

C-NAfME

Board Meeting

June 8, 2023

Wichita, Kansas Adelynn Hobbs, C-NAfME President

Agenda

•	Call to Order
•	Approval of Minutes pg. 3
•	Introductions and Announcements
	 A. C-NAfME Executive Board Adelynn Hobbs, NAfME Collegiate President (Friends University) Maya Burke, NAfME Collegiate Vice President (Wichita State University) Kinsey Emery, NAfME Collegiate Secretary (Emporia State University) Emaleigh Batson, NAfME Collegiate President elect (Butler Community College) Brett Martinez, NAfME Collegiate Co-Advisor (Butler Community College) Gaile Stephens, NAfME Collegiate Co-Advisor (Emporia State University)
	 B. C-NAfME Chapter Presidents/Officers 1. Emaleigh Batson, Butler Community College 2. Libby Franks, Emporia State University 3. Nate Brightup, Friends University 4. Millicent Brown, Fort Hays University 5. Kyle Grimes, Kansas State University 6. Ella Griffin, University of Kansas 7. Kathryn Bolinger, Washburn University 8. Nathan Rongish, Wichita State University

C. Upcoming Events & Deadlines

1. KCOMTEPS - September

• C-NAfME Board Reports

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• Old Business

- **A.** KMEA
 - 1. Recap
 - **2.** Suggestions for next year

• New Business

- **A.** KCOMTEPS 2023 Suggestions/Ideas for sessions
- **B.** Additional KMEA Day
- C. New Officers Step into Office

• Recap and Adjournment

$Kansas\ Collegiate\ NAfME-KMEA\ Board\ Meeting$

Thursday, June 8th, 2023

Presided by: Adelynn Hobbs, Collegiate President

AGENDA	DISCUSSION	FOLLOW UP
I. Call to Order	President Hobbs called the Collegiate National Association for Music Education board meeting to order at 4:48pm	
II. Approval of Minutes	 Nathaniel Brightup motion to approve the minutes. Madisen Ciesielski seconded to approve the minutes. 10 votes in favor Motion approved 	
III. Introductions and Announcements	 President Adelynn Hobbs introduced the following Board Representatives and Collegiate Board Officiat 4:50pm Adelynn Hobbs, NAfME Collegiate President (University) Maya Burke, Vice President (Wichita State graduated) Kinsey Emery, Secretary (Emporia State Ugraduated) Emaleigh Batson, President-Elect (graduated) Emaleigh Batson, President-Elect (graduated) Brett Martinez - NAfME Collegiate Co-Advisors Not Present - Gaile Stephens, NAfficollegiate Co-Advisors Not Present: Chapter Presidents Present: Emaleigh Batson, Butler Community Present: Nate Brightup, Friends University Present: Katherine Bollinger, Washburn Ugenerate Nate Rongish, Wichita State of Not Present: Nate Rongish, Wichita State of Not Present: Millicent Brown, Fort Hays Ugenerate Nate Romanish, Wichita State of Not Present: Libby Franks, Emporia State of Not Present: Libby Franks, Emporia State of Not Present: Kyle Grimes, Kansas State Ugenerate State of Not Present: Ella Griffin, University of Kansas State Ugenerate State of Not Present: Ella Griffin, University of Kansas State Ugenerate State State State Ugenerate State Ugenerate State State Ugenerate S	dent (Friends e University), University), ting Butler hiversity) dvisors ME nity College Iniversity University University University University University iniversity

C-NAfME 2023-2024 Elect Chapter Presidents

- 1. Cameron Eckdahl Vice-President elect, Butler Community College
- 2. Madisen Ciesielski President Elect, Butler Community College
- 3. Dylan Rizzo, Vice President Elect, Washburn University
- 4. Eduardo Orona Villanueva, President Elect, Wichita State University
- 5. Luke Goter, Vice-President Elect, Wichita State University
- 6. Sydney Nelson, Secretary Elect, Friends University
- President Hobbs announced upcoming events
 - KCOMTEPS finalizing speakers and schedule, will be shared out when the event gets closer
 - Possible interviews, teacher panel, feedback was helpful for this upcoming planning for the event
 - Additional suggestions will be appreciated

Old Business

KMEA Recap/Suggestions

- Can also email suggestions in
- Katherine Bollinger suggests Orff and Kodaly blending at KMEA
- Maya Burke suggests Dalcroze and Kodaly workshop was very immersive
- Cameron Eckdahl suggests a session about building a smaller marching band at smaller schools
- President Hobbs reads suggestions from previous KCOMTEPS Board Report
- Emaleigh Batson suggests a session of teaching with a disability and adaptation in a teacher standpoint - coping and adaptation
- Dylan Rizzo suggests a session on focusing on non-traditional students that "come into the game late" - teaching students in the nontraditional sense
- Nathaniel Brightup brings up a Praxis session
 - Brett Martinez suggests putting that type of session at KCOMTEPS
- President Hobbs suggests an online format to vote on sessions and suggestions to be shared with chapter members with prioritizing the chapter boards voting to represent those members
 - Secretary Emery suggests KCOMTEPS to be geared more towards student-

teaching and what can be used now, rather than storing information until the classroom

Brett Martinez emphasizes

A-New Business.

- KMEA possibly expanding to another day
 - All-State benefits expanding it to appreciate and give rest to those performers
 - Could free-up time and space for performing groups and sessions
 - o Con: additional cost for outside-Wichita travelers
 - Collegiate has a vote, President Hobbs wanting feedback
 - Madisen Ciesielski asks about the extension being Wednesday or Monday, President Hobbs and Brett Martinez reassure it would start Thursday around 10am
 - Dylan Rizzo speaks on behalf of travelers that there are conflicts regarding prior commitments and scholarships (pep band, etc.)
 - Questioning on booth setup, Brett Martinez thinks that the exhibit would possibly stay the same, however, this is not set in stone
 - Vice-President Burke brings up budget concerns for teachers traveling (hotel, food, etc), President Hobbs says that C-NAfME represents collegiate ideas and the other KMEA members will represent the teachers and their concerns
- Officers
 - Vice-President Adelynn Hobbs
 - President Emaleigh Batson
 - Secretary spot still open
 - Position finalized at the beginning of July
 - Adding incoming officers to groupchat and drive
 - Emaleigh Batson plans to keep the groupchat the same for stability

B - Chapter Reports -

- Butler
 - Stands as written, continued with monthly meetings, guest speaker in May for interest
 - Madisen speaks about using social media more with Cam's help
- ESU
 - o Not Present, on page 10
- Friends
 - Stands as written, hiatus after KMEA, working on a schedule for next year, successful end-of-the-year study/mingle event before finals began
- WSU
 - Speaking on behalf of Nathan, Eduardo states that their chapter received grant from University, plan to use it for events and involvement, planning to do outreach events across different focuses (instrumental, choir, orchestra)
- Washburn
 - Stands as written, guest speakers of local music educators, bringing in an elementary teacher teach folk dancing for the fall, planning a water balloon fight during band camp, do more community outreach
 - o Dylan states excitement for community outreach
 - o Instrument Zoo was a success, now an annual event
- ESU
 - o Not Present, on page 10
- KU
 - o Not Present, on page 8
- State Board Report
 - Transitioning for incoming roles, KCOMTEPS, KMEA was a success with valuable and beneficial online resources, interacting with colleges with struggling chapters/no chapters

VI. Questions and Other Business

A - Other

Jamie Minneman and Mark Gard introduced themselves; tell chapters to reach out for any information or help.

Adjournment

- Kinsey Emery motions to approve the minutes.
- Cam Eckdahl seconded to approve the minutes.
- 10 votes in favor
- Motion approved
- Session closes at 5:37pm

June 8th, 2023

Butler Community College, El Dorado, KS

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Elections for the 2022/23 Chapter Representatives occurred in November, 2021. The 2023/24 Chapter Representative Elections occurred on December 2nd, 2022.

CHAPTER STATISTICS		
Category	Statistics	
Number of Members in Chapter	22	
Number of Active Members	20	
Number of KCOMTEPS Participants	11	
Number of KMEA ISW Participants	20	

Overall, our members have been about the same for the past few years. Other than the sophomores that have graduated we have only kept and gained members. Our main form of recruitment is through word of mouth. A lot of our prior members help officers get the word out to incoming freshmen and new music majors.

FUNDRAISING

Our chapter charges \$20 a year for Chapter dues. Other than that, we do not do any fundraising.

CHAPTER MEETINGS

We hold chapter meetings around once a month. After KMEA, it was a very laid-back semester. We kept up with our once-a-month meetings just to keep in touch with the chapter until May. In May we ended up having two meetings. In the first one, a guest speaker came and talked to the chapter about first-year teaching. The second one was more of a study hall during finals week to give members time to work on anything before the end of the semester.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Our chapter attends KCOMTEPS and KMEA, but we do not host any of our own. Usually, the majority of the chapter attends the events. This past semester we did have a guest speaker but that is all. We are not a Tri-M-associated chapter.

Future Plans

I will be moving on from Butler and taking over as State President. The chapter will be in the hands of Madison, Cameron, and Irvin who surely have big ideas for the upcoming year.

June 8th, 2023

Emporia State University Emporia, KS.

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CHAPTER STATISTICS		
Category	Statistics	
Number of Members in Chapter	30	
Number of Active Members	17	
Number of KCOMTEPS Participants	12	
Number of KMEA ISW Participants	17	

Our membership numbers have remained similar from last year to this year. We reached out to every musician and music education major via email to encourage students to become NAfME members. At the end of the first week of school we had a NAfME desserts picnic in front of Beach Music Hall to recruit new members. In the fourth week of school, we met specifically with the new freshman Music Education majors. We send every email to all the Music Education majors so that everyone has an opportunity to be a part of NAfME.

FUNDRAISING

Last year we held a Krispy Kreme Doughnut fundraiser. The new officers will plan a fundraiser in the Fall.

CHAPTER MEETINGS

We aim to have officer meetings and full chapter meetings or events every month. Our meetings typically last about an hour and are run by the Officers. Our Chapter Advisor works behind the scenes, meeting with the president on a weekly basis.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Our chapter annually attends KCOMTEPS and KMEA-ISW. Our music department helps us host professional development events for convocation credit.

TRI-M

Our school currently has no affiliation with Tri-M.

Future Chapter Plans

We are planning to host several member events including meetings, socials, and fundraisers. Our hope is to increase member participation and grow our chapter.

June 8, 2023 Friends University, Wichita, KS

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Elections for the 2022Chapter Representatives occurred on September 9, 2022. The 2023Chapter Representative Elections on May 4, 2023.

CHAPTER STATISTICS		
Category	Statistics	
Number of Members in Chapter	18	
Number of Active Members	14	
Number of KCOMTEPS Participants	22	
Number of KMEA ISW Participants	18	

Membership is lower than the preceding five years as we are reviving the chapter. We anticipate growth as we plan events for the next year and become a more regular name on campus. We will recruit from all fine arts majors and non-majors involved in the fine arts to create a more unified and representative community of friends.

FUNDRAISING

No fundraising is currently planned but the goal is to include that in future events as needed.

CHAPTER MEETINGS

Meetings are monthly for 50 minutes. The goal is to have a calendar of regularly scheduled meetings for the 2023-24 school year. Our members have busy and conflicting schedules so it is an expectation that if they cannot make it to the meeting that they communicate that with the cabinet members. Following that, we will send them an email summarizing the meeting, as well as a copy of the agenda.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

We participated in KCOMTEPS 2022 and will be participating in KMEA ISW 2023. There were three Music Education seminars including speakers such as- Frances Oare (Orchestra Director, Allison Middle School, Wichita, KS), Kristi Vetter (Director of Bands, Beloit Public Schools), and Shawn Chastain (Executive Coordinator of Fine Arts for USD 259). Reed Bishop has been in talks for a Kodaly workshop after a connection was made at KMEA ISW.

TRI-M

Our school currently has no affiliation with Tri-M. Nate Brightup (President 22-24) did speak at Andover Central's Tri-M chapter about general music education and college topics, including CNAfME.

Future Chapter Plans

Plans include having meetings and creating a more established presence on campus to help the students on campus to grow and flourish. The Friends University Departmental Club bylaws and the Friends University C-NAfME Constitution includes that the club must remain unbiased in its membership. We would like to attract more members from all majors to grow in population and diversity of views. We also would like to work closely with the Mu Phi Epsilon music fraternity to host membership and fellowship events. We plan to make a calendar of events and meetings to have prepared before fall semester starts. This will allow for the planning of events in advance and more predictability in the flow of events.

June 8th, 2023 Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS

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Elections for the 2022 - 2023 Chapter Representatives occurred on $\underline{May 2, 2022}$. The 2023 - 2024 Chapter Representative Elections are scheduled to be held on \underline{TBD} .

CHAPTER STATISTICS	
Category	Statistics
Number of Members in Chapter	7
Number of Active Members	32
Number of KCOMTEPS Participants	0
Number of KMEA ISW Participants	8-10

We have had consistent membership throughout last semester. Our biggest issue is just getting people to show up to meetings. Recruitment has been in the form of emails and personal conversations which usually amount to only about 1 or 2 more people at a meeting. Nobody wants to come to meetings due to overcommitment to other organizations or their own views on NAfME.

FUNDRAISING

We had a Chipotle fundraiser last semester that had a lot of people go and support us! This semester we are looking at having another one potentially at Buffalo Wild Wings!

CHAPTER MEETINGS

Despite low attendance, we are still committed to having speakers come in to our chapter. We had a lot of different speakers last semester and will have a bunch more this semester. There is a wide diversity of topics talked about such as, mental health, administration, retirement, elementary ed, high school, middle school, college ed, and so much more! We have a lot of speakers who really enjoy coming back and presenting on different topics!

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

KMEA is about the only professional development that we do.

TRI-M

Our school currently has no affiliation with Tri-M.

Future Chapter Plans

We are hoping to keep the chapter up and running as new execs come into position at the end of this semester. There will continue to be the membership struggle as long as there are older music ed majors who continue to not come to our meetings which will likely cause the our younger colleagues to do the same.

June 8th, 2023 University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS.

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Elections for the 2022 Chapter Representatives occurred on $\underline{04/25/2021}$. The 2023 Chapter Representative Elections are scheduled to be held \underline{TBD} .

CHAPTER STATISTICS		
Category	Statistics	
Number of Members in Chapter	51	
Number of Active Members	28	
Number of KCOMTEPS Participants	3	
Number of KMEA ISW Participants	20	

The number of current members is 4 less than last year. We recruited via social media, posters, and making announcements in classes and marching band this year. Our retention in years past has dwindled as the academic year ends.

FUNDRAISING

We hosted one fundraiser last year- a Chipotle fundraiser. The fundraiser was effective, the Chipotle revenue was \$96. Most of our chapter revenue comes from chapter dues. We are still working on finalizing fundraising plans for this year. We plan to do another chipotle fundraiser, and potentially a bake sale. We also hope to make some KU NAfME apparel and possibly order some graduation chords for fundraising.

CHAPTER MEETINGS

We have chapter meetings once a month, for about an hour. We have no current attendance policy. We bring in guest speakers and have social events in the works as well. The executive board runs our meetings, and our chapter advisor often does not show up to chapter meetings or our executive meetings but is always around if we need help.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Our chapter attends KMEA, and we are trying to encourage attendance at KCOMTEPS this year. Most of our chapter attends KMEA, but almost no one attends KCOMTEPS.

TRI-M

Our school currently has no affiliation with Tri-M.

Future Chapter Plans

We are currently in the process of planning and communicating the process of our chapter going to KMEA. We're hoping for a meeting in the future is a panel of educators with different levels of experience that are open to answering questions from our chapter. We'd also like to do another chapter social event sometime after KMEA.

June 8th, 2023 Washburn University, Topeka, KS.

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Elections for the 2023-24 Chapter Representatives occurred on April 11, 2023. The 2024-25 Chapter Representative Elections are scheduled to be held in the spring.

CHAPTER STATISTICS			
Category	Statistics		
Number of Members in Chapter	28		
Number of Active Members	25		
Number of KCOMTEPS Participants	2		
Number of KMEA ISW Participants	21		

We are growing little by little every year as more underclassmen join than we have upperclassmen graduate, and we retain nearly all the members from the previous year. We directly interact with our freshmen in the WU 101 Music course, where we give an overview of NAfME. We make announcements of upcoming events and meetings in the mandatory Music Major meetings, ensembles, classes, and through social media. Our biggest incentives have been having local teachers and student teachers as guests to interact with us in our meetings and attending conferences like KCOMTEPs and KMEA.

FUNDRAISING

We fundraised \$10 or so through a movie night. We had hoped to do other fundraisers, but they fell through. We are planning to host a water balloon fight of sorts as a competition throughout the music department. This would help kick off the semester as an event for students to meet their professors in a relaxed environment during band camp, before the semester begins.

CHAPTER MEETINGS

We hold meetings twice a month. Our attendance policy is that active members must attend at least twothirds of our meetings. We bring snacks to every meeting. We ask fun questions for roll call, and we invite guest speakers to most of our meetings. The meetings last anywhere from 20 minutes to an hour. The president runs the meetings. If the president is absent, then the vice president presides. We are fortunate to have an advisor who is very involved, and who teaches the freshmen intro course.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

We attend KMEA and KCOMTEPS. We bring local educators or student teachers to most of our meetings, which helps our chapter learn more about the experiences of teachers at various stages. This also helps our members grow connections in the community. The turnout for our meetings is most members.

TRI-M

Our school currently has no affiliation with Tri-M.

Future Chapter Plans

We plan to have social events throughout the year to help with support and bonds. We plan to have another fundraiser during this semester. We plan to do a couple community outreach events throughout this semester (instrument petting zoos, speaking at local high schools, local concerts/recitals, etc.). The event we are most excited for is playing at the local zoo, which will help with outreach and community presence. It is during the winter holiday season, which is also a chance to play fun, easy music with our NAfME friends.

June 8th, 2023 Wichita State University, Wichita, KS.

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Elections for the 2022-2023 Chapter Representatives occurred on 4/19/2022. The 2023-2024 Chapter Representative Elections are scheduled to be held on n/a.

CHAPTER STATISTICS			
Category	Statistics		
Number of Members in Chapter	Approx. 60		
Number of Active Members	Approx. 40		
Number of KCOMTEPS Participants	Approx. 30		
Number of KMEA ISW Participants	Approx. 30		

MEMBERSHIP and RECRUITMENT

Our membership has been growing every year since the beginning of the pandemic. We had about 17-20 new freshmen join the organization on WSU's student organization page called "Shocker Sync". We try to have one meeting per month as well as one event per month for bonding and recruitment. For example: a back-to-school BBQ, a Halloween trunk-or-treat, a Valentine's Day party, etc.

FUNDRAISING

Our NAfME chapter was one of three groups selected to receive \$500 for the work that we have been doing as a top student organization on campus at Wichita State. We have that in our safe-keepings account and we are going through the budget appropriations process this summer to ask for funding for next year.

CHAPTER MEETINGS

We had one meeting a month, on the first Tuesday. We had some unfortunate conflicts with classes, but we normally got about 15 people a meeting. We also still had one non-business-related event per month as well just to keep people involved and hopefully spend quality time with their peers and colleagues. We normally provide small treats and refreshments at our events. The meetings were normally half an hour, as we tried to get people to their next classes. The events, however, normally ranged from half an hour to an hour. They were planned and run collectively by all the officers. Our chapter advisor is also involved in the planning and likes to sit in on meetings when he is available to do so. We had some good guest speakers as well, including an alumni music educator fraternity SAI, as well as Reed Bishop from KMEK

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Similar to other chapters, some of the main professional development events in our academic year are KMEA and KCOMPTEPS. We had an incredible turnout this year. As listed above in the report, we had approximately 30 students in attendance at KCOMTEPS and KMEA. Next year we are also planning to bring in guest speakers. Hopefully, we can invite another Wichita public school music teacher like we have done in the past as well, because they have great advice.

TRI-M

Our school currently has no affiliation with Tri-M.

Future Chapter Plans

As usual, we want to just continue to really focus on the first-year and second-year students. It is super important to us that the underclassmen feel welcome and that they understand that their contributions to the organization are important. We want them to run for office positions and get involved that way. We can bring back speakers from the music fraternity, guest music teachers from the Wichita area, Kodaly workshops like we did with Reed Bishop, for people who haven't gotten to experience any KMEK sessions before. Also, the recently elected board of officers have been making plans to hold new events that we haven't done before, intended to engage the greater campus community, and generally draw interest to our school of music and the performances that go on there.

NAfME Collegiate President: Adelynn Hobbs

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Since the June 2022 Board Meeting, I have:

- 1. Worked alongside our incoming officers to prepare for the transition of office.
- 2. Presented a session at KMEA.
- 3. Whilst at KMEA, worked to connect with multiple colleges to include them in the state board proceedings and offer resources to their chapters.
- 4. Worked to build online resources to assist collegiate chapters in streamlining the process of starting or building stronger chapters.
- 5. Worked on building connections between our current participating collegiate officers and students.
- 6. Extended communications to new university chapters to include them on the state board.
- 7. Assisted collegiate presidents in the planning of events that will bring connections between them and their neighboring schools CNAfME chapters.
- 8. Relayed information regarding upcoming opportunities and conferences to CNAfME board members.