

# Region 30 Elem Mtg Notes

Aug 13th

## GENERAL REGION MEETING

10:00AM

### ➤ Spring Region Meeting General Session

**May 6, 2017** at Chisholm High School, Eagle Mt. Saginaw @ 10:00 a.m. in the auditorium.

- Spring Region Elementary Division – will begin at 9am with a workshop, break for the general session and return to the workshop for a total of 3 hrs to earn CPE credit from 9am – 12:30pm. **“Rounds & Canons”** by JW Pepper for the Spring Meeting.
  - Thank you to Penny Brister for volunteering her daughter to provide childcare during our time together.
- Region 30 HAS A WEBSITE!!
  - Please go to the Region website and update/add your information so you can stay updated. <http://uilforms.com/regions/30/>
  - Here’s the Elementary page:  
<http://uilforms.com/regions/30/region30elementary.html>

## ELEMENTARY BREAK OUT

10:30ISH

- Don’t forget to register for TMEA convention; **Wednesday, Feb. 8 – 13, 2017.**
  - If you bring a teacher to TMEA that has not attended in the past 2 to 3 years, you will receive a **“NEW RECRUIT” ribbon** in the Elementary Office, Room 215.
  - The New England Dancers – The Amidons will be presenting in 2 sessions, as well as Dr. John M. Feierabend.
  - Please consider attending the Region Meeting at **TMEA Friday, Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> @ 5:15pm**, the room will be listed in the guide, this will be our last and final discussion before our TMEA Region 30 Elementary Division Honor Choir on March 25, 2017.
- Please consider signing up to be a “Mentor Teacher” through the TMEA Mentor Program @ [TMEA.org](http://TMEA.org).

## ELEMENTARY REGION 30 HONOR CHOIR

- Region choir – TMEA Region 30 Elementary Honor Choir is scheduled for **Mar 25, 2017.**

### TITLES:

The Syncopated Clock by Anderson, arr. by Gilpin. Published by Alfred

Didn't It Rain Traditional Spiritual, arr. by Crocker. Published by Hal Leonard

Zither, Zinga, Zing by Courtney & Parker. Published by Heritage Press

Dance, Dance, Dance by Donnelly, art. by Strid.

Peace Like a River Traditional Spiritual, arr. by Schram. Published by BriLee

There Will Come Soft Rains by Farnell (Lyrics by Teasdale). Published by Carl Fischer

J'entends Le Moulin (I Hear the Windmill) French Canadian Folk Song, arr. by Crocker, Published by Hal Leonard

- Packets will cost: \$14.80 with s/h.
  - Please email Connie Deweese at [cdeweese@azleisd.net](mailto:cdeweese@azleisd.net) to order packets.

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- Payments can be made in cash or checks to: Connie Deweese
- Spring DFW Region collaboration workshops -
  - Regions 2, 3, 5, 25, 30 & 31 will be hosting a collaboration workshop presented by MATCH. This will be the same presentation that was offered in the Houston area last year so if you were not able to attend, you won't want to miss it when it comes to our area.

## WORKSHOP OPPORTUNITIES

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- Susan Elliott, Elementary Chair Region 3 – will be hosting a Reading Session Sept. 10th in Garland. She will have octavos for us to read through and an order form to place orders at our own convenience. CPE hrs for TMEA members, location & Time soon to follow.
- Region 30 will host a “prep-session” for Honor Choir at **North Riverside ES – KISD, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> 10am-12pm**. CPE hrs for TMEA members, \$3 for students, \$5 for TMEA members, \$20 for non-members, plus a cost for music.
  - Charging for workshops is the only way we can pay for future workshops.

## NEW BUSINESS

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- Casey Medlin – Elementary Chair, Region 13 was nominated for Elementary VP!! 😊

## COMMUNICATION/SOCIAL MEDIA

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- WE DID IT!! We officially have a FaceBook page entitled “TMEA Region 30 Elementary Division”. Go find us, friend us, just another way you can see what we're doing. 😊
  - A HUGE thank you to Nichole Rindom from Godley ISD. She created our page on the spot in our meeting..... WOOHOO!
  - We took a picture at the end of the meeting and we'll update it at our Honor Choir Concert.

## FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> YEAR TEACHERS ONLY!!

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- Congratulations and welcome aboard to;
  - Madison Witt at High Point Academy
  - Carrie Reber at High Point Academy
  - Megan Hibbetts to Elementary from Middle School

**PLEASE LET ME KNOW HOW I CAN BETTER SERVE YOU AS YOUR REGION CHAIRMAN**