


**TMEA Region 28 Vocal Division
Fall Meeting Agenda**
August 10, 2024
Travis Baldwin, Region Chair
Ginger Wheelock, Vice Chair
Sylvia Flores, Secretary/Treasurer

1. Call to Order at 11:01am by Travis Baldwin
2. UIL Items – Michael Corcoran
 - a. MS C&SR updated on UIL Calendar to March 5-7
 - b. Choir SR and voicing will be updated in Jan., as well as SR flow chart for selecting right classification
 - c. PML will go live Sept. 1
 - d. New directors will need to fill out google form that will be sent via email.
3. Spring Minutes approval
 - a. Motion _____ Selina Charles _____
 - b. Second _____ Pamela Villarreal _____
4. Treasurer Reports
 - a. Middle School reported by Vanessa Torres
 - i. Opening balance: ___5,847.06_____
 - ii. Closing balance: ___5,847.06_____
 - b. High School reported by Sylvia Flores
 - i. Opening balance: ___\$6,439.35_____
 - ii. Closing balance: ___\$6,592.69_____
5. Introduction of directors
6. Contact forms and updating information
 - a. 
 - b. Travis Phone #: 956-280-3137
7. Old Business
 - a. No old business
8. New Business
 - a. Vocal VP nominations
 - i. Michael Matlock - Lupe Rivera
 - ii. Jennifer Gallagher - Lupe Rivera
 - iii. Voting Results:
 1. Michael /Jennifer
 - iv. Jennifer Gallagher is our nomination

- b. MAC committee
 - i. TSSEC Judging Rubric- TMAA is in the process of creating rubric
 - ii. Possible Rule Change for SUB NV SR- in addition to one extra minute, requirements are adjusted to perform music that is one level lower than NV ensembles.

1. Amendment Change suggestion: Moving the extra minute to the second half of SR process

2. Amendment Change suggestion: SA/TB option for Sub NV Choirs

- iii. MAC Committee vocal delegate- TCDA commitment - Vanessa Hinojosa
- c. Region 28 Remind- code is @region28v – please join!
- d. TMEA Convention – February 12-15, 2025
 - i. \$70 pre-registration
 - ii. \$95 on-site registration
- e. Convention Housing opens at 6:00am on October 3rd
- f. Original copies (aka Copyright Compliant) TMEA requires all students to have original printings of the audition music on the music stand when auditioning for TMEA contests. Regions must have original printings on site of all music being performed during clinic/concerts.
- g. Audition Changes
 - i. All State Sight Reading Clarification and new guidelines
 - ii. Errata final day Sept 1, LSC areas F-H sing upper splits
 - iii. LSC Mixed Choir will perform at ACDA conference in Dallas on March 22, 2025

- h. TMEA Mentoring Network



- i.
 - ii. Need an Area Mentoring Coordinator : Lupe Rivera
- i. TMEA Volunteer Sign Up – a minimum of 5 per region
- j. New professional development videos on TMEA Website (CPE Credit)
- k. Audition Dates and director responsibilities HS and MS- See Calendar
- l. Election of Computer/Website designer
 - i. Nominations/Voting
 - Willie Morales nominates Alfonso Gonzalez
 - Patrick Graves nominates Victoria Graves - Nominated
 - ii. Elected: Victoria Graves

9. Move adjourn to High School/Middle School meetings

- a. Motion _____Karen Hernandez_____
- b. Second _____Nacho Cruz_____
- c. Time - _____11:53am_____

Notes:

Spring Meeting Agenda

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High School Division Meeting

1. Call to order: 12:00pm by Travis Baldwin
2. Audition assignments
 - a. Contact MS directors to confirm assignment and music

3. UIL Judges:

Concert Judges:

Jo Lynn Niemann

Joel Duarte

Florence Scattergood

Sight Reading:

Linda Hernandez

Neal Patel

Brent McCartney

4. Michael Corcoran

- a. Looking at other venues as back up to TSC Arts Center. Discussion.
 - i. UIL in 2 days instead of 3?
 - ii. UIL different venue options:
 1. TSC Arts Center Thurs,Fri
 2. Donna North hosting HS UIL @ Donna HS?
 3. Explore options in Harlingen?
- b. Might have to raise fees to \$450 per ensemble, worst case scenario
- c. We have requested to waive the fee and pay OP for security/janitors

5. TMEA

- a. Meal for auditions
 - i. Cost per person
 - ii. Response to ordering
 - iii. Host will not order, Sylvia will order
- b. Area clinician: Adrian Kirtley- **Jan 2nd, Veterans Memorial, 9-3**
- c. Honor Choir Clinician: Ryan Forkner
 - i. \$300 per high school for Region Clinic/Concert is due Sept. 13, 2024
 - ii. Notes and divisi will be posted on region website
 - iii. Rep:
 - 1. Miserere Nobis - Victor Johnson
 - 2. Wynken, Blynken And Nod - Blake Richter & Ryan Main
 - 3. Wade in the Water - Arr. by Dan Davison
 - 4. Yo Vivo Cantando (I Live to Sing) - Jerry Estes
- d. Region Clinician: Heather Orr- **Clinic date change: Nov 14/15 HPAC**

All State Audition Material

Mixed

Sehnsucht – Any audition before area

Over the Rainbow – Any audition before area

Unwritten – Any audition before area

Lacrimosa – Any audition before area

Amen – Area Designation

The Coolin – Area Designation

Treble

Caritas Abundat – Any audition before area

Ich stand in dunklen Träumen – Any audition before area

Always Keep This Close – Any audition before area

I'll Never Study – Area Designation

Tenor-Bass

Convidando esta la noche – Any audition before area

The River – Any audition before area

Kyrie – Any audition before area

The Wall Breaks Asunder- Area designation

***District Pieces to be Auditioned from:**

Sehnsucht – Any audition before area

Unwritten – Any audition before area

Always Keep This Close – Any audition before area

Caritas Abundat – Any audition before area

The River – Any audition before area

Convidando esta la noche – Any audition before area

***Region Pieces to be auditioned from:**

Lacrimosa – Any audition before area

Over the Rainbow – Any audition before area

Ich stand in dunklen Träumen – Any audition before area

Kyrie – Any audition before area

***Pre-Area pieces to be auditioned from:**

Amen – Area Designation

The Coolin – Area Designation

The Wall Breaks Asunder- Area designation

I'll Never Study – Area Designation

6. UIL Draw– Wheel of Names
 1. Pace HS
 2. La Feria
 3. Harlingen South
 4. Lopez HS
 5. San Benito HS
 6. Weslaco HS
 7. Rivera HS
 8. Porter HS
 9. Weslaco East
 10. Donna North
 11. Hanna HS
 12. HHS
 13. Veterans Memorial
 14. Los Fresnos HS

- 15. Rio Hondo HS
- 16. Donna HS

7. Questions/Concerns

8. Motion to adjourn

- a. Motion- _____Willie Morales_____
- b. Second- ____Randy Ashley_____