

To: 2020 All-State Students, Directors and Parents  
From: Chris Dasovick, All State Festival Site Manager and  
Cheryl McIntyre All State Chairperson 2019  
RE: Instructions and information

### LEARN YOUR MUSIC

Please have your music prepared and ready to go. Our rehearsals are for musical considerations, not for working out notes, rhythms, pronunciations, and articulations. These concerts are being conducted by world-class musicians. This will be your chance to showcase North Dakota's finest young musical talent! **\*Students may be asked to stay in the rehearsal room during concert hours in order to learn their parts.\***

### MEDICAL CONCERNS

**\*Each student needs to complete the required medical release form and return it with the registration. This is to assist All State in the case of an emergency with your students. Be sure to include the teacher's cell number in the event your student becomes ill or needs your assistance.** \* It is the responsibility of the directors/chaperones of All-State students to obtain necessary information about medical needs (pre-existing conditions, parents' phone numbers, doctor's phone number, etc.) and to be on the premises to assist All-State personnel with any medical emergencies students may have. Please send medical forms and student photos to:

Cheryl McIntyre  
Jamestown High School  
1509 10<sup>th</sup> St. NE  
Jamestown, ND 58401

### PHOTOS

Be sure to include an **appropriate** school photo for the All State Program of each student. Labeled photos must be submitted by February 18<sup>th</sup> to Cheryl McIntyre at the address listed above. You may also send photos digitally to [cherylmcintyre0@gmail.com](mailto:cherylmcintyre0@gmail.com). Be sure to label each individual photo when sent digitally with Name, Performance Ensemble, Town/School, Instrument/Voice.

### SEATING

All State personnel will help you find your seat for the first rehearsal and will give you a nametag. **NAME TAGS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES.** The name tags are also your admission to the concerts.

### CONCERT ATTIRE

Please wear modest, respectful dress-up attire. Please do not wear choir robes or uniforms. **DO NOT WEAR ATHLETIC SHOES, WHITE ATHLETIC SOCKS, REVEALING OR DISTRACTING CLOTHING, OR JEANS.**

### CONCERT TICKETS

Tickets will be available at the door for \$10 for adults and \$8 for students. Tickets for multiple concerts are available at the door. Tickets will not be sold in advance.

### BEHAVIOR AT ALL STATE

Please remember that as a member of the All State you represent the entire music education community in our state. What you do reflects upon all of us. This includes your behavior as well as your performance. You also must be eligible under NDHSAA rules to participate. Remember that you are a guest in these buildings. Please show respect for the people and the property you encounter.

**\*NDMEA All-State reserves the right to dismiss any student whose behavior is detrimental to their ensemble!\***

### RULES FOR STUDENTS

1. Students are not allowed to wear caps, bandannas, or hats in the rehearsals.
2. Food, pop, juice and any other snacks must be consumed in the appropriate areas.
3. We do not accept any responsibility for loss of personal items, so please protect your belongings.
4. Students are subject to all North Dakota High School Activities Association rules during the All-State Festival.
5. **\*There is no texting allowed during rehearsals!\***

### NO VIDEO OR AUDIO RECORDERS AT THE CONCERTS

This is not allowed due to the distraction it may cause and due to legal issues concerning copyright infringement.

### REHEARSAL SITE LOCATION, PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION

The Bismarck Event Center is located at 315 South 5th Street. **Due to additional activities taking place at the Bismarck Event Center, you should park in the South Parking Lot for free. All other lots are \$5.**

### MEALS

Lunch may be purchased at restaurants near the Civic Center. There will not be any concessions sold inside the Civic Center. All evening meals will also be on your own. Again, several restaurants are within walking distance of the Civic Center.

### T-SHIRTS

All State t-shirts will be available for \$15 throughout the festival.

### DIRECTORS

All directors must register for the conference in order to attend conference sessions and All-State Rehearsals. Please go to [ndmea.org](http://ndmea.org) and register if you've not already done so. You must also register all non-director chaperones (no cost for admission) so they will have name tags if they will be in the facilities. They must have a name tag for entrance to all conference events. Registered attendees of the NDMEA Conference are admitted free to all concerts. Nametags serve as tickets.

**Please be sure to indicate that a student should be receiving a 4 year award.**

## All State Orchestra Rehearsal Schedule

All students need to be on time for all rehearsals.

### **Sunday, March 22**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Place</u>
12:30 p.m.	Re-auditions	Civic Center (Aspen, Linden, Oak & Murdoch)
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	Hall C
4:30 p.m.	Dinner	On your own
6:00 p.m.-7:15	Rehearsal	Hall C
7:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour</b>	Hall D
	Cantus from Central Dakota Children's Choir directed by Mike Seil. Missouri River Community Band directed by John Warren.	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	

### **Monday, March 23**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal (Possible Exhibit/Sectional Time)	Hall C
9:30-10:00	Designated Exhibit Time	Hall B
10:00-10:50	Rehearsal	Hall C
11:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	Hall D
	Creating a Culture of Excellence	Tim Lautzenheiser
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	On your own
1:30 p.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
3:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour II</b>	Hall D
	Sheyenne High School Concert Choir directed by Tony Peterson NDSU Wind Symphony directed by Warren Olfert	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	
4:40 p.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
5:45 p.m.	Rehearsal	Hall C
6:45 p.m.	Supper	On your own

### **Tuesday, March 24**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	Hall C
10:00 a.m.	<b>All-State Concert I</b>	Hall D
	All State Jazz Choir, directed by Duane Davis All State Jazz Band, directed by Mike Tomaro	
12:30 p.m.	Warmup for All State Concert	Hall D
1:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert II</b>	Hall D
	All State Mixed Choir, directed by Aimee Beckman-Collier All State Orchestra directed by Douglas Droste	
4:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert III</b>	Hall D
	All State Treble Choir, directed by Kathleen Rodde All State Band, directed by Dr. Frank Tracz	

# **All State Treble Choir Rehearsal Schedule** All students need to be on time for all rehearsals.

## **Sunday, March 22**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Place</u>
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	PR 105
3:30-4:20 p.m.	Sectionals	PR 105 & PR 106
4:30 p.m.	Dinner	On your own
6:00 p.m.-7:15	Rehearsal	PR 105
7:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour</b>	Hall D
	Cantus from Central Dakota Children's Choir directed by Mike Seil.	
	Missouri River Community Band directed by John Warren.	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	

## **Monday, March 23**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	PR 105
9:30-10:00	Designated Exhibit Time	Hall B
10:00-10:50	Rehearsal	PR 105
11:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	Hall D
	Creating a Culture of Excellence	Tim Lautzenheiser
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	On your own
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	PR 105
3:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour II</b>	Hall D
	Sheyenne High School Concert Choir directed by Tony Peterson	
	NDSU Wind Symphony directed by Warren Olfert	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	
4:40 p.m.	Rehearsal	PR 105
6:00-6:45 p.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
6:45 p.m.	Supper	On your own

## **Tuesday, March 24**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	Hall C
10:00 a.m.	<b>All-State Concert I</b>	Hall D
	All State Jazz Choir, directed by Duane Davis	
	All State Jazz Band, directed by Mike Tomaro	
1:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert II</b>	Hall D
	All State Mixed Choir, directed by Aimee Beckman-Collier	
	All State Orchestra directed by Douglas Droste	
3:30 p.m.	Warmup for All State Concert	Hall PR 105
4:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert III</b>	Hall D
	All State Treble Choir, directed by Kathleen Rodde	
	All State Band, directed by Dr. Frank Tracz	

## All State Band Rehearsal Schedule

All students need to be on time for all rehearsals.

### **Sunday, March 22**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Place</u>
12:30 p.m.	Re-auditions	Civic Center (Aspen, Linden, Oak & Murdoch)
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	Hall C
4:30 p.m.	Dinner	On your own
6:00 p.m.-7:15	Rehearsal	Hall C
7:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour</b>	Hall D
	Cantus from Central Dakota Children's Choir directed by Mike Seil. Missouri River Community Band directed by John Warren.	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	

### **Monday, March 23**

8:00-9:30 a.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
9:30-10:00	Designated Exhibit Time	Hall B
10:00-10:50	Rehearsal	Hall A
11:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	Hall D
	Creating a Culture of Excellence	Tim Lautzenheiser
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	On your own
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	Hall A
3:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour II</b>	Hall D
	Sheyenne High School Concert Choir directed by Tony Peterson NDSU Wind Symphony directed by Warren Olfert	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	
4:40 p.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
5:45 p.m.	Rehearsal	Hall A
6:45 p.m.	Supper	On your own

### **Tuesday, March 24**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	Hall A
10:00 a.m.	<b>All-State Concert I</b>	Hall D
	All State Jazz Choir, directed by Duane Davis All State Jazz Band, directed by Mike Tomaro	
1:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert II</b>	Hall D
	All State Mixed Choir, directed by Aimee Beckman-Collier All State Orchestra directed by Douglas Droste	
3:30 p.m.	Warmup for All State Concert	Hall A
4:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert III</b>	Hall D
	All State Treble Choir, directed by Kathleen Rodde All State Band, directed by Dr. Frank Tracz	

**All State Mixed Choir Rehearsal Schedule**  
All students need to be on time for all rehearsals.

**Sunday, March 22**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Place</u>
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	PR 101-102
2:30-3:20	Sectionals in	PR-Hall C& PR 101-102
4:30 p.m.	Dinner	On your own
6:00 p.m.-7:15	Rehearsal	PR 101-102
7:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour</b>	Hall D
	Cantus from Central Dakota Children's Choir directed by Mike Seil.	
	Missouri River Community Band directed by John Warren.	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	

**Monday, March 23**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	PR 101-102
9:30-10:00	Designated Exhibit Time	Hall B
10:00-10:50	Rehearsal	PR 101-102
11:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	Hall D
	Creating a Culture of Excellence	Tim Lautzenheiser
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	On your own
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	PR 101-102
3:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour II</b>	Hall D
	Sheyenne High School Concert Choir directed by Tony Peterson	
	NDSU Wind Symphony directed by Warren Olfert	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	
4:40 p.m.	Rehearsal	PR 101-102
5:15- 6:00 p.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
6:45 p.m.	Supper	On your own

**Tuesday, March 24**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	PR 101-102
10:00 a.m.	<b>All-State Concert I</b>	Hall D
	All State Jazz Choir, directed by Duane Davis	
	All State Jazz Band, directed by Mike Tomaro	
12:30 p.m.	Warmup for All State Concert	Hall D
1:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert II</b>	Hall D
	All State Mixed Choir, directed by Aimee Beckman-Collier	
	All State Orchestra directed by Douglas Droste	
4:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert III</b>	Hall D
	All State Treble Choir, directed by Kathleen Rodde	
	All State Band, directed by Dr. Frank Tracz	

## All State Jazz Choir Rehearsal Schedule

All students need to be on time for all rehearsals.

### **Sunday, March 22**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Place</u>
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	Birch/Cotton
4:30 p.m.	Dinner	On your own
6:00 p.m.-7:15	Rehearsal	Birch/Cotton
7:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour</b>	Hall D
	Cantus from Central Dakota Children's Choir directed by Mike Seil.	
	Missouri River Community Band directed by John Warren.	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	

### **Monday, March 23**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	Birch/Cotton
9:30-10:00	Designated Exhibit Time	Hall B
10:00-10:50	Rehearsal	Birch/Cotton
11:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	Hall D
	Creating a Culture of Excellence	Tim Lautzenheiser
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	On your own
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	Birch/Cotton
3:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour II</b>	Hall D
	Sheyenne High School Concert Choir directed by Tony Peterson	
	NDSU Wind Symphony directed by Warren Olfert	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	
4:40 p.m.	Rehearsal	Birch/Cotton
6:45 p.m.	Supper	On your own

### **Tuesday, March 24**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	Arena
8:45-9:30	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
10:00 a.m.	<b>All-State Concert I</b>	Hall D
	All State Jazz Choir, directed by Duane Davis	
	All State Jazz Band, directed by Mike Tomaro	
1:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert II</b>	Hall D
	All State Mixed Choir, directed by Aimee Beckman-Collier	
	All State Orchestra directed by Douglas Droste	
4:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert III</b>	Hall D
	All State Treble Choir, directed by Kathleen Rodde	
	All State Band, directed by Dr. Frank Tracz	

## All State Jazz Band Rehearsal Schedule

All students need to be on time for all rehearsals.

### **Sunday, March 22**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Place</u>
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	Old Entrance
4:30 p.m.	Dinner	On your own
6:00 p.m.-7:15	Rehearsal	Old Entrance
7:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour</b>	Hall D
	Cantus from Central Dakota Children's Choir directed by Mike Seil.	
	Missouri River Community Band directed by John Warren.	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	

### **Monday, March 23**

8:00 a.m.	Rehearsal	Old Entrance
9:30-10:00	Designated Exhibit Time	Hall B
10:00-10:50	Rehearsal	Old Entrance
11:00 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	Hall D
	Creating a Culture of Excellence	Tim Lautzenheiser
12:00 p.m.	Lunch	On your own
1:30 p.m.	Rehearsal	Old Entrance
3:30 p.m.	<b>Concert Hour II</b>	Hall D
	Sheyenne High School Concert Choir directed by Tony Peterson	
	NDSU Wind Symphony directed by Warren Olfert	
	<b>All State students will attend the concert.</b>	
4:40 p.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
5:45 p.m.	Rehearsal	Old Entrance
6:45 p.m.	Supper	On your own

### **Tuesday, March 24**

8:00 a.m.	Dress Rehearsal	Hall D
8:45-9:30	Rehearsal	Arena
10:00 a.m.	<b>All-State Concert I</b>	Hall D
	All State Jazz Choir, directed by Duane Davis	
	All State Jazz Band, directed by Mike Tomaro	
1:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert II</b>	Hall D
	All State Mixed Choir, directed by Aimee Beckman-Collier	
	All State Orchestra directed by Douglas Droste	
4:00 p.m.	<b>All-State Concert III</b>	Hall D
	All State Treble Choir, directed by Kathleen Rodde	
	All State Band, directed by Dr. Frank Tracz	