

**SCIBA May Meeting**  
**Davenport/Dubuque Rooms, Downtown Marriott, Des Moines, IA**  
**Friday, May 12th, 2023 - 12:00 PM**

**I. Call to order, approval of agenda**

Meeting called to order at 12:17

Motion to approve the agenda: Rishi Kolusu

Second: Drew Barker

Passed by unanimous vote

Welcome to all past IBA Presidents

Thank you to Mary Crandell for a great conference!!

Thanks Drake and Nick for their work as equipment chairs!!

Thanks Braden and Jennifer as exhibit chairs!!

**II. Secretary and Treasurer's Report:** Kara Barker

Motion to approve the secretary and treasurer's report: Rishi Kolusu

Second: Brandon Weeks

Passed by unanimous vote

**III. Election Results (Congrats to the following)**

President Elect– Christian Baughman

Concert Band Affairs– Josh Waymire

Jazz Band Affairs– Ben McCartney

Research and Development– Connor Tipping

College Affairs– Brad Lampe

Student Affairs– Katie Barnhart

Mentorship– Jayson Gerth

**IV. Committee Reports**

Junior High Affairs – Christian Baughman, Ankeny

- See Report

Concert Band Affairs – Jacquelyn Meunier, Southeast Polk

- All State Auditions
  - Form set outside each room with recall information and detailed instructions
  - Changing ww/brass music assignments
    - Will send in a recording a week after auditions for part assignments
    - Chair placements will take place at All State as normal

- Minimum time limit for percussion solos (2 minutes 30 seconds)
  - Snare solos are often shorter than this
  - Trying to gauge feelings on if we need to change this to 2 minutes? 1 minute 30 seconds?
    - Show of hands “vote”

#### Jazz Band Affairs – Steve Britt, Dallas-Center Grimes

- See Report
- Jazz Affairs Literature List (see report)
- Summer Jazz Symposium discuss at 2:45 meeting (David Anderson)
  - Tuesday, July 11th (Coe College)

#### College Affairs – Vince Kenney, Drake

- See Report
- IBA Collegiate and Early Career Workshop
  - Different day, would like to pair with a festival
- Data from survey about dropout from high school to college music (75% do NOT participate in music after high school)
  - 2:00 PM session on Friday

#### Research and Development - Natalie Royston, Iowa State University

- No Report

#### Mentorship – Eric Layden, Saydel

- See Report
- Working with IBARD for the IBA Band Directors Boot Camp
  - July 2023 (same time and location as the IBA meeting)
  - Donations from each district and the IAAE
    - No cost from the participants

#### Public Relations – Kayla Crann, Johnston

- Two SCIBA administrator awards (Ames and Johnston)

#### Technology – Nick Gardner, Ames

- No Report

#### Student Affairs – Katy Meunier, Drake

- Sending emails throughout the year
- Working to update their website
  - How to create your own IBA chapter at your college

#### Elementary Affairs – Ryan McNulty, West Des Moines

- See Report
- Excellence in Elementary Education Award (vote at the end of the meeting)

#### IBARD Representative – Chris Ewan, Retired

- See Report
- Successful year of mentorship, thank you to our mentors!

#### Marching Band Affairs – Dameon Place, Pella

- See Report
- Handful of changes to the handbook on time and field entry
  - See handbook
- Reduced the minimum time for marching bands to five minute

- 8 man football bands will go first in the day, and site managers will make sure the correct markings are on the field.

Commissions Project – Diane Tordoff, Chariton; Christa Miller; Derrick Hawks, Ballard

- See Report
- Rob Romeyn
- Derrick Hawks is leaving the committee, we thank him for his service
- We welcome Jaquelyn Meunier to serve on this committee

Major Landers Scholarship – Steve Kellar, Johnston

- Welcome to Maddie Bond, who is the SCIBA candidate for Major Landers (North Polk)

Endowment - Chris Ewan, Ames

- See Report
  - Financials are listed, as well as the report

Advocacy - Andrew Buttermore, Ames

- Met yesterday at IBA
- Working on sharing resources with educators throughout the year
- Concern with students entering our professions
  - Thanks ISU for hosting a “be a music educator for a day”

IBA Equipment Chairs

- See Report
- LOTS of thank you’s, especially Drake and Nick
- West Music, Percussion Source, Rieman Music, Southeast Polk, Valley, Ames, Drake, Winterset, Marriott, IBA and Mary Crandell

## V. [Event Chairperson Reports](#)

Junior High/Middle School Honor Band – Christa Miller

- See Report
  - Entry deadline is September 15th
  - Auditions Tuesday, October 3rd
  - Honor Band Tuesday, November 7th
  - Music resale

High School Honor Band – Drake Van Roekel, West Marshall, Samantha Beeman, WDM

- See Report
- Auditions November 30th
- Honor Band January 6th

JH/Middle School Large Group – Doug Gibson, Des Moines

- See Report

JH/Middle School Solo/Ensemble – Jeremy Britton, Ogden

- No Report

High School Jazz Festival – Jeff Robilliard, Pella

- No Report

## VI. Old Business

## VII. New Business

### IBA Band Director Bootcamp Donation

- Motion to donate \$250 to the IBA Band Director Bootcamp: Eric Layden
- Second: Derrick Hawks
- Passed by unanimous vote

### IAAE Donation

- Motion to donate \$500 the IAAE: Christa Miller
- Second: Jayson Gerth
- Passed by unanimous vote

### IAAE Donation (Mentorship)

- Motion to donate \$500 the IAAE Mentorship: Josh Waymire
- Second: Byron Tinder
- Passed by unanimous vote

### AICBF Donation (2023-2024 Year)

- Motion to donate \$250 to the AICBF 2023-2024: Rishi Kolusu
- Second: Scott Hook
- Passed by unanimous vote

### Excellence in Elementary Education Award

- Motion to create an excellence in elementary education award: Nick Menke
- Second: Brandon Weeks
- Passed by unanimous vote

### Article XI - Bylaws update

- AICBF is no longer hosted by SCIBA
  - Motion to amend Article XI of the SCIBA bylaws regarding the All Iowa Concert Band Festival: Brandon Weeks
  - Second: Christa Miller
  - Passed by unanimous vote

### Article VII - Bylaws update

- Presidential Term Length
  - Hard to complete this term in one year
  - Proposal is to move to a 2 year presidential term
  - SCIBA is the only IBA district with a one year term
  - 6 year commitment
- [Bylaw Amendments](#)
- Motion:
  - Braden Wipperman moves to amend Article VII of the SCIBA bylaws regarding presidential and executive board term length
  - Second: Josh Waymire
  - Discussion
    - How will this be phased in?

- See email shared on Monday
- This will not take place with anyone that has currently been voted on, including Christian Bauman
- When we vote next year the president elect will serve one year, then serve as president for two years and past president for two years
- What are the past president duties
  - Conduct the middle school honor band
    - Two years? No.
    - Every other year they can bring someone different in
  - High School Honor Band
    - One year the chairs pick the conductor one year it is the VP
  - Adding membership roster duties to this position
  - Advise the board
- Policy written in if someone can't complete the 6 year term?
  - Yes, there are already provisions in the bylaws for president elect and president, we would add a provision for past president
- What difficulties has the board encountered when finding candidates for the presidential position? Will this create difficulties in finding candidates in the future?
  - Recent term we have not had any issues in having people step up to the board
  - 3-5 candidates for each position the last several years
  - The 6 year commitment might be a red flag for some people, but the board thought that keeping a four person executive board was important
- This has been discussed in the past—we might not be giving enough people the opportunity to step up into these leadership positions
- What are the reasons for a two year presidency?
  - You hang on that first year and simply go through the checklist (superficial look at what is going on)
  - Some past presidents wish they had time to make more of a difference for the students in the SCIBA district.
- How often does the executive board meet?
  - Electronic meetings
  - As long as the executive board is meeting often enough to get things done, maybe it should remain a one year term so we can give these experiences to more members.
  - To serve as an IBA president, having district presidential experience is a benefit.

- Motion called to a vote
  - Needed to vote by raising of hands (audible vote was unclear)
  - Motion did not pass (did not reach  $\frac{2}{3}$  majority)

Recognize Retirees -

Mary Dunn-Hayward - Johnston

Jeff Heltman - Norwalk (40 years at Norwalk)

- Congratulations to both Mary and Jeff for all of your years of service!!

Recognition of outgoing president - Braden Wipperman

- Presentation of plaque by Samantha Beeman
- Thank you Bradne for all of your work this last year!!

Motion to award Kara Barker a \$500 stipend for her role as the Secretary/Treasurer: Michael Kosiek.

Second: Byron Tinder

Passed by unanimous vote

### **VIII. Adjournment**

- Motion to adjourn the meeting: Rishi Kolusu
- Second: Braden Wipperman
- Passed by unanimous vote

### **Future Meeting Dates:**

July 14, 2023 - IBA Summer Meeting - District Committee Members only will need to be in attendance at the Summer Board meeting - Waukee Middle School

September 5, 2023 (Fall meeting at Fenders)

November 7, 2023 (MS Honor Band)

January 6, 2024 (HS Honor Band)

May 10, 2024 (IBA)