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NHMEA Jazz All-State Auditions

Registration Deadline: September 29, 2017

Audition Date: Saturday, October 21, 2017 at Souhegan High School

Festival Dates: February 1-3, 2018 at Pinkerton Academy

General Information:

1. The fee for auditions is \$15.00 per audition. Schools should try to send one check if possible to NHMEA, PO Box 717, Stratham, NH 03885. Payment must be postmarked by September 29, 2017.
2. All registration information is submitted directly through the OPUS system by your school's director. Directors are required to provide a copy of this form to any auditioning students. This form serves as acknowledgement of the rules regarding this event. Directors are encouraged to keep a copy of this form signed by parents/students on file.
3. Students auditioning on more than one instrument/voice part should indicate to their director their preference if accepted to more than one ensemble prior to director submitting registration.
4. If selected for the festival, students will be required to be housed in a quad-occupancy hotel room for the duration of the festival.

Eligibility:

1. You must be a member in good standing of your school's performing group, if one exists.
2. Your school district must pay the NHMEA School Participation Fee by October 1.
3. Your application fee must be postmarked by September 29, 2017.
4. If auditioning and/or selected as a Jazz-All State participant, your school music teacher must accompany you to the auditions and the Jazz All State Music Festival as your chaperone.
5. Substitutions are not allowed. Only the registered student may audition during their assigned time.

NHMEA Attendance Policy

By auditioning for the Jazz All-State Festival, the student is committing to attend the NHMEA Jazz All-State Festival from February 1-3, 2018, if selected. Students who are selected but choose not to attend, will be ineligible to audition for NHMEA festivals the following year.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

(school directors are encouraged to keep a copy of this form on file for one year - please do not send for to NHMEA)