

MJCCBDA Meeting Minutes

Friday September 6th, 2013.

Meeting Called to Order by Dell Trotter

Prayer led by Dr. Kyle Hill

Schools represented : Copiah-Lincoln Community College, East Mississippi Community College, East Central Mississippi Community College, Hinds Community College, Holmes Community College, Jones County Junior College, Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, Southwest Mississippi Community College.

A motion was made to accept the previous meetings minutes, it was seconded by the members present.

Old Business

The official rules were read in regards to recruiting across district lines. A good discussion was held in regards to this topic.

Section 1 – Policies

- a. Community/Junior Colleges shall not conduct or participate in recruitment events or other activities in another community/junior college district except for the recruitment of athletes (Amended 11/15/11). **This includes recruiting by mail.** In reference to mail, an institution has the right to reply to any request from prospective students when they request information by mail. However, institutions shall not **acquire mailing lists for students outside their recruiting district for general mass mailing or other means of solicitation.**
- b. Invitations shall not be accepted for out-of-district high school visits, band performances, performing groups, or any other such activity that is not sponsored by the Association. Exception for these types of recruiting activities and regional/statewide events must have the written approval of the president in whose district the event or activity is to occur.

If you feel that this is being violated here is your recourse.

Section 3 – Request for investigation of Violation of District Policies

NOTE: The Commissioner can investigate without a complaint, but if there is a complaint, then the following items are applicable:

- a. All requests for investigation of possible violations of the district policies must be filed in writing with the Commissioner's office by the President of the institution making the request.
 - b. The Commissioner shall investigate the alleged violation and shall assess penalties according to the guidelines in Section 4 of Article VI.
 - c. The institution will have ten (10) days after the Commissioner's ruling to appeal to the Athletic Council.
- Institutions that request an investigation will be responsible for all expenses involved unless the findings verify their allegations. In this case, the institutions in violation of the rules or policies will be billed for the cost of the investigation and all other expenses to the MACJC.

A Motion was made to accept the minutes and approved by unanimous vote.

A Booth for state band clinic will be set up for the MJCCBA at State Band Clinic.
- Dell Trotter gave an update

A Motion was made to place an add in the Mississippi Band Directors Association State Band Clinic Handbook for the MJCCBA. It was seconded and approved by a majority vote.

February 6-8th will be the MJCCBA Band Clinic at The University of Southern Mississippi with Clinician Ken Bodiford.

A Motion was made to hold auditions on Jan 24th at Hinds Community College at 1:00PM.

Music Set B is the audition set, for this year.

<http://mjccba.weebly.com/index.html>

Tom Carson, the former Band Director at East Central passed away this year.
Friday of State Band Clinic will be the next meeting.

