Louisiana Music Educators Association All-State Jazz Auditions

Instructions for: <u>District Director or the District's Designated Jazz Chair</u>

See the "All-State Jazz Auditions – Audition Process" for instructions about the procedure to be followed during the audition. Note: If you need help recording the auditions, contact Lee Hicks or designated members of LAJE for assistance.

Please fill out the Excel master lists/forms (located in the Dropbox folder with the other audition material) carefully, being sure to accurately link the audition numbers to students' names.

Once ALL of the auditions for your district are completed, please follow these procedures:

1. Be sure to label the mp3 file for each person auditioning (and back them up on your computer) as follows:

Ex.: LMEA All-State Jazz Audition - District 9, Alto Sax 1

- 2. Please scan and email all registration forms with the recorded files to LMEAJazz@gmail.com and include your LMEA District # in the subject line. This will save time for the entire process. Please save all of the files on your computer, back them up on a disc, and save it in case there are any issues with the file transfer through email. Please save ALL of the information until after the All-State Jazz ensemble has been selected and finalized.
- **3.** Once you have emailed all of the registration forms, mp3 files, etc... you must mail the hard copies of the registration form and a single district check to the jazz division chair. If there is an issue with uploading the files, please include CDs with your recorded mp3 files and label them as follows: LMEA District #___, 2016 All-State Jazz Auditions, Saxophones, etc...

i.e. 1 CD for Saxophones, 1 CD for Trumpets, 1 CD for Trombones, and 1 CD for Rhythm Section

If you need to use more than one CD for a section that is fine, just label it as indicated above and include Saxophones Disc 1 or 2, etc...

Please mail all student registration forms, Excel forms, check, and CD recordings (if necessary) to:

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