New England Band Directors Institute
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Plymouth, NH 03264

The New England Band Directors Institute
At
Plymouth State University
Dear Friends and Colleagues,

I am happy to bring you information regarding the 2015 New England Band Directors Institute at Plymouth State University, July 9-11. Each year we try to provide you with an exciting line-up of clinics and sessions that will stimulate your musical thinking and encourage you to try new techniques in your teaching, but you may notice a few small changes this year! Beginning this summer, you can register for NEBDI either by mail or online at the following link:

http://www.plymouth.edu/department/mtd/nebdi/

NEBDI 2015 will have some excellent clinicians as always, and at our Friday night banquet dinner and awards ceremony we will also be awarding the “Outstanding Band Director” and “Outstanding Young Band Director” awards. More information about sessions and our special guest banquet speaker can be found on the NEBDI website at the address above!

Registration for this great three day institute is only $75 (checks payable to NHBDA), with the option of taking up to 3 graduate credits. There are two courses available:

ME 5120.01  New England Band Directors Institute  1 credit
ME 5560.01  Current trends and topics in Music Education  2 credits

This year we have a full time enrolled student registration rate of $25. Available to undergraduate and graduate students.

Information on cost and how to register for these courses is available on the NEBDI website and I have added a graduate school summer registration form to this mailing. Also on the website, you can find links to places to stay, both on and off campus, as well as local restaurants and directions to campus.

The Executive Board of the New Hampshire Band Directors Association and I are looking forward to seeing you in Plymouth this July. Bring your instruments and join us for three incredible days of music in the mountains!

Enrollment is limited! I am looking forward to seeing you this summer in Plymouth. Please don’t hesitate to call me (603) 535-2495, or email me at mastickney@plymouth.edu, if you have any questions.

Mark Stickney
Assistant Professor of Music
Coordinator
New England Band Directors Institute
New England Band Directors Institute
At
Plymouth State University
July 9-11, 2015

Thursday, July 9
8:00 – 8:50 Registration/Get Acquainted Coffee – SCA, Lobby and Room 130
Score Reading Room – SCA, Room 131
8:50 – 10:00 Developing Rhythmic Sensitivity In Your Ensemble
Robert Ambrose – SCA, Smith Recital Hall
11:45 – 1:00 Lunch/Score Reading Room – Room 131
NHBDA Informational Luncheon/Business Meeting: Newfound Room, Dining Hall
1:15 – 2:45 Session A: Break out Session TBD – Richard Saucedo – SCA, Room 122
Session B: Percussion in the Creative Process – Tim Gilmore – SCA, Room 123
Session C: Transcribing Contemporaries: Discussing Editions for Band of Orchestra Literature
Peter Martin – SCA, Smith Recital Hall
3:15 – 4:45 Session A: Conducting Nuances – “Little Things Mean A Lot”
Robert Ambrose – SCA, Room 122
Session B: Percussion in the Creative Process – Tim Gilmore – SCA, Room 123
Session C: Transcribing Contemporaries: Discussing Editions for Band of Orchestra Literature
Peter Martin – SCA, Smith Recital Hall
6:30 – 8:45 Grade 3-5 Band Reading Session (Bring Instruments!) – Mark Stickney – Welcome Center

Friday, July 10
8:00 – 8:50 Coffee – SCA , Lobby & Room 130
Score Reading Room – SCA, Room 131
9:00 – 10:15 Elementary Band Reading Session (Bring Instruments!) – Robert Ambrose – SCA, Hanaway Theatre
10:45 – 11:45 My Personal Approach to Score Study - Anthony Maello – SCA, Smith Recital Hall
11:45 – 1:00 Lunch/Score Reading Room – SCA, Room 130
1:15 – 2:15 Simple Conducting Concepts That Encourage Expressive Performance
Robert Ambrose – SCA, Smith Recital Hall
5:30 – 6:45 NEBDI Dinner – Dining Hall, Newfound Room
7:00 – 9:00 Session A: Jazz Band Reading Session (Bring Instruments!) – Kenneth Clark – SCA, Room 122
Session B: Elementary/Middle School Forum – SCA, Room 122
Session C: High School Forum –SCA, Room 131
9:15 - Director’s Get Together – Boiler Room Lounge at the Common Main Inn

Saturday, July 11
8:00 – 8:50 Coffee – SCA, Room 130
9:00 – 12:00 Rehearsal Lab (Bring Instruments!)– Anthony Maello – SCA, Hanaway Theatre
Registration is available online at: http://www.plymouth.edu/department/mtd/nebdi/
Or by filling out and mailing in this form.

*All payment must be made by mail!*

2015 NEBDI Registration Form

Name ______________________________________    Phone ____________________

Home Address________________________________________________________________________
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School ______________________________________________________________________________

Email ________________________________________________________________________________

Instrument you will play in the Reading Sessions ____________________________________________

Are you attending NEBDI for Graduate Credit?    Yes ☐ No ☐

(A registration form for graduate credit can be found on the New England Band Directors Institute web page. That form should be sent to the College of Graduate Studies at Plymouth State University. Payment for graduate credit is made directly to the College of Graduate Studies, and those checks are made payable to Plymouth State University. Registration is available during on-site registration for NEBDI on July 9, but space in the graduate courses is limited so register today!)

Convention Registration: $75.00 (Includes membership in the New Hampshire Band Directors Association for one year.)

$25.00 (for full time enrolled students.)

NEBDI Banquet: $20.00

*Registration and Banquet checks should be made payable to NHBDA

Please mail registration form and/or payment to:

Dr. Mark A Stickney
Department of Music, Theatre and Dance
Plymouth State University
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Plymouth, NH 03264
Housing for the Band Directors Institute will be in the Langdon Woods Residential Complex. Langdon Woods offers single and double rooms with private bath and air conditioning. No linens. For more information about Langdon Woods, please go to [www.plymouth.edu/office/residential---life/residential---halls/langdon---woods](http://www.plymouth.edu/office/residential---life/residential---halls/langdon---woods).

Housing reservations will be accepted online from through July 5, 2015 at:

[https://www.events.unh.edu/RegistrationForm.pm?event_id=17839](https://www.events.unh.edu/RegistrationForm.pm?event_id=17839)

If typing this link into your web browser, please be aware that it is case sensitive. If you do not use a capital R and F, the link will not work.

Full payment is required at the time of reservation. Housing is limited and will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. Reservation requests after July 5 are subject to availability and must be made by contacting Tom Weeks directly at 603---535---3298.

Once your reservation and payment have been received, a confirmation letter outlining your reservation details and information about checking in will be sent to you.

All on-campus housing facilities are non-smoking.

Accommodation costs are as follows:

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- $27.00/night = Single room
- $19.00/night/person = Double room