

ECMEA CALENDAR 2017-18 - approved 2/9/17
Revised and re-approved 3/25/17

JULY 2017

15 Membership Guide Deadline

AUGUST 2017

1 Public and Private School membership Deadline
1 Music Approved and Checked Out of Library by Ensemble Chairs
29 Music Coordinators and Superintendents Mailing
29 Membership Guide Mailed to All Members (2015-16 Members)
29 ECMEA Conference Day registration opens on SoloChair.com

SEPTEMBER 2017

4 Labor Day
14 (Th) 4:30 PM Board Meeting - ECMEA Office
15 Music Programs Submitted to Festival Administrator for Ordering
15 Announcement for General Membership Meeting
15 **Membership Due Date**
15 **Elementary Choral Pre-application OPENS on SoloChair.com**
25 (Mo) 7:30 PM General Membership Meeting - Kleinhans
6:30 PM New Teacher Orientation

OCTOBER 2017

3 (Tu) 4:30 PM Choral Committee Meeting – Lancaster HS Conference Room
5 (Th) 4:30 PM Instrumental Committee Meeting – Maryvale Alumni Hall
9 Columbus Day
12 (Th) 4:30 PM Board Meeting - ECMEA Office
14 (S) Classroom Music Festival, Lindbergh Elem. School, Kenmore-Tonawanda CSD
15 **Instrumental, JH Choral Trios, and SH Choral Quartet Registration open on SoloChair.com**
15 **Deadline – Elementary Choral Pre-Application on SoloChair.com**
19 NYSBDA/ECMEA Regional Band Workshop – Orchard Park High School

NOVEMBER 2017

1 Audition Materials to Chairs
1 Advertising Deadline for Festival Program
3-4 NYSSMA Junior High Area All-State (assumed)
9 (TH) 4:30 PM Board Meeting – ECMEA Office
11 (F) Veterans' Day (no school on Friday the 10th assumed)
15 Deadlines
All Instrumental Solos
Jazz Solos
JH Choral Trios
SH Choral Quartets
Elementary Choral Names
Scholarships
15 SH Choral Audition Music Distribution
17-18 NYSSMA Senior High Area All-State (assumed)

JANUARY 2018

- 2 **HS Chorus Quartet Name Registration open on SoloChair.com**
- 6 Elementary Choral Music Distributed at Elementary Auditions
- 6 Elementary Instrumental, JH Choral, and Instrumental Jazz Auditions - **Depew**
- 6 6:00 PM ECMEA Board Banquet
- 13 JH Instrumental Auditions - **Orchard Park**
- 15 **Deadline – SH Vocal Quartet names submitted on SoloChair.com**
- 20 SH Instrumental, Choral Quartet, and Vocal Jazz Auditions – **BAVPA**
- 26 WNY Conference Day for Music Educators - Buffalo Niagara Convention Center
- 27 Scholarship Auditions – Maryvale HS

FEBRUARY 2018

- 1 Last Day for ALL Name Changes to Concert Program
- 1 (TH) 4:30 PM Instrumental Committee Meeting – Maryvale Alumni Hall
- 3 Scholarship Interviews (if needed) – Maryvale HS
- 8 (TH) 4:30 PM Board Meeting – Maryvale HS
- 15 Last Day for Elementary and Junior High Chorus Substitutions
- 19 President's Day

MARCH 2018

- 3 (Sat) Elementary Rehearsals – Sweet Home
- 8 (TH) 4:30 Board Meeting – Lancaster HS
- 9-10 JH North All-County Festival – location TBA
- 9-10 JH South All-County Festival – location TBA
- 14 (W) Elementary Rehearsals – Sweet Home
- 16 (F) Elementary Dress Rehearsals - Kleinhans
- 16 Jazz Rehearsals - Cheektowaga HS – awaiting confirmation
- 17 (Sat) Elementary Concert - Kleinhans
- 17 Jazz Rehearsals and Concerts - Cheektowaga HS – awaiting confirmation
- 12 (M) 7:00 PM Choral Committee Meeting – Gary Lee's Home
- 23-24 SH All-County Festival – University at Buffalo
- 24 10:00 AM General Membership Meeting – Univ. at Buffalo
- 26 (M) 7:00 PM Choral Committee Meeting – Gary Lee's Home
- 29 (TH) 4:30 PM Instrumental Committee Meeting -

APRIL 2018

- 5 Election Ballot Notice
- 6 Festival Music Due Back to Library
- 15 Deadline for the Selection of Instrumental Chairs and Conductors
- 15 Deadline for the Selection of Choral Chairs and Conductors
- 30 Election Ballots Deadline

MAY 2018

- 10 (TH) 4:30 PM Board Meeting - ECMEA Office

JUNE 2018

- 4 4:30 PM Notebook Meeting with all Chairs – Amherst MS
Instrumental and Choral Committees Meet
- 15 Music Selections Chosen By Conductors
- 22 MUSIC LIBRARY CLOSED
- 20 4:30 PM Re-organization Board Meeting – Revett's House

JULY 2018

- 15 Membership Guide Deadline
- 15 Music Library Opens

AUGUST 2018

- 1 Public and Private School Membership Deadline for 2016-2017
- 1 – Sept. 15 ECMEA Membership Drive