

# 2016 - 2017 MSBOA Calendar of Events

## September 5

Labor Day

## September 9

String Committee Meeting

## September 10

Music Education Workshop & Festival Improvements  
Committee Meetings

## September 20

**DEADLINE: SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP**  
**(Membership fee increases by \$40 after Sept. 20**  
**DEADLINE : Mid-Level String Clinic Applications**

## September 24

Fall String Orchestra Reading Session

## October 3

**DEADLINE:** All-State B&O Audition Applications,  
B&O Adjudicator Workshop, Provisional  
Classification, District Transfers

## October 15

Mid Level String Clinics

## October 19

All-State Audition Schedule posted on the web site

## October 27, 28, 29 & 30

All-State Band & Orchestra Auditions

## November 17 (Thursday)

MSBOA Executive Board Meeting

## November 18

Director Development Days

## November 19

Director Development Days  
MSBOA General Membership Meeting - 4:00 pm

## December 5

**DEADLINE:** All-State Band and Orchestra Acceptance  
deadline and fees paid

## December 10

B&O Adjudicator Workshop

## January 7

Music Education Workshop & Festival Improvements  
Committee Meetings

## January 14

First date for District HS Solo and Ensemble Festivals

## January 18 (Wednesday)

MSBOA Executive Board Meeting

## January 19

Music Technology Day at the MMC  
Conducting Symposium at the MMC  
All-State B & O Rehearsals begin

## January 20

11th Annual Michigan Music Conference  
MSBOA General Membership Meeting – 12:00 pm

## January 21

11th Annual Michigan Music Conference continues  
All-State B & O Concerts

## February 11

Last date for District S & E Festivals

## STATE SOLO & ENSEMBLE FESTIVAL DEADLINE:

Postmarked the Friday following your District Festival.  
Late entries may be made, with additional fees, for one  
week after the deadline- see the Yearbook for the  
specific policy. \*

## February 15

**DEADLINE:** State Jazz Ensemble Festival  
Applications. *Late entry may be made for one week later with an  
additional late fee of \$100.* \*

## February 18

First week for District Band & Orchestra Festivals

## March 1

**DEADLINE:** Scholar Instrumentalist Application

## March 11

Last date for District B&O Festivals

## STATE BAND & ORCHESTRA FESTIVAL DEADLINE:

Postmarked the Friday following your District Festival.  
Late entries may be made, with additional fees, for one  
week after the deadline- see the Yearbook for the  
specific policy. \* & \*\*

## March 18

**STATE SOLO & ENSEMBLE FESTIVAL**

## March 20 – April 19 (Exact dates & sites TBA)

State Jazz Ensemble Festival

## April 7 (Friday)

MYAF Soloist Auditions at CMU

## April 16

Easter

## April 26, 27, 28 & 29

**STATE BAND & ORCHESTRA FESTIVAL**

## May 3, 4, 5 & 6

**STATE BAND & ORCHESTRA FESTIVAL**

## May 18, 19 & 20

Michigan Youth Arts Festival

## May 22

**DEADLINE:** Applications for MSBOA member  
groups performing at the MMC

## June 2 (Friday)

MSBOA Executive Board Meeting (Evening)

## June 3

MSBOA Executive Board Meeting (Morning)  
MSBOA Spring General Membership Meeting 1:30 pm

\* Please review the deadline policy in the  
**MSBOA Yearbook** for specific instructions  
concerning deadlines and late fees for all State  
Festivals.  
\*\* Continuing the policy to allow directors that  
have multiple groups performing on different dates  
to use the festival date of the last potential festival  
entrant for all entries.