

Minutes for NBDA Fall Meeting
August 31, 2015

Call to order at 7:03 p.m.

Minutes read by Wendy Benford – motion by Joe Wilhelm to accept minutes, seconded by Loren Pettys.
Treasurer's report by Wendy Kuhn – current balance of \$19,500.67. motion to accept by Jon Matthews with second from Joe Metzger

Introduced new members.

Old Business

- Clarified that JH auditions will take place at Charles Page HS instead of Clyde Boyd Middle School on January 16th.
- Update on HS clinicians – first choices were unavailable for each group. Currently have the following for HS Clinicians:
 - Paul Popiel – Wind Ensemble
 - Stephen Steele – Symphonic Band
 - Chris Knighten – Concert Band – checking dates to be sure, 95% sure can do it.
- HS Percussion audition – need three separate rooms (snare, mallet, timpani) with two judges for each room – in line with OkMEA audition procedure.
 - Discussion – Loren Pettys reminded the membership that we discussed at the February meeting the need to have all of our membership available for both audition days in the district. This should alleviate any issues with having enough judges.
- JH Scales are on the website
- Charles Pizarra has done great job with our website! If you haven't checked it out, please do.
- JH auditions are Set II this year.
- HS Entry deadline is September 25th; JH Entry deadline is December 11th.
- Need to have at least two people available (directors, parents) to help with tabulation on audition days to catch clerical errors.

New Business

- Make sure to "like" our NBDA Facebook Page. Wendy B will give it a cover photo.
- Jon Matthews gave out information about his contest.
- JH Entry fee reminder - \$10 per student for up to three instruments, \$25 per student for entries received after the deadline, \$50 per student for emergency entries. HS NBDA entries are also \$10 per student, \$15 per student for OkMEA Entries.