

East Central Oklahoma Band Directors Association

Fall Meeting

Monday, September 12, 2022

Ada Music Center, Ada, OK



Director Information QR Code

## Agenda

- I. Welcome Nick Noble
- II. Invocation Steve Johnson  
Enjoy meal and visit
- III. Introduction of Directors
- IV. Approval of minutes from January Meeting John Outon
- V. Treasurer's Report John Outon
- VI. Old Business
  - A. 2022 Auditions
    1. Audition Date: November 5, 2022 at Ada Junior High School
    2. Directors Meeting begins at 8:00am. Auditions begin at 9:00am
    3. Audition Music for 2022-2023  
*Middle School Set "B", Junior High: Set II, High school: OKMEA etudes*
    4. MS/JH play scales but they do not have to be memorized.  
*(This includes percussion)*
  - B. Entry/Audition Procedure
    1. <http://ecobda.auditionadmin.com/> for all ECOBDA MS/JH/HS  
Registration Code: \$ecobda22
    2. <https://tryouts.g-toms.org/access/login> for OKMEA  
*Directors should have received an email on Wednesday, September 7th from Katie Batt (batt@okmea.org) regarding entry procedures.*
    3. Deadline: Saturday, September 17, 2022  
Late ECOBDA entry deadline: October 3 (Additional \$10 late fee)
    4. Entry Fee: \$10 per entry
    5. Auditions will be all scored digitally through auditionadmin.com  
(Directors will be responsible for providing device to tabulate scores)

C. Clinic Information

1. Dates will be January 13-14th, 2023
2. Clinic will be held on the campus of East Central University
3. Clinic rehearsal times:  
January 13<sup>th</sup> – 8:30-11:00 and 1:00-4:00  
January 14<sup>th</sup> – 8:30-11:00, Concert at 2:00
4. Clinicians:  
Middle School Band – Byron Church  
Junior High Band – Jenn Kauffman  
High School Band – Chris Gregg
5. Chairpersons for 2022-2023  
Middle School: Travis Hathcote  
Percussion Chair: Audrey Johnson  
Junior High: Steven Watson  
Percussion Chair: Hank Patterson  
High School: Konnor Robertson  
Percussion Chair: Jay Cloar

D. Scholarship Report

1. Scholarship applications can be picked up tonight or printed from website: [www.ecobda.org](http://www.ecobda.org) Application deadline will be December 31, 2022 All applications need to be mailed/emailed to: Mr. Nick Noble  
72 Sonata Lane  
Shawnee, OK 74804  
[nnoble@dale.k12.ok.us](mailto:nnoble@dale.k12.ok.us)

E. 2022-2023 Director of the Year

- \*Nominations can be submitted through our website due by November 18, 2022
- \*Voting will take place by way of a Google Form between the dates of November 28 - December 1, 2022

VII. New Business

VIII. Adjournment

## ECOBDA Online Registration Instructions

**You must create a new account each year. Your username and password from last year will not work. Follow the instructions below**

1. Go to ECOBDA.auditionadmin.com
2. Click "Create Account." This link is below the login button.
3. Where it says, registration code enter: **\$ecobda22**
4. On the left side, enter the information for your school
5. On the right side, enter the name, email address, cell phone and judging preference for each director on your staff. The head director should be listed first.
6. If you have more than 5 directors on staff, the head director should login then add them by going to "My Registration" then "My Staff."
7. Click "Create Account"
8. Each director will receive an email with their username and password.
9. Login to ECOBDA.auditionadmin.com with the username and password you received in email.
10. For each student, enter their information and click "Enter Student."
11. If you need to remove an entry, click the trashcan next to their entry line.
12. You can click "My Bill" to get a listing of your entries to turn in to your central office to have payment sent. I'll send out invoices after the deadline if your office prefers that .

A few notes to remember:

- By default, students auditioning for more than one instrument will be placed in the highest chair they earned. If you have any other request for a doubler, click "Open/Close" on the doubler request section and enter the request for that student.

- The website will only let you add or delete auditions until the entry deadline (10/03/2022). You are responsible for the entry fee for all entries in the system after the deadline. To add entries after the deadline, email [nnoble@dale.k12.ok.us](mailto:nnoble@dale.k12.ok.us) Please double and triple check your entries prior to the entry day.

- If a student is entering on multiple instruments, be sure that you type first name, last name, and grade exactly the same each time. The system will only identify them as a doubler if all parts are exactly the same.

- Please take a moment to double check over your entries to be sure all students are entered and entered on the correct instrument. Making changes is doable, but it can make the beginning of auditions stressful for everyone - most of all the student auditioning.

### **Important Dates:**

- 1. ECOBDA Honor Band Entry Deadline: September 17, 2022**
- 2. ECOBDA Late Entry Deadline: October 3, 2022  
(Late fee of \$10 Added to entry if after September 17, 2022)**
- 3. OSSBDA Entry Deadline: September 17, 2022**
- 4. OMEA All-State Entry Deadline: September 17, 2022**
- 5. OMEA All-State Jazz Deadline: September 17, 2022**
- 6. ECOBDA Honor Band Clinic: January 13-14, 2023**



## New to our district for 2022-2023

Chandler - Rachel Karger

Dale - Alex Benito

Davis - Blade Bigler

Grove - Sarah Benito

Okemah - John Kerr

Prague - Nicole Cooper

Shawnee - Chris Hall

Shawnee - Madison Riesenber

Shawnee - Jackson Anderson

Stroud - Kevin Couch

Wewoka - Jessica Burgess

Whitebead - Deanna Higgins