarium, Kristy Callaway, executive director of the Arts Schools Network, exclaimed, "The excitement generated by what the students learned and their ability to share that experience was truly magical!"

# Administrator of the Year Award

The Administrator of the Year designation is awarded to a school administrator who is not a professional music educator, but who displays ardent support of the school music program. This award recognizes leadership, excellence in encouragement and promotion of music education in Florida schools. The recipient must have demonstrated significant efforts in support of music education resulting in awareness or enhancement of the school's music program and allocation of resources.

Congratulations to Myra Russell, principal, Gene Witt Elementary School in Manatee County (Elementary Administrator of the Year); nominated by Julie Hebert.

Myra Russell has been the instructional leader at Gene Witt Elementary in Manatee County since 1995. Under Ms. Russell's leadership, Gene Witt Elementary has consistently been rated an "A" school and has received the 5-Star School Distinction as well as countless other accolades. Prior to taking the leadership reins at Gene Witt, Ms. Russell served as an assistant principal at Abel Elementary and taught second, third and fourth grades in Florida and Pennsylvania. Ms. Russell's encouragement and assistance have fostered a model music program at Gene Witt Elementary. In a time when music programs are being cut due to budget constraints or state pressures to perform well on standardized tests, Ms. Russell's actions have not only sustained the music program at Gene Witt Elementary, but have

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also promoted the necessity for strong music programs locally as well as throughout the state.

Under Ms. Russell's supportive leadership, the doors to Gene Witt Elementary School have been opened to host a variety of events that enhance music education. Music teacher workshops, in-services, conferences, all-state chorus adjudication and more have been hosted at the school. Ms. Russell's commitment to the cause assures that these are all offered free of charge. This means that Ms. Russell herself will be on site even when the events extend well beyond the normal school day or on the weekend. She does so cheerfully because she knows these events are contributing to the improvement of music education for those beyond her school.

When a doctoral student approached several elementary schools about conducting music education research as part of a dissertation project, Ms. Russell was one of the few administrators who showed interest in the project. Once she realized that the dissertation project would contribute to the field of music education, she not only agreed to have her school involved, but she also rearranged the entire school's schedule to accommodate the research.

Ms. Russell attends every performance, even when they take place out of town. She occasionally makes a guest appearance as part of a performance or provides a celebratory ice cream party for the students after the event. Ms. Russell has even been seen performing a "Rooftop Rap" as a reward for students raising \$10,000 for special area classes, including music and art.

In 2011, Gene Witt Elementary was listed as the number four performing elementary school in the state of Florida, as evidenced by FCAT statistics. When asked what her school was doing differently to outperform other schools with similar demographics, Ms. Russell reported that Gene Witt's fine arts programs were making the difference.

Congratulations to Sherry T. Wells, principal, Ridge Community High School in Polk County (Secondary Administrator of the Year); nominated by Roanna Combs.

Sherry Wells is an unconditional supporter of the fine arts at Ridge Community High School. Mrs. Wells is a woman of great passion, dedication and vision. Working with an open-door policy, she is immensely committed to every student, faculty and staff member, with the expectation of high accomplishments from all. She firmly believes that music and the fine arts play a significant role in the comprehensive and educational development of students.

Mrs. Wells is in her eighth year as principal of Ridge Community High School. After earning her bachelor's degree from Morehead State University in 1986, she began her teaching career at Lake Wales High School, where she developed the largest Polk County Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America. After earning the master's degree in educational leadership at St. Leo College in 1998, her career moved her to Lakeland High School as the assistant principal for curriculum, where she worked until she was asked to open a brand new high school, Ridge Community, as principal.

Upon her appointment as principal, Mrs. Wells immediately established a strong commitment to music education at Ridge Community by hiring a distinguished music faculty. In the very first year of existence, the program achieved superior ratings at music performance assessments. This was, in part, due to the support of Mrs. Wells, who ensured appropriate funding and allocation of resources to the music program. This program has grown so much over the past seven years that the music faculty now includes three full-time music teachers and one part-time string instructor.

Mrs. Wells continually seeks to expand and improve arts offerings for her students. With her insistence, a strings program was introduced at Ridge Community a year ago and has already doubled in size. In addition, the first Recording Arts Academy in the Polk County school district was begun at Ridge Community under Mrs. Wells' visionary leadership. She has dedicated space, resources, individualized schedules and much more to ensure the success of the academy, which is a partnership with Workforce Education and the Department of Fine Arts. Mrs. Wells' support of quality music education extends beyond Ridge Community High School as well. She is a strong advocate throughout Polk County. Beyond supporting music at her school with resources, quality scheduling and her own personal time, Mrs. Wells has hosted districtwide events.

Mrs. Wells is totally committed to excellence in the arts. She is a lady of high standards and asks no more than she gives in return. With her extraordinary vision for the future, all Ridge Community High School's fine arts programs hold much opportunity and rigor.

# 2012 Music Education Service Award

The Music Education Service designation is awarded to music educators who have been active in music education for 25 years or more. This award recognizes the outstanding service of our members who have committed themselves to this profession for most of their adult lives. This year, we celebrate **499** total years of teaching among the following honorees:

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Mr. Russell L. Bertles31.5 J.H. Workman Middle School, Escambia County	years
Ms. Melinda A. Rogers	years
Ms. Carol J. Allen	years
Ms. Kathy Burrier	years
<b>Dr. Gordon R. Brock</b>	years
Mr. William T. Henley	years

# 50-Year Music Education Service Award

The 50-Year Music Education Service designation acknowledges that the members have shaped the growth and development of music education through the years. This award pays tribute to members who have been active in music education for 50 years for their dedication to the profession. Even beyond retirement, these individuals have remained active members of FMEA. Congratulations to this year's honoree:

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# Middle/High School Music Enrollment Awards

The Middle and High School Music Enrollment designation is awarded to music programs demonstrating high enrollment in music courses. This award recognizes the effectiveness of programs that offer attractive music curricula as well as those that excel in the recruitment and retention of students. Schools hold the award for three years. They may be looked to as models of quality programming, scheduling, recruitment and retention of students. To qualify for this award, at least 35 percent at the high school level and 45 percent at the middle school level of the entire student body must be enrolled in a music course. Congratulations to the following schools:

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**Gotha Middle School** – Orange County.......45% Benjamin Veligdan; Edith Young; Julie Nelson; Emily Woolaway

Southwest Florida Christian Academy,

Middle School – Lee County......46%

Gail Blackburn; Jennifer Rouskey

**J.H. Workman Middle School** – Escambia County......46% Russell Bertles; Zenda Swearengin; H. Cecil Clark

 $\begin{tabular}{lll} \textbf{Odyssey Middle School} - Orange County .......46\% \\ Tim Douglas; Charlotte Walters \\ \end{tabular}$ 

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Angela Goff; Timothy Miner; Barbara Kingman; Jeannine Stemmer	Marcus Collins; Jennifer Erickson; Tiffany Thomas
	Cypress Palm Middle School – Collier County55%
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Amy Allen; Joyce Lingerfelt	Wolf Lake Middle School – Orange County57%
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Leslie Wolfe; Robert Halczyn	Freedom Middle School – Orange County68%
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	Daniel Koh; Allyson Royster
Mulrennan Middle School – Hillsborough County53%	
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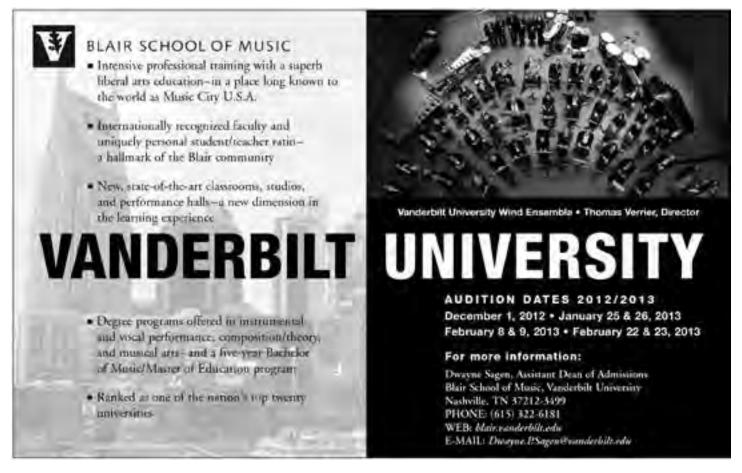
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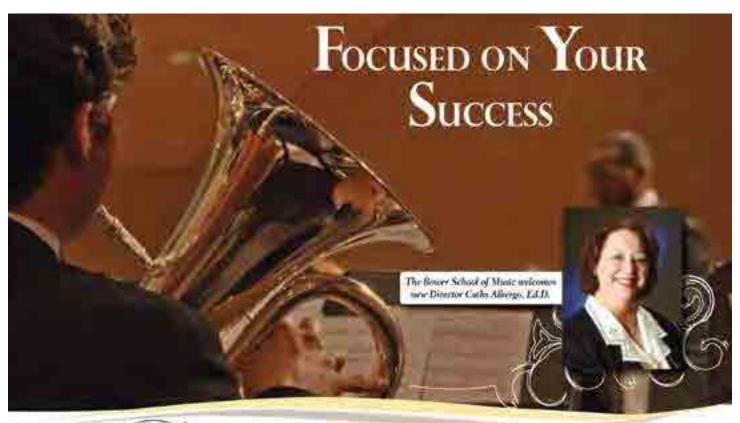
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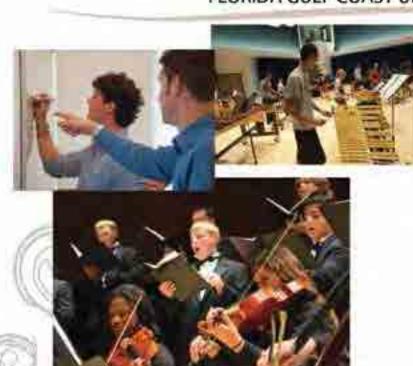
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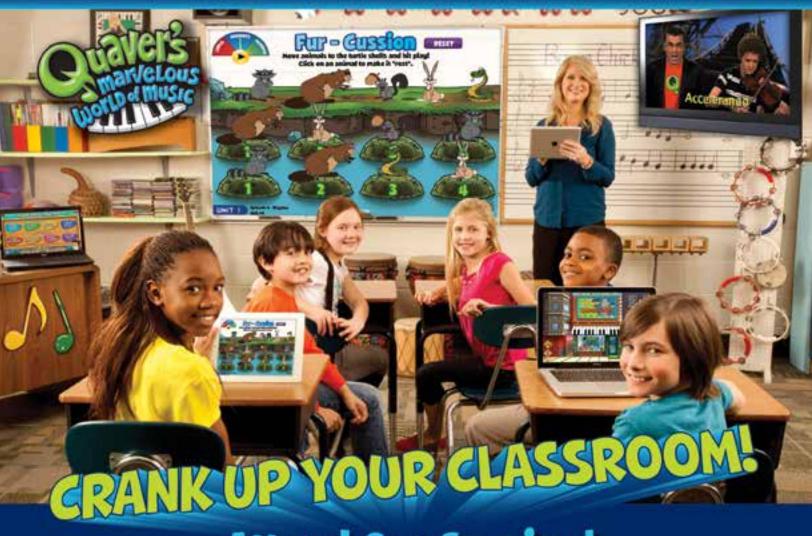
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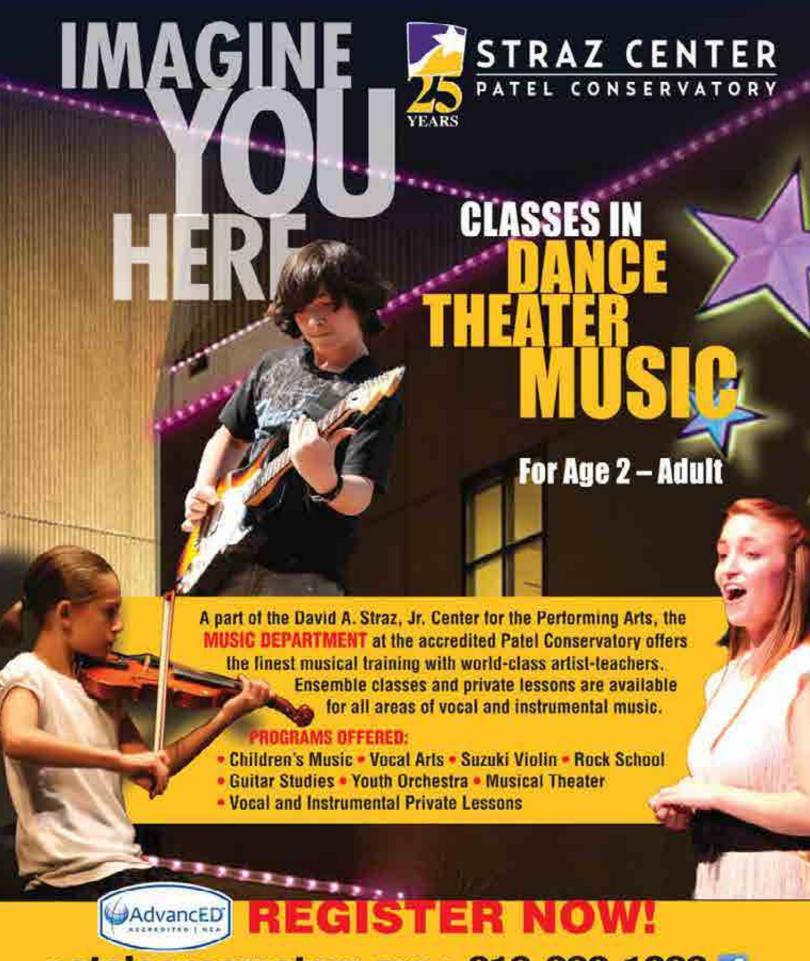
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"Together" we make the same music. We are building and developing new relationships with each other, our students and all stakeholders to offer a strong, quality and comprehensive music education for all.

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Welcome to the 2013 FMEA Professional Development Conference and All-State Concerts!

his is one of the ultimate occasions to renew our enthusiasm for teaching and to refuel our energy as we participate in the variety of events planned for us. What a myriad of professional development opportunities—to observe outstanding conductors as they work with our all-state ensembles, to listen to fine performances, to participate in interest sessions on diverse topics related to music education and to be a part of discussions and decisions with our components. You and I have an opportunity to help make a difference in keeping music education vibrant and flourishing in Florida!

Our theme this year is "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." Our overall idea continues: "Together" we make the same music. We need to continue to build and develop new relationships with each other, our students and all stakeholders to build a strong, quality and comprehensive music education for all. Conference sessions will emphasize successful practices for promoting interaction with colleagues and students, cooperative teamwork and partnerships across the disciplines.

Many thanks to Beth Cummings, FMEA president-elect, for putting together the outstanding Pre-Conference, "Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment: Where Are We and Where Are We Going?" Sessions will provide participants with an overview of how to begin to prepare for assessments by unpacking the NGSSS. In addition, there will be special sessions for new and new-to-Florida teachers, clinics on how to integrate Common Core Literacy Standards, as well as our third annual Student Leadership Workshop led by Kevin Ford and Fran Kick. Wow!

Consider putting the President's Concert and the University Night Concerts on your list of mustattend events. If you need a little inspiration, there is no substitute for hearing great music performed by students who have been well taught. I encourage you to make a special effort to attend both general sessions to hear outstanding performances by our college students and faculty, The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble and The United States Army Brass Quintet. You won't want to miss Touch, the University of South Florida iPad Quintet. Audience members are encouraged to bring their own iPad or iPhone (or any portable device) with an app installed that includes percussion sounds. "Percussions" from Chimson Technology, "Bongos" and "Congas" from Skunk Brothers and "ThumbJam" from Sonosaurus are good choices. Come prepared to join in on the fun!

Kudos and much appreciation go to our conference chairman, Dr. John Southall, and the Conference committee, along with our component organizations, committee chairpersons, exhibits managers and our amazing FMEA office staff coordinated by Dr. Kathleen Sanz, executive director, for their tireless efforts to prepare for this conference. Thank you as well to our members who work and live in the Tampa Bay area, who provide much of the materials and resources needed to make this conference happen.

"Together" we bring you the best educational sessions, industry workshops, research sessions, technology sessions and concerts to make your experience educational, enriching, motivating and inspiring. Allow ample time to visit the exhibits and to continue networking with friends and colleagues. We need to make certain our FMEA network remains very strong.

"Together" we will be able to make a difference, no matter what the challenge may be!

Enjoy the conference and all-state concerts! ∃

Sincerely,

Sheila S. King, FMEA President

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The City of Tampa is committed to making sure our citizens, particularly our children, are provided an opportunity for a thriving educational experience and is appreciative of the Florida Music Educators' Association's mission of promoting quality, comprehensive music education for all Florida students as a part of their comprehensive education.

For those of you who are new to our area, I hope you will have the opportunity to experience the many cultural and historical attractions our city has to offer. We have exciting nightlife, a diverse selection of great restaurants and some of the state's best attractions. Of particular note are the Tampa Bay History Center, the Tampa Museum of Art, the Glazer Children's Museum and the Curtis Hixon Waterfront Park. All of these facilities are located along our downtown riverfront, and they are a true reflection of our community's history, heritage and commitment to the arts.

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#### **Executive NOTES**



Kathleen D. Sanz, Ph.D. Executive Director—FMEA/FSMA

he conference theme, "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration," focuses on the need for collaborating with our colleagues for the betterment of Florida's students.

The 2013 FMEA Professional Development Conference has a multitude of opportunities for educators to hear from leading experts during sessions that are applicable to and directly related to both teaching and learning. Instrumental and vocal ensembles will fill the halls with music. All-state conductors will provide exemplary models during rehearsals and performances. Take the time to observe the leading conductors in the field!

The opportunity to attend one of the largest music education conferences, with more than 8,000 attendees, is truly inspirational and educational. The networking of professionals who work with students pre-K through college gives us a chance to see the sequential and spiraling curricula for students in music education. This conference provides an opportunity for collaborations with music merchants, students, parents and community artists, providing a unique experience for all attendees.

Our continual focus on improving music education for students in the state, through interactions with colleagues and fellow students and by remaining current in the field of education, defines us as leaders in music education.

Remember to visit the exhibition hall for the latest instructional materials and products. You can show your support by talking with the exhibitors and sharing the needs of your students and program. Our exhibitors provide an opportunity for us to work together with the industry to provide our students with the most up-to-date equipment and materials. Make a concerted effort to lead the way in the industry by sharing your expertise from the classroom with these knowledgeable businesspeople.

Download the conference app onto your iPad and/or iPhone so you will have the most current updates on the conference's schedule and other information. You may want to bookmark sessions you want to be sure not to miss.

The FMEA Board of Directors and staff are here to provide assistance in any way possible to make the conference a learning experience that generates renewed enthusiasm for music education for ALL Florida students.

We are in some challenging times for education. The FMEA Professional Development Conference provides a unique opportunity to renew acquaintances and build new collaborations. Working together, we have the power to make a positive difference for music education and Florida's students.

Have a wonderful professional development experience! ∃

Kathleen D. Sanz, Ph.D.

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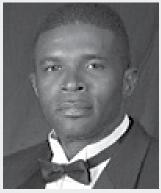


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January 9, 2013



John K. Southall, Ph.D. FMEA Conference Chairman

Dear FMEA members, dignitaries and guests:

elcome to the 2013 FMEA Professional Development Conference and All-State Concerts. This annual event has grown over the years to become one of the nation's most distinguished conferences with a primary focus on the professional development of K-20 music educators. The conference's activities will include more than 175 clinic sessions, 20 all-state ensemble concerts and 12 invited ensemble performances.

Numerous individuals from across the state have been organizing what will prove to be an outstanding conference for all. The FMEA Board of Directors, Executive committee, Conference committee and component associations have worked diligently for the past 11 months to develop the most comprehensive conference for all. Our principal concern during the conference is to assist in making your experience educationally rewarding.

Warmest regards are in order for our new FMEA event coordinators Joel Pagan, Wes Rainer, Jason Albert, Dominick Eggen, Debbie Mock and Jane Whitaker. The event coordinators will be working with all invited performing ensembles and all-state ensemble coordinators for a seamless rehearsal and performance process throughout the conference.

There are many wonderful performances scheduled during the conference this year with secondary, college and professional ensembles. The Wednesday evening President's Concert will feature three outstanding high school ensembles. Thursday evening will feature college and professional ensembles. The all-state ensembles will begin their performances on Thursday afternoon and continue on Friday and Saturday. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet will be the late night Friday featured professional ensemble.

We have many exciting and inspirational activities planned for the first general session on Thursday and the second general session on Friday. The FMEA awards presentations will again be the highlight of Friday's general session. Also, President Sheila King will lead us in a magnificent grand opening of the conference exhibits area on Thursday at 12:15 p.m.

Please let us know if we can be of assistance to you, and on behalf of the FMEA Board of Directors, have a wonderful conference.  $\exists$ 

Sincerely,

John K. Southall, Ph.D. FMEA Conference Chairman

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- 2. There are no concerts at the Straz Center for the Performing Arts during the January 2013 conference, so there is no longer a need for badged attendees to request free tickets as in years past.
- 3. All non-registered (non-badged) attendees (parents, family members, guests, etc.) are required to purchase tickets for any all-state concert they wish to attend at \$10.00 per ticket.
- 4. A director who preregisters online may reserve and prepay for all-state concert tickets for non-registered attendees for concerts in which he or she has registered all-state students as follows: 1 registered student = 2 tickets. If paid for online, these tickets will be preloaded into the director's registration package.

- Directors who register on site and register all-state students may purchase all of their required tickets during the on-site registration process.
- 6. Directors with all-state students may purchase additional concert tickets for nonregistered attendees for concerts in which they have performing students at the conference registration desk or at designated ticket sales locations at anytime.
- 7. General ticket sales for all-state concerts will begin at 11 a.m. on Friday at the FMEA registration desk. There is no requirement that the director or any other registered attendee be the person purchasing these tickets after this time.
- 8. All ticket sales are final. There are no refunds for any concert tickets.
- 9. For entrance, ticketing and concert purposes, a concert is defined as the pair of ensembles performing in the same venue in a common, defined block of time. An example of a "concert" for purposes of entrance, ticketing, etc., is Friday's 6 p.m. concert for the All-State Men's Chorus and the All-State Reading Chorus.

There are no concerts in the Straz center during the January 2013 conference. If you have additional questions or wish further clarification on ticket policies, please contact FMEA business manager, Richard Brown at richard@flmusiced.org or at the conference registration desk.

## Frequently Asked Questions

If I register myself and my all-state student(s) online, but do not purchase my full allotment of tickets for family members at that time, do I have to wait until 11 a.m. on Friday to purchase those tickets?

A: No. You may purchase tickets for the ensemble(s) in which you have registered students any other time prior to 10 a.m. on Saturday at the on-site registration laptops.

I have a registered all-state student in one ensemble. Can I <u>purchase</u> a ticket for myself to attend another ensemble performance prior to 11 a.m. on Friday?

A: If you are a registered attendee, you are not required to <u>purchase</u> a ticket for any all-state performance. Your badge is all that is required for entry.

There are more family members/ guests coming to watch my all-state student(s) perform than the student ratio allotment (1 Student = 2 Tickets) allows. How and when do I get their tickets?

A: Tickets for family members and guests beyond those taken care of by the standard student ticket allotment (2 per student) may be purchased from the registration desks anytime prior to 10 a.m. on Saturday. These tickets are \$10.00 each.

ily members pick them up at the FMEA registration desk?

A: No, these tickets will be preloaded into the director's registration package. It is your responsibility to make arrangements to get the tickets to each student's family members. If I purchase additional tickets for family members/guests after 11 a.m. on Friday, can I leave them at the FMEA registration desk for pickup later?

A: No. Once you purchase tickets, it is your responsibility to see that the tickets are given to the person(s) attending the concert.

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# Code of Conduct



## Student Curfew

- 1. Curfew for students on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights is from 11 p.m. until 6 a.m. Curfew for students on Saturday night begins at 11 p.m. or one hour after the end of the concert and lasts until 6 a.m. Curfew means that students must be in their rooms and remain there during the hours stated.
- Thirty (30) minutes after curfew, students not in their assigned rooms will be subject to withdrawal. If curfews are violated, members from that student's school component group will not be accepted for professional development conference participation the following year.

## Student Conduct

- Students must remain reasonably quiet at all times in hotel rooms, both day and night. People in neighboring rooms who are not connected with the conference may be trying to sleep. Television and radios may only be played with volume at low level.
- Hotel rooms are bedrooms. Under no circumstances should students visit or entertain others of the opposite sex in their hotel rooms.
- 3. Room doors should be locked at all times. Extreme care should be exercised near hotel windows, and nothing is to be thrown from windows. Students are not allowed on hotel roofs.
- 4. Chaperons should have all rooms checked before leaving hotels so that damages, if any, can be determined immediately.
- Students are not to visit students in other hotels without the permission of a chaperon. Students are not allowed in cars except with chaperons.
- No alcoholic beverage may be in students' possession at any time.
- 7. Illegal use of drugs in any form is absolutely prohibited.
- 8. Use of tobacco products in public by students is prohibited.
- Students should engage in activities of a group nature only. Under no circumstances are social dates involving students allowed.
- 10. Students should wear appropriate clothing, including shoes, at all times.

# Registration and Chaperons

- 1. All participants (directors, students, chaperons and guests) must be registered for the conference.
- 2. Only directors are to register their groups or pick up registration materials if preregistered.
- 3. All participating students must be chaperoned. At least one chaperon, other than the director, is required for every 10 students or group fewer than 10.
- 4. If the director does not accompany a participating student from that student's school, then the principal from that school must furnish a paper designating who is to be in charge of that student. The letter from the school should be addressed to the FMEA executive director and submitted with registration materials.
- 5. Student observers are not allowed to attend the conference. If any student observers are brought to the conference, the offending school's participation in the conference may be eliminated the following year.
- All school music teachers must register for the conference as directors and be current members of FMEA.

# Rehearsals and Name Badges

- Name badges must be worn at all times by students, directors, guests and chaperons.
- 2. Lost badges may be replaced at the registration desk only by the director, who must appear in person and pay the appropriate fee. The original registration receipt must be shown to obtain replacement badges.
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# 2013 FMEA All-State Conductors

## All-State Elementary Chorus EARLENE RENTZ



Earlene Rentz, Ph.D., received the B.M.E. from the University of Montevallo (Alabama) and both master's and doctoral degrees in music education from

Florida State University. She is a native of Moultrie, Ga., and taught choral music for seven years in Habersham County at elementary, junior high and high school levels. She has also taught choral music education courses in higher education. She has conducted all-state choirs in Georgia, Florida, Kentucky and Alabama and received ASCAP awards from 1998 to 2011. She has published more than 400 choral compositions with 17 publishers since 1994, and she recently formed her own publication company, Earlene Rentz Online Publications. Her company's goals are to provide quality choral music for choral directors at affordable prices and to supply teachers with supplementary, time-saving materials for the choral classroom. Dr. Rentz published her first

book, From Concepts to Concerts: Building Competence in the Choral Classroom, with Carl Fischer Music in March 2009. This book is designed with sequential exercises to lead students toward choral competence and improved musicianship in the classroom. Dr. Rentz lives near Lexington, Ky., where she enjoys her current profession as a full-time choral music publisher, composer and arranger.

### Middle School Honors Orchestra ELLIOT DEL BORGO



Born in Port Chester, N.Y., Elliot Del Borgo holds the B.S. degree from the State University of New York, the Ed.M. from Temple University

and the M.M. from the Philadelphia Conservatory of Music, where he studied theory and composition with Vincent Persichetti and trumpet with Gilbert Johnson. In 1973, he was granted the doctoral equivalency by SUNY and was elected to membership in the American Bandmasters Association in 1993. Mr. Del Borgo taught instrumental music in the Philadelphia public schools and was professor of music at the Crane School of Music, where he held teaching and administrative positions from 1966 to 1995. An award-winning member of ASCAP, he is a frequent consultant, clinician, lecturer and adjudicator in the United States and abroad. Mr. Del Borgo is an internationally known conductor of bands and orchestras. In addition to his music for the 1980 Olympics in Lake Placid, he has published more than 600 compositions for a variety of media. His music reflects the aesthetics of 20th century musical ideals through its eclectic nature and vigorous harmonic and rhythmic style. Mr. Borgo is available to work with you and your students in an educational setting to enhance the overall musical experience for teachers and players at all levels. His tips and clinics for getting the most from rehearsals and performances of young players are in constant demand. His energetic and firm but humorous style lends itself well to students of middle school and high school age.

### Middle School Honors Band ERIC W. MENDEZ



Eric W. Mendez, a product of Orange County Public Schools, attended Conway Junior High, Colonial High School and Valencia

Community College. He received the B.M.E. from Florida State University in 1988. He holds membership in the FBA, NAfME, FMEA and ASBDA, and he is certified by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. Since 1988, Mr. Mendez has been teaching middle school band in Central Florida public schools. Mr. Mendez's bands have received consistent superior ratings at FBA events. He is the director of bands at Maitland Middle School, where his Wind Ensemble has played to musical standards rarely achieved at the middle school level. The group was chosen to perform a concert hour at the 2010 FMEA convention. In that same year, the ensemble also performed at the ASBDA summer convention in Orlando. Mr. Mendez has been active as an adjudicator and clinician, serving districts throughout Florida. He has been an all-county clinician for Polk, Brevard, Osceola, Lee, Alachua and Orange counties. Mr. Mendez attributes most of his success to the associations he has had with mentors and other music educators who have been terrific role models for him. Among these are Ken Potter, Larry Weed, James Croft, Bentley Shellahamer, John Gorecki, Pat Malloy, Craig Collins, Jack Crew, Mike Parks and Keith Ledford. He believes that students should be thoroughly challenged every time they walk through the door of the music hall. With this in mind, he is constantly challenging his students to become the best they can

possibly be. In addition to his duties at Maitland, Mr. Mendez is a devoted husband and father to his wife, Angie, and their children, Zachary, Hannah and Claire, and he is active as a leader in his church.

### All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus TREY JACOBS



Trey Jacobs is the artistic director of the Turtle Creek Chorale in Dallas. Before arriving in Dallas, Mr. Jacobs was assistant professor and director

of choral activities for four years at Eastern Michigan University. While at Eastern Michigan University, his choirs performed at the Michigan ACDA convention and for the Michigan Music Educators' conference. In July 2011, he was the high school choral conductor for Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp in Michigan. Mr. Jacobs has completed his coursework for the D.M.A. in choral conducting from Michigan State University in East Lansing and has the M.M. from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth and the B.M.E. from East Carolina University in Greenville. At Michigan State University, he was the conductor of the Michigan State University Women's Glee Club and was the graduate teaching assistant with the Michigan State University Chorale and Choral Union. Mr. Jacobs was director of choral activities at Winter Park High School in Winter Park, Fla., for 11 years. While at Winter Park High School, his choirs consistently received superior ratings at district and state MPAs. His choirs performed for three different American Choral Directors Association state conventions and for the national ACDA convention in San Diego, Calif. He conducted his choirs three times at Carnegie Hall. Mr. Jacobs was a founding director of the Orlando Children's Chorus and was co-conductor of the Bach Children's Choir at Rollins College, conductor for the Orlando Concert Chorale and conductor of the Orlando Philharmonic Orchestra's Holiday Choir. He has conducted the Florida All-State High School Women's Chorus and honor choirs in Florida, New York, North Carolina, Ohio and Tennessee, and he has adjudicated in Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Michigan, Mississippi and Missouri. Mr. Jacobs is an active member of ACDA, NAfME, NATS, OMEA, MSVMA and GALA, and he maintains a private voice studio.

### All-State Concert Band ROBERT W. RUMBELOW



Robert W. Rumbelow, D.M.A., is director of bands at the University of Illinois, where he manages the band faculty and staff, conducts the Illinois

Wind Symphony, teaches graduate conducting and oversees all aspects of our country's largest comprehensive band program. He is only the fifth director of bands in the over 100-year history of our nation's first college band program. Ensembles under Dr. Rumbelow's baton have partnered with world-renowned soloists, released internationally respected recording projects on the Summit and Naxos labels and have given numerous world premieres. Dr. Rumbelow is recognized as an exceptional conductor, clinician, arranger, composer and lecturer throughout the United States and abroad. He has earned international acclaim for his teaching of conductors, compositions,

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orchestral performances and wind band performances, some of which have been broadcast on major networks such as NBC, CBS, ABC, PBS, NPR, NHK Japan and the BBC. Dr. Rumbelow's many commissions and consortia have resulted in new compositions by composers Christopher Theofanidis, Shafer Mahoney, Alfred Cohen, J.M. David and Dorothy Chang, among others. Kjos, Ludwig/Masters, Warner Brothers, Alfred Music and C. Alan publish Dr. Rumbelow's compositions, which are performed internationally. He has received many noteworthy commissions and has authored articles and chapters within a wide array of music publications. Dr. Rumbelow is a recipient of several notable accolades including national and international conducting prizes, an annual recipient of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP) awards, National Band Association awards and praise from critics for both recordings and live performances.

### All-State Middle School Orchestra DEBORAH PERKINS



Deborah Perkins, Ph.D., is known for her love of teaching diverse musical styles and her ability to have fun by creating an encouraging atmo-

sphere where students are challenged yet achieve mastery of musical skills that defy the age level of the students playing. She received the B.M.E. from State University College at Potsdam, N.Y., the M.M.E. from the University of South Carolina and the Ph.D. from the University of North Texas. Also known for building programs, Dr. Perkins has

built and rebuilt public school orchestra programs in Florida, South Carolina and Texas. She has served in leadership positions in professional organizations of ASTA, NSOA, SCMEA, FMEA and TMEA, and she is a member of TMAA and TODA. She teaches string pedagogy and techniques at Southern Methodist University and is the cofounder of the Texas Youth Orchestra & Choir, which travels internationally. A clinician for Eastman Strings, she is a frequent guest conductor and clinician. A hallmark of her teaching is how to make music that expresses and touches the hearts of the students and the audience alike. Her dissertation focused on the motivation of students to be enrolled in orchestra, and her friends fondly call her the "Pied Piper of Strings." She is married to Steve Perkins, and they have one daughter, Kayla.

### All-State Guitar Ensemble STEPHEN ROBINSON



Acclaimed by *The New York Times* for his "effortless virtuosity," Stephen Robinson, D.M., performs extensively and conducts master classes at lead-

ing musical institutions and festivals worldwide. He has appeared as a guest soloist with orchestras including the Cincinnati Symphony and Boston Pops Orchestras, and he performs regularly throughout Florida as a member of the State of Florida Division of Cultural Affairs premier Arts on Tour program roster. In addition to serving as a professor of guitar at Stetson University in DeLand, Fla., since 1983, where he is both founder and director of Stetson's guitar program, Dr. Robinson is an

award-winning recording artist. His many CDs for Clear Note, Centaur and Lakeside Records have received unanimous critical acclaim from the international publications American Record Guide, Fonoforum, Classical Guitar, Soundboard, Guitar Review, On the Air and Fanfare. The late renowned guitarist Andrés Segovia described him as "a magnificent guitarist, one of the most brilliant guitarists of our times." And of a recent performance, Soundboard Magazine said, "Anyone who has not heard Robinson play is missing one of America's great guitarists, a performer of brilliance, elegance, and lyricism." Of his Clear Note CD Felicidade, Steve Marsh of Classical Guitar Magazine (UK) said, "Occasionally a CD comes along in the review stack in which the featured performer immediately stands out from amongst the others for their sheer musicality, technical virtuosity and 'listenability' factor—and this new release from North American guitarist Stephen Robinson is such a CD. Everything about this disc smacks of quality: Where the music dictates a delicate touch, Robinson's playing has an almost spiritual intensity which is very moving; equally where the music needs dazzling bravura, this player supplies this commodity in heaps. His deft finger work brushes aside all the immense technical difficulties contained in much of this music." A native of New York, Dr. Robinson began his guitar studies with Bruce Holzman at Florida State University and also worked closely with Andrés Segovia. After he pursued graduate studies at the Yale School of Music, Florida State University awarded Dr. Robinson its first D.M. in guitar performance.

### High School Honors Orchestra ANDREW LANE



For 16 years (1994-2010), Andrew Lane held the position of principal pops and resident conductor of the Orlando Philharmonic

Orchestra. As resident conductor, Maestro Lane directed the OPO in a wide variety of concerts, including a series of educational concerts that reached more than 60,000 Orlando area students each season. His pops concerts have included Branford Marsalis, Deborah Gibson, Peter Schieckele, Arturo Sandoval, Roy Scheider, Doc Severinsen, Ricky Skaggs, Broadway star Davis Gaines as well as many other renowned artists. In October 2006, Mr. Lane conducted members of the Chicago Symphony featuring Greek tenor Mario Frangoulis at Orchestra Hall in Chicago. Mr. Lane has also been featured as conductor in 25 CD recordings produced by Madacy Entertainment Group of Quebec, Canada. A dynamic and popular pops conductor, Maestro Lane serves as principal pops conductor of the Sarasota Orchestra and will lead that ensemble for all subscription pops concerts for the 2012-2013 season. He has also been a featured guest conductor with the Rochester Philharmonic, Florida Orchestra, Asheville Symphony and San Antonio Symphony and is a regular guest conductor with The Naples Philharmonic. Maestro Lane is also music director of the Florida Symphony Youth Orchestra, where he enjoys leading one of the finest youth orchestras in the nation. In October 2010, he was chosen by Bank of America as a "Local Hero" for his commitment to music education in Central Florida. In 2011, United Arts of

Central Florida named him Music Educator of the Year. Mr. Lane received his musical education from the University of South Florida and the University of Maryland.

## All-State Symphonic Orchestra WILLIAM LARUE JONES



William LaRue Jones, D.M.A., is "one the most active and versatile symphonic conductors in America today, possessing a unique ability to work

effectively with musicians at all levels of performing capability and experience" (Minneapolis Star-Tribune). His conducting schedule averages more than 100 concerts annually and includes a wide array of professional, festival, collegiate and student ensembles throughout North America, Latin America, Europe and Asia, ranging from the Minnesota Orchestra and the Minneapolis Pops to the Penang (Malaysia) Symphony, the Antofagasta (Chile) Symphony and the Symphony Orchestra of Lucerne (Switzerland). Recent conducting engagements include orchestras in Illinois, Wisconsin, New York, Nevada, Ohio, Minnesota, Arizona, Delaware, Maryland, Nebraska and Florida, as well as concerts in Singapore, Kuala Lumpur and Penang (Malaysia), Belem (Brazil) and Shenyang, Wuhan and Shijiazhuang (China). As a professional performer noted for his outstanding technique and musicality, Dr. Jones was principal bassoon of the Minnesota Opera and Minnesota Ballet and was first call associate with the Minnesota Orchestra and Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra for more than 15 seasons. He has performed under such esteemed maestros as Stanislaw

Skrowaczewski, Klaus Tennstedt, Antol Dorati, Charles Dutoit, Aaron Copland, Zubin Mehta, Neville Marriner, Edo deWaart and Leonard Slatkin, to name a few. For his untiring work on behalf of music and arts education, he has been honored with the David W. Preuss Leadership Award, the American String Teachers Association's Exceptional Leadership and Merit Award, the Sigma Alpha Iota Musician of the Year Award, WCCO Radio's Good Neighbor Award and the State of Minnesota Governor's Proclamation of "Dr. William LaRue Jones Day." A Texas native, Dr. Jones holds degrees from the University of Wisconsin, the University of Iowa and Kansas State University, with additional studies at The Juilliard School of Music and the University of North Texas.

### All-State Middle School Band CLEVE A. MALOON



Cleve A. Maloon is director of music programs at the Oxbridge Academy of the Palm Beaches. Previously he was director of bands at Bak Middle School

of the Arts in Palm Beach County from 2001 to 2012. Under his leadership, both the Concert Band and Jazz Band received straight superior ratings for 11 consecutive years at the FBA MPA and at numerous competitions throughout the country. Mr. Maloon began his teaching career at Rock Island High School in Illinois and served as director of bands and the district's music coordinator K-12. Mr. Maloon earned the B.M.E. from Augustana College (Illinois) and the M.A. in performance/pedagogy from the University of Iowa. A native of

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St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, he is a trombonist who has performed professionally throughout the Caribbean and the United States in calypso, salsa, reggae, jazz bands and symphony orchestras. In 2005, he was nominated for the American Stars of Teaching Award, and he was the finalist for the Palm Beach County Economic Council William Dwyer Awards for Excellence in Education. The Palm Beach Post selected him as a recipient of the "I Make a Difference Teacher of Excellence" Award. Western Illinois University awarded him Most Inspirational Teacher, and the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy selected him for the Teacher Award of Excellence. Mr. Maloon has been a guest conductor, clinician and adjudicator in Illinois, Iowa and Florida. He maintains an active membership with Florida Bandmasters Association and served as the District 14 chairman, 2001-2003.

### All-State Intercollegiate Band MICHAEL HAITHCOCK



Michael Haithcock assumed his duties as director of bands and professor of music (conducting) at the University of Michigan in the fall of

2001 following 23 years on the faculty of Baylor University. Following in the footsteps of William D. Revelli and H. Robert Reynolds, Professor Haithcock conducts the internationally renowned University of Michigan Symphony Band, guides the acclaimed graduate band and wind ensemble conducting program and provides administrative leadership for all aspects of the University of Michigan's diverse and historic band program.

Ensembles under Professor Haithcock's guidance have received a wide array of critical acclaim for their high artistic standards of performance and repertoire. These accolades have come through concerts at national and state conventions, performances in major concert venues and recordings on the Albany, Arsis and Equilibrium labels. Professor Haithcock was selected to conduct the world premiere of Daron Hagen's Bandanna, an opera for voice and wind band, commissioned by the College Band Directors National Association, and he is a leader in commissioning and premiering new works for concert band. Professor Haithcock has earned the praise of both composers and conductors for his innovative approaches to developing the wind ensemble repertoire and programming. He is in constant demand as a guest conductor and as a resource person for symposiums and workshops in a variety of instructional settings as well as for festival and all-state appearances throughout the country. A graduate of East Carolina University, where he received the 1996 Outstanding Alumni Award from the School of Music, and Baylor University, Professor Haithcock has done additional study at a variety of conducting workshops, including the Herbert Blomstedt Orchestral Conducting Institute. The Instrumentalist, the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association, the School Musician, the Southwest Music Educator and WINDS magazine have published his articles on conducting and wind literature.

## All-State Jazz Band BILL PRINCE



Bill Prince, D.M.A., a professor emeritus at the University of North Florida, comes from a background rich in music. He has performed with

numerous bands and orchestras, including Buddy Rich; the NORAD Band; the Denver, Fort Lauderdale, Palm Beach and Jacksonville symphonies; and the American Wind Symphony Orchestra. He has also performed with a number of well-known big bands, including Xavier Cugat, Tex Beneke, Harry James, Tommy Dorsey and Louis Bellson. He has appeared on TV shows in the United States, Canada and across the world. Dr. Prince has performed on more than 70 albums, including his The Best Kept Secret in Jazz. He can be heard on Duffy Jackson's CD Swing! Swing! Swing! and Buddy Rich's CDs Mercy Mercy and The Best of Buddy Rich. In more recent years, Dr. Prince has developed a cabaret show that he performs on cruise ships around the world. One of his most unique talents is his ability to perform professionally on several instruments. For example, although he played trumpet with Buddy Rich, he was first offered a chair in the saxophone section. His performing instruments include trumpet, flugelhorn, trombone, flute, clarinet, saxophone, piano and electric bass. Dr. Prince produced his own CD, Happy Thoughts, on which he composed, arranged and performed all parts. He holds the D.M.A. with a major in theory and composition from the University of Miami (Fla.). He has taught at Florida Atlantic University, the University of Colorado/Denver, St.

Francis Xavier University, Nova Scotia and the University of North Florida, and he has served as a visiting lecturer at Cape Town University and Natal University in South Africa. Music has taken him to all 50 states and 80 countries of the world.

### High School Honors Band DOUGLAS L. PHILLIPS



Douglas L. Phillips, D.M.A., is acting director of bands and visiting assistant professor of music at the Stetson University School of Music in DeLand, Fla.

Dr. Phillips is the conductor of the University Symphonic Band and teaches courses in advanced instrumental conducting and music education. Prior to his appointment at Stetson, Dr. Phillips served as associate director of bands and assistant professor of music at Western Illinois University and as associate director of bands at the University of Virginia, and he taught public school in the state of Florida, where he was director of bands at Douglas Anderson School of the Arts and director of instrumental music at Merritt Island High School. Dr. Phillips received the D.M.A. in instrumental conducting from the Frost School of Music at the University of Miami, the M.M. in instrumental conducting from Western Michigan University and the B.M.E. from Stetson University. Dr. Phillips serves on the board of directors of the National Band Association as chairman of the NBA Awards committee. He holds additional active memberships in CBDNA, CMS, FBA, FMEA, NAfME, WASBE and Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia.

## All-State Symphonic Band BOBBY ADAMS



Bobby Adams, Ph.D., is director of bands, professor of music education and coordinator of instrumental music at the Stetson University School of Music in

DeLand, Fla. A member of the Stetson University faculty since 1987, Dr. Adams conducts the University Symphonic Band and teaches advanced instrumental conducting and courses in music education. Prior to his appointment at Stetson, Dr. Adams taught in the public schools of Indiana and Florida for 25 years. He is principal conductor and music director of Southern Winds, an ensemble made up of Stetson faculty, former students, band directors and other professional musicians. A native of Kentucky, Dr. Adams received the B.A. from Morehead State University, the M.M.E. from Murray State University and the Ph.D. in music education from Florida State University. Bands under his direction have performed at 36 state, regional and national conventions. He is a past president of the National Band Association, the National Association for Music Education-Southern Division, the College Band Directors National Association-Southern Division, the Florida Music Educators' Association and the Florida Bandmasters Association. He is also chairman of the FBA Hall of Fame's board of directors. Dr. Adams is an elected member of Phi Beta Mu, the American Bandmasters Association, the FMEA Hall of Fame, the FBA Hall of Fame, the FBA Roll of Distinction and the NBA Hall of Fame. In addition, Dr. Adams conducts all-state/ honor bands and orchestras throughout the United States.

## All-State Concert Orchestra JOHN WHITNEY



John Whitney is a native of Glens Falls, N.Y., and earned music degrees from Ithaca College and the New England Conservatory. Among numerous per-

forming and teaching stints, including two decades teaching at the University of Central Florida, Mr. Whitney taught 22 years in New York public schools, including those in Long Beach, Olean, Ithaca and Camillus (West Genesee Central Schools), and he served as director of strings for Buffalo Academy for Visual and Performing Arts. In 2007, he taught conducting and orchestra at SUNY Fredonia as director of orchestras. Mr. Whitney is internationally known for his performances and pedagogy, and he has conducted or performed with a host of platinum artists, including Luciano Pavarotti, Clark Terry, Frank Foster, Tony Bennett, Ray Charles, Dave Samuels, Buddy DeFranco, Henry Mancini, Cab Calloway, Liberace, Doc Severinsen, Phil Woods and The Irish Tenors. As a violinist, he has performed at Walt Disney World and with the symphonies of Syracuse, Utica, Elmira and Brevard. A uniquely versatile "musician's musician," Mr. Whitney has distinguished himself in both classical and jazz arenas through his conducting, performing, composing, arranging and teaching.



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## All-State Concert Chorus ANDRÉ J. THOMAS



André J. Thomas, D.M.A., the Owen F. Sellers professor of music, is director of choral activities and professor of choral music education at

Florida State University. A previous fac-

ulty member at the University of Texas, Austin, Dr. Thomas received his degrees from Friends University (B.A.), Northwestern University (M.M.) and the University of Illinois (D.M.A). He is in demand as a choral adjudicator, clinician and director of all-state/honor choirs throughout the United States, Europe, Asia, New Zealand and Australia. Dr. Thomas has conducted choirs at the state, division and national conventions of the National Association for Music Education and the American Choral Directors Association (ACDA). His international conducting credits are extensive. They include conductor/clinician for the International Federation of Choral Musicians, summer residency of the World Youth Choir in the Republic of China and the Philippines, winter residency of the World Youth Choir in Europe and a premiere performance by an American choir (Florida State University Singers) in Vietnam. He has been the guest conductor of such distinguished orchestras and choirs as the Birmingham Symphony Orchestra in England, the Berlin Radio Choir in Germany, the Netherlands Radio Choir, the Charlotte Symphony, the Tallahassee Symphony, China's People's Liberation Orchestra and the Czech National Symphony Orchestra. Since 1988, he has also served as artistic director of the

Tallahassee Community Chorus. Dr. Thomas has also distinguished himself as a composer/arranger. Hinshaw Music Company, Mark Foster Music Company, Fitzsimons Music Company, Lawson Gould, Earthsongs, Choristers Guild and Heritage Music Company publish his compositions and arrangements. Dr. Thomas has produced two instructional videos, What They See Is What You Get on choral conducting, with Rodney Eichenberger, and Body, Mind, Spirit, Voice on adolescent voices, with Anton Armstrong. His recent book Way Over in Beulah Lan'. Understanding and Performing the Negro Spiritual has quickly become a major source in this area of study. The African Diaspora Sacred Music honored Dr. Thomas as a Living Legend. In 2011, Dr. Thomas's dedication to and accomplishments in the choral arts were recognized by his peers in Chorus America, when that organization presented Dr. Thomas with its Distinguished Service Award. He is a past president of the Florida ACDA and the past president of the Southern Division of ACDA.

## All-State Reading Chorus Z. RANDALL STROOPE



Z. Randall Stroope, D.M.A., is one of the most active choral conductors and composers working today, with recent conducting engagements at

the American School in Singapore, Canterbury Cathedral (England), Salzburger Dom (Austria), The Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts (Washington, D.C.), the Vancouver Symphony (British Columbia) and three performances at the Vatican in the past two years. He is artistic director for summer international choral festivals in Berlin, Germany, and Rome, Italy. Dr. Stroope has toured 15 countries with ensembles under his direction, including visits to China and South Africa. In the United States, Dr. Stroope has conducted 35 all-state choirs (Kentucky, New Hampshire and Delaware in 2011), and he does many clinics a year for professional choirs, universities and state music organizations across the country. At Oklahoma State University, Dr. Stroope is the director of choral and vocal studies. He conducts the Concert Chorale and the Chamber Choir, oversees recruitment activities and coordinates the undergraduate and graduate conducting program. He and the other six faculty and staff in the choral/vocal division have seen tremendous growth in the number of music majors and general university involvement in the choral program. Prior to teaching at OSU, Dr. Stroope was the director of choral studies at Rowan University in Glassboro, N.J. In October 2009, Dr. Stroope was featured in an hour-long interview ("Sounds Choral") with well-known radio personality Marjorie Herman in a series with WWFM The Classical Network. In this interview, Dr. Stroope talked about his compositional study with Cecil Effinger and Normand Lockwood, both students of Nadia Boulanger (in turn, a student of Gabriel Fauré), as well as various aspects of his conducting work. Dr. Stroope has 95 published works with Alliance, Walton, Colla Voce, MorningStar and Heritage Music Press. His compositions sell more than 200,000 copies a year and are performed regularly by esteemed ensembles throughout the world, including professional ensembles in the United

He later served as state president of the

States, France, Holland, Hong Kong, Spain, Japan, Australia, the Czech Republic and Canada. Dr. Stroope has personally conducted/recorded 13 professional CDs, and recordings of his music are heard frequently on radio and television broadcasts, including National Public Radio. Born in Albuquerque, N.M., Dr. Stroope completed his master's in voice performance at the University of Colorado (Boulder) and a doctorate in conducting at Arizona State University. He also did post-graduate individual conducting study with Margaret Hillis, chorus master of the Chicago Symphony. As a recipient of the Australian-American Fulbright, Dr. Stroope has also done work in Western Australia. He and his wife, Cheryl (a middle school choral music teacher in Stillwater, Okla.), enjoy traveling and spending time with their Sheltie.

### All-State Men's Chorus MICHAEL DYE



Michael Dye has begun his 23rd year as choral director at Niceville High School and his 37th year as a music educator. He received the B.M.E.

from Henderson State University in Arkadelphia, Ark., and the M.M.E. from Arkansas State University in Jonesboro. Mr. Dye began his choral music career in Arkansas at Southwest Junior High School in Hot Springs (1976) before accepting a position at Dollarway High School in Pine Bluff, where he served 12 years as choral director. He served as the Arkansas state president of the American Choral Directors Association (1984-1986).

state's choral interscholastic organization, the Arkansas Choral Directors Association (1986-1988). In 1989, the Arkansas Choral Directors Association selected him as Arkansas Choral Director of the Year. In 1990, Mr. Dye began his career as director of the Niceville High School choruses. He was selected Niceville High School's Teacher of the Year and was runner-up for Okaloosa County's Teacher of the Year in 2004. He served on the Florida Music Educators' Association Board of Directors (2007-2009) and has recently been named the Florida Vocal Association's liaison to the Florida School Music Association. Mr. Dye is an active member of the Florida Vocal Association, which he has served as state president (2007-2009) and twice as the District 1 chairman (1997-1999 and 2005-2007). He continues to serve the FVA board as state music chairman and as the FVA past presidents coordinator. Mr. Dye is also a member of the American Choral Directors Association, the Florida Music Educators' Association and the National Association for Music Education. His Niceville Singers have sung at the FCDA's state convention and have toured and performed in Central Europe (2002), Great Britain (2004, International Church Music Festival), the People's Republic of China (2006, All-China Choral Directors Association's national convention), Northern Italy (2008) and Spain (2011), as well as three time in Manhattan at Carnegie Hall and throughout the southeastern United States. Mr. Dye is an active clinician and adjudicator. He is married to Wanda Thomas Dye. They have two sons, Dr. Matthew Norton, a physical therapist in Pensacola, and Timothy Norton, a master's degree candidate at Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary in East Hamilton, Mass.

## All-State Treble Chorus ELENA SHARKOVA



Elena Sharkova, artistic director of the Symphony Silicon Valley Chorale, is recognized nationally and internationally as an inspirational and

effective conductor, choral clinician and music educator. She has conducted professional, university, children's and community choirs and orchestras in North America, Eastern and Western Europe, Russia and the Middle East, and she has served as an adjudicator at numerous national and international music festivals and competitions. An expert on Russian choral music, Ms. Sharkova has lectured extensively on its repertoire and performance practices and has conducted several U.S. premieres of Russian contemporary compositions. In her 11th year as artistic director of the Symphony Silicon Valley Chorale (formerly San Jose State University Chorale), Maestra Sharkova has prepared and conducted the chorus in more than 30 major choralorchestral works such as Handel's Messiah, Mozart's Requiem, Poulenc's Gloria, Bruckner's Te Deum, Brahms's Nanie, Orff's Carmina Burana and many others. Regarded for her passion for non-Western, cross-genre and multicultural music, Ms. Sharkova and the chorale have delighted South Bay, Calif., audiences with performances of such folkinspired compositions as Navidad Nuestra and Missa Criolla by Argentinean

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composer Ariel Ramirez, Caribbean Mass by contemporary American composer Glen McClure and jazz-inspired Mass in Blue by English composer Will Todd. Artistic director of the 180-voice strong Cantabile Youth Singers since 2004, Maestra Sharkova conducts CYS's top choirs, Vocalise and Ensemble, and oversees all educational and performance aspects of the program. Under her direction, Cantabile made its Carnegie Hall debut in 2005 and returned to that legendary stage in 2010. Ms. Sharkova was born and raised in St. Petersburg, Russia, where she received an undergraduate degree in music education and piano and a graduate degree in conducting from St. Petersburg State Rimski-Korsakov Conservatory. From 1988 to 1993, Ms. Sharkova served as chairwoman of the choral department of the preparatory music school at the conservatory, where she conducted four children's choruses and taught the innovative Ogorodnov Method to graduate students. Before moving to the United States in 1993, she toured extensively for five years with one of the finest Russian professional choirs, Lege Artis. Besides concertizing throughout Russia, Europe and the United States, the ensemble also recorded five CDs for the SONY Classical label and won numerous prizes at European choral festivals and competitions.

#### All-State Women's Chorus MITOS ANDAYA



Mitos Andaya, D.M.A., is the associate director of choral activities in the Boyer College of Music and Dance at Temple University in

Philadelphia. She teaches undergraduate conducting and graduate choral literature, assists with graduate conducting and directs the Temple University Singers. Prior to her appointment at Temple, she served as associate director of choral activities at the University of Georgia, where she directed ensembles in early music, jazz, women's, chamber and symphonic chorus repertoire. There she was awarded one of the university's highest honors, the Richard B. Russell Undergraduate Teaching Award, and twice received the Student Government Association Award for Outstanding Commitment to Students and Academic Excellence. Dr. Andaya has taught choral and jazz at the university level in the United States, South Africa and Australia. She served as guest conductor of the Netherlands Chamber Choir in Amsterdam and Arnhem in 2007, conducted the Eric Ericson Chamber Choir in concert at the Lund International Choral Festival in Sweden and conducted the Netherlands Chamber Choir, Netherlands Radio Chorus, in Haarlem in 2005. She conducted at the 2005 Transient Glory Choral and Chamber Music Festival in New York and worked with Pulitzer Prize-winning composer David Del Tredici. In 2004, she prepared ensembles for the BBC Philharmonic conductor/Scottish composer James MacMillan for his Georgia residency. She was selected to study with Marin Alsop at the Colorado Symphony Orchestra Workshop in 2003, Helmuth Rilling at the Oregon Bach Festival in 2003 and 2004, Simon Halsey and André Thomas in Haarlem, Netherlands, in 2005 and Frieder Bernius in Varese, Italy, in 2006. Her conducting teachers at the University of Kansas were Simon Carrington and

orchestral conductor Brian Priestman. Her ensembles have been invited to perform throughout the United States, such as at the Boston Early Music Festival, the Southern American Choral Directors Association conference and the UNC/ Greeley Jazz Festival. Her choirs have also traveled and performed in England, Scotland, Germany, Austria, Italy, Portugal and Spain. She has been a member of the conducting faculty of the Westminster Chamber Choir with Westminster Choir College of Rider University since 2007, and she has served as a member of the judges panel for the International A Cappella Festival in Leipzig, Germany. In 2010, she served as clinician and guest conductor for the first Kenyan Choral Directors national conference, hosted by Moi University in Eldoret, Kenya. She continues to serve as a clinician, adjudicator and guest conductor for honor choruses, all-state choirs and festivals. Dr. Andaya has Renaissance and other editions published with Alliance Music Publications and jazz compositions and arrangements with UNC Jazz Press and Hal Leonard. She served as chairwoman for jazz repertoire and standards for the Georgia American Choral Directors Association, is active in the American Choral Directors Association and the International Federation of Choral Music and serves as president-elect of the National Collegiate Choral 

# Alumni Receptions

#### FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2013

5 p.m 7 p.m.	Florida State University Alumni Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Lancaster Terrace
5:30 p.m 7 p.m.	University of Central Florida Alumni Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Peter O. Knight Room
5:30 p.m 8 p.m.	Stetson University Alumni Wine & Cheese Reception	Embassy Suites - Second Floor
6 p.m 7 p.m.	Frost School of Music at University of Miami Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Garrison Room
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	Florida Southern College Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - John Jackson Room
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	University of South Florida Alumni & Friends Reception	Westin Harbour Island - Lancaster Room
6 p.m 8 p.m.	University of Florida School of Music Alumni Reception	Marriott Waterside - Café Waterside Private Dining Room

#### SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

8 a.m 9 a.m.	Jacksonville University Alumni Breakfast Meeting	Marriott Waterside - Café Waterside
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# FMEA President's Concert

Wednesday, January 9, 2013 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A





#### Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony Director: Sterling Frederick

Dimensional Harmony is an organization composed of 50 Boynton Beach High School students. Dimensional Harmony has performed for Donald Trump, the Florida Vocal Association's music conference and many civic organizations, and has opened for renowned gospel singers Fred Hammond and the Mighty Clouds of Joy. The group continues to earn superior ratings at district, state and national competitions. Most recently, in November 2010, Dimensional Harmony won a national show choir competition.

Sterling Frederick is a Palm Beach Atlantic University graduate. He has been the choral director of Boynton Beach High School's Dimensional Harmony for 11 years of his 17-year teaching career. He has served as district coordinator and district chairman for FVA District 14. He is sought after as an adjudicator and clinician in Florida. Choirs under his direction have consistently earned superior ratings at national, state and district events.

#### Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band Director: Thomas Singletary

The Eau Gallie High School Band Program, under the direction of Thomas Singletary, Laura Singletary and Veronica Curran, consists of three concert bands, two jazz bands, four percussion ensembles, many student-led ensembles and the 200-member Marching Commodores. The Eau Gallie Symphonic Band has been awarded superior ratings at many district and regional music festivals, and the ensemble performed at the National Band and Orchestra Festival at Carnegie Hall in 2009.

Thomas Singletary is a native of Statesboro, Ga. He holds the B.M.E. from Florida State University, where he was





under the direction of James Croft, Bentley Shellahamer and Robert Sheldon. He also holds the M.M. from the University of Illinois at Champaign/Urbana, where he studied conducting with Donald Schleicher and James Keene. In 2012, he received the Oliver Hobbs Award from the Florida Bandmasters Association in recognition of his exceptional work over a long period at Eau Gallie High School. He is a music arranger for the FSU Marching Chiefs.

#### Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr

The Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra is under the joint direction of Jennifer Zahn and Ian Schwindt with string consultant Marcey Sperr. This 79-member ensemble has consistently performed at the highest levels at both district and state MPAs, as well as at the many concerts it presents. Multiple smaller ensembles make up the Symphony Orchestra, including the THS Jazz Band and a 20-member chamber orchestra, along with many quartets and quintets. All of these smaller groups maintain an active performing schedule in concerts as well as support community events.

Ian Schwindt teaches instrumental music at Titusville High School, where he has served for the last 13 years. During his tenure, the program has doubled in size and significantly expanded its musical offerings, including a full orchestra, AP Music Theory and an active chamber ensemble program. In 2004, Titusville High School was named a Music Demonstration School by the State of Florida Department of Education and then renewed again in 2007. He is in his third year as conductor of the Brevard County Youth Orchestra Symphony.

Marcey Sperr is in her 11th year of teaching and her sixth year in Brevard County, Fla. She is the itinerant string teacher for the Titusville High School feeder chain, where she serves five schools. She is a cellist and bassoonist with a degree in music education from the University of South Florida. She began her teaching career in Hillsborough County as an elementary music specialist. She taught high school band in Connecticut Public Schools for four years and cello through the Community Music School in Essex, Conn.

Jennifer Zahn is in her 11th year at Titusville High School teaching instrumental music. She has held numerous leadership positions, including FOA district chairwoman, FBA district chairwoman, Brevard County Music Leadership Team and School Advisory Council. She has also been named an FMEA Emerging Leader and has received an NBA citation for her work with the Titusville Wind Orchestra. She remains active through her private lesson studio and serves as a clinician for orchestras and bands throughout Central Florida. She continues to play professionally on clarinet and violin. 

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7:30-10:30 p.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A



#### Florida Gulf Coast University -**Bower School of Music Chamber** Choir

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. **Director: Trent R. Brown** 

The Bower School of Music Chamber Choir at Florida Gulf Coast University is a select ensemble open to all students on campus by audition. In the short history of

the Bower School of Music, the Chamber Choir has established itself in the choral community of Southwest Florida and beyond. The ensemble is preparing for a performance tour of Germany, Austria and Italy in December 2013.

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#### **University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra** 8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Director: William W. Wiedrich

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#### University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble I Jazz Faculty Thursday, 9:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. Director: J.B. Scott

The UNF Jazz Ensemble 1 is the premier ensemble of the University of North Florida Jazz Studies program and part of the UNF Music Flagship Program, winning numerous awards and consistent recognitions from *DownBeat* magazine and other notable publications. The group has performed internationally, throughout China, Europe and the United States, with appearances on the Great Wall of China; the Montreux, North Sea, Monterey, Jacksonville and Savannah jazz festivals; the IAJE and FMEA conferences; and The Midwest Clinic.



The UNF Jazz Faculty features Lynne Arriale - piano, Todd Del Giudice - saxophone, Marc Dickman - euphonium, Danny Gottlieb - drums, Barry Greene - guitar, Clarence Hines - trombone, Dennis Marks - bass and J.B. Scott - trumpet. The UNF Jazz Faculty is an extremely talented and diverse group of international performers and educators. The group has played with and recorded with artists such as Pat Metheny, Randy

Brecker, Stan Getz, Arturo Sandoval, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich, Paquito D'Rivera, Sarah Vaughn, MJT and Dukes of Dixieland; has published works with Mel Bay, Hudson Music and UNC Press; and is endorsed by Yamaha, Buscarino, Besson, Thomasik-Infeld, Remo, Eames and DW.

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# First General Membership Session

Thursday, January 10, 2013
10:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

The first general session for FMEA members will be presided by FMEA President Sheila S. King and will feature three performing ensembles.

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Trent R. Brown, D.M.A., is director of choral activities and assistant professor of music at Florida Gulf Coast University,



where he leads the choral ensembles and teaches courses in conducting at the Bower School of Music. Prior to academia he taught public high school for eight years in Minnesota and Wisconsin. He holds the D.M.A. in choral conducting from the University of Arizona, the M.M. from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and the B.M.E from the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. Choirs under his

direction have performed at state ACDA conventions and have toured nationally and internationally, including a 2007 tour to China.

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each semester, and non-music majors are welcome to participate by performing a successful audition.

William W. Wiedrich, D.M.A., is in constant demand as a guest conductor and clinician. He is director of orchestral studies at the University of South Florida in Tampa, where he conducts the USF Symphony Orchestra and Opera Theatre and maintains a large conducting studio. He is also music director of the Tampa Metropolitan Youth Orchestra. His youth orchestras have appeared twice in Carnegie Hall and have maintained an active commissioning program of music for young orchestras. He frequently serves as an all-state conductor, most recently in Michigan, Georgia, Florida and North Carolina.

#### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott

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J.B. Scott is an associate professor of jazz studies at the University of North Florida. He teaches trumpet and directs the award-winning UNF JE 1 big band. He is a Yamaha trumpet artist/clinician, FBA adjudicator and freelance artist. He and vocalist Lisa Kelly-Scott have coreleased five successful CDs and have performed for numerous jazz societies and festivals, including the Montreux, Elkhart, Monterey, Savannah, Jacksonville and Mammoth Lakes jazz festivals; the Suncoast Dixie Classic; and the Sacramento Jazz Jubilee. He has presented clinics for IAJE, FMEA, The Midwest Clinic and JEN, and he conducted the 2009 Florida All-State Jazz Band at the annual FMEA Conference in Tampa. ∃



## Second General Membership Session

Friday, January II, 2013 9 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A



The second general session for FMEA members will be presided by FMEA President Sheila S. King and will feature three performing ensembles.

### Touch – USF iPad Quintet Director: David A. Williams

Touch is the University of South Florida's iPad Quintet. The group, made up of music education faculty and doctoral students from the School of Music, formed two years ago, shortly after the release of the first iPad. Touch is a live performance ensemble and serves as a model for undergraduate music education students as a progressive approach to music education. Touch performs a wide variety of music from across musical styles, including rock, rap and classical, as well as original music composed

specifically for the ensemble. A typical program will feature collaborations with students and faculty from across campus and will include dance, theater and video. A Touch concert is a multimedia experience of sound, light and motion, where the audience plays an important role and anything is possible! Ensemble members include faculty Clint Randles, assistant professor of music education, and David A. Williams, associate professor of music education doctoral students Victor Ezquerra, Chris Morris and Nick Stefanic.

David A. Williams, Ph.D., teaches instrumental music education and technology courses at USF, including Computer Applications in Music Education. His research projects include Musical Meaning: Teenage Participation

in Musical Activities In and Out of School (funded by a "Sounds of Learning: The Impact of Music Education" grant), Collaboration Among Music Teachers, Skills and Behaviors Important to Successful Music Teaching (an insider's look at what it takes) and What Are We Doing and How Well Are We Doing It? (a philosophical paper published in Music Educators Journal). He has published articles in the Journal of Research in Music Education, Update: Applications of Research to Music Education, Journal of Technology in Music Learning, Southern Music Education Research Journal, Teaching Music, Journal of Music Teacher Education, FETConnection, Technological Directions in Music Learning and General Music Today and contributed a book chapter to On the Nature of the Musical Experience. He recently presented a paper, Enhancing Pre-Service Music Teachers' Learning in Digital Arts Education Through Innovative Approaches to K-12 Classroom Instruction, at a joint national conference of the College Music Society and the Association for Technology in Music Instruction in Quebec City, Canada. He holds the Ph.D. in music education from Northwestern University and the M.M.E. from the State University of West Georgia. His bachelor's degree is in music education from Morehead State University.



## The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet Director: Terry Bingham

Since its inception in 1972, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has gained a reputation as one of the most highly respected and sought-after groups of its kind. The ensemble has appeared before audiences and dignitaries in 48 states and 14 countries. An element of The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in Washington, D.C., The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed at the White House, presidential inaugurations and official state ceremonies in the nation's capital. It has been selected repeatedly as the first ensemble to honor new presidents with the traditional Hail to the Chief on live national broadcasts. In addition, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet frequently provides musical support for special events hosted by the secretary of defense, the secretary of the army and the army chief of staff, as well as for ceremonies supporting the Military District of Washington.

The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed on NBC's *Today Show*, the Food Network's *Emeril Live*, NPR's *A Prairie Home Companion*, CBS's *Sunday Morning*, ABC, Fox, CNN, TNN and internationally on BBC. The group also appears regularly on local and regional broadcasts throughout the nation. The group's repertoire includes more than 500 selections from all eras and genres of classical and popular music, interactive entertainment, video and works for

children's concerts. The Brass Quintet's library also includes historic musical selections from the American Civil War, which the ensemble enjoys performing on authentic instruments. The U.S. Army Brass Quintet continues a long tradition in support of music education. The ensemble's outreach activities include frequent appearances at The Midwest Clinic, the International Trumpet Guild Conference, The U.S. Army Band Tuba-Euphonium Conference and at high schools, universities and conservatories throughout the United States and around the world.

SFC Terry Bingham came to The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in 1994 and assumed the position of principal trumpet in the Concert Band and Orchestra in 2010. He is also first trumpet with The U.S. Army Brass Quintet and has enjoyed a diverse career as a member of "Pershing's Own," performing with the Army Blues, Swamp Romp and The U.S. Army Band DownRange, with whom he toured Kuwait, Iraq and Afghanistan as part of the Sergeant Major of the Army's Hope and Freedom Tour 2010. He is a true part of the rich heritage of "Pershing's Own," having followed the footsteps of his mother and father, who both served in the unit. He is the father to three wonderful children, and he has enjoyed a varied career as a trumpeter, performing with the Baltimore Symphony, John Williams, Usher, Bono, the late Ray Charles and Frank Sinatra, Jr., among others.

## The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble Director: David Coash

David Coash, D.M.A., has been a member of The Florida Orchestra since 1978. He earned degrees from the University of Michigan (D.M.A.), Northwestern University (M.M.) and the University of South Florida (B.A. music/B.A. music education). He is the principal percussionist with Opera Saratoga and co-founded Spectrum Contemporary Ensemble. He has been a member of the Brass Band of Battle Creek since 1994. He has performed with the London Symphony and the Detroit Symphony. He has been a member of the faculty at Florida Southern College in Lakeland, Fla., and The University of Tampa. He has performed numerous recitals and educational performances in Florida and around the United States. He has worked at both the district and state levels for FBA since 1986. In 2002, he served as a panelist for the Solo & Ensemble Adjudication Clinic presented at the FMEA convention.

John Shaw has been the principal percussionist with The Florida Orchestra since 1996 and a member of the orchestra's percussion section since 1992. He earned degrees from Florida State University (B.M.) and Temple University (M.M.). He has been featured as a soloist with The Florida Orchestra many times, performing the *Concerto for Percussion* by Joseph

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Schwantner, Concerto for Two Pianos and Percussion by Bela Bartók and Veni, Veni, Emmanuel by James MacMillan. His eightmember steel drum band, the Tampa Bay Steel Orchestra, was twice featured with The Florida Orchestra as part of the orchestra's pops series. He has been on

the faculty at St. Petersburg College since 1996. He is the principal percussionist with the Eastern Music Festival and has been with the festival since 2008. He is the vice president of the Florida chapter of the Percussive Arts Society, and he presented a master class on orchestral per-



cussion at the society's 2010 International Convention.

Kurt Grissom joined The Florida Orchestra in 1984 under then Music Director Irwin Hoffman. He graduated high school from the Interlochen Arts Academy in Michigan in 1979 and did his undergraduate studies at the University of South Florida, New England Conservatory of Music and The University of Tampa (B.M., 1985). He was a Florida Gulf Coast Symphony Young Artist Concerto winner in 1977, attended the Tanglewood Music Festival on a fellowship in 1987 and has performed

with the Boston Symphony Orchestra under Seiji Ozawa and Leonard Bernstein, as well as with the Naples, Jacksonville and Orlando orchestras of Florida. He also held the position of personnel manager of The Florida Orchestra from 1991 to 1999. 

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#### Thursday, January 10, 2013

#### **Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble**

12:20 p.m. – 12:40 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, East Hall FMEA Exhibits Grand Opening Director: Doug Moser



The Wharton High

School Percussion Ensemble, under the direction of Doug Moser, performs a wide variety of music for percussion, including modern and new music, classical transcriptions, world and cultural music, as well as pop and jazz arrangements. The ensemble performed at the 2009 and 2011 McCormick Marimba Festival at the University of South Florida and was featured at the 2011 FMEA Conference. Most recently, the ensemble was invited to perform at the 2012 Florida Percussive Arts Society Day of Percussion, hosted by USF Professor Bob McCormick. The Wharton Regiment Drumline is also known for consistently earning top honors at several marching festivals across Florida. Members of the ensemble have participated in the Florida State Solo & Ensemble Festival, Florida All-State Concert Bands, Yamaha Sounds of Summer camps, USF Festival of Winds and numerous area honor bands. The percussion ensemble also hosts an annual Spring Percussion Concert each school year.

Doug Moser is the marching percussion director and arranger for the USF Herd of Thunder Marching Band and the director of the WGI World Championship finalist BRAHMA Percussion Ensemble. He is the assistant director of bands and orchestras at Wharton High School in Tampa, Fla., where he also teaches classes for piano and guitar. He is a graduate of Rollins College and received the M.M. in percussion performance from the University of South Florida. He has performed with the Florida West Coast Symphony (Sarasota Orchestra), Southwest Florida Symphony, Florida Wind Band, Brass Band of Central Florida, Space Coast Pops, Messiah Choral Society of Orlando and Bach Festival Orchestra of Winter Park. He is co-author of *Masterworks for Mallets*, published by Rowl-Off Publications, and can be

heard on several recordings with the McCormick Percussion Group on the Ravello and Capstone labels.

#### University of North Florida Jazz Collective

# I:30 p.m. – 2 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Director: Lynne Arriale

The University of North Florida Jazz Collective represents the new breed of young musicians, steeped in tradition and forwardlooking, incorporating diverse influences including free improvisation,



pop, rock, Latin, Middle Eastern and Brazilian music, with a strong emphasis on group interaction. Each member brings professional experience and musical vision to bring forth a unique ensemble sound, infused with passion and creativity.

Pianist/composer Lynne Arriale has performed internationally on concert and festival stages over the past 20 years. She has recorded 13 CDs as a leader; won the Great American Piano Competition; toured Japan with 100 Golden Fingers (Tommy Flanagan, Hank Jones, Monty Alexander, Cedar Walton and Kenny Barron); and has performed and/or recorded with Benny Golson, Randy Brecker and George Mraz. Her recordings have topped the national jazz radio charts and "Best Of" lists; other national and international media include PBS, NPR, Billboard, DownBeat, JazzTimes and cover stories for JazzEd, One Way and M Magazine. She is associate professor of jazz studies at the University of North Florida.

#### University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble 4 p.m. – 5 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Director: Scott Tobias

The UCF Wind Ensemble is the premier performance ensemble of the University of Central Florida's bands program. Composed of the finest wind and percussion students at the





University of Central Florida, the UCF Wind Ensemble presents numerous concerts each year consisting of a variety of repertoire ranging from classic band compositions to new literature for the wind band medium. In recent years, the UCF Wind Ensemble has performed for the American School Band Directors Association's national convention and has worked with noted composers such as Karel Husa and Guy Woolfenden. In May 2013, the ensemble will embark on a seven-day performance tour of London, England.

Scott C. Tobias, D.M.A., is the director of bands and assistant professor of music at the University of Central Florida. His responsibilities include conducting the Wind Ensemble, teaching courses in conducting and music education and providing administrative leadership for the UCF Bands program. He previously served as associate director of bands at Appalachian State University as well as director of bands at Sumter High School in Sumter, S.C., and at Central High School in Macon, Ga.

## Performing Ensembles Friday, January 11, 2013

Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Director:



#### Christopher Perez

This year's Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra consists of 32 members and is part of the FHS Guitar Program with more than 190 students and three beginner guitar classes and three guitar ensembles, including the Intermediate Guitar Ensemble, the Advanced Guitar Ensemble and the Guitar Orchestra. The FHS Guitar Program is pleased and very excited to announce

that the FHS Guitar Orchestra has been invited to perform in concert at the 21st annual Long Island Guitar Festival in New York in March 2013. The FHS Guitar Program is proud to represent Florida and perform at this prestigious international guitar festival.

Christopher Perez is a graduate from Western Illinois University and teaches at Freedom High School in Orlando, Fla., directing the guitar program and electronic music. He is a member of FBA, NAfME and FMEA. His music is published with Drop6 Media, and he has several arrangements on the FBA State Music List. He serves on the FMEA General Music committee and is the Orange County Public Schools' guitar chairman. He is a percussionist and section leader with the Southern Winds Concert Band and also with the WDW "ENCORE! Cast Performing Arts."

## The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet 9:15 p.m. – 10:15 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

#### **Director: Terry Bingham**

Since its inception in 1972, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has gained a reputation as one of the most highly respected and sought-after groups of its kind. The ensemble has appeared before audiences and dignitaries in 48 states and 14 countries. An element of The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" in Washington, D.C., The U.S. Army Brass Quintet has performed at the White House, presidential inaugurations and official state ceremonies in the nation's capital. It has been selected repeatedly as the first ensemble to honor new presidents with the traditional *Hail to the Chief* on live national broadcasts. In addition, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet frequently provides musical support for special events hosted by the secretary of defense, the secretary of the army and the army chief of staff, as well as for ceremonies supporting the Military District of Washington.

See second general session for director's biography.





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**Tampa Convention Center, Lobby Stage** 

### Thursday, January 10, 2013

### Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble

Director: John Wicker 12:50 p.m. – 1:25 p.m.

Miami Country Day School's Contemporary Music Ensemble is an ensemble composed of both vocal and instrumental

music students. The group performs music in all styles: classical, rock, folk and jazz. The ensemble has performed all over the state of Florida during its two-year existence and is a favorite in Vero



Beach, Fla., where it performed high-profile gigs in front of thousands of spectators in 2012. The rhythm section of this group received a superior rating at district and at state in 2012 as a jazz combo.

A native of Florida, John Wicker studied with Col. Gilbert Mitchell, solo cornet with The U.S. Army Band. He is a music graduate of the University of Miami (Fla.). He studied under Gil Johnson, principal trumpet with the Philadelphia Orchestra, and Harry Glantz, principal trumpet of the New York Philharmonic/NBC Orchestra. He has earned Teacher of the Year on two occasions. A member of FVA, FBA, FMEA and district chairman of FOA, he is chairman of the Music Department at Miami Country Day School.

# Southwest Middle School Singers Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac 3 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

The Southwest Middle School Singers is a dynamic group of girls with lots of heart. The chorus consists of 28 seventh and eighth grade girls who show dedication, ability and class. They meet before school every day. They perform all around Orlando, Fla., including appearances at children's hospitals, nursing homes, theme parks and community events. This ensemble has consistently received superior ratings in choral and special category at district music performance assessments.

Rebecca Gregorio Hammac directed choral and orchestral studies at Neptune Middle School in Osceola County, Fla., for two years before becoming the choral director at Southwest



Middle School. Her choruses have received straight superior ratings at FVA Choral MPAs for the past seven years. She is also the recipient of the FMEA Emerging Leader Award for 2006-2009. She is a graduate of Loyola University New Orleans, School of Music. She is an active member of FMEA, NAfME, FVA and ACDA. She is the past FVA District 8 chairwoman and FVA clinic chairwoman and is an active clinician, adjudicator and conductor.

# Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble Director: Brian P. Dell

5 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

The Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble was formed in 2006, and since its inception, this ensemble has performed at the 2007 Music for All National Percussion Festival in Indianapolis, Ind., the 2008 and 2010 FMEA Conference, the 2012 PAS Florida Day of Percussion, the 2007, 2010 and 2012 USF Magic Marimba Festival and the FBA District and State Solo & Ensemble assessments.

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Brian P. Dell was appointed director of bands at Gaither High School in Tampa, Fla., in 2004 and the fine arts department chairman in 2010. He is responsible for two concert bands, two jazz bands, percussion and chamber ensembles, AP Music Theory and the Marching Cowboys. Prior teaching experience includes Leon High School and Fairview Middle School, both in Tallahassee, Fla., from 1998 to 2002. He has served the FBA as the District 7 chairman from 2008 to 2012, and he is the coordinator for the All-State Concert Band. He is the state chairman for the National Band Association. He earned the M.M. in wind conducting/percussion from LSU and the B.M.E. from FSU. He is a member of FMEA, FBA, NAfME, CBDNA, NBA, PAS and Phi Mu Alpha.

### Friday, January 11, 2013

Sebastian
River High
School
Caribbean
Steel Drum
Ensemble
Director: Sara
Gover DiPardo



### 10:30 a.m. - II a.m.

The Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble has been in existence at Sebastian High School since 2007. The Steel Drum Ensemble offers a unique musical experience to its members. Students are exposed to a variety of musical genres including but not limited to reggae, Latin, calypso, soca, jazz and pop. The Steel Drum Ensemble is part of the band curriculum and meets during the school day. It performs at the fall and spring concerts in addition to regular performances throughout the community.

Sara Gover DiPardo is from Vero Beach, Fla., where she graduated from Vero Beach High School. She went on to earn the B.M.E. and the M.M.E. from Florida State University's College of Music. In 2011, she was appointed associate director of bands at Sebastian River High School. Prior to her current appointment, she was director of bands from 2007 to 2011 at Bell Middle/High School in Bell, Fla.

### St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys Director: Scott Baumer 12 noon – 12:30 p.m.

The Harps and Keys group is made up of three piano players and two harp players. The group was started at the beginning of the 2011 school year when Mrs. Nugent, the classroom music



teacher at St. Luke's, discovered a number of talented piano players in her fourth grade music classes. Mr. Baumer, the school's instrumental director, had started several harp players in third grade, and they were now ready to perform in the school's harp

ensemble as fourth graders. Harps and Keys brings these talented students together.

Scott Baumer graduated from the University of South Florida in 1974 and has been teaching in Florida schools ever since. The last 31 years have been spent at St. Luke's Lutheran School in Oviedo, Fla., developing the instrumental music program for the church and school.

### tallaBRASSee Director: William Haugeberg I:30 p.m. – 2 p.m.

tallaBRASSee is a professional brass quintet based in the Tallahassee, Fla., area and originally formed at Florida State University. The quintet regularly performs in and



outside of the Tallahassee area and participates in competitions across the country. tallaBRASSee performs a broad repertoire of music, but its main focus is performing original brass quintet repertoire. As an ensemble, tallaBRASSee is equally committed to excellence in both performance and music education.

Aaron Witek (trumpet) is a doctoral candidate at Florida State University. John Powlison (trumpet) is earning his master's degree at Florida State University. Rebecca Chambers (horn) is a doctoral candidate at Florida State University. Bill Haugeberg (trombone) teaches low brass at Albany State University (Ga.). Daniel Rowland (tuba) teaches tuba and euphonium at Valdosta State University.



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Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 Friday, Jan. 25, 2013 Saturday, Feb. 16, 2013 Saturday, Mar. 9, 2013







# 2013 Conference Schedule 2013 Conference Schedule WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2013



8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FOA Adjudicator Certification Seminar**

Coordinator: Lee Stone

This training is for those interested in being certified to adjudicate concert MPA. This seminar is also for current certified adjudicators who need to renew their certification. The qualifications for becoming an FOA certified adjudicator are as follows: minimum of three years of teaching experience in Florida; certified teacher currently teaching orchestra at a Florida school; current full membership in NAfME and FOA; must have received a superior rating at district MPA at least three of the past five years.

Waterside, Meeting Room 2

9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FBA Adjudication Training Seminar**

Presenter: Kenneth Williams Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for approved candidates.

TCC, 5

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### **FBA Recertification Seminar**

Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for qualified FBA adjudicators.

TCC, 9

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### **FVA Adjudicator Recertification**

Coordinator: Dale Choate
Waterside, Meeting Room 4





10 a.m. - 12 noon

### **FMEA Board of Directors Meeting**

Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: Kathleen Sanz

TCC. 3

10:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

1 p.m. - 2 p.m.

# FMEA PRE-CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION

### Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment - Where Are We and Where Are We Going?

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert, Don West Coordinator: Beth Cummings

This session will provide an overview of the progress in Year 1 as well as the vision for Years 2 and 3 of the

Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment.

TCC, 18

1 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FVA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

TCC, 3

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

### FVA Executive Board Committee Meetings

Coordinator: Brad Franks

TCC, 34

1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

### **FBA Classification Meeting**

Coordinator: Brian P. Dell Waterside, Meeting Room 1

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FBA Auxiliary Adjudication Seminar**

Coordinator: Bill Reinecke

This seminar is provided by the FBA Adjudication committee for approved candidates in the area of auxiliaries.

TCC, 9

1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

### **FMEA Student Leadership Workshop**

Presenters: Kevin Ford, Fran Kick

Coordinator: Kevin Ford

The Florida Music Educators' Association is pleased to present the third annual Student Leadership Workshop.

TCC, West Hall

2 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

# New and New to Florida Teacher Pre-Conference Sessions

Presenter: Beth Cummings Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Join a group of FMEA Emerging Leaders and gain valuable insights into FMEA, teaching music in Florida and networking with other music teachers. Topics to be focused on during this "center" driven format will include:

### How To!:

- 1. How to navigate the FMEA clinic
- 2. How to navigate administrators
- 3. How to navigate parents

### **MPA Process:**

- 1. What is the process? (component specific)
- 2. What is the process for good literature selection?
- 3. What are sight-reading do's and don'ts?

### First-Year Planning vs. Surviving:

- 1. Unpacking the NGSSS
- 2. Understanding course descriptions
- 3. Lesson planning

### Management:

- 1. Routines
- 2. Procedures
- 3. Handbooks
- 4. Grading
- 5. Discipline

TCC, 15

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

# How to Begin to Prepare for Assessments in Music by Unpacking the NGSSS

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert

Coordinator: Beth Cummings

How to begin to prepare for assessments in music by unpacking the NGSSS and taking a sneak peek at details of the Performing Fine Arts Assessment.

TCC, 18

3 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

# All-State Ensemble Coordinators Meeting

Presenter: John K. Southall Coordinator: Valeria Anderson

TCC, 37

4 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FMSA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

TCC, 36

5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, 1

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FBA Committee Meeting 3**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 34

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FBA Professional Resources Meeting**

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 35

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

# FBA Music Performance Assessment Committee Meeting

Coordinator: Linda Mann

TCC, 37

5 p.m. - 6 p.m.

### FBA Committee Meeting 4

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 39

5 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FOA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Donald Langland

TCC, 7

7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

### **FMEA PRESIDENT'S CONCERT**

# Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony

Director: Sterling Frederick

### Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band

Director: Thomas Singletary

### Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra

Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr

Coordinator: John K. Southall

TCC, Ballroom A

8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon TCC, 1

8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.

### **FOA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes

TCC, 7



7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### **Music Across the Curriculum**

Presenter: Jill Gallina Coordinator: Annette Johnson

Administrators and classroom teachers recognize the important contribution that music makes to the curriculum, both as an art form and as a valuable vehicle for interdisciplinary instruction. World music, multicultural chorals, musical games and thematic musicals on topics such as character education, ecology, history, science and reader's theater are just a few of the cross-curricular topics to be shared with attendees in this interactive workshop. Free packets of instructional materials and music will be available. *TCC.* 15

7:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

# FMEA New and New to Florida Teacher Resource Room

Presenter: Beth Cummings
Coordinator: Beth Cummings
Connect with FMEA Emerging Leaders and
component leadership to obtain resources and
information to help you throughout your year!
TCC, 17

7:45 a.m. - 10 a.m.

# FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Anita Travaglino
TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

8 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### **FVA Executive Board Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

TCC, 3

8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### Meet the All-State Conductors

Presenters: Bobby Adams, Robert W. Rumbelow Coordinator: Richard Davenport
Meet Bobby Adams, conductor of the All-State
Symphonic Band, and Robert W. Rumbelow,
conductor of the All-State Concert Band.
TCC, 1

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### **FMEA Emerging Leaders**

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Judy Bowers TCC. 10

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### All Jazzed Up About Orff

Presenter: Katie Carlisle Coordinator: Debbie Fahmie

This workshop serves the dual purpose of introducing New Orleans Dixieland music and integrating this jazz styling into an Orff methodological approach. It will explore ways of applying jazz and improvisation within the contexts of upper elementary (third to fifth grade) and middle school (sixth to eighth grade) in comfortable ways that meet the learning needs and experiences of the participants.

TCC, 11

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### Ride the Waves – Incorporating Sound Energy Experiments Into the General Elementary Music Class

Presenter: Paul McLaughlin
Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski
In this hands-on, information-packed session,
teachers will learn how to use items already in the
music room and the household, as well as purchased
items, to integrate science into the general music
classroom. Participants will use Boomwhackers,
oscilloscopes, tuning forks, etc., to complete a
variety of sound energy experiments that have been
successfully kid tested, kindergarten through fifth
grade. Use these experiments Monday morning!
TCC. 13

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

# Words to Rhythms – A Natural Collaboration

Presenter: Christine Hill Coordinator: Karen Van Beek

They want me to teach reading? Wait a minute—I already do! This session will offer activities for the general music classroom music specialist to include reading fluency to teach rhythms without compromising the music curriculum. Participants will be involved in songs and activities that will demonstrate a process for using words—any words—to create rhythm patterns. Everyone attending this session will leave with songs and activities they can use on Monday when returning to their classrooms.

TCC, 15

9 a.m. - 10 a.m.

# FMEA All-State Student Leadership Workshop

Presenters: Kevin Ford, Fran Kick Coordinator: Scott Houchins

This session is required attendance for the All-State Reading Chorus and the All-State Concert Chorus members. It is open to other students as well as to chaperons and directors.

TCC, West Hall

10:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

# FMEA FIRST GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION

# Florida Gulf Coast University – Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

Director: Trent R. Brown

# University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra

Director: William W. Wiedrich

### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty

Director: J.B. Scott Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: John K. Southall

The FMEA First General Session will feature the Florida Gulf Coast University – Bower School of Music Chamber Choir, the University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra and the University of North Florida Jazz Faculty.

TCC, Ballroom A

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski

Looking to purchase new curriculum, but not sure if it will be worth your investment? Come peruse tried-and-true favorite resources recommended by successful elementary music educators from across the state.

TCC, 1

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

# FEMEA Elementary Music Curriculum Fair

Coordinator: Julie Hebert

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

# FEMEA All-State Elementary Chorus Registration

Coordinator: Robert Todd

TCC, West Hall





12:20 p.m. - 12:40 p.m.

### **FMEA EXHIBITS GRAND OPENING**

**Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble** 

Directors: Jason Algair, Doug Moser Coordinator: Dominick Eggen

TCC, East Hall

12:30 p.m. - 1 p.m.

### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

### **All-State Guitar Ensemble**

Conductor: Stephen Robinson Coordinator: Edward Prasse

TCC, 20

12:30 p.m. - 6 p.m.

### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith TCC, East Hall

12:50 p.m. - 1:25 p.m.

### **MINI-CONCERT**

# Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble

Director: John Wicker Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Living Literature Project Development of Original Performance Pieces Using Children's Literature

Presenter: Angelyn Hirai
Coordinator: Rachel Robertson
Inspire your creative spirit! See how elementary
art and music teachers collaborated to perform
The Lorax by Dr. Seuss and Anasi the Spider by
Gerald McDermott and transformed third grade math
standards into musical productions. Come explore
compositional techniques, strategies for making costeffective props and costumes and how to make the

TCC, 10

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Percussion Games and Activities for Elementary Classrooms

most out of your performance space.

Presenter: Steve Campbell Coordinator: Sandy Maye

Enhance your music program with a new set of percussion games and activities for your elementary classroom. This hands-on, interactive session will cover four categories of percussion-based exercises: beginning activities, creative activities, leadership activities and assessment activities. These will

encourage students to play accurately, explore their creative ideas and build leadership skills and will enable teachers to assess students' proficiency. Resource materials will be provided (K-6).

TCC. 11

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Making Each Minute Count – "If I Don't Have the Time to Teach It Right, How Will I Ever Find the Time to Teach It Over?"

Presenter: Cheryl Lavender Coordinator: John Deir

This session will explore general music classroom activities, games, strategies, tips and techniques that reinforce the learning of music concepts while creating an atmosphere of camaraderie and joy. *TCC*, 13

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### The World Music Drumming Curriculum: An Interdisciplinary Co-Curricular Approach to Music Education

Presenter: James Mader Coordinator: Sara DiPardo

In this session participants will develop a better understanding of how the world music drumming curriculum develops language arts, science, social studies, math and reading skills. This is a hands-on session with participants performing the ensembles that develop the aforementioned skills. This will give the participants a student's perspective of student-centered learning. This session is for elementary, middle and high school teachers, as well as professors of music education. What should music education look like? What should music education be like? What should music education do?

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

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# Chamber Winds in the High School Band: What, Why, When and How

Presenter: Colbert Howell Coordinator: Joshua Sall

The chamber wind ensemble is a beneficial element of a high school band program that is often overlooked. This clinic will discuss what a chamber wind ensemble is, why these ensembles should be included as a part of a high school band and how to implement or start a chamber wind ensemble. Chamber wind repertoire appropriate for high school groups will be discussed. There will also be video and audio demonstrations of these ensembles.

TCC, 17

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Successful Tips for the High School Band Director

Presenter: Shelby R. Chipman Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will include tips for starting a beginning

band at the high school level.

TCC, 18

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Choral Diction – Achieving Ensemble With a "Sound" Approach

Presenter: Constantina Tsolainou Coordinator: Barbara Kingman

This session will address the sounds of various languages and how they are produced. We will also discuss how they are articulated in various musical styles. Rules for English, Latin, Italian, German and French will be included.

TCC, 20

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Playing in Balance**

Presenter: Mimi Zweig Coordinator: Julie Nelson

Playing in balance is crucial to the freedom of movement necessary in string playing. This lecture will review the principles of balance and suggest ways to find the ideal dynamic relationship between body and instrument.

TCC, 3

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Mixing It Up: Sound Systems and Applications

Presenter: Michael Vetter Coordinator: David Williams

Have you ever wondered why there are so many different microphones? What is the difference between a dynamic microphone and a capacitor microphone? Which microphone is best for your situation, whether it is a band, a choral group or a vocal solo? This presentation will give practical examples of different microphones and speakers. Placement and sound design will also be discussed.

TCC, 31



1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Scoring Music for Film**

Presenter: Dennis Vincent Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

This session will discuss how to identify the essentials of a film, work with a director, prepare temp tracks and compose music for film.

TCC, 36

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# A 12-Step Program for Preparing a Research Proposal

Presenter: Stephen Zdzinski Coordinator: Tami Williams

Beginning researchers can have difficulty figuring out where to start a research project and how to create a credible research proposal. A systematic 12-step approach to proposal writing that fits a variety of research situations will be presented. The use of literature in the various chapters (introduction, review of literature and method) will be presented, as well as the functions of various chapters, through a question and answer approach.

TCC, 37

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# The Collaborative Music Department: Redefining Success

Presenters: Jason Locker, Jon Sever Coordinator: Elizabeth Phillips

How do we measure success in our programs? Discover common-sense strategies for using resources within the school and community to achieve musical moments that will outlast any competitive victory.

TCC, 5

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### The Incomplete Curriculum

Presenters: Kevin Albright, Cynthia Johnson Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

This session will introduce music educators to an innovative curriculum website, "The Incomplete Curriculum," that unwraps the Next Generation Standards in a unique and user-friendly fashion.

TCC, 7

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

## Fix It, We'll Show You How! Resurrect Your Percussion Now!

Presenter: Sandy Lantz
Coordinator: Stephen Forsythe
Come learn to salvage your old classroom
instruments on a shoestring budget. Repair
demonstrations will include Orff barred instruments
(pins and tubing), mallets and a variety of small
unpitched percussion.

TCC, 9

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m. **CONCERT** 

### **University of North Florida Jazz Collective**

Director: Lynne Arriale Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC, Ballroom A

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Warm-Ups for Guitar: Advancing Your Students' Sound and Technique

Presenter: Christopher Perez Coordinator: Kimberly Annis

Aimed for any guitar teacher, this clinic will offer detailed information on using several types of warm-ups. Examples of different scale books and warm-up methods will be used and tied into developing your students' reading ability, musicality, sound/ tone production and technical facility. Guitars will be provided for the session.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

2 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### CONCERT

# Polk County Schools All-County Piano Concert and Demonstration

Director: Beth Cummings Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Come and hear this unique all-county event and

learn how to start one in your area!

TCC, Ballroom D

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Student LEADerSHIP

Presenter: Jeremy D. Klein Coordinator: William Molineaux

Student leadership is an important element in any school setting. Creating an environment and opportunities for students to demonstrate their skills ultimately gives students more ownership of their music program. Through their ownership, students begin to feel empowered, which helps with the overall success of all they are involved in. LEADerSHIP will provide the tools necessary to promote student leadership through motivation, open communication, collaboration, respect and responsibility.

TCC, 10

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# District MPA Sight-Reading: Preparation in the Classroom = Less Sight-Reading Room Stress for You and Your Students

Presenter: Ree Nathan

Coordinator: Rebeccah Gregorio Hammac

This session will provide do's and don'ts as well as classroom practices to ensure a less stressed sight-reading room experience for you and your students.

TCC, 11

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### On the Road to Nashville: Cultivating Elementary Songwriters

Presenters: Iran Garcia, Kathleen Kerstetter Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

Need options and tools for leading a class through the creative process of songwriting? Even our youngest students are able to express themselves through words and music, to create a community environment and to feel musical ownership.

This workshop will explore musical elements of songwriting and creative approaches to musical composition, lyric writing and style appropriate for young musicians.

TCC, 13

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### **How to Assess Without the Stress**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

Participate in hands-on, kid-tested lessons that lend themselves to student assessment based upon the standards. Ideas will include strategies to evaluate students' progress without causing teacher/student

(Session repeats at 4 p.m.)

TCC, 15

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Middle and High School Flute and Piccolo Technique

Presenter: Nora Lee Garcia Coordinator: Fred Schiff

This session will address teaching middle and high school flute and piccolo players how to improve their sound and techniques.

TCC, 17

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Preparing for FBA State Solo & Ensemble MPA

Presenters: Ann Adams, Lynn Musco Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will discuss and demonstrate rehearsal techniques for preparing students to perform solo and chamber music. The focus of this clinic will be





to raise the awareness of artistry and creativity in developing musicianship and musical independence with students of all levels. This session will identify concepts that support artistic thinking as well as practical techniques to inspire, identify and build upon artistry at any stage of development. Topics to be addressed will include the evaluation form for MPA found on the FBA adjudicator's comment sheet for FBA State Solo & Ensemble, to include: performance fundamentals, technical accuracy, musical effect, stage presence, discipline, posture, strong points, weak points and appropriate literature selection.

TCC, 18

### 2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. Who Stole the Cookie From the Cookie Jar?

Presenter: Sterling Frederick Coordinator: Jamie Byran

This session will focus on techniques on how to become one of the most popular organizations on your campus. Sterling Frederick will discuss the importance of having passion and discipline and teaching life skills to students. You will learn to use these skills to build numbers and positive relationships with your students.

TCC, 20

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### StringSpeak for the Non-String Player

Presenter: David Eccles Coordinator: Lisa Hopko

From evaluating and selecting instruments to bowings, this session will help those without a string background establish and maintain a thriving string program.

TCC, 3

TCC, 31

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### MOODLE for Your Noodle: Increased Comprehension Through eLearning

Presenter: Charlotte Brasell Coordinator: David Williams

Tired of reteaching instead of reviewing due to instructional time constraints? Come explore ways to use free online software (MOODLE) to reinforce concepts taught in class and also provide common core reading and math standard integration opportunities. This session will share proven strategies that allow students to extend musical learning into the regular classroom setting.

Presenter: Andy Blanco Coordinator: Rachel Sensenig This clinic will follow the making of the reed from

**Reed and Mouthpiece Mechanics** 

the growing of the cane to the packaging of the reed. Through this presentation, most of the popular myths associated with reeds will be addressed. A mouthpiece overview will follow, showing exactly how clarinet and saxophone mouthpieces are made. Information on how to select the proper mouthpiece for students or budding professionals will also be presented.

TCC, 36

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### **Adapting for Students With Disabilities** in the Instrumental Ensemble

Presenters: Julie Heath, Shaun R. Popp, Charlie Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

Participating in performance groups is an important part of students' music education. All students deserve the opportunity to make music and to play with others. A panel of instrumental music educators will share successful strategies for inclusion as

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well as their personal experiences in working with students who have various physical, sensory and cognitive challenges.

TCC, 37

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Greasing the Skids of the Mind: Musical Training and Cognitive Performance

Presenter: Jennifer A. Bugos Coordinator: Gerald Armbrister

Music programs contribute to musicianship and overall cognitive development. This presentation will provide data to clarify music's role in cognitive development, to evaluate how music prepares the mind for learning and to contribute to advocacy initiatives. Implications in the form of strategies and approaches regarding structural features that music programs need to maximize benefits for general cognitive development serve as a prescription for the application of this research to practice.

TCC, 39

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. **Legendary Florida** 

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

"Legendary Florida" is a cross-curricular project featuring the paintings of Florida artist Jackson Walker, set to music by Florida composer Robert Kerr. In this session, audience members will experience a sampling of selected movements of the work and samples of the artwork, along with descriptions of each. The purpose of this workshop is to offer "Legendary Florida" to schools throughout Florida as a curricular enhancement as well as a unique performance opportunity.

TCC, 5

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Tone Deafness and Other Myths

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Singing is one of the earliest developing and most fundamental musical skills. Despite its importance, we don't know as much as we should about how accurate singing develops and, more important, why it never develops for some children. Though research on "tone deafness" and "monotone singers" has been happening for decades, a clear picture of the problems of inaccurate singing has yet to emerge. Recently, a number of researchers from music education, psychology and neuroscience have begun to explore systematically the prevalence of accurate singing in the general population. They have also started to identify possible perceptual, motor

and neurological causes for inaccurate singing. This research has direct implications for how teachers identify and remediate inaccurate singing.

TCC. 7

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Making It Happen!

Presenter: Gordon R. Brock Coordinator: Daniel Lee

How do we make something happen when it seems there are insurmountable odds against it? Every educator is familiar with this feeling and has certainly grappled with the challenges. This session will offer a brief and entertaining perspective on concepts that have inspired Gordon Brock to be a better teacher. **TCC. 9** 

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Uncovering the Mysteries of the Fretboard

Presenter: Robert Phillips Coordinator: Ana Conner

The guitar fretboard can be daunting for the non-guitarist who is teaching classroom guitar. Students frequently play the right notes but miss the musical intent by playing them in the wrong place, and the non-guitarist teacher is often at a loss as to what needs to be changed or how to do it. This hands-on session will give the participants the technical tools needed to identify and address this issue. Guitars will be provided for use during the session. Limited to 20 participants.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# **Effective Strategies for Improving Tone** in Your Flute Section

Presenter: Kathleen Melago Coordinator: Michael Weintraub

In this session, participants will be exposed to basic principles and hints for guiding their students, as individuals or in groups, to improved flute tone, whether the students are advanced or beginners. Participants will have the opportunity to gain knowledge as regards defining good flute tone, setting the stage for successful flute playing, developing flute tone in all registers, troubleshooting flute tone problems and helping advanced flutists take tone development to the next level.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Jazz Rehearsal Game Plan

Presenter: Dean Sorenson Coordinator: Joshua Sall

The best jazz rehearsals balance ensemble work, improvisation and the rhythm section. Making all of this happen in a short time period, often outside of the school day, requires a focused and organized approach. This clinic will offer a fresh look at the rehearsal and share strategies and techniques that can be applied to ensembles of all ability levels.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Text-Reading Strategies: Practical Application in Secondary Ensembles

Presenter: Wendy Barden Coordinator: Traci Dixon Fuller

Decoding, vocabulary, fluency and comprehension. Support schoolwide reading across the curriculum initiatives in a meaningful way. Better yet! Connect and capitalize on these text-reading strategies to improve music literacy and performance in secondary bands, choirs and orchestras. Participants will take away practical ideas they can use immediately in their ensemble rehearsals.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

### **MINI-CONCERT**

### **Southwest Middle School Singers**

Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Pedagogy to Performance**

Presenter: Michael Roberts Coordinator: John Deir

Performance ideas derived from classroom curriculum will be modeled. Teachers will explore exciting performance designs that are informative and used within a creative classroom framework that models creativity derived from students. Experience canons in movement, instrument and voice, evolving from classical music that students can appreciate, in an elemental format. Strategies to coach but not dictate the creative process will be modeled.

TCC, 10





4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### The World Music Drumming Curriculum for the Middle and High School Years

Presenter: James Mader Coordinator: Sara DiPardo

This session will address the growing need for middle and high school band and choral directors to teach a wheel class or a general music class. It will also demonstrate how to capture the other 80 percent NOT in your music program. In this handson session, participants will learn and perform ensembles that are appropriate for the middle and high school years that entice students to learn music and develop their learning skills, all the while enriching the music program. What should music education look like? What should music education be like? What should music education do?

TCC. 11

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### The Singing Voice: Our Primary Instrument

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

Regardless of what pedagogical foundation you use in your elementary music classroom, the singing voice remains the primary instrument. Together we will examine lessons that integrate music literacy. folk dance, creative movement and Orff instruments, all the while keeping the focus on cultivating good singing.

TCC, 13

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **How to Assess Without the Stress**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg Coordinator: Rosemary Pilonero

Participate in hands-on, kid-tested lessons that lend themselves to student assessment based upon the standards. Ideas will include strategies to evaluate students' progress without causing teacher/student stress!

(Repeated session)

TCC, 15

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### LMAO: Teaching the 21st Century **High School Singer**

Presenter: Denise R. Eaton Coordinator: Tori Bunke

Your students will love choir if the musical choices you offer are age appropriate and provide opportunities for learning, skill development and FUN!

TCC, 17

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Solid Foundations for Clarinet

Presenters: Garv Bottomlev. Kathleen Kinion. James Matthews, Jennifer Zahn

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This clinic will be a panel of clarinet teachers working with basic fundamentals and problems of beginning clarinet players. Learn these tricks to help your clarinets make outstanding progress.

TCC, 18

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Have No Fear, Read It First Here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB

Presenter: Cara Tasher Coordinator: Heather Bice

SSA reading session with music packets.

TCC, 20

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Culturally Responsive Teaching in the Orchestra Classroom

Presenter: Rebecca MacLeod Coordinator: Kate Zeng

Cultural background influences how students interact with others, process information and form ideas. This session will explore the specific ways that culture impacts students' learning and will provide culturally responsive teaching strategies that improve the effectiveness of instruction for all students.

TCC, 3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Doing More With Your SMART Board

Presenter: Carol Carstensen Coordinator: David Williams

Have you learned the basics of your SMART Board, but really want to find creative ways to use it? How many times have you wished for the opportunity to learn more about your SMART Board? This session will give you ideas that you may not have thought of and fun ways to use your SMART Board in your lessons. Ideas will be presented for grades K-12! TCC, 31

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration With General Educators

Presenter: Cathy Benedict Coordinator: Brandon Monse

Music educators have a lot to gain from mindfully integrating their work with the day-to-day planning of general educators. "Value added" is the mantra in teacher evaluation, and music educators must be able to collaborate with, at times educate, and at times learn from, the general teacher. This session will provide information, developed from work with

generalists in a heavily Hispanic program at FIU, on how music specialists can effectively change how generalists view music in their school communities. TCC, 37

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Integrated Movement for String Players**

Presenter: Melissa Kraut Coordinator: Joanna Sell

This session will explore the importance of body awareness in string playing.

TCC, 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Uncovering Meaning in Voice Change: Esteem, Identity and Transformation**

Presenters: Craig Denison, Maria Denison Coordinator: Melissa Bumbach

Up until adolescence, children, knowingly or not, have a sense of who they are. Part of their selfunderstanding is the voice they have always known. In this session, esteem, identity and transformation of the child voice through adolescence will be discussed.

TCC, 7

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Cellos and Basses Are From Mars, Violins and Violas Are From Venus -**Low Strings Workshop**

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme

Coordinator: Linda Waid

Instruments in the string family might all seem alike, but distinct differences between the upper and lower strings quickly become evident. This session will highlight some of the most important strategies for cello and bass students, including proper setup and instrument hold, using the bow and strategies for great fingerings and left hand position. Understanding what helps cellists and bassists play properly is important for building a great foundation in your string class and orchestra.

TCC, 9

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### CONCERT

### **University of Central Florida Wind** Ensemble

Director: Scott Tobias Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC. Ballroom A



4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Guitar 1 Pedagogy for All**

Presenter: Joe Sandusky Coordinator: Colbert Page Howell, Jr.

This presentation is for individuals wanting to improve their guitar program. The presenter will address proper techniques for both plectrum (pick) and fingerstyle approach, as well as the pros and cons to each; how to engage your students and incorporate various styles of music; and what you should know to produce a musical guitar ensemble. By the end of the session, you should feel ready to take on a guitar class or to improve your current class.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# A New Approach in Secondary Music Theory Instruction

Presenter: Alyssa Kassler
Coordinator: Jimmy Higginbotham
How can classroom teachers ensure students'
comprehension of music theory knowledge? Music
learning theory concepts applied in a secondary
classroom assist development of aural skills,
improvisation, literacy, creativity and learning with
understanding. This session will provide "ears-on"
tools for teachers to teach, measure and assess
students' understanding in music theory or in the
general music classroom. Come ready to sing!

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Jazz Improvisation for Band Directors**

Presenter: Al Hager Coordinator: Rob Lambert

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

Teaching improvisation can be a daunting task. This clinic will give practical information and ideas for the average middle or high school band director.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# Delivering a Quality 21st Century Music Education in the New Global Economy

Presenter: Alvin Davis Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

The 2012 Florida Teacher of the Year and National Teacher of the Year finalist, Alvin Davis, will discuss strategies, challenges and rewards of delivering a quality music education.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

### **MINI-CONCERT**

### Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble

Director: Brian P. Dell Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

### FEMEA Districts 1 & 2 Meeting

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 11

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

### FEMEA Districts 6 & 7 Meeting

Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

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5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.

### NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting

Coordinator: Jon Crane

TCC, 20

5:15 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FOA General Membership Meeting**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes

All FOA members are invited and encouraged to attend.

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5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

### **FEMEA District 3 Meeting**

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski TCC. 5

5:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.

### FEMEA Districts 4 & 5 Meeting

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, 7

5:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

### **FVA General Membership Meeting**

Coordinator: Brad Franks

Waterside, Grand Ballroom, Salon A

6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

### **FEMEA General Business Meeting**

Presenter: Lisa Hewitt

Coordinator: April Laymon

The FEMEA General Business Meeting will feature the Westbrooke Elementary Orff Ensemble, composed of selected fourth and fifth grade students. These dedicated musicians meet once a week for 40 minutes before school to play mallet instruments, drums and recorders using the Orff process. Many participate in a summer Orff camp offered by their director, Lisa Hewitt. They perform throughout the year and accompany the Westbrooke Chorus on many occasions.

TCC, 13

6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

### **FBA General Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Richard Davenport

TCC, 18

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

### Florida Gulf Coast University Bower School of Music Chamber Choir

Director: Trent R. Brown Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, Ballroom A

8:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

# University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra

Director: William W. Wiedrich Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, Ballroom A

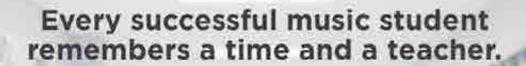
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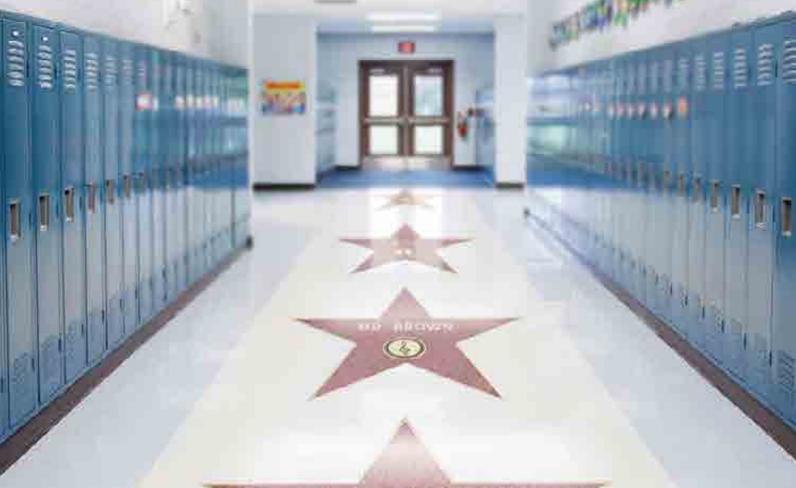
### **UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT**

### University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble 1

### University of North Florida Jazz Faculty

Director: J.B. Scott
Coordinator: Joel Pagan
TCC, Ballroom A





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# FRIDAY, JANUARY II, 2013 FRIDAY

7 a.m. - 8:50 a.m.

### **FMEA Awards Breakfast**

Presenter: Debbie Fahmie Coordinator: Valeria Anderson **TCC. 20** 

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### **Putting Classroom Technology to Work**

Presenter: Bradley L. Bonner Coordinator: Tiffanie Brown

BLB Studios has created more than 150 animated music lessons that encourage interactive, hands-on learning in pre-K through fifth grade music rooms. Projecting these elemental lessons from a DVD player or a computer source, teachers and their substitutes will use up-to-date technology to reach "standards-based" goals. The learning packages are available for hand bells, Boomwhackers, soprano recorders and both pitched and non-pitched percussion instruments.

TCC, 10

# 7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. **DynoDrumming!**

Presenters: Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg Coordinator: Jane Whitaker

DynoDrumming is sure to light your fire and excite you and your elementary music students using hand drums, congas, tubanos and other small unpitched percussion instruments. This session will provide you with clear, standards-based, processed pieces that can be implemented on Monday! The examples will also enable participants and students to create their own ensembles and pieces. Come and join the DynoDrumming!

TCC, 11

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### A Story, A Song and We're Moving Along: Theme-Based Learning in the Early Childhood Music Classroom

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Lu Anne Leone

In preschool, kindergarten and even first grade, young learners often find themselves more engaged and committed to their learning if there is a theme that ties the activities together into a package that

makes sense to the young mind. In this workshop we use picture books to create themes that integrate learning through music and movement. These lessons can easily be used to coordinate with units of study in the general classroom, collaborating with academic disciplines.

TCC, 13

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences

Presenter: Artie Almeida Coordinator: BethAnn Delmar

Enjoy a variety of child-friendly activities that empower students in the areas of rhythm, melody and form. We will sing, move, play and explore ways to make the elements of music come alive for our students. (Session repeats at 11:45 a.m.)

TCC, 15

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

# Music Teacher 2.0: Managing Your Program in the Digital Age

Presenter: Andrew Zweibel Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will take an in-depth look at the wide variety of social media and digital productivity tools that can enhance the management aspect of any music program. The focus of the session will be on the use of these tools for an instrumental music program; however, all the concepts are applicable to a wide variety of disciplines. Specifically, the presenter will discuss the use of Facebook, Twitter, blogging and Evernote, among other tools.

TCC, 17

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

# Achieving an Artistic Vibrato in the String Class

Presenter: Rebecca MacLeod Coordinator: Beth Bichler

This session will review pedagogical literature and compare various approaches that have been used to teach vibrato. Video clips of artist-level performers in real time and slow motion will be presented to outline clearly the component motions of a beautiful vibrato. Practical applications for intermediate and advanced orchestra classrooms will be discussed, as well as the relationship to professional performance practice. **TCC. 3** 

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

# Secondary General Music: Bringing the Content to Life!

Presenter: Seth Pendergast Coordinator: Deitrich Vasquez

This session is for secondary general music teachers (music appreciation, theory, etc.) who are struggling to energize and engage their students. Whether you are teaching AP Music Theory or middle school music appreciation, there are real solutions for transforming an often "dry" curriculum into a rich, hands-on exploration of music. The ideas in this session will encourage teachers to use composition and music technology to engage students, grow their music program and enjoy teaching secondary general music!

TCC, 31

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

# Maximizing Your Marching Band Rehearsal Time

Presenter: Bob Buckner Coordinator: Keith Dodson

This session will present techniques and strategies to help your band's visual program reach the next level of performance. Concentration will be given to movement and marching techniques while maximizing your rehearsal time.

TCC, 36

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

# Music Technology 101: Recording Techniques for the Music Educator

Presenter: Kawachi Clemons Coordinator: Edrick Rhodes

This session will provide music educators with an overview of the digital recording process. Topics will include the basics of sound and production, microphone placement techniques, editing and mixing. The presenters will also cover strategies to eliminate common digital recording mistakes (clipping and distortion). After attending this session, attendees will possess the basic knowledge to produce high-quality ensemble and solo performance recordings.

TCC, 37

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7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

# Crank Up Your Classroom With QuaverMusic.com!

Presenter: Graham Hepburn Coordinator: Chris Burns

Ignite your kids' imagination with a high-energy mix of creativity and 21st century technology! Learn techniques that bring general music concepts to life for today's kids. This session will include improv activities, IWBs, video, online classrooms and Kids Virtual World. All-new session presented by Quaver (Graham Hepburn)!

TCC, 5

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Theory & Ear Training Made Fun: Engaging Students in Individualized Instruction and Assessment

Presenter: Peter Kelly Coordinator: James LeBon

Auralia and Musition offer an exciting way for students to learn and practice theory and ear training while saving you time. With the new Cloud editions, students can practice at home or at school! Easy to install, with no server required, the Cloud makes it easy for your students to practice anytime and anywhere—ideal for auditions and placement tests. Cloud-enabled technology can provide immediate, accurate assessment that helps your students to become better musicians while saving you time. *TCC*, 7

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### Beat for Peace: Engaging At-Risk Students Through the Talking Drum

Presenter: Michelle King Coordinator: Cameron Underwood

Participants will use the Beat for Peace intervention model to learn how collaboration between guidance counselor, classroom teacher and music teacher can empower at-risk students. Participants will experience hands-on learning in the areas of initiating, planning and leading a drum circle. Beat for Peace has a collaborative goal of empowering students who have become disenfranchised with school through their motto "Listen – Focus – Respect."

TCC, 9

7:45 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

### **Guitar Lab: Power Chord Techniques**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this session, attendees will be presented with power chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chord shapes, picking techniques and drills learned) will be specifically

used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate. *Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3* 

7:45 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### FEMEA Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

8 a.m. - 7 p.m

### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula

TCC, Lobby

9 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

# FMEA SECOND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION

### Touch – USF iPad Quintet

Director: David A. Williams

### The U.S. Army Brass Quintet

Director: Terry Bingham

# The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble

Director: David Coash Presenter: Sheila S. King Coordinator: John K. Southall

The FMEA Second General Membership Session will feature Touch – the USF iPad Quintet, The U.S. Army Brass Quintet and The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble.

TCC, Ballroom A

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# **Enhancing Access to Music Programs Through Collaborations**

Presenter: Judith Evans Coordinator: Jessica Davoli

This session will feature collaborative community projects that enhance and increase access to instrumental music programs. Examples of successful projects being used in Collier County will be featured. These include pre-K violin literacy, after school mariachi and class piano, band and orchestra master classes, private lessons and summer camp scholarship programs.

TCC, 10

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Lift Me Up! Adding Movement to Your Choral Program

Presenter: Andy Beck Coordinator: Carrie Leahy

Popular movement specialist Andy Beck will teach how to add simple yet effective riser choreography to

your choral program—appropriate for singing groups of all ages and levels. A complimentary music packet will be given to each director in attendance.

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Not a Typical "Arts Integration" Session

Presenter: Michelle Berra Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

"Arts Integration" is in danger of becoming a clichéd phrase in education. In an effort to empower music teachers to explore arts integration in its true meaning, this session will explore storytelling, composition and collaboration with general education teachers. Using elementary standards from music and language arts, participants will witness the power of authentic arts integration as it unfolds into creative, meaningful musical experiences.

TCC, 13

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### **Awesome Books With Musical Hooks**

Presenter: Katharine Miller Coordinator: MerryBeth Schmidt

This session will focus on children's literature that can be used to teach different music skills to various grade levels in elementary school, so there will be something for everyone! Orff instruments, drums, non-pitched percussion and movement will be used during the session, so participants will be up and moving! This session will also go along well with the "collaboration" theme of the conference!

TCC, 15

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Meet the New Generation Gemeinhardt

Presenter: David Pirtle Coordinator: Pauline Latorre

Meet the new team, the new instruments, the new artists!

TCC, 17

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### **Beginning Band Strategies for All Ages**

Presenters: Malena Calle, Susana M. Lalama, Erich S. Rivero

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

With enrollments decreasing, music teachers are finding themselves teaching more beginning band classes in all grade levels to maintain sufficient numbers. This panel of music teachers will discuss beginning band practices, from recruiting to

beginning band practices, from recruiting to fundamental teaching strategies for students of all ages.

TCC, 18

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.



# **Experiential Learning and Expressive Singing**

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Hilary Ridgley

Developmental choral singers of all ages and their teachers face the daunting task of performing with musical expression while also learning/teaching music skills and vocal technique. This session will focus on methods for accelerating the learning process and preparing singers to make musical decisions independently, leading to an artistic performance.

TCC, 20

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### **Teaching Études and Scales Musically**

Presenter: Mimi Zweig Coordinator: Doreen Johnson

This lecture will use Wohlfhart Études Op. 45, Preparing for Kreutzer (Harvey Whistler) and Kreutzer Études and Scales and will demonstrate how they can be used to enhance the musical experience of string players.

TCC, 3

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Music Technology Lesson Plans for Teachers Too Busy to Write Music Technology Lesson Plans

Presenter: Dustin Hinzman Coordinator: David Williams

This session will provide educators with sample lesson plans and takeaway resources for use in a secondary music technology classroom. For teachers who have not yet started a course in music technology at their school, resources will be provided and briefly covered in the session. Each lesson plan presented will be accompanied by examples of the presenter's students' work over the last two years. **TCC. 31** 

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Students With Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD): Implications for Music Educators

Presenter: Mary Adamek
Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow
The number of individuals diagnosed with Autism
Spectrum Disorders (ASD) is increasing rapidly by
a rate of 10 to 17 percent each year (Autism Society

of America, 2010). Although autism is considered a low incidence disorder, many music educators work with students with autism each week in schools. This session will cover educational implications for music education for students with ASD as well as adaptations for successful music education experiences.

TCC, 36

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Manage Your Stress While Maintaining Harmony in the Music Classroom

Presenter: Adrianna Andrews-Marshall Coordinator: Jack Eaddy

Have the realities of teaching stressed you out? This session will offer strategies on how to keep your composure and maintain professionalism when faced with challenging situations. Learn how to promote an effective environment for music learning by not allowing stress to affect your quality of teaching. *TCC*. 37

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10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# ASBDA Clinic: MPAs for Dummies – Revisited

Presenters: Bruce Brazinski, Jason Duckett, J. Eric Miles, Lee Ponder

Coordinator: Paul Morton

Sponsored by the American School Bandmasters Association, this session will explore the necessities and pitfalls, from preparation through performance, regarding the MPA experience. This panel of experienced educators and adjudicators will share from their perspectives the ingredients to a successful musical event.

TCC, 5

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Music and Literacy: The Research, Connections and Strategies

Presenter: Christine Fisher Coordinator: Beth Cummings

Discover the latest research dealing with music and literacy. Investigate parallels between music learning and reading processes, and examine and discuss music strategies that can enhance student literacy outcomes.

TCC, 7

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Make Theory and Ear Training Easy – Use the Cloud!

Presenters: Kelly Demoline, Peter Kelly Coordinator: Sophia Beharrie

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10:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith

TCC, East Hall

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

### Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 1

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on session, attendees will be presented with chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chords, strum patterns and drills learned) will be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab:

Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. Three major textbook series will be used. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

### **MINI-CONCERT**

# Sebastian River High School Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble

Director: Sara Gover DiPardo Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Teaching Improvisation in the School Ensemble or Instrumental Studio

Presenter: Stanley Haskins Coordinator: William Molineaux

It can be a real challenge for the school music teacher to address the National Learning Standard of "Improvisation." This session aims to demystify the process of teaching improvisation by demonstrating three systematic sequences to develop beginning improvisational skills in the school ensemble setting. This session will supply the in-service school instrumental teacher with ideas for immediate application to the classroom.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Musicianship in Middle School Band? Yeah, Right!

Presenter: Larry Clark

Coordinator: Michael Weintraub

Can middle school band students really use phrasing, play with a characteristic sound and make independent musical decisions? You bet they can, and this session will show you tried and true ways to make them do it—and love it, too. Get inspired and re-energized to share your love of music with your middle schoolers—these techniques really work!

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

# Tricks for Teaching Beginning Improvisation

Presenter: Michael Wilkinson Coordinator: James Yaques

To teach improvisation, we want to give the beginning improviser the tools to sound good, starting with their first notes. This clinic will be a discussion of various methods to teach improvisation to band students of all ages, including ear-training methods, improvisation games, basic composition and other activities. My ultimate goal in teaching is to give students the tools to be creative on their instruments.

Improvisation does not have to be a daunting concept to you or your students.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### **ACDA Luncheon**

Presenter: Scott Leaman Coordinator: Connie Drosakis

Hyatt, Garrison

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Establishing Focus and Ensemble Sound: Innovative Warm-Ups for Middle School Band

Presenter: David Lee Sellers, Jr. Coordinator: Keith Dodson

The presenter will share warm-ups that can be accomplished without books, sheets or notes on the board. Breathing exercises, ear training, articulation studies, solfège and scales integrated into fun and innovative warm-ups are designed to establish focus and a good ensemble sound.

TCC, 10

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Moving Beyond the Program Notes: Using Descriptive Language to Engage Students in Music

Presenter: Matthew McCutchen Coordinator: Veronica Curran

This session will explore ways to get students to feel connected to the music they are performing. I regularly ask students to tell me what their music is about. Some give answers based on the title or composer's notes, but often I am greeted by silence. Using personal anecdotes, video examples and audience participation, we will discuss ways to talk about music that will keep students engaged, help them make personal connections to the pieces and enhance their aesthetic experience.

TCC, 11

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

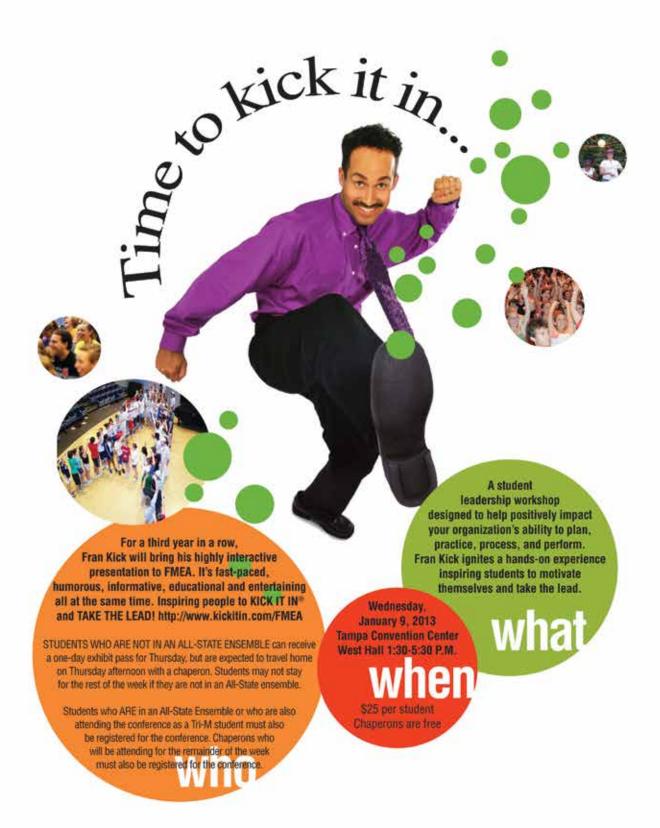
### Purposeful Pathways: Possibilities for the Elementary Music Room

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Suzy Reiser

Orff, Kodàly and Dalcroze Eurhythmics are each unique pedagogical approaches with their own processes and gifts for students' learning. Many American music teachers find themselves integrating these three approaches, selecting just the right process at the right moment to maximize students' success. Come explore diverse pathways for learning in the elementary music room that use the best of what all three pedagogies have to offer.

TCC, 13

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11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences

Presenter: Artie Almeida Coordinator: Marie Radloff

Enjoy a variety of child-friendly activities that empower students in the areas of rhythm, melody and form. We will sing, move, play and explore ways to make the elements of music come alive for our students. (Repeated session)

TCC, 15

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# A New Way to Elevate Your Performance Program

Presenter: Jean McKen Coordinator: Paul Destito

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TCC, 17

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Techniques for Building the Low Brass Section of Your Dreams

Presenter: Gail Robertson Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will give you a hands-on experience of how to improve and develop your low brass section. Session highlights: 1. Learn how to properly buzz on a mouthpiece visualizer so you can demonstrate it to your students; 2. Leave with a copy of and hear a demonstration of the proper kind of warm-up; 3. Gain information about equipment and find out more about proper mouthpiece selection; 4. Find out about current educational tools and methods that can help your students when they practice at home; 5. Learn how to feature your low brass section so they get to play the melody, too; and 6. Learn more about low brass events your students can participate in

TCC, 18

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# The Voices in My Head: A Philosophy for Rehearsing

Presenter: Will Kesling Coordinator: Kevin Lusk

The goal of this session is to lay out a philosophical foundation for building an artistic choral ensemble via the rehearsal, age of the choir notwithstanding. Our success is no better than the voices in our heads and our philosophy of rehearsing.

TCC, 20

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Orchestra Rehearsal Techniques

Presenter: David Eccles Coordinator: Julie Nelson

TCC, 3

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### iCanDoThis! - iPad in the Music Class

Presenter: Jason Litt Coordinator: Osvaldo Quezada

As the post-PC era moves from interesting theory to cold, hard reality, one of the most pressing questions is: How can we use tablets, most notably the iPad, to help students learn? This session will discuss ways to use the iPad in the music classroom—everything from free and paid applications (apps) to software development and textbook creation (for lesson plans and sheet music). In addition, grants, low-budget alternatives and common obstacles will be highlighted.

TCC, 31

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# **Empowering Students for Productive Practice**

Presenter: William I. Bauer Coordinator: Bobbe Jo Butler

In music, practice is necessary to enable musicians to acquire, develop and maintain aspects of technique, to learn new music, to memorize music for performance, to develop interpretation and to prepare for performance. This interactive session will provide practical, research-based strategies to help students engage in effective individual practice. Topics will include motivation, practice approaches, teaching students to practice and structuring practice sessions.

TCC, 36

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Using Popular Music to Increase Literacy in Your Percussion Section

Presenter: Lawrence Young Coordinator: Benny Bolden

This session will offer techniques and strategies for using the music our students listen to regularly to increase their reading levels while sharpening their musicianship skills.

TCC, 37

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### I've Got My Keys ... Now What? Strategies for Surviving Your First Year of Teaching

Presenter: Jeffrey Miller
Coordinator: Jessica LaMontangne
As a first-year teacher, you will encounter many

challenges outside of music making. It is the purpose of this clinic to assist those who are new to the profession by providing a series of meaningful tips and strategies that primarily focus on effective communication, planning and organization, including budget and program handbook preparation.

TCC, 39

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# ASBDA Clinic: The Three Ws: Why, Who and When to Bring in a Guest Conductor

Presenters: Jeff Cayer, Jon Eckman, James Hacker Coordinator: Paul Morton

Sponsored by the American School Band Directors Association, this session will explore: When is the best time to invite another expert to work with your students? Is this done only prior to a big performance? Does the music have to be perfect? What will my guest think of me as a teacher? Will this person help or hurt? This panel discussion of seasoned veterans will help to answer these questions and more, and will help show you how to provide a positive experience for your students. TCC. 5

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Assessment in the Choral Classroom: Maximizing Achievement in the Choral Arts

Presenter: Derrick Fox

Coordinator: Leanora Wilkinson

This session will demonstrate practical assessment models that actively involve students in learning, promote self-assessment and aid the teacher in adjusting instruction based on assessment results. This session will also include assessment strategies that can be useful in classroom management, retention and program advocacy. Participants will



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also be introduced to rubric models that will aid in delivering feedback rooted in national, state and district curriculum standards.

TCC, 7

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Music, Culture & the Brain

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Steven Demorest, Ruth Sutton Waters endowed professor of music and director of the Laboratory for Music Cognition, Culture & Learning at the University of Washington and a choral director and sight-singing instructor, will address singing accuracy, sight-singing pedagogy and music cognition.

TCC, 9

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### **Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 2**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with additional chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., chords, strum patterns and drills learned) can be applied to your classroom teaching but will also be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. *Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3* 

11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Florida Retired Music Educators: Sharing Models for Arts Collaborations

Coordinator: Janice Lancaster

This will be an opportunity for retired members to share ideas about ways to support the FMEA conference theme "Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration." This session will also include lunch and a discussion among the attendees about their current involvement in the arts. Lunch provided at a cost to each attendee.

Embassy, Atrium

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

# Designing Measurement Tools for Music Performance Assessment

Presenter: Brian Wesolowski Coordinator: Tom Silliman

A primary difficulty with music performance assessment is managing its subjective nature. To help improve objectivity, a variety of assessment tools can be used to develop a set of guidelines for clearly assessing students' performance as well as provide a written form of accountability. This presentation will focus on the complexities of music performance assessment and will provide guidance for developing and implementing measurement

tools, including rubrics, checklists, rating scales and portfolios

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### I Belong! Engaging Students in Band-Choir-Orchestra for a Better Performance

Presenter: Wendy Barden Coordinator: Tina Gill

When members of an ensemble know each other, respect each other and feel connected and committed to the collective result, the music they create together will be nothing short of amazing! This observation is more than anecdotal. Many research studies across all content areas show that school connectedness is a strong factor in students' achievement. Experience several activities to develop strong teacher-student and student-student interactions in your ensemble, as well as stronger performances.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

### Jazz Ensemble Techniques for the Classically Trained Director

Presenter: Mark Belfast Coordinator: Wayne Watson

This workshop will provide practical information for the classically trained music educators who believe they lack the knowledge and skills necessary to provide their students with a high-quality jazz education. Topics of interest include: print and online resources; ensemble setup; sound reinforcement systems; rehearsal and performance techniques; teaching improvisation; and discovering recruitment and performance opportunities.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

12 noon - 1 p.m.

### **FMEA Research Poster Session**

Coordinator: Victor Fung
TCC, East Hall

12 noon - 12:30 p.m.

### **MINI-CONCERT**

# St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys

Director: Scott Baumer Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman TCC, Lobby Stage

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### CONCERT

### Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra

Director: Christopher Perez Coordinator: Jason Albert TCC, West Hall 1 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

### **All-State Elementary Chorus**

Conductor: Earlene Rentz Coordinator: Robert Todd TCC, Ballroom A

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Drumset for the Non-Percussionist**

Presenter: Mike Wendeln Coordinator: Christopher Simmons

Non-percussionists, don't fear the drumset! This session is geared toward those non-percussionists who would like to begin to play the drumset or who need to direct a student on this instrument. The drumset is a crucial piece of any steel band, percussion ensemble, jazz or athletic band. This session will demonstrate techniques, grooves and practice tips that you (and your students) should know. While focusing on steel band applications, anyone teaching a group with a drumset will benefit!

TCC, 10

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Jazz Workshop With the Pros: Vocal Jazz

Presenter: Lisa Kelly-Scott Coordinator: Valarie Williams

With a focus on recognizing and mentoring talented student jazz vocal soloists in Florida, professional vocalist Lisa Kelly-Scott will present this two-part clinic: 1. Useful information and techniques for teaching jazz voice to students of all ages; and 2. The presentation of three high school jazz vocal finalists from a statewide audition, each singing a jazz standard with the professional rhythm section of pianist Jeff Phillips, UNF bassist Dennis Marks and drummer Steve Salo. A handout is available for download on the FMEA website.

TCC, 11

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Orff for Little Peeps

Presenter: Deanna Stark
Coordinator: Tricia Williams

"Percussion ensemble? Check. Program materials? Check. What to do with first grade this week? Ummmmmm." If this sounds like something you might utter, then please join us! We'll use instruments in a musically appropriate way for primary-aged students. (We'll be moving, too, so leave those high heels at the door.)

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1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Inspiration and Integration: Models for Uniting Music With Other Disciplines

Presenter: Matt McCoy Coordinator: Ann Leffard

This experiential session will emphasize the possibilities for integrating music with other art forms and curriculum areas. While several models of integration will be addressed as part of the session, participants will experience two lessons that join music making with dance and the visual arts as well as with written texts and literature. Wear comfortable clothes appropriate for movement and bring your soprano recorder if you can.

TCC, 15

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **ASBDA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Joe Luechauer

TCC, 17

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Review of the Pre-Conference Performing Fine Arts Assessment Project

Presenters: Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon,

John M. Seybert

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will provide a review of the Pre-Conference Performing Fine Arts Assessment Project, discussing the progress and the vision of the project. Come and hear about assessment! TCC, 18

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# 30 Girls and Three Boys. What Can We Sing for MPA?

Presenter: Jennifer Rock Coordinator: Gerald Armbrister

This session will address using two- and threepart "any combination" literature to fit the needs of unbalanced and/or developing choirs. This session will provide ideas on how to select literature that uses developing harmonic structures and accommodates changing male voices and/or limited ranges, while not breaking the "rules" of MPA.

TCC, 20

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Empowering Students – Attitude and Learning

Presenter: Melissa Kraut

Coordinator: Jean Carlo Gonzalez

This session will explore how the attitude of the teacher affects the classroom, both positive and negative. It will also deal with the humanity of teaching and will provide ideas and exercises.

TCC, 3

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# FREE Technology for Musicians and Music Educators

Presenter: Barbara Ann Freedman Coordinator: David Williams

Everything that you could possibly need or use as a musician or a music educator is available to you over the internet absolutely FREE. You just need to know where to look. Participants will be provided with a detailed list of website URLs and other locations to access the free, no-strings-attached technology.

TCC, 31

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Back to Basics: Steps to Establishing Solid Rhythm, Intonation and Tone From the Beginning!

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme Coordinator: Maureen Baldino

Developing a superior beginning orchestra can become reality using a basic "three-pronged approach." Mr. "W" will focus on teaching with an emphasis on rhythm/group pulse from Day 1, incorporating singing and ear training in orchestra class and achieving a nice tone quality early in the school year. This session will also highlight and demonstrate a state-of-the-art technology component that will provide students the tools for a well-rounded, comprehensive music education.

TCC, 36

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Musical Ingenuity

Presenter: Richard Beckford Coordinator: Bernie Hendricks

This session will focus on concepts and strategies that may be used to establish a strong music program in challenging urban schools. Think outside the box to establish music opportunities for all students.

TCC, 37

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Improvisation – Take the Fear Out, Put the Fun In

Presenter: Jim Tinter

Coordinator: Angela Saltsman

Sing, say, move and play through a process for teaching improvisation in general music. Discover techniques, strategies, materials, activities and web resources to make improvising easy, fun and safe while fulfilling the national standards. Free Angel recorder compliments of Peripole.

TCC, 5

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

# Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration

Presenter: Judy Bowers Coordinator: Brody Castle

This session will document two professional partnerships that were highly successful collaborations between university music education programs and public school music programs. One pairing involved a university adding nontraditional music to a middle school curriculum, and the second was a complete retraining of all middle school choral teachers in an urban district, Memphis, Tenn. Participants from both partnerships will provide perspectives so models can be used/adapted for other settings.

TCC, 7

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Music for Life: More Than a Slogan

Presenters: Don Coffman, Alice-Ann Darrow

Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

Music can play an important role in lifelong learning programs for older adults. Many older adults were involved in music education programs in their younger years and wish to maintain their musical skills and interests. Other adults never had the opportunity to study music, but wish to in retirement. The presenters will share their experiences directing a New Horizons band for older adults and Rock of Ages, an intergenerational choir.

TCC, 9

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### **Guitar Lab: Teaching Notation**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with notation performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Session outcomes (i.e., notes, fingerings and techniques learned) will be specifically used in the "Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session" presentation on Friday at 2:45 p.m. This session will have 25 lab seats; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

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Director: William Haugeberg Coordinator: Shelby R. Chipman

TCC, Lobby Stage



















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1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Scanning Sheet Music Presenter: Tom Johnson

Coordinator: Lindsey Novitske

Whether you need that horn part transposed for alto sax or want to arrange an entirely new band orchestration, this workshop will focus on how to achieve success. Pitfalls and caveats will be discussed, with emphasis on ease of use and minimizing edits. Five pieces will be scanned, each demonstrating differing issues and their resolutions. *Waterside, Meeting Room 1* 

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Painless Assessment in the Music Classroom: Quick and Easy Ways to Assess While Supporting, Not Interrupting, Your Performance and Rehearsal Agenda

Presenter: Timothy J. Groulx Coordinator: Jessica Russell

This session will include presentation of different approaches to and models of assessment in the performing ensemble class. In a time of increased scrutiny and focus on accountability, it is important for all educators to be able to provide evidence of assessing progress in a meaningful way. This clinic will offer practical examples of how music educators can assess their musicians in an authentic and valid way with minimal time and a maximum amount of educational and musical integrity.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### Jazz Articulations for Saxophone

Presenter: Jeff Rupert Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session is designed to aid high school and middle school band directors to convey concepts in applied jazz saxophone articulation. The successful jazz band performance relies in part on saxophonists articulating in a unified and appropriate fashion. Join Jeff Rupert for a practical and clear demonstration of jazz articulation for your saxophone section.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### FEMEA Idea Exchange

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

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2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### **Helping Your Struggling Readers!**

Presenter: Meghan Alfaro Coordinator: Nancye Boyer

This session will discuss an action research project focused on helping students who struggle with reading but excel in music. Students were selected

based on their scores in reading and music. Students met with the music teacher once a week and did musical activities with the books the classroom teachers were using during reading instruction. Results of the research showed that participation in the music-focused reading group greatly increased students' motivation to read.

TCC, 10

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Jazz Band 101: The Missing Manual

Presenter: R. Gary Langford Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This interactive clinic will present practical, hands-on information for junior high and high school directors in developing and maintaining a jazz band/ensemble as part of an overall instrumental program. In addition to the basics, particular attention will be paid to each of the adjudication captions found on the FBA MPA judging sheet.

TCC, 11

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Movement: "Aaaah" or "Aaargh!"

Presenter: Deanna Stark Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

Some of us love to move. Others? Not so much. But we all need to provide movement opportunities for our students. In this session, we'll practice facilitating movement with the help of some über groovy percussion instruments, a classic piece of children's literature and a nursery rhyme about a time-keeping device and its live-in rodent.

TCC. 13

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Interactive Improvisation

Presenter: Matt McCoy Coordinator: Karen Bouton

In this experiential session, participants will have the opportunity to explore the possibilities of teaching improvisation as a cooperative and interactive form of music making. Strategies for fostering improvisational skills will be presented through model lessons that extend typical general music activities (e.g., songs, games, etc.) in creative ways. Participants should wear comfortable clothes as well as bring their energy and artistry as we improve our improvised music together.

TCC, 15

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Suggested Repertoire for a Successful Percussion MPA Performance

Presenters: John Bannon, David Coash.

Kurt Grissom, John Shaw Coordinator: Steven Johnson

This session will include performances of repertoire chosen from the FBA MPA list that may help directors

to suggest lesser known or newer additions to the repertoire to their students. Solos for timpani, mallets, snare drum and multiple-percussion will be demonstrated. Solo pieces that emphasize musical considerations over technical prowess will be performed and discussed.

TCC. 17

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Phi Beta Mu Clinic: Sonority; Without It Nothing Else Matters!

Presenter: Andrew J. Crew Coordinator: Randy Folsom

This session will provide a discussion on how to achieve the best sonority by playing examples of recordings with an iPhone. Examples will include recordings from the Chicago Symphony, the United States Marine Band and the Netherlands Wind Ensemble, among other recordings by various bands and solo players. I believe the quickest and most efficient way to teach how music should sound is to let the people you are teaching hear the kind of sounds you are trying to have them produce. While playing examples from the recordings, I will also discuss how to blend sounds together with different combinations of instruments.

TCC, 18

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# Teaching for Transfer in Choral Rehearsals

Presenters: Matthew Garrett, Sean Linfors, Tesfa Wondemagegnehu

Coordinator: Brett Carson

This participatory clinic will feature warm-up exercises that connect with vocal challenges found in choral repertoire. Presenters will demonstrate transfers between exercises based on vocal pedagogy (breathing, vocal production and functions of the vocal folds) and healthy singing in choral ensembles. Choral directors with instrumental and/ or vocal backgrounds will leave with creative group exercises to promote healthy singing and develop musical independence among students.

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### **New Music Reading Session**

Presenter: Nancy Beebe Coordinator: Bob Medlin

This will be a new music reading session geared toward all levels. Bring your instrument with you if you would like to be a part of the orchestra.

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# DON'T FORGET OUR JAZZ COMBO MIKER!

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### The SMART Board in Elementary Music

Presenters: Jennifer Carter, Jessica Fredricks, Luke Hart, Lynn McCoy, Ann McFall Coordinator: David Williams

This session will feature innovative ways to incorporate SMART Board activities into your elementary music lessons. SMART Boards are an incredible tool for engaging student learners and incorporating technology. Session will cover basics, discuss practical applications for using the SMART Board with recorders, rhythm reading and composition and will also explain how to use peripherals like Senteo and Airliner in conjunction with the SMART Board.

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2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Rehearsal Hierarchy of Needs

Presenter: Jeremy Woolstenhulme Coordinator: Crystal Golinello

With a baby it is milk before meat, as it should be in our orchestra classes. We should be mindful of the rehearsal hierarchy of needs and what should be addressed and rectified first before moving on in class. Ideas such as rehearsal priorities, breaking down and simplifying the music, class pacing and teaching by example will be addressed in this session on rehearsal techniques.

TCC, 36

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Unleashing the Power of Sound Innovations: The Revolutionary New Band and String Method

Presenter: Robert Sheldon Coordinator: Christine Lundahl

Alfred Music Publishing's new method books for band and strings create choices that teachers have always dreamed about. Learn how to customize the techniques, contents and materials in your method book, CD and SmartMusic. Come see why band and string teachers everywhere are talking about this method. A free Grade 1 band or string piece (only available at these clinics) will be given to every attendee.

TCC. 37

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Music Education and Performance, A Cross Generational Case Study of Youth and Adults in a Collaborative and Creative Environment

Presenter: Amy Thrift Coordinator: Tammy Roggen

This session will discuss the educational and social benefits of a community band where a 60-plus year age span exists among the members. We will

examine the unexpected but pleasantly surprising rewards of a musical group with a large age span. The Nassau Community Band is a musical ensemble composed of citizens primarily from Nassau County, Fla. Beginning as a senior adult only band nine years ago, the band has since opened its membership to other musicians.

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2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Here Comes the Judge

Presenters: Ronald Burrichter, Brenda Smith Coordinator: Jody Schnell

This session will address factors considered for superior ratings by adjudicators at MPA festivals, to include repertoire, style, language, punctuation, diction, meaning of text, etc. Bring your questions! Preparing students for collegiate entrance auditions will also be discussed.

TCC, 5

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Meet the Supervisors

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

Participants (college music education students) will have the opportunity to meet the music supervisors from throughout the state of Florida.

TCC, 7

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# The Challenges and Rewards of Parenting and Teaching a Teen With Asperger Syndrome

Presenters: Judy Arthur, Suzanne Byrnes,

William Fredrickson

Coordinator: Alice-Ann Darrow

This presentation will include words from the parents and a music teacher of a teen with Asperger Syndrome and other challenges. We will discuss how we see him, how he sees the world and how we can all work together to establish a healthy home and classroom environment.

TCC, 9

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

## Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 1

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, guitar performance techniques such as chord strumming, note reading, power chords, barre chords and capo use will be applied to the following classic rock tunes: You Really Got Me, Come as You Are, Hey Jude and Pride and Joy! Techniques and concepts presented at previous guitar lab sessions will equip you for participation at this session.

Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### Advanced String Methods for the Non-String Teacher: What You Didn't Learn in College

Presenter: David Pope Coordinator: Michelle Fry

This session is for non-string players who teach orchestra. To increase effectiveness in the classroom, differences between teaching band and orchestra will be discussed. Additional topics will include techniques for teaching the proper setup to beginning string players, repertoire selection, shifting, vibrato, principles of tone production and the importance of the bow arm.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

### How I Use SmartMusic at Ransom Everglades Middle School

Presenter: Cathi Leibinger Coordinator: Mark Frisbie

Cathi Leibinger will demonstrate how to use SmartMusic for class instruction, rehearsals and home practice. Learn how to use SmartMusic's method books, concert repertoire and exercises to deliver curriculum, create assignments for home practice, monitor students' progress on any computer or mobile device and allow parents to view/hear their child's online portfolio.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4

2:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

# The Importance of Fundamentals in Developing Comprehensive Musicianship and Ability to Play in Diverse Styles

Presenter: Dennis Vincent Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

BERT (Boris Ivanov - piano, Ernie Ealum - electric bass, Rick Kirkland - drums and Tony Steve - vibraphone and auxiliary percussion), with Claire Heusinger on vocals, will use selections from Hoedown, Epistrophy, Spirit of the West, La Fiesta and Blue Rondo a la Turk to demonstrate and discuss technical issues, harmonic concepts, range of styles, ensemble playing and small instrument techniques, as well as combining odd-meter with the blues.

Waterside, Meeting Room 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1



4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# Starting Your Strings – It's All About the Beginning

Presenter: Bob Phillips Coordinator: Kim Dickman

Discover how to create highly successful beginning string classes. What are the factors of success that ensure your students will play well, be engaged and, most of all, continue in music? Come learn from the master of large group instruction, whether you have 20 or 200 beginners.

TCC. 10

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Jazz Music Reading Session**

Presenter: Al Hager Coordinator: Rob Lambert

Al Hager and friends will get together and demonstrate new releases in jazz music.

TCC, 11

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Beginning a Dynamic Recorder Program**

Presenter: Jim Tinter
Coordinator: Karen Van Ree

Coordinator: Karen Van Beek
This session will provide proven strategies to develop

a fun, exciting and dynamic recorder program.

Topics covered will include the fantastic first lesson, instrument selection, sound production, articulation, classroom management and equipping students for success. Come ready for demonstration, imagination and participation. Free Angel recorder compliments of Peripole.

TCC, 13

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Simply Schulwerk

Presenter: Sue Mueller Coordinator: Staci Pendry

Carl Orff's visionary teaching philosophy is rooted in the belief that through active participation in speech, song, play, movement and improvisation, the child becomes the active music maker, the composer. The Schulwerk offers many varied ways to teach and extend lessons. Through canon, rondo, improvisation and ostinati, we will explore, extend and energize activities aimed at the K-6 grades.

TCC, 15

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# Turning Your Drummers Into Percussionists and Then Into Musicians

Presenters: John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw

Coordinator: Jessica Russell

This session will focus on four areas of percussion performance: timpani, mallet instruments, cymbals and accessory instruments (tambourine, triangle, bass drum). Discussion will focus on ways to play the instruments with regard to tone color, tone production, some basic performance techniques, note length and musical applications. This will include stick/mallet choices, stroke types and applications, note length/muffling and musical considerations/phrasing.

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4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# **Green Eggs and Ham: Creative Concert Programming**

Presenter: Andy Beck Coordinator: Marti Koch

Andy Beck will share his insights on creating varied, well-paced concerts. Using a variety of Alfred chorals, you will learn what criteria should be considered and how to make the best choices for the ultimate program. A complimentary music packet will be given to each director in attendance.

TCC, 18

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Practical Repertoire for Building Tone and Musicianship (High School/ Advanced Middle School: TB, TBB, TTBB, SATB and SAB)

Presenter: Ryan Hebert Coordinator: Valarie Williams TBB reading session with packets.

TCC, 20

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### 21st Century String Pedagogy

Presenter: Charles Laux, Jr. Coordinator: Lynne Rudzik

Motivating beginning orchestra students in the 21st century requires teachers to take a new look at the materials they use in the classroom. Come and see how sequential learning can occur with up-to-date pedagogy, expanded technology and a wealth of enrichment opportunities. Learn how to motivate your classroom and enhance your teaching strategies. All attendees will receive complimentary materials. *TCC. 3* 

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **Avoid Extinction With Technology**

Presenter: Radio Cremata Coordinator: Kody Wallace

Technology has revolutionized music education. Music is learned, written, produced, recorded and shared digitally, instantly and internationally. Indaba, GrooveZoo, Synthesia and YouTube are examples of some tools being widely used by people to learn, create, collaborate and share music. 21st century music educators should be aware of this phenomenon, arm themselves with new teaching strategies and adapt to the ever-changing musical landscape so as to remain relevant and avoid extinction.

TCC, 31

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Melodic Learning: Transforming the Teaching/Learning Paradigm Through the Neuroscience of Music

Presenter: Susan Homan Coordinator: Tamyra DiFruscio

This session will present the most recent research from the Institute of Neuroscience and Music and how to best use that information in the music classroom and across the curriculum. New information on melodic learning gives music a leadership role in promoting enhanced learning in every classroom.

TCC, 36

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# FMEA Black Caucus Business Meeting and Reception

Coordinator: Bernie Hendricks
Annual business meeting and reception for members
and those interested in the mission of the Florida
Music Educators' Association Black Caucus.

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

TCC. 37

# International Teaching Opportunities for Music Educators

Presenter: Russell Robinson Coordinator: Jane Whitaker

There are numerous opportunities for music teachers all over the world. Dr. Robinson has been a speaker at international conferences and a consultant for international schools in Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, Mexico, Central America and South America. He will share teaching opportunities and access to those opportunities, including commentary by international music teachers worldwide.

TCC, 5

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# Interview Strategies for Future Music Educators

Presenter: Monty Musgrave Coordinator: Monty Musgrave

The purpose of this session is to offer effective interview strategies to prospective music educators. Participants will be offered the opportunity to participate in mock interviews with music supervisors.

TCC, 7

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Music, Cognition and Neuroscience

Presenter: Steven Demorest Coordinator: Dennis Vincent

Steven Demorest, Ruth Sutton Waters endowed professor of music and director of the Laboratory for Music Cognition, Culture & Learning at the University of Washington, will present an overview of the research on music cognition and neuroscience, including his own research.

TCC. 9

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

# Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 2

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this second hands-on playing session, guitar performance techniques such as chord strumming, note reading, power chords, barre chords and capo use will be applied to the following classic rock tunes: You Really Got Me, Come as You Are, Hey Jude and Pride and Joy! Provided for this session will be 25 guitars, 25 sets of textbooks, picks, footstools, music stands, etc. Come sing, strum and jam out with us! Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### **FCMEA Meeting**

Coordinator: Vincent Dennis Waterside, Meeting Room 1

4 p.m. - 5 p.m.

### Improving Music Teacher Leadership: What Every Educator Must Know About Policy in Times of High Accountability

Presenters: Cathy Benedict, Patrick Schmidt Coordinator: Julia House

Music teachers are constantly making decisions for the good of the classroom and often consider the present and future life of the school and community. So, how can we cultivate these leadership dispositions so they become more evident and helpful? How can policy skills shape music education's future within our schools and communities? This session will provide early career and experienced teachers with clear tools for how to better use and understand policy for strong leadership within schools.

Waterside, Meeting Room 4



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### 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. ALL-STATE CONCERT

### All-State Intercollegiate Band

Conductor: Michael Haithcock Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC, Ballroom A

6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

### All-State Men's Chorus

Conductor: Michael Dye Coordinator: Jeff Boque

### **All-State Reading Chorus**

Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope Coordinator: Mary Catherine Salo

TCC, West Hall

7:30 p.m. - 9 p.m.

### **ALL-STATE CONCERTS**

### High School Honors Band

Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips Coordinator: Tony Chiarito

### All-State Jazz Band

Conductor: Bill Prince Coordinator: Rob Lambert TCC, Ballroom A

7:45 p.m. - 9:15 p.m.

# Folk Dance for Learning, Folk Dance for Fun

Presenter: Roger Sams Coordinator: Julie Hebert

The focus will be fun as we gather together to socialize and enjoy one another through folk dances from around the world.

TCC, 13

9:15 p.m. - 10:15 p.m.

### CONCERT

### The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet

Director: Terry Bingham Coordinator: Joel Pagan TCC, Ballroom A



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# NUARY 12, 2013

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

### **FOA Past Presidents Breakfast**

Coordinator: Jennifer Rhodes The past presidents of the Florida Orchestra Association are invited to join us for a breakfast honoring their service to the organization.

Waterside, Meeting Room 1

7 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

### **FMEA Past Presidents Breakfast**

Coordinator: Valeria Anderson Waterside, Meeting Room 2

8 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.

### Phi Beta Mu Business Meeting

Coordinator: Randy Folsom

TCC, 18

8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### **FMEA Registration Desk Open**

Coordinators: Valeria Anderson, Josh Bula TCC, Lobby

8:30 a.m. - 9 a.m.

### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

### **High School Honors Orchestra**

Conductor: Andrew Lane Coordinator: Jessica Talbott

TCC, West Hall

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### **FEMEA Resource Room**

Coordinator: Barbara Sullivan

TCC, 1

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### It's May - I Think I Can!

Presenter: Deanna Stark

Coordinator: Ernesta Chicklowski

Maybe it's just me, but I find that last month of school (not to mention my students) to be a bit, well, difficult. If you'd like to challenge your older students with some interesting pitched and unpitched pieces of music, please join us. And be prepared to drum! TCC, 10

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### **Orff Schulwerk: A Creative Community**

Presenter: Sue Mueller

Coordinator: Rosemary Pilonero

The Schulwerk approach embraces creativity while fostering a community of learners that work together through speech, song, movement and playing. Explore, collaborate and create in a handson session designed for K-6 students. Small and

large group activities will require collaboration in this session aimed at improvisation.

TCC, 13

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### A Band Director's Guide to the **Percussion Section: Performance** Techniques in Standard and **Contemporary Wind Band Literature**

Presenter: Jeffrey Moore Coordinator: Randy Folsom

Featuring works by Barnes, Bernstein, Gillingham, Granthman, Hazo, Hindemith, Holst, Holsinger, Maslanka, Nelson, Persichetti and Williams and interpretation suggestions for the marches of King, Fillmore and Sousa, this session will include the performance of the percussion parts in popular wind band literature with recordings. Attendees will see and hear the percussion section and the requisite techniques up close, but still in context. With assistance from other performers, there will be a demonstration of the technical approaches to the various instruments, including implement selection, instrument selection (e.g., cymbals, gongs, tambourine, triangle, etc.) and placement in the ensemble. Live performance of the selected literature will be used to demonstrate the percussion techniques and the musical considerations for each

TCC, 18

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### Band and Choral Conductors: What Can We Learn From Each Other?

Presenters: Frances Fonza, Shaun R. Popp Coordinator: Mary Oser

Band and choral conductors each have their own "bag of tricks" to use in rehearsals, yet many of these techniques can be used across disciplines. Session topics will include warm-up routines, rehearsal strategies and repertoire, as well as a discussion of opportunities for collaboration.

TCC, 20

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### A Fresh Look at Conn-Selmer

Presenter: Derek Bowen

Coordinator: Colbert Page Howell, Jr. Conn-Selmer will present new products intended for you and your students. Included in the lineup are the new Selmer AS32 and AS42 alto saxophone, the new Musser 3PM practice marimba and King "System Blue" marching brass. Come join us to learn about the new instruments and how they can be used in your band room!

TCC, 3

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### **FCMEA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Dennis Vincent TCC, 36

8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

### **Guitar Lab: Capo Use and Barre Chord Techniques**

Presenter: Edward Prasse Coordinator: Edward Prasse

In this hands-on playing session, attendees will be presented with capo and barre chord performance techniques and pedagogical concepts typical to a beginning guitar class. Several major textbook series will be used. This session will have 25 lab seats, each containing a guitar, books, woodblock, music stand, etc.; however, additional attendees are encouraged to bring their own guitar and participate. Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3

8:45 a.m. - 11 a.m.

### **FEMEA Idea Exchange**

Coordinator: Cynthia Tickel

TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### **FMEA Conference Exhibition**

Coordinator: Bobbie Smith

TCC, East Hall

9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m.

### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

### **Middle School Honors Orchestra**

Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo Coordinator: Victor Fernandez

TCC, West Hall

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

### Salsa – Picante – Spicy: **Latin Music Styles**

Presenter: Alejandro Jimenez Coordinator: Robert Todd

This session will explore some ideas and song materials that have proven to be successful for teaching in urban areas. The styles will include from Cuba: Son-Cha-Cha, from Dominican Republic: Merengue and from Puerto Rico: Bomba-Plena. The session will include hands-on collaboration and integration of singing, moving and playing recorders, Latin percussion and Orff instruments.

TCC, 10

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### **Collaborative Composition: Speech** Pieces From Start to Finish

Presenter: Matt McCov Coordinator: Julie Hebert

One of the hallmarks of the approach to music education known as Orff Schulwerk is an emphasis on speech work as a means of musical performance and instruction. In this session, participants will collaboratively create rhythmic compositions based on the spoken word that may be performed through the voice or transferred to another medium (e.g., found objects). Additionally, this session will address the "hows" and "whys" of speech work in relation to curricular development and implementation.

TCC, 13

10 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.

#### **NAfME Collegiate General Business** Meeting 2

Coordinator: Jon Crane

TCC, 18

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### The Jazz Vocal Ensemble: What Is It and **How Does It Work?**

Presenter: Lawrence Lapin Coordinator: Carl Ashley

This session will attempt to isolate and demonstrate the similarities and differences between a jazz vocal ensemble and a traditional choir.

TCC, 20

10 a.m. - 12 noon

#### **CBDNA Business Meeting**

Coordinator: Kyle Prescott

TCC, 3

10 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### What's New in Music Technology K-12

Presenter: Jody Underwood Coordinator: David Williams

This session will examine the latest trends in music technology labs at K-12 and university music programs. From handheld recorders to recording software, MIDI controllers to vocal trainers, no stone will go unturned in this fast-paced show-and-tell of the latest and greatest products for teaching music with technology. The session will also trace the process of creating a music technology lab solution from consultation through training. All aspects of lab implementation will be discussed.

TCC. 31

10 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Treble Chorus**

Conductor: Elena Sharkova Coordinator: Suzi Lambert Waterside, Grand Ballroom 10:30 a.m. - 11 a.m.

#### ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### All-State Middle School Orchestra

Conductor: Deborah Perkins Coordinator: Michael Sedloff

TCC. West Hall

11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### ALL-STATE CONCERT

#### All-State Middle School Band

Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon Coordinator: Kristy Dell

#### Middle School Honors Band

Conductor: Eric W. Mendez Coordinator: Bill Reany

TCC, Ballroom A

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

#### Schulwerk and the Arts, a Collaboration

Presenter: Sue Mueller Coordinator: April Lavmon

Using the arts in collaboration with classroom curriculum and Orff Schulwerk motivates, enhances and is a communal experience that celebrates the integrity of all subjects. This session will focus on creating an environment of teamwork, respect and cooperation. This workshop will explore these questions through our own direct experience and shared reflection (early elementary years).

TCC, 13

11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

#### MUTECH: A Customized Multi-Instrument Digital Lab

Presenter: Jody Underwood Coordinator: David Williams

Join an in-depth, interactive discussion on effective strategies for designing a music technology program at your school. Topics covered will include defining learning objectives, evaluating a project's timeframe, creating and evaluating a budget and crafting a proposal. The session will discuss instrument options for creating electronic music and will define strategies for curriculum and project-based learning objectives. TCC. 31

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

#### Gems of Choral Literature

Presenter: Z. Randall Stroope Coordinator: Mary Catherine Salo

This session will present gems of choral literature.

TCC, West Hall

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### FEMEA Choral Reading Session

Presenter: Grace Jordan Coordinator: Lu Anne Leone

Join this elementary reading session with veteran and highly respected choral director Grace Jordan, music specialist at Arbor Ridge School in Orlando. Music packets will be provided by JW Pepper.

TCC, 13

12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### Florida Vocal Association **Past Presidents Luncheon**

Coordinator: Mark Scott

Waterside, Marriott Waterside Café

1 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus

Conductor: Trey Jacobs Coordinator: David Pletincks Waterside, Grand Ballroom

1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.

#### **FEMEA Board Meeting**

Coordinator: April Laymon

TCC. 1

1:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Concert Orchestra

Conductor: John Whitney Coordinator: Kristina Cutchens

TCC, Ballroom A

3 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Concert Band**

Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow Coordinator: Brian P. Dell TCC, Ballroom A

5 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Women's Chorus

Conductor: Mitos Andaya Coordinator: John Luffred TCC, Ballroom A

6:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### **All-State Concert Chorus**

Conductor: André J. Thomas Coordinator: Judy Arthur TCC. Ballroom A

7:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

#### All-State Symphonic Orchestra

Conductor: William LaRue Jones Coordinator: Andrea Szarowicz

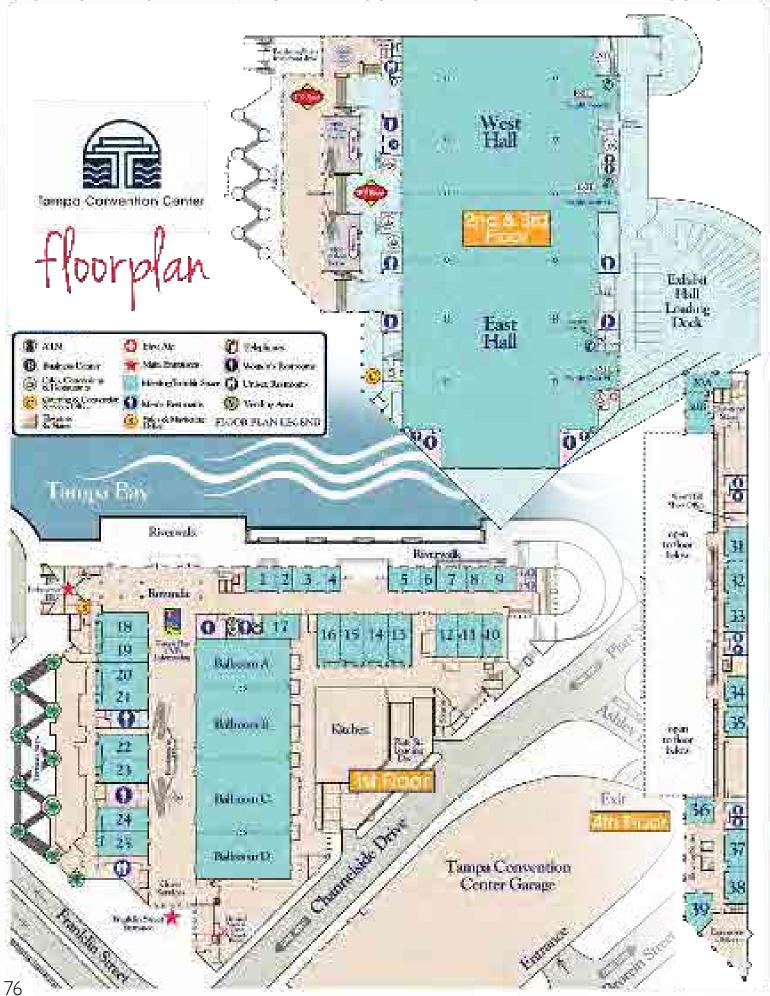
TCC, Ballroom A

9 p.m. - 9:40 p.m.

#### **ALL-STATE CONCERT**

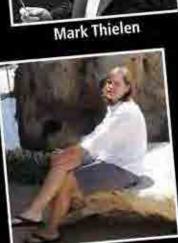
#### All-State Symphonic Band

Conductor: Bobby Adams Coordinator: John Seth TCC, Ballroom A



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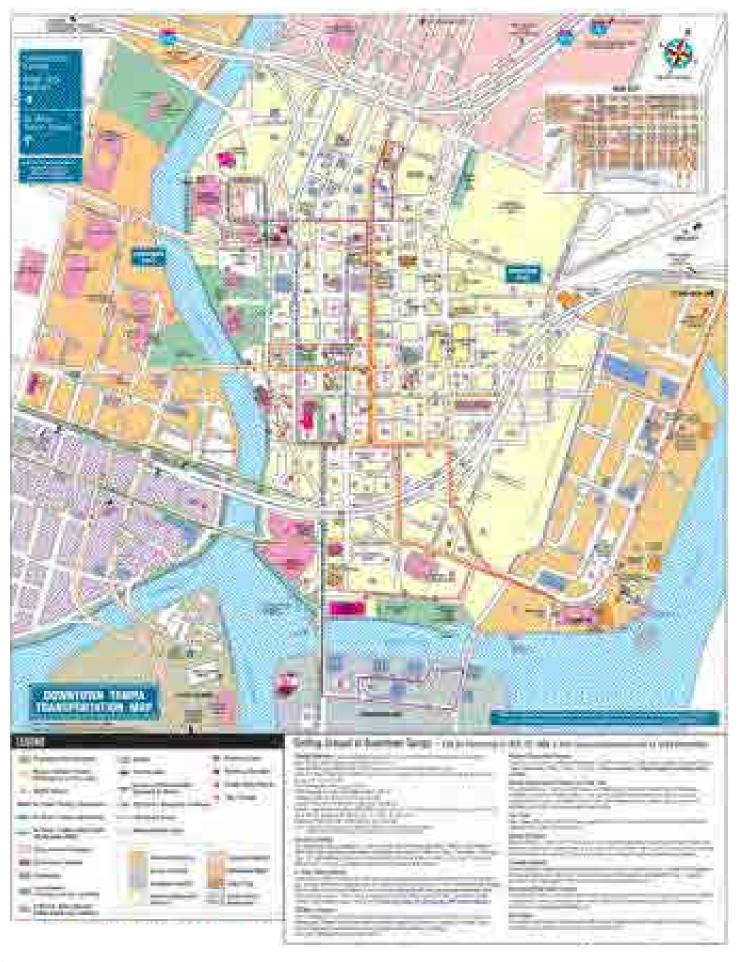


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#### **Department Audition Dates**

Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 Friday, Jan. 25, 2013 Saturday, Feb. 16, 2013 Saturday, Mar. 9, 2013

#### FMEA Clinic Conference Schedule

Jazz Faculty and Jazz Ensemble 1 Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 9:30 p.m. in Ballrooms A,B,C

The University of North Florida Jazz Faculty is an extremely accomplished and diverse group of international performers and educators. They have performed and recorded with artists such as Pat Metheny, Randy Brecker, Benny Golson, Rufus Reid, Stan Getz, Arturo Sandoval, Woody Herman, Buddy Rich, Paquito D'Rivera and Sarah Vaughan. The jazz faculty members have recorded and published extensively (Mel Bay and LINC Press) and continue to tour and conduct master classes in the U.S. and Internationally.

Directed by J.B. Scott, Jazz Ensemble 1 is the flagship ensemble of the University of North Florida Jazz Studies program winning numerous awards and consistent recognition from DownBeat Magazine and other notable publications. The group has performed internationally, throughout China, Europe and the U.S., with appearances on the Great Wall of China, the Montreux, North Sea, Monterey, Jacksonville and Savannah Jazz Festivals, the IAJE and FMEA Conferences and the Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic.

Jazz Combo Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. in Ballrooms A,B,C

Directed by Lynne Arriale, the Jazz Combo "UNFiltered" represents the new breed of young musicians steeped in the tradition and forward looking, incorporating diverse influences including free improvisation, pop, rock, Latin, Middle Eastern and Brazilian music with a strong emphasis on group interaction. Each member of this UNF-lazz Combo brings their professional experience and musical vision to bring forth a unique ensemble sound, infused with passion and creativity.

Session with Dr. Cara Tasher, "Have no fear, read it first here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB" Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 4 p.m. in TCC 20 / TCC 21

Jacksonville SINGS! Artistic Director Dr. Cara Tasher is now in her 7th year as Director of Choral Activities and Associate Professor of Voice at the University of North Florida where she conducts Chorale and Chamber Singers, teaches voice, advanced gesture and choral materials. Proficient in several languages, Tasher's engagements as both a singer and a conductor have brought her to nearly 10 states and 20 countries for concerts, festivals, workshops or as a featured soloist in addition to a full array of choral octavos for mixed voices, recent masterworks include Bach St. John Passion, Brahms Requiem. Handel Messiah and Orff Carmina Burana. UNF is proud to have recently added Professor Wayne Balley to our ranks, conducting the Men's and Women's Chorales. Additional voice faculty include newly appointed tenor Dr. Jimmy Hall (voice area coordinator), baritone Dr. Krzysztof Biernacki (opera), Michelle Amato (jazz), Karen Coker and Marilyn Smart (diction).

Session with Dr. Gordon Brock, "Making it happen!" Thursday, Jan. 10, 2013 at 2:45 p.m. In TCC 9

How do we make things happen when it seems there are insurmountable odds against it? Every educator is familiar with this feeling and has certainly grappled with the challenges. Continually intrigued by the discussion, this session offers a brief and entertaining perspective on those concepts that have inspired Dr. Brock to be a better teacher.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
8 a.m 5 p.m.	FOA Adjudicator Certification Seminar		Waterside, Meeting Room 2
9 a.m 6 p.m.	FBA Adjudication Training Seminar	Kenneth Williams	TCC, 5
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FBA Recertification Seminar		TCC, 9
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FVA Adjudicator Recertification		Waterside, Meeting Room 4
10 a.m 12 noon	FMEA Board of Directors Meeting	Sheila S. King	TCC, 3
10:30 a.m 7 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
1 p.m 2 p.m.	FMEA PRE-CONFERENCE OPENING SESSION Florida Performing Fine Arts Assessment - Where Are We and Where Are We Going?	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert, Don West	TCC, 18
1 p.m 7 p.m.	FVA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 3
1 p.m 3 p.m.	FVA Executive Board Committee Meetings		TCC, 34
1 p.m 3 p.m.	FBA Classification Meeting		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FBA Auxiliary Adjudication Seminar		TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 5:30 p.m.	FMEA Student Leadership Workshop	Kevin Ford, Fran Kick	TCC, West Hall
2 p.m 5:30 p.m.	New and New to Florida Teacher Pre-Conference Sessions	Beth Cummings	TCC, 15
2 p.m 4 p.m.	How to Begin to Prepare for Assessments in Music by Unpacking the NGSSS	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert	TCC, 18
3 p.m 4:30 p.m.	All-State Ensemble Coordinators Meeting	John K. Southall	TCC, 37
4 p.m 7 p.m.	FMSA Business Meeting		TCC, 36
5 p.m 7 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Committee Meeting 3		TCC, 34
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Professional Resources Meeting		TCC, 35
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Music Performance Assessment Committee Meeting		TCC, 37
5 p.m 6 p.m.	FBA Committee Meeting 4		TCC, 39
5 p.m 7 p.m.	FOA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 7
7:30 p.m 9:30 p.m.	FMEA PRESIDENT'S CONCERT		TCC, Ballroom A
	Boynton Beach High School Dimensional Harmony Director: Sterling Frederick		
	Eau Gallie High School Symphonic Band Director: Thomas Singletary		
	Titusville High School Symphony Orchestra Directors: Jennifer Zahn, Ian Schwindt, Marcey Sperr		
8:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
8:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	FOA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 7



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7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Across the Curriculum	Jill Gallina	TCC, 15
7:45 a.m 10:15 a.m.	FMEA New and New to Florida Teacher Resource Room	Beth Cummings	TCC, 17
7:45 a.m 10 a.m.	FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
8 a.m 10 a.m.	FVA Executive Board Meeting		TCC, 3
8 a.m 6 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Meet the All-State Conductors	Bobby Adams, Robert W. Rumbelow	TCC, 1
9 a.m 10 a.m.	FMEA Emerging Leaders	Judy Bowers	TCC, 10
9 a.m 10 a.m.	All Jazzed Up About Orff	Katie Carlisle	TCC, 11
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Ride the Waves - Incorporating Sound Energy Experiments Into the General Elementary Music Class	Paul McLaughlin	TCC, 13
9 a.m 10 a.m.	Words to Rhythms - A Natural Collaboration	Christine Hill	TCC, 15
9 a.m 10 a.m.	FMEA All-State Student Leadership Workshop	Kevin Ford, Fran Kick	TCC, West Hall
10:30 a.m 12:15 p.m.	FMEA FIRST GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION	Sheila S. King	TCC, Ballroom A
	Florida Gulf Coast University - Bower School of Music Chamber Choir Director: Trent R. Brown		
	University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra Director: William W. Wiedrich		
	University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott		
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA Elementary Music Curriculum Fair		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
12:15 p.m 1:15 p.m.	FEMEA All-State Elementary Chorus Registration		TCC, West Hall
12:20 p.m 12:40 p.m.	FMEA EXHIBITS GRAND OPENING Wharton High School Percussion Ensemble Directors: Jason Algair, Doug Moser		TCC, East Hall
12:30 p.m 1 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Guitar Ensemble, Conductor: Stephen Robinson		TCC, 20
12:30 p.m 6 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
12:50 p.m 1:25 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Miami Country Day School Contemporary Music Ensemble Director: John Wicker		TCC, Lobby Stage
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Living Literature Project Development of Original Performance Pieces Using Children's Literature	Angelyn Hirai	TCC, 10
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Percussion Games and Activities for Elementary Classrooms	Steve Campbell	TCC, 11

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2013

TIME	, JANUART TU, 2013 EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Making Each Minute Count - "If I Don't Have the Time to Teach It Right, How Will I Ever Find the Time to Teach It Over?"	Cheryl Lavender	TCC, 13
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The World Music Drumming Curriculum: An Interdisciplinary Co- Curricular Approach to Music Education	James Mader	TCC, 15
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Chamber Winds in the High School Band: What, Why, When and How	Colbert Howell	TCC, 17
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Successful Tips for the High School Band Director	Shelby R. Chipman	TCC, 18
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Choral Diction - Achieving Ensemble With a "Sound" Approach	Constantina Tsolainou	TCC, 20
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Playing in Balance	Mimi Zweig	TCC, 3
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Mixing It Up: Sound Systems and Applications	Michael Vetter	TCC, 31
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Scoring Music for Film	Dennis Vincent	TCC, 36
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	A 12-Step Program for Preparing a Research Proposal	Stephen Zdzinski	TCC, 37
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The Collaborative Music Department: Redefining Success	Jason Locker, Jon Sever	TCC, 5
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	The Incomplete Curriculum	Kevin Albright, Cynthia Johnson	TCC, 7
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Fix It, We'll Show You How! Resurrect Your Percussion Now!	Sandy Lantz	TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	CONCERT University of North Florida Jazz Collective, Director: Lynne Arriale		TCC, Ballroom A
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Warm-Ups for Guitar: Advancing Your Students' Sound and Technique	Christopher Perez	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Member Check-In and Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
2 p.m 2:30 p.m.	CONCERT Polk County Schools All-County Piano Concert and Demonstration Director: Beth Cummings		TCC, Ballroom D
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Student LEADerSHIP	Jeremy D. Klein	TCC, 10
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	District MPA Sight-Reading: Preparation in the Classroom = Less Sight-Reading Room Stress for You and Your Students	Ree Nathan	TCC, 11
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	On the Road to Nashville: Cultivating Elementary Songwriters	Iran Garcia, Kathleen Kerstetter	TCC, 13
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	How to Assess Without the Stress	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 15
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Middle and High School Flute and Piccolo Technique	Nora Lee Garcia	TCC, 17
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Preparing for FBA State Solo & Ensemble MPA	Ann Adams, Lynn Musco	TCC, 18
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Who Stole the Cookie From the Cookie Jar?	Sterling Frederick	TCC, 20
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	StringSpeak for the Non-String Player	David Eccles	TCC, 3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	MOODLE for Your Noodle: Increased Comprehension Through eLearning	Charlotte Brasell	TCC, 31
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Reed and Mouthpiece Mechanics	Andy Blanco	TCC, 36
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Adapting for Students With Disabilities in the Instrumental Ensemble	Julie Heath, Shaun R. Popp, Charlie Rankin, David Rosa, Stephen Zdzinski	TCC, 37
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THURSDAY, JANUARY 10, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
3 p.m 3:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Southwest Middle School Singers, Director: Rebecca Gregorio Hammac		TCC, Lobby Stage
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Pedagogy to Performance	Michael Roberts	TCC, 10
4 p.m 5 p.m.	The World Music Drumming Curriculum for the Middle and High School Years	James Mader	TCC, 11
4 p.m 5 p.m.	The Singing Voice: Our Primary Instrument	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
4 p.m 5 p.m.	How to Assess Without the Stress	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 15
4 p.m 5 p.m.	LMAO: Teaching the 21st Century High School Singer	Denise R. Eaton	TCC, 17
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Solid Foundations for Clarinet	Gary Bottomley, Kathleen Kinion, James Matthews, Jennifer Zahn	TCC, 18
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Have No Fear, Read It First Here: Selections for SA, SSA, SSAA and SATB	Cara Tasher	TCC, 20
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Culturally Responsive Teaching in the Orchestra Classroom	Rebecca MacLeod	TCC, 3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Doing More With Your SMART Board	Carol Carstensen	TCC, 31
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration With General Educators	Cathy Benedict	TCC, 37
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Integrated Movement for String Players	Melissa Kraut	TCC, 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Uncovering Meaning in Voice Change: Esteem, Identity and Transformation	Craig Denison, Maria Denison	TCC, 7
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Cellos and Basses Are From Mars, Violins and Violas Are From Venus - Low Strings Workshop	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 9
4 p.m 5 p.m.	CONCERT University of Central Florida Wind Ensemble, Director: Scott Tobias		TCC, Ballroom A
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Guitar 1 Pedagogy for All	Joe Sandusky	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	A New Approach in Secondary Music Theory Instruction	Alyssa Kassler	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Jazz Improvisation for Band Directors	Al Hager	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Delivering a Quality 21st Century Music Education in the New Global Economy	Alvin Davis	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
5 p.m 5:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT Gaither High School Percussion Ensemble, Director: Brian P. Dell		TCC, Lobby Stage
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 1 & 2 Meeting		TCC, 11
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 6 & 7 Meeting		TCC, 13
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5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA District 3 Meeting		TCC, 5
5:15 p.m 5:45 p.m.	FEMEA Districts 4 & 5 Meeting		TCC, 7
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6 p.m 7 p.m.	FEMEA General Business Meeting	Lisa Hewitt	TCC, 13
6:30 p.m 8 p.m.	FBA General Business Meeting		TCC, 18
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8:30 p.m 9:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT University of South Florida Symphony Orchestra Director: William W. Wiedrich		TCC, Ballroom A
9:30 p.m 10:30 p.m.	UNIVERSITY NIGHT CONCERT University of North Florida Jazz Ensemble 1 University of North Florida Jazz Faculty Director: J.B. Scott		TCC, Ballroom A





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7 a.m 8:50 a.m.	FMEA Awards Breakfast	Debbie Fahmie	TCC, 20
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Putting Classroom Technology to Work	Bradley L. Bonner	TCC, 10
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Dyno-Drumming!	Sandy Lantz, Gretchen Wahlberg	TCC, 11
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	A Story, A Song and We're Moving Along: Theme-Based Learning in the Early Childhood Music Classroom	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences	Artie Almeida	TCC, 15
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Teacher 2.0: Managing Your Program in the Digital Age	Andrew Zweibel	TCC, 17
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Achieving an Artistic Vibrato in the String Class	Rebecca MacLeod	TCC, 3
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Secondary General Music: Bringing the Content to Life!	Seth Pendergast	TCC, 31
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Maximizing Your Marching Band Rehearsal Time	Bob Buckner	TCC, 36
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Music Technology 101: Recording Techniques for the Music Educator	Kawachi Clemons	TCC, 37
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Crank Up Your Classroom With QuaverMusic.com!	Graham Hepburn	TCC, 5
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Theory & Ear Training Made Fun: Engaging Students in Individualized Instruction and Assessment	Peter Kelly	TCC, 7
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Beat for Peace: Engaging At-Risk Students Through the Talking Drum	Michelle King	TCC, 9
7:45 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Power Chord Techniques	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
7:45 a.m 11:30 a.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
8 a.m 7 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
9 a.m 10:15 a.m.	FMEA SECOND GENERAL MEMBERSHIP SESSION  Touch - USF iPad Quintet, Director: David A. Williams  The U.S. Army Brass Quintet, Director: Terry Bingham  The Florida Orchestra Percussion Ensemble, Director: David Coash	Sheila S. King	TCC, Ballroom A
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Enhancing Access to Music Programs Through Collaborations	Judith Evans	TCC, 10
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Lift Me Up! Adding Movement to Your Choral Program	Andy Beck	TCC, 11
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Not a Typical "Arts Integration" Session	Michelle Berra	TCC, 13
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Awesome Books With Musical Hooks	Katharine Miller	TCC, 15
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Meet the New Generation Gemeinhardt	David Pirtle	TCC, 17
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Beginning Band Strategies for All Ages	Malena Calle, Susana M. Lalama, Erich S. Rivero	TCC, 18
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Experiential Learning and Expressive Singing	Judy Bowers	TCC, 20
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Teaching Études and Scales Musically	Mimi Zweig	TCC, 3

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Music Technology Lesson Plans for Teachers Too Busy to Write Music Technology Lesson Plans	Dustin Hinzman	TCC, 31
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Students With Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD): Implications for Music Educators	Mary Adamek	TCC, 36
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Manage Your Stress While Maintaining Harmony in the Music Classroom	Adrianna Andrews-Marshall	TCC, 37
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	ASBDA Clinic: MPAs for Dummies - Revisited	Bruce Brazinski, Jason Duckett, J. Eric Miles, Lee Ponder	TCC, 5
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Music and Literacy: The Research, Connections and Strategies	Christine Fisher	TCC, 7
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Make Theory and Ear Training Easy - Use the Cloud!	Kelly Demoline, Peter Kelly	TCC, 9
10:30 a.m 6:30 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 1	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
10:30 a.m 11 a.m.	MINI-CONCERT Sebastian River High School Caribbean Steel Drum Ensemble Director: Sara Gover DiPardo		TCC, Lobby Stage
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Teaching Improvisation in the School Ensemble or Instrumental Studio	Stanley Haskins	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Musicianship in Middle School Band? Yeah, Right!	Larry Clark	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
10:30 a.m 11:30 a.m.	Tricks for Teaching Beginning Improvisation	Michael Wilkinson	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
11:30 a.m 1:30 p.m.	ACDA Luncheon	Scott Leaman	Hyatt, Garrison
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Establishing Focus and Ensemble Sound: Innovative Warm-Ups for Middle School Band	David Lee Sellers, Jr.	TCC, 10
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Moving Beyond the Program Notes: Using Descriptive Language to Engage Students in Music	Matthew McCutchen	TCC, 11
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Purposeful Pathways: Possibilities for the Elementary Music Room	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Sing! Move! Play! A Potpourri of Joyful Music-Making Experiences	Artie Almeida	TCC, 15
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	A New Way to Elevate Your Performance Program	Jean McKen	TCC, 17
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Techniques for Building the Low Brass Section of Your Dreams	Gail Robertson	TCC, 18
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	The Voices in My Head: A Philosophy for Rehearsing	Will Kesling	TCC, 20
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Orchestra Rehearsal Techniques	David Eccles	TCC, 3
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	iCanDoThis! - iPad in the Music Class	Jason Litt	TCC, 31
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Empowering Students for Productive Practice	William I. Bauer	TCC, 36
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Using Popular Music to Increase Literacy in Your Percussion Section	Lawrence Young	TCC, 37
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	I've Got My Keys Now What? Strategies for Surviving Your First Year of Teaching	Jeffrey Miller	TCC, 39
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	ASBDA Clinic: The Three Ws: Why, Who and When to Bring in a Guest Conductor	Jeff Cayer, Jon Eckman, James Hacker	TCC, 5
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Assessment in the Choral Classroom: Maximizing Achievement in the Choral Arts	Derrick Fox	TCC, 7
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Music, Culture & the Brain	Steven Demorest	TCC, 9
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Strumming Chords, Part 2	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
11:45 a.m 1 p.m.	Florida Retired Music Educators: Sharing Models for Arts Collaborations		Embassy, Atrium
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Designing Measurement Tools for Music Performance Assessment	Brian Wesolowski	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	I Belong! Engaging Students in Band - Choir - Orchestra for a Better Performance	Wendy Barden	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
11:45 a.m 12:45 p.m.	Jazz Ensemble Techniques for the Classically Trained Director	Mark Belfast	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
12 noon - 1 p.m.	FMEA Research Poster Session		TCC, East Hall
12 noon - 12:30 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT St. Luke's Lutheran School Harps and Keys, Director: Scott Baumer		TCC, Lobby Stage

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.	CONCERT Freedom High School Guitar Orchestra, Director: Christopher Perez		TCC, West Hall
1 p.m 1:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Elementary Chorus, Conductor: Earlene Rentz		TCC, Ballroom A
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Drumset for the Non-Percussionist	Mike Wendeln	TCC, 10
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Jazz Workshop With the Pros: Vocal Jazz	Lisa Kelly-Scott	TCC, 11
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Orff for Little Peeps	Deanna Stark	TCC, 13
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Inspiration and Integration: Models for Uniting Music With Other Disciplines	Matt McCoy	TCC, 15
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	ASBDA Business Meeting		TCC, 17
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Review of the Pre-Conference - Performing Fine Arts Assessment Project	Beth Cummings, Mary Grace Gordon, John M. Seybert	TCC, 18
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	30 Girls and Three Boys. What Can We Sing for MPA?	Jennifer Rock	TCC, 20
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Empowering Students - Attitude and Learning	Melissa Kraut	TCC, 3
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	FREE Technology for Musicians and Music Educators	Barbara Ann Freedman	TCC, 31
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Back to Basics: Steps to Establishing Solid Rhythm, Intonation and Tone From the Beginning!	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 36
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Musical Ingenuity	Richard Beckford	TCC, 37
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Improvisation - Take the Fear Out, Put the Fun In	Jim Tinter	TCC, 5
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Uniting Music Education: Models for Collaboration	Judy Bowers	TCC, 7
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Music for Life: More Than a Slogan	Don Coffman, Alice-Ann Darrow	TCC, 9
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Teaching Notation	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	MINI-CONCERT tallaBRASSee, Director: William Haugeberg		TCC, Lobby Stage
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Scanning Sheet Music	Tom Johnson	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Painless Assessment in the Music Classroom: Quick and Easy Ways to Assess While Supporting, Not Interrupting, Your Performance and Rehearsal Agenda	Timothy J. Groulx	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
1:30 p.m 2:30 p.m.	Jazz Articulations for Saxophone	Jeff Rupert	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Helping Your Struggling Readers!	Meghan Alfaro	TCC, 10
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Jazz Band 101: The Missing Manual	R. Gary Langford	TCC, 11
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Movement: "Aaaah" or "Aaargh!"	Deanna Stark	TCC, 13
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Interactive Improvisation	Matt McCoy	TCC, 15
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Suggested Repertoire for a Successful Percussion MPA Performance	John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw	TCC, 17
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Phi Beta Mu Clinic: Sonority; Without It Nothing Else Matters!	Andrew J. Crew	TCC, 18
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Teaching for Transfer in Choral Rehearsals	Matthew Garrett, Sean Linfors, Tesfa Wondemagegnehu	TCC, 20
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	New Music Reading Session	Nancy Beebe	TCC, 3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The SMART Board in Elementary Music	Jennifer Carter, Jessica Fredricks, Luke Hart, Lynn McCoy, Ann McFall	TCC, 31
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Rehearsal Hierarchy of Needs	Jeremy Woolstenhulme	TCC, 36
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Unleashing the Power of Sound Innovations: The Revolutionary New Band and String Method	Robert Sheldon	TCC, 37
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Music Education and Performance, A Cross Generational Case Study of	Amy Thrift	TCC, 39

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2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Here Comes the Judge	Ronald Burrichter, Brenda Smith	TCC, 5
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Meet the Supervisors	Monty Musgrave	TCC, 7
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The Challenges and Rewards of Parenting and Teaching a Teen With Asperger Syndrome	Judy Arthur, Suzanne Byrnes, William Fredrickson	TCC, 9
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 1	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	Advanced String Methods for the Non-String Teacher: What You Didn't Learn in College	David Pope	Waterside, Meeting Room 1
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	How I Use SmartMusic at Ransom Everglades Middle School	Cathi Leibinger	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
2:45 p.m 3:45 p.m.	The Importance of Fundamentals in Developing Comprehensive Musicianship and Ability to Play in Diverse Styles	Dennis Vincent	Waterside, Meeting Room 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Starting Your Strings - It's All About the Beginning	Bob Phillips	TCC, 10
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Jazz Music Reading Session	Al Hager	TCC, 11
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Beginning a Dynamic Recorder Program	Jim Tinter	TCC, 13
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Simply Schulwerk	Sue Mueller	TCC, 15
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Turning Your Drummers Into Percussionists and Then Into Musicians	John Bannon, David Coash, Kurt Grissom, John Shaw	TCC, 17
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Green Eggs and Ham: Creative Concert Programming	Andy Beck	TCC, 18
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Practical Repertoire for Building Tone and Musicianship (High School/ Advanced Middle School: TB, TBB, TTBB, SATB and SAB)	Ryan Hebert	TCC, 20
4 p.m 5 p.m.	21st Century String Pedagogy	Charles Laux, Jr.	TCC, 3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Avoid Extinction With Technology	Radio Cremata	TCC, 31
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Melodic Learning: Transforming the Teaching/Learning Paradigm Through the Neuroscience of Music	Susan Homan	TCC, 36
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FMEA Black Caucus Business Meeting and Reception		TCC, 37
4 p.m 5 p.m.	International Teaching Opportunities for Music Educators	Russell Robinson	TCC, 5
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Interview Strategies for Future Music Educators	Monty Musgrave	TCC, 7
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Music, Cognition and Neuroscience	Steven Demorest	TCC, 9
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Guitar Lab: Pop Song Jam Session, Part 2	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
4 p.m 5 p.m.	FCMEA Meeting		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
4 p.m 5 p.m.	Improving Music Teacher Leadership: What Every Educator Must Know About Policy in Times of High Accountability	Cathy Benedict, Patrick Schmidt	Waterside, Meeting Room 4
4:30 p.m 5:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Intercollegiate Band, Conductor: Michael Haithcock		TCC, Ballroom A
6 p.m 7:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Men's Chorus, Conductor: Michael Dye All-State Reading Chorus, Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope		TCC, West Hall
7:30 p.m 9 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT High School Honors Band, Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips All-State Jazz Band, Conductor: Bill Prince		TCC, Ballroom A
7:45 p.m 9:15 p.m.	Folk Dance for Learning, Folk Dance for Fun	Roger Sams	TCC, 13
9:15 p.m 10:15 p.m.	CONCERT The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own" Brass Quintet Director: Terry Bingham		TCC, Ballroom A



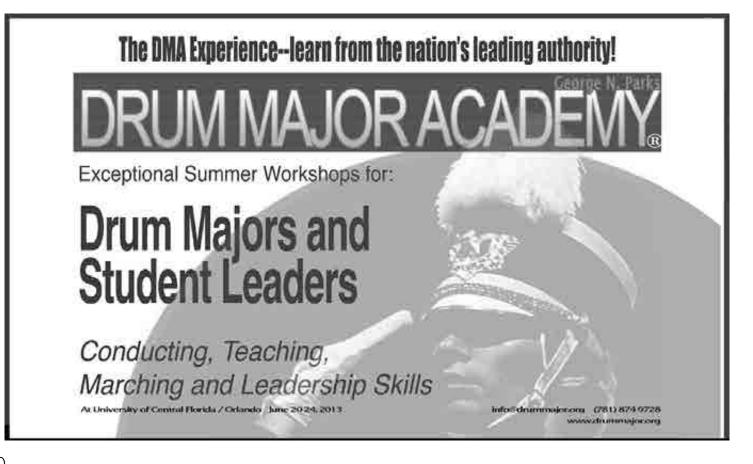


SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
7 a.m 8:30 a.m.	FOA Past Presidents Breakfast		Waterside, Meeting Room 1
7 a.m 8:30 a.m.	FMEA Past Presidents Breakfast		Waterside, Meeting Room 2
8 a.m 8:40 a.m.	Phi Beta Mu Business Meeting		TCC, 18
8 a.m 1 p.m.	FMEA Registration Desk Open		TCC, Lobby
8:30 a.m 9 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT High School Honors Orchestra, Conductor: Andrew Lane		TCC, West Hall
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	FEMEA Resource Room		TCC, 1
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	It's May - I Think I Can!	Deanna Stark	TCC, 10
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Orff Schulwerk: A Creative Community	Sue Mueller	TCC, 13
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	A Band Director's Guide to the Percussion Section: Performance Techniques in Standard and Contemporary Wind Band Literature	Jeffrey Moore	TCC, 18
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Band and Choral Conductors: What Can We Learn From Each Other?	Frances Fonza, Shaun R. Popp	TCC, 20
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	A Fresh Look at Conn-Selmer	Derek Bowen	TCC, 3
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	FCMEA Business Meeting		TCC, 36
8:45 a.m 9:45 a.m.	Guitar Lab: Capo Use and Barre Chord Techniques	Edward Prasse	Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 1-3
8:45 a.m 11 a.m.	FEMEA Idea Exchange		TCC, Pre-Function Area Outside 14-16
9 a.m 1 p.m.	FMEA Conference Exhibition		TCC, East Hall
9:30 a.m 10 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT Middle School Honors Orchestra, Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo		TCC, West Hall
10 a.m 11 a.m.	Salsa - Picante - Spicy: Latin Music Styles	Alejandro Jimenez	TCC, 10
10 a.m 11 a.m.	Collaborative Composition: Speech Pieces From Start to Finish	Matt McCoy	TCC, 13
10 a.m 11:15 a.m.	NAfME Collegiate General Business Meeting 2		TCC, 18
10 a.m 11 a.m.	The Jazz Vocal Ensemble: What Is It and How Does It Work?	Lawrence Lapin	TCC, 20
10 a.m 12 noon	CBDNA Business Meeting		TCC, 3
10 a.m 11 a.m.	What's New in Music Technology K-12	Jody Underwood	TCC, 31
10 a.m 10:45 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Treble Chorus, Conductor: Elena Sharkova		Waterside, Grand Ballroom
10:30 a.m 11 a.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Orchestra, Conductor: Deborah Perkins		TCC, West Hall
11 a.m 12:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Band, Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon Middle School Honors Band, Conductor: Eric W. Mendez		TCC, Ballroom A

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 2013

TIME	EVENT	PRESENTER(S)	LOCATION
11:15 a.m 12:15 p.m.	Schulwerk and the Arts, a Collaboration	Sue Mueller	TCC, 13
11:15 a.m 12:15 p.m.	MUTECH: A Customized Multi-Instrument Digital Lab	Jody Underwood	TCC, 31
11:30 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Gems of Choral Literature	Z. Randall Stroope	TCC, West Hall
12:30 p.m 1:30 p.m.	FEMEA Choral Reading Session	Grace Jordan	TCC, 13
12:30 p.m 2 p.m.	Florida Vocal Association Past Presidents Luncheon		Waterside, Marriott Waterside Café
1 p.m 1:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus, Conductor: Trey Jacobs		Waterside, Grand Ballroom
1:30 p.m 5 p.m.	FEMEA Board Meeting		TCC, 1
1:30 p.m 2 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Orchestra, Conductor: John Whitney		TCC, Ballroom A
3 p.m 3:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Band, Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow		TCC, Ballroom A
5 p.m 5:30 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Women's Chorus, Conductor: Mitos Andaya		TCC, Ballroom A
6:15 p.m 6:45 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Concert Chorus, Conductor: André J. Thomas		TCC, Ballroom A
7:30 p.m 8 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Symphonic Orchestra, Conductor: William LaRue Jones		TCC, Ballroom A
9 p.m 9:40 p.m.	ALL-STATE CONCERT All-State Symphonic Band, Conductor: Bobby Adams		TCC, Ballroom A





# Rehearsal Sites & Times

#### All-State Middle School Mixed Chorus

Hyatt Regency, Regency 1-3/ Marriott Waterside

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m2 p.m.
Thursday	2 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1:30 p.m4:30 p.m.
Saturday	11:30 a.m12:30 p.m.,
-	MW, Grand Ballroom

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 1 p.m., Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom Conductor: Trey Jacobs

#### **All-State Treble Chorus**

Hyatt Regency, Regency 5-7/ Marriott Waterside

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m2 p.m.
Thursday	2 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1:30 p.m4:30 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m9:30 a.m.,
	MW, Grand Ballroom

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 10 a.m., Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom

Conductor: Elena Sharkova

#### **All-State Guitar Ensemble**

Marriott Waterside/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Tuesday	7 p.m9 p.m., MW, 8
Wednesday	8:30 a.m5 p.m., MW, 7
Thursday	8:30 a.m12 noon, MW,
	Florida Ballroom, 1-3
Thursday	. 12 noon-12:30 p.m., TCC, 20

#### CONCERT:

Thursday, January 10, 2013, 12:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, 20 Conductor: Stephen Robinson

#### All-State Concert Band

Sheraton Riverwalk, Riverwalk Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### RESEATING AUDITIONS:

Thursday, 9 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m12 noon
Saturday	2:30 p.m3 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 3 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Robert W. Rumbelow

#### **All-State Concert Chorus**

Marriott Waterside, Grand Ballroom/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.
Thursday	1:30 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	5:15 p.m5:30 p.m., TCC, 18
Saturday	5:45 p.m6:15 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 6:15 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: André J. Thomas

#### All-State Concert Orchestra

Marriott Waterside, Florida Ballroom, Salons 5-6/Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m10:30 a.m.
Saturday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 1:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

Conductor: John Whitney



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#### All-State Elementary Chorus

Tampa Convention Center, West Hall & Ballroom A

#### **REHEARSALS:**

#### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 1 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Earlene Rentz

#### All-State Intercollegiate Band

Doubletree Westshore, Lake Forest Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	9 a.m11 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m12 noon
Friday	3:30 p.m4:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

CONCERT: Friday, January 11, 2013, 4:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A

Conductor: Michael Haithcock

#### **All-State Jazz Band**

Tampa Convention Center, 30A & Ballroom A

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Wednesday	2 p.m9 p.m., 30A
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m., 30A
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m., 30A
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m., 30A
Friday	8:30 a.m12 noon, 30A
Friday5:30 p	o.m6:30 p.m., Ballroom A

#### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Bill Prince

#### All-State Middle School Band

Hyatt Regency, Buccaneer/ Tampa Convention Center

#### RESEATING AUDITIONS:

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m., Hyatt Regency Buccaneer

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m9 a.m., TCC, 22
Saturday	9:30 a.m10 a.m.,
-	TCC, Ballroom A

#### CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 11 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Cleve A. Maloon

#### **All-State Symphonic Band**

Tampa Convention Center, 22

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m10:30 a.m.	
Flute	TCC, 7
Horn	TCC, 5
Trombone	TCC, 9
Percussion	TCC, 22
Tuba, Euphonium	TCC, 24
Clarinet	TCC, 36
Sax, Double Reed	TCC, 37
Trumpet	TCC, 39

#### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.
Saturday	8:30 p.m9 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 9 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Bobby Adams

#### All-State Symphonic Orchestra

Tampa Convention Center, 24

#### RESEATING AUDITIONS: Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

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Violin I	TCC, 20
Violin II	TCC, 18
Viola, Bass	TCC, 34
Cello	TCC, 35

#### REHEARSALS:

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10:30 a.m12:30 p.m.
Saturday	7 p.m7:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: William LaRue Jones

#### **All-State Women's Chorus**

The Westin Harbour Island, Harbour Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	.3:45 p.m4:15 p.m., TCC, 24
Saturday	4:30 p.m5 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 5 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Mitos Andaya





#### **High School Honors Band**

Sheraton Riverwalk, Bayshore Ballroom/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Friday	6:45 p.m7:30 p.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Friday, January 11, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Douglas L. Phillips

#### **Middle School Honors Band**

Hyatt Regency, Esplanade/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m10 a.m.
Saturday	8 a.m9:30 a.m., TCC, 24
Saturday	10:30 a.m11 a.m.,
	TCC, Ballroom A

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 11 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, Ballroom A Conductor: Eric W. Mendez

#### **All-State Men's Chorus**

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Gandy/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Friday	5:30 p.m6 p.m.,
	TCC, West Hall

#### CONCERT:

Friday, January 11, 2013, 6 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Michael Dye

#### All-State Middle School Orchestra

Marriott Waterside, 8/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m9 a.m.
Thursday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9:30 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m10:30 a.m.,
	TCC, West Hall

#### CONCERT:

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 10:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Deborah Perkins

#### All-State Reading Chorus

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Bayside Ballroom/Tampa Convention Center

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	1 p.m1:30 p.m.
Thursday	1:30 p.m5 p.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m4:30 p.m.
Friday	4:45 p.m5:15 p.m.,
•	TCC, West Hall

#### **REQUIRED PERFORMANCE:**

Gems of Choral Li	terature Session
Saturday	11 a.m12:30 p.m.,
	TCC. West Hall

#### **CONCERT:**

Friday, January 11, 2013, 6 p.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Z. Randall Stroope



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#### High School Honors Orchestra

Embassy Suites-Downtown, Skyway/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.,
-	TCC, West Hall

#### **CONCERT:**

Saturday, January 12, 2013, 8:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall

Conductor: Andrew Lane

#### Middle School Honors Orchestra

Sheraton Riverwalk, Riverview/ Tampa Convention Center

#### **RESEATING AUDITIONS:**

Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. & 1 p.m.-5 p.m.

#### **REHEARSALS:**

Thursday	8 a.m8:30 a.m.
Thursday	7 p.m9 p.m.
Friday	8:30 a.m11:30 a.m.
Friday	1 p.m5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m9:30 a.m.,
•	TCC, West Hall

#### **CONCERT:**

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Saturday, January 12, 2013, 9:30 a.m., Tampa Convention Center, West Hall Conductor: Elliot Del Borgo



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#### FMEA 2012 HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

This prestigious award honors individuals for outstanding contributions over an extended period of time to music and education in Florida as well as throughout the nation. The awardees are elected by the FMEA Executive Board upon recommendation of the Hall of Fame committee.

# Congratulations to 2012 Hall of Fame Inductees

Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D., and Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D.

Joyce Jordan-DeCarbo, Ph.D., is professor and department chair emeritus in music education and music therapy at the University of Miami (Fla.) Frost School of Music. Her area of expertise is general music, K-12 and early childhood music education. She was primarily involved in the teacher-training program, teaching elementary and secondary general music



education methods classes and serving as the coordinator of all music internships and supervisor of elementary placements. In addition, she taught graduate courses in general music education, pedagogy and early childhood music education and guided both master's theses and doctoral dissertations. Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo received the B.M. in piano performance (1965), the M.M.E. from the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music (1970) and the Ph.D. in music education from Kent State University (1981).

Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo is an active researcher in early childhood music education and has published widely in music education journals, including Journal of Research in Music Education, Council for Research in Music Education, Psychomusicology and *General Music Today.* Over her career she has presented research and served as a clinician at international, national and local venues regarding the importance of music from birth through the elementary years. Awards include: president, Florida College Music Educators Association (1988) and founder of Research Perspectives in Music Education during that term; Florida College Teacher of the Year (1997); University of Miami Philip Frost Award for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship (1999); Kent State School of Music Alumni Achievement Award (2003); Lifetime Membership Award from Early Childhood Music and Movement Association (2006); Award for Excellence in Early Childhood Programming by Miami Children's Trust

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Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D., is associate dean of administration and professor of music education and music therapy emeritus at the University of Miami (Fla.), where he oversaw all administrative matters in the Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music, taught conducting and undergraduate and graduate courses in instrumental methods, supervised associ-

ate teachers and guided numerous graduate student theses and dissertations. A native of Youngstown, Ohio, Dr. DeCarbo attended Youngstown State University, where he received the bachelor's (1968) and master's (1971) degrees in music education. He received the Ph.D. in music education from Kent State University (1981), where he received the University Graduate Teaching Award. He taught at Louisiana State University for one year before coming to the University of Miami School of Music in 1982.

Dr. DeCarbo began his teaching career in the public schools of West Middlesex (Penn.), where he taught instrumental music at the elementary, junior high and senior high school levels for 10 years. In addition, he served as music director and conductor of the Youngstown (Ohio) Symphony Youth Orchestra for 12 years. Dr. DeCarbo studied advanced conducting with Franz Bibo and John Boyd. He has more than 400 guest conducting experiences throughout the United States, Canada and Mexico in chamber music, opera, symphony orchestra and wind bands. For 25 years, Dr. DeCarbo was the music director and conductor of the South Florida Honor Band Festival, which brought together talented high school instrumentalists from across the state of Florida to the Frost School of Music campus for two days of master classes, large ensemble rehearsals and a performance for the public.

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Foundation (2006); 25-Year Service Award from Florida Music Educators' Association (2009); tapped for membership in Beta Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Lambda Graduate Honor Society (2010); and an honored VIP member of Covington *Who's Who* (2012).

Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo served as president of the Early Childhood Music and Movement Association (ECMMA) from 1996 to 1998. ECMMA is the only organization committed to advocacy for music and movement for children from birth to 8 years old. She continues to serve on the editorial research review board for ECMMA Perspectives, the official journal of the organization. She published quarterly articles in Early Childhood Connections from 1995 to 2005, a broadly circulated journal focused on the impact of the arts on children's early development. She is the co-author of the chapter "Music and Early Childhood Education" in The New Handbook of Research on Music Teaching and Learning, published in 2002. Following six years of research with infants to 5-year-olds, supported by grants from the Miami Children's Trust, Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo was the lead author of a chapter in the book Learning From Young Children: Research in Early Childhood Music, published in 2011. She continues to advocate for music in preschools. She and colleague Dr. Joy Galliford have created a research-based curriculum, Experience the Music, that is easily integrated into a preschool schedule and can be delivered by the classroom teacher.

A native of Louisville, Ky., Dr. Jordan-DeCarbo has one brother and one sister and seven great nieces and nephews, who continue to reside in Louisville.

#### Nicholas DeCarbo, Ph.D.

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Dr. DeCarbo has published research in the major journals in music education, including the *Journal of Research in Music Education, Journal of Band Research, Contributions to Music Education, Research Perspectives in Music Education* and *Music Educators Journal*. His main research interests are error detection for conductors and administration in higher education in music. He published *Error Detection for Conductors* (4<sup>th</sup> edition) with Richard Fiese. He has chapters in books for Oxford University Press (*The New Handbook in Teaching and Learning*), the National Association of Schools of Music and the College Music Society. Dr. DeCarbo served as editor for *Research Perspectives in Music Education* from 1998 to 2000 for the Florida Music Educators' Association and was on its editorial board from 2000 to 2012. He was research chairman for FMEA from 1986 to 1988.

Dr. DeCarbo received the Phillip Frost Award for Excellence in Teaching and Scholarship from the Frost School of Music faculty in 2006. When he retired from the University of Miami in May 2011, President Donna Shalala honored Dr. DeCarbo for his exemplary work at the university. Dr. DeCarbo has one brother, Michael. Michael and his wife, Donna, reside in Enon, Ohio.

Please help me to applaud
all these worthy awardees.
As you read about the 2012
FMEA award winners,
you may have exemplary
teachers or programs come
to mind. Please remember
them when next year's nomination period
rolls around.

Debbie Fahmie FMEA Awards Chairwoman

#### Florida Music Educators' Association Selects 2012 Award Winners

The FMEA Awards Program recognizes the efforts and accomplishments of exemplary music teachers, school and district administrators, business leaders and others who have made an outstanding contribution to music education. Their efforts help FMEA attain our mission of promoting a quality, comprehensive music education for all Florida students as a part of a complete education. Please join FMEA in applauding these individuals, as well as all the awardees before them, as we strive to improve music education throughout our state.

#### Superintendent of the Year

The Superintendent of the Year designation is awarded to the Florida school district superintendent who is not a professional music educator, but has displayed ardent support of the district's school music programs. This award recognizes leadership, excellence in encouragement and promotion of music education in Florida schools. The recipient must have demonstrated significant efforts in support of music education, resulting in awareness or enhancement of the county's music program.



Congratulations to Lori White, superintendent, Sarasota County; nominated by Angela Hartvigsen.

**Lori White** has served as superintendent of Sarasota County Schools since 2008 and is

renowned across the district and state for her support of music and arts education. Mrs. White grew up in Sarasota and has spent her entire career as a teacher and then an administrator in the district. She served as director of curriculum and instruction from 1995 to 2003. In 2003, she was appointed associate superintendent of instructional services. Mrs. White attended Florida State University for both her bachelor's and master's degrees. She is married with two grown children and two grandchildren.

Despite an era of challenging budgetary shortfalls and recommendations from an outside audit to cut music and art positions, Mrs. White has staunchly supported the presence of the arts in all of Sarasota's public schools. Her support has led the way to Sarasota County being designated as the seventh district chosen for the Kennedy Center's *Any Given Child* initiative. This initiative addresses access and equity in arts experiences for all students K-8, using the existing resources of the school district, the local arts community and the Kennedy Center. Mrs. White is an eloquent speaker about the arts and their importance to a

child's whole education. She is also proud to tell you about her days playing the violin at school.

#### Music Educator of the Year

The Music Educator of the Year designation is awarded to the music educator who has served his or her students, community and profession in an exemplary manner. This award recognizes outstanding merit in music teaching. The recipient must have demonstrated notable achievement as a music education professional for 10 or more years.



Congratulations to Karen W. Bouton, music teacher from Graceville Elementary School in Jackson County; nominated by Anita Travaglino on behalf of FEMEA.

National board certified teacher Karen Bouton

has touched numerous lives through music throughout Florida. Currently the music teacher at Graceville Elementary (a two-time Music Demonstration School), Mrs. Bouton holds the B.M. from the University of Alabama and the M.S. in music education from Troy University. She is a former Teacher of the Year, and her students have performed at AOSA (1999) and the FMEA conference (2001). Mrs. Bouton has served as the children's choir director and pianist at her church, as an adjunct professor of music education and theory at Florida Baptist College and as an assessor for the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards. She is a writer for item specs, as well as a writer and a reviewer, for the Florida Music Assessment Project.

Her ongoing service to the community is only a small part of her commitment to promoting elementary music education. Mrs. Bouton has been serving on the FEMEA's board of directors since 1997, first as District VI chairwoman, then president-elect, president and now immediate past president. She also served

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on the FMEA's board of directors from 2009 to 2011 and on the Graceville Arts League's board of directors from 2004 to 2009.

Passionate about professional development and providing a comprehensive music education for all students in the state of Florida, Mrs. Bouton has planned and coordinated several workshops throughout Florida and has been an integral part in reaching out to teachers in some of the underserviced areas in the state, especially the panhandle, resulting in increased membership and student achievement. In 2011, Mrs. Bouton initiated and planned the inaugural Panhandle Honors Chorus. In 2012, the event grew tremendously. She is a tireless advocate for music education and an inspiration to both students and teachers alike.

#### Distinguished Service Award

The Distinguished Service designation is awarded to persons or organizations outside the field of professional music education. This award recognizes exceptional service to or support of music education. The recipient(s) must have demonstrated noteworthy contributions to music education, with statewide impact preferred.



Congratulations to Beaches Fine Arts Series, Kathryn Wallis, executive director; nominated by April Laymon on behalf of FEMEA.

In 1972, the **Beaches Fine Arts Series** (BFAS) began offering the people of the Jacksonville

Metropolitan area free world-class music and dance performances eight times a year. St. Paul's by-the-Sea Episcopal Church in Jacksonville Beach is the setting for the majority of the concerts, but BFAS also brings extraordinary artists to downtown Jacksonville at various venues. At least once per season, the annual "Beach Meets West!" program introduces a wider audience to the series. Programming encompasses eclectic styles from classical to contemporary, from jazz to world music and dance, from traditional to avant-garde.

BFAS has always been guided by the belief that great art transcends the artificial boundaries of race, class, religion, education, age and economic status. The concerts are always free to the public. In addition, each performing artist that presents on the series also participates in an educational outreach for the children in Duval County schools. BFAS works closely with Duval County Public Schools' district music coordinators to assure that underserved and inner-city youth have an opportunity to participate in the outreach program. BFAS even pays for bus transportation to the concerts to assure these students are provided this experience.

Once per year, BFAS brings an artist or a group to select

schools for an entire week in an extended residency. This indepth study is complemented with activity books and lesson plans produced by BFAS for teachers to relate art and music with core academic subjects including math, literacy and history. The Duval County community is a brighter and better place as a result of the Beaches Fine Arts Series. Nominator April Laymon says, "Beaches Fine Arts Series not only recognizes the power of the arts—they are a compelling force in making sure that the arts do not disappear from our schools."

#### Leadership Award

The Leadership designation is awarded to an individual who demonstrates outstanding and sustained skill in a leadership or an administrative capacity and who carries the mission of FMEA forward throughout the state and/or the nation. The recipient must have demonstrated notable achievements as a leader in promotion of music education and a continued commitment to the profession.



Congratulations to Joseph L. Luechauer, music and performing arts curriculum supervisor, Broward County Public Schools; nominated by LuAnne Leone on behalf of FEMEA.

Since 2000, Joseph Luechauer has served as the music and performing arts curriculum supervisor for the school board of Broward County. In that capacity, he supervises programs for 235 schools. He is immediate past president of the Florida Music Educators' Association and has served since 2005 as an executive board member. In addition, Mr. Luechauer has represented Florida as a national assembly and southern division board member of the National Association for Music Education. From 2005 through 2007, he served as president of the Florida Music Supervision Association. He is an active member of the Florida Bandmasters Association, where he is involved as a certified adjudicator and has served as chairman of the Ethics committee. Additional leadership positions include state chairman of the American School Band Directors Association and member of the Phi Beta Mu Steering committee. He is a framer for the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards and a reviewer for the Florida Department of Education Music Assessment Grant. Mr. Luechauer earned his undergraduate and master's degrees from Florida Atlantic University.

Mr. Luechauer is not only passionate and dedicated about his work, but he is also a visionary leader with a keen sense of timing. As president of FMSA, he demonstrated his visionary skills in organizing a strong conference event for administrators of arts-focused schools. This conference was the impetus for the Florida Arts Network of Administrators. Mr. Luechauer is a founding member of this organization, which is a lasting legacy of his work for music education in the state.

Another example of Mr. Luechauer's visionary leadership is the creation of the Conference committee, instituted under his FMEA presidency. This committee has led to the planning and implementation of some of our most successful FMEA conferences, despite several unique and unprecedented challenges faced in those years.

#### Exemplary Model Program/ Project Award

The Exemplary Model Program/Project designation is awarded to an individual or groups for meritorious, exemplary or innovative programs or projects completed in the field of music education. Projects may include exemplary model and/or innovative music education programs or projects that provided or continue to provide a significant, positive impact on students, music educators and/or the state/community.



Congratulations to Robert Chisholm and Scott Rudes for "The Rhythm of Life: A School-Community Arts Integration Partnership With the Florida Aquarium"; nominated by Robert Chisholm.

This project brought together 200 K-12 students from Hillsborough County to participate in an integration of marine science and the arts. "The Rhythm of Life" event brought together students, teachers and administrators from all of the arts schools in Hillsborough County in a celebration of learning in and through the arts. Music educators and other arts professionals joined together in a district professional learning community to collaborate on integrated lesson plans for students. Deborah Barron, Robert Chisholm, Shana Christian, Scott Rudes, Mariana Socorro, Meredith Scribner and Seth Travaglino were collaborators on this project.

The project provided the unique opportunity for music educators and young musicians from elementary, middle and high schools to come together and participate in a common share-out of what was learned. "Process over product" was a consistent theme throughout each class, and the students not only demonstrated their newfound knowledge of what they experienced about marine life, but they also displayed a profound enthusi-

asm for what they were able to share through music and other art forms. Numerous leadership opportunities were provided for students at all levels, culminating in a final project that celebrated the power of music and the arts in daily life. Groups were placed throughout the aquarium to demonstrate the process of what was learned about marine life in and through music and the arts. Lesson plans were provided to all participants in order for educators to replicate these lessons in their own classrooms.

This project provided a national model for members of the Arts Schools Network conference. After observing events such as a group of middle and high school jazz musicians demonstrating improvisation based on the movements of sea creatures, and choral students using the process of echolocation to communicate with each other throughout the aquarium, Kristy Callaway, executive director of the Arts Schools Network, exclaimed, "The excitement generated by what the students learned and their ability to share that experience was truly magical!"

#### Administrator of the Year Award

The Administrator of the Year designation is awarded to a school administrator who is not a professional music educator, but who displays ardent support of the school music program. This award recognizes leadership, excellence in encouragement and promotion of music education in Florida schools. The recipient must have demonstrated significant efforts in support of music education resulting in awareness or enhancement of the school's music program and allocation of resources.

Congratulations to Myra Russell, principal, Gene Witt Elementary School in Manatee County (Elementary Administrator of the Year); nominated by Julie Hebert.

Myra Russell has been the instructional leader at Gene Witt Elementary in Manatee County since 1995. Under Ms. Russell's leadership, Gene Witt Elementary has consistently been rated an "A" school and has received the 5-Star School Distinction as well as countless other accolades. Prior to taking the leadership reins at Gene Witt, Ms. Russell served as an assistant principal at Abel Elementary and taught second, third and fourth grades in Florida and Pennsylvania. Ms. Russell's encouragement and assistance have fostered a model music program at Gene Witt Elementary. In a time when music programs are being cut due to budget constraints or state pressures to perform well on standardized tests, Ms. Russell's actions have not only sustained the music program at Gene Witt Elementary, but have

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also promoted the necessity for strong music programs locally as well as throughout the state.

Under Ms. Russell's supportive leadership, the doors to Gene Witt Elementary School have been opened to host a variety of events that enhance music education. Music teacher workshops, in-services, conferences, all-state chorus adjudication and more have been hosted at the school. Ms. Russell's commitment to the cause assures that these are all offered free of charge. This means that Ms. Russell herself will be on site even when the events extend well beyond the normal school day or on the weekend. She does so cheerfully because she knows these events are contributing to the improvement of music education for those beyond her school.

When a doctoral student approached several elementary schools about conducting music education research as part of a dissertation project, Ms. Russell was one of the few administrators who showed interest in the project. Once she realized that the dissertation project would contribute to the field of music education, she not only agreed to have her school involved, but she also rearranged the entire school's schedule to accommodate the research.

Ms. Russell attends every performance, even when they take place out of town. She occasionally makes a guest appearance as part of a performance or provides a celebratory ice cream party for the students after the event. Ms. Russell has even been seen performing a "Rooftop Rap" as a reward for students raising \$10,000 for special area classes, including music and art.

In 2011, Gene Witt Elementary was listed as the number four performing elementary school in the state of Florida, as evidenced by FCAT statistics. When asked what her school was doing differently to outperform other schools with similar demographics, Ms. Russell reported that Gene Witt's fine arts programs were making the difference.



Congratulations to Sherry T. Wells, principal, Ridge Community High School in Polk County (Secondary Administrator of the Year); nominated by Roanna Combs.

Sherry Wells is an unconditional supporter of the fine arts at Ridge Community High School. Mrs. Wells is a woman of great passion, dedication and vision. Working with an open-door policy, she is immensely committed to every student, faculty and staff member, with the expectation of high accomplishments from all. She firmly believes that music and the fine arts play a significant role in the comprehensive and educational development of students.

Mrs. Wells is in her eighth year as principal of Ridge Community High School. After earning her bachelor's degree from Morehead State University in 1986, she began her teaching career at Lake Wales High School, where she developed the largest Polk County Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America. After earning the master's degree in educational leadership at St. Leo College in 1998, her career moved her to Lakeland High School as the assistant principal for curriculum, where she worked until she was asked to open a brand new high school, Ridge Community, as principal.

Upon her appointment as principal, Mrs. Wells immediately established a strong commitment to music education at Ridge Community by hiring a distinguished music faculty. In the very first year of existence, the program achieved superior ratings at music performance assessments. This was, in part, due to the support of Mrs. Wells, who ensured appropriate funding and allocation of resources to the music program. This program has grown so much over the past seven years that the music faculty now includes three full-time music teachers and one part-time string instructor.

Mrs. Wells continually seeks to expand and improve arts offerings for her students. With her insistence, a strings program was introduced at Ridge Community a year ago and has already doubled in size. In addition, the first Recording Arts Academy in the Polk County school district was begun at Ridge Community under Mrs. Wells' visionary leadership. She has dedicated space, resources, individualized schedules and much more to ensure the success of the academy, which is a partnership with Workforce Education and the Department of Fine Arts. Mrs. Wells' support of quality music education extends beyond Ridge Community High School as well. She is a strong advocate throughout Polk County. Beyond supporting music at her school with resources, quality scheduling and her own personal time, Mrs. Wells has hosted districtwide events.

Mrs. Wells is totally committed to excellence in the arts. She is a lady of high standards and asks no more than she gives in return. With her extraordinary vision for the future, all Ridge Community High School's fine arts programs hold much opportunity and rigor.

#### 2012 Music Education Service Award

The Music Education Service designation is awarded to music educators who have been active in music education for 25 years or more. This award recognizes the outstanding service of our members who have committed themselves to this profession for most of their adult lives. This year, we celebrate **499** total years of teaching among the following honorees:

<b>Dr. Douglas M. Jordan</b>	years
Mrs. Annette Johnson	years
Mr. Hank H. Phillips	years
Mr. Paxon R. Roan	years
Mr. Paul W. Arnold	years
Miss Teresa M. Alfonso	years
Mr. Kenneth A. Michal	years
Mr. Anthony P. Chiarito	years
Mr. Dewey A. Dodds	years
Mr. Russell L. Bertles31.5 J.H. Workman Middle School, Escambia County	years
Ms. Melinda A. Rogers	years
Ms. Carol J. Allen	years
Ms. Kathy Burrier	years
<b>Dr. Gordon R. Brock</b>	years
Mr. William T. Henley	years

#### 50-Year Music Education Service Award

The 50-Year Music Education Service designation acknowledges that the members have shaped the growth and development of music education through the years. This award pays tribute to members who have been active in music education for 50 years for their dedication to the profession. Even beyond retirement, these individuals have remained active members of FMEA. Congratulations to this year's honoree:

Mr. John DeYoung, Retired Member Joined FMEA in 1952 Served as FMEA president, 1983-1985 Taught at Bartow High School in Polk County, 1960-1985

### Middle/High School Music Enrollment Awards

The Middle and High School Music Enrollment designation is awarded to music programs demonstrating high enrollment in music courses. This award recognizes the effectiveness of programs that offer attractive music curricula as well as those that excel in the recruitment and retention of students. Schools hold the award for three years. They may be looked to as models of quality programming, scheduling, recruitment and retention of students. To qualify for this award, at least 35 percent at the high school level and 45 percent at the middle school level of the entire student body must be enrolled in a music course. Congratulations to the following schools:

Pine Crest School, High School – Broward County .............44% Christopher Cicconi; Gretchen Fasulo; Christopher Fitzpatrick; Deena Shapiro; Michael Testa

**Gotha Middle School** – Orange County.......45% Benjamin Veligdan; Edith Young; Julie Nelson; Emily Woolaway

Southwest Florida Christian Academy,

Middle School – Lee County......46%

Gail Blackburn; Jennifer Rouskey

**J.H. Workman Middle School** – Escambia County......46% Russell Bertles; Zenda Swearengin; H. Cecil Clark

 $\begin{tabular}{lll} \textbf{Odyssey Middle School} - Orange County .......46\% \\ Tim Douglas; Charlotte Walters \\ \end{tabular}$ 

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Florida Christian Middle School – Miami-Dade County47%	Memorial Middle School – Orange County54%
Angela Goff; Timothy Miner; Barbara Kingman; Jeannine Stemmer	Marcus Collins; Jennifer Erickson; Tiffany Thomas
	Cypress Palm Middle School – Collier County55%
Marianna Middle School – Jackson County48%	Elizabeth Ceto; Paxon Roan
Amy Allen; Joyce Lingerfelt	Wolf Lake Middle School – Orange County57%
Southwest Middle School – Orange County48%	Lindsay Cannon; David Laniewski; Ashley Cobb
Rebecca Hammac; Amy Bernloehr; Katherine Zeng	Lim C. Pailey Middle Cabool Eccembic County 570/
Judson Walker Middle School – Orange County49%	Jim C. Bailey Middle School – Escambia County57% Larry Hughes; Virginia Clark; Ashley White; Lona Robinson;
Tashianna Torres; Catherine Basarich	Christy Stump; Nicole Matson
Pine Ridge Middle School – Collier County49%	Woodrow Wilson Middle School –
Kelly Hardman Parker; Stephen Detjen; Nanette Grant	Hillsborough County57%
	Kristy Dell; Timothy Fox
Progress Village Middle Magnet School of the Arts –	
Hillsborough County50%	SunRidge Middle School – Orange County57%
Robert Chisholm; Kelly Cottet; Kristen Franzen	Joanna Sell; Missie Ellis; Rhea Parks-Smith
Herbert C. Hoover Middle School – Brevard County51%	Conway Middle School – Orange County62%
Sue Antonition; Crystal Golinello; Laura Pinfield	Keith Nichols; Nancy Wood
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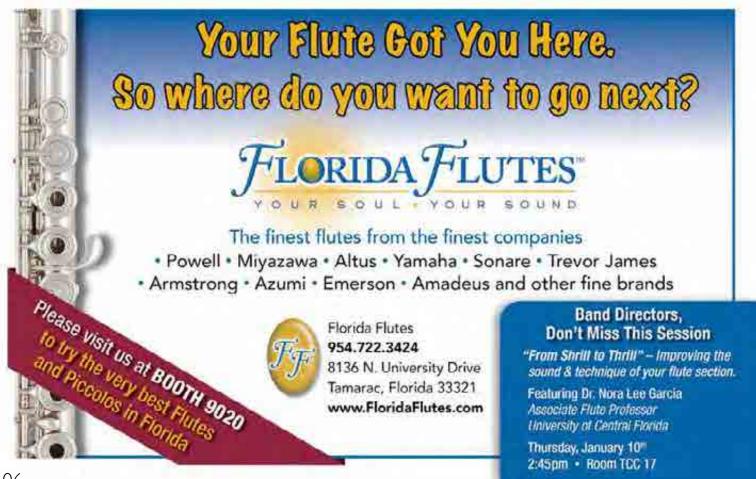
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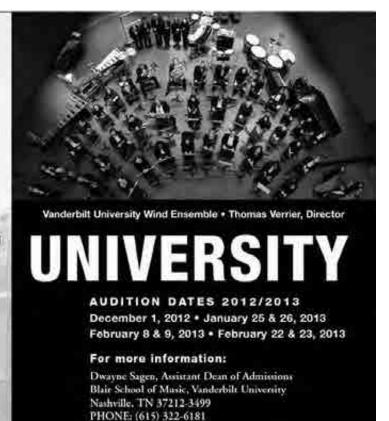


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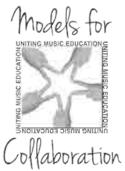
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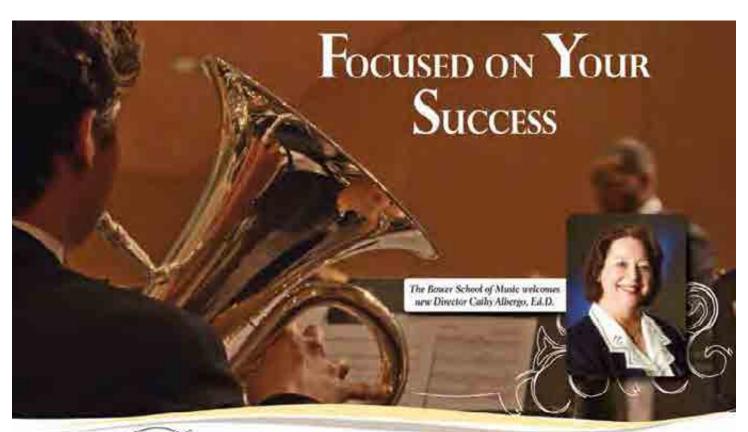


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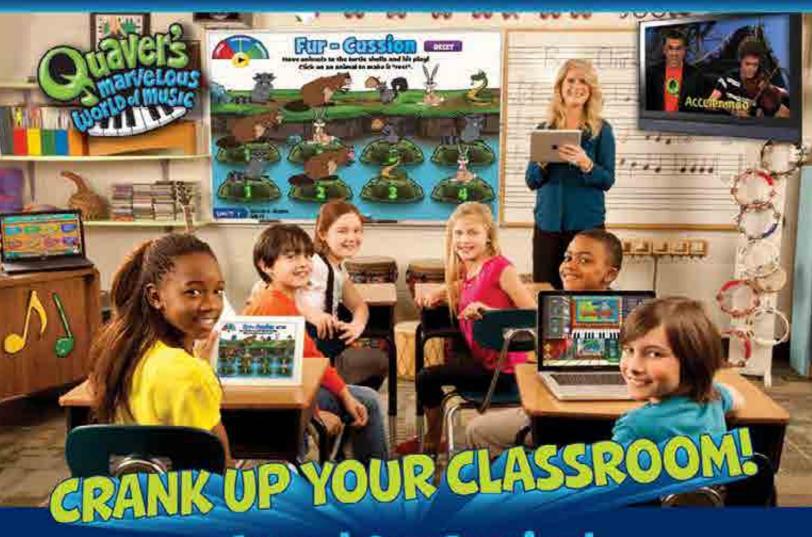
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