

2011 - 2012 South Dakota Music Meetings Contests & Festivals Calendar

August 2011

29 Region 1 Music Meeting - Yankton (Fryin' Pan @ 6:30 p.m.)

September 2011

6 Region 8 Music Meeting – Rapid City (TBD @6:00 p.m.)

7 Region 3 Music Meeting – Watertown, SD (Watertown High School @ 5:00 p.m.)

Region 4 Music Meeting – Aberdeen (Pizza Ranch @ 5:30 p.m.)

Region 6 Music Meeting – Mobridge (Windjammer @ 5:00 p.m. CT/4:00 p.m. MT)

Region 7 Music Meeting – Murdo (Triple H Truck Stop @ 6:00 p.m. CT/5:00 p.m. MT)

10 “Swarm Days” Parade – BHSU, Spearfish, SD

12 Region 5 Music Meeting – Platte (Boom’s @ 5:00 p.m.)

17 SDSU All-State Strings Prep Day – SDSU, Brookings

19 Region 2 Music Meeting – Chester (Chester Area High School @ 6:30 p.m.)

20 All-State Orchestra Audition Registration Forms Due

24 “Big Sioux Review” – Brandon

30 Menno Band Day

October 2011

1 “Festival Of Bands, USA” – Sioux Falls

5 NSU Choral Leadership Workshop – NSU, Aberdeen

7 All-State Chorus Registration Forms Due

Lake Area Marching Band Festival – Chester Area High School, Chester

8 “Dakota Days” Parade - USD, Vermillion

“Gypsy Day” Parade – NSU, Aberdeen

10 BHSU Choral Festival – BHSU, Spearfish

11 All-State Orchestra Auditions – Watertown

11-12 All-State Orchestra Auditions - Rapid City

- 13 All-State Choral Prep Day – SDSU, Brookings
- 13-14 All-State Orchestra Auditions – Brandon
- 14 Lake Region Marching Band Festival – Waubay
- 15 Quad State Field Marching Competition – USD, Vermillion
- 21 Region 7 Honor Band – White River
- 27-29 SDMEA State Music Education Conference – Sioux Falls
- 28-29 ALL-STATE CHORUS & ORCHESTRA – Sioux Falls

November 2011

- 3-5 SDMTA/MTNA State Music Teachers Conference & Competitions – Vermillion
- 4 Region 7 High School Vocal Festival – Kadoka
- 5 “Hobo Day” Parade - SDSU, Brookings
- 11-12 Augustana Concert Band Festival – Augustana College, Sioux Falls
- 16 NSU Band Clinic – NSU, Aberdeen
- 21 Yankton Area Region 1 Honor Band – Yankton High School
- 22 Northern Hills Honors Band – BHSU, Spearfish
- 28 Region V Music Festival – Gregory

December 2011

- 2-3 North Area Honor Band – Aberdeen
- 5 East Central Honor Band – Brookings
- 10 Merry Tuba Christmas – NSU, Aberdeen
- 15 All-State Band Audition Registration Forms

January 2012

- 13 All-State Band Auditions - Watertown
- 14 All-State Band Auditions – Sioux Falls
- 20 All-State Band Auditions – Pierre

- 21 All-State Band Auditions – Rapid City
- 26 South Dakota Jazz Festival – NSU, Aberdeen
- 27 All-State Band Auditions - Aberdeen
- 28 All-State Band Auditions – Sioux Falls
- 30 Region 2 Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest (Small Schools) – Sioux Falls
- 31 Region 2 Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest (Large Schools) – Sioux Falls

February 2012

- 4 SDSU Piano Day – SDSU, Brookings Region
- 8 Region 1 Vocal Solo/Ensemble Contest – Yankton
Region 4 Vocal & Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest – Aberdeen
Region 5 Vocal Solo/Ensemble Contest - Kimball
Region 6 Vocal & Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest – Selby
Region 8 Vocal & Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest – Rapid City
- 9-11 South Dakota Music In-Service Conference – SDSU, Brookings
J. Laiten Weed Honors Orchestra Rehearsal & Concert – Brandon

Region 7 Vocal & Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest – Murdo
- 22 Region 5 Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest – Faulkton
- 25 Vermillion Show Choir Invitational – Vermillion High School, Vermillion
- 29 Region 1 Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest – Vermillion
Region 7 Vocal & Instrumental Solo/Ensemble & Large Group Contests - Presho

March 2012

- 1 All-State Jazz Band Audition Registration Forms Due
- 3 Spring Orchestra Festival – USD, Vermillion
- 5-6 Jazz On The Upper Great Plains – Augustana College, Sioux Falls
- 10 “Best Of Show!” Show Choir Contest – Sioux Falls Washington High School, Sioux Falls
- 15 Coyote Jazz Festival – USD, Vermillion
- 17 Mitchell Show Choir Classic – Corn Place, Mitchell

- 18 “Center Stage” Show Choir Invitational – Aberdeen Central High School, Aberdeen
- 19 Whetstone Valley Choral Festival – Sisseton High School, Sisseton
- 20 Region 2 Strings Solo/Ensemble Contest – Sioux Falls
Region 2 Vocal Solo/Ensemble Contest (Large Schools) – Sioux Falls
- 21 Region 2 Vocal Solo/Ensemble Contest (Small Schools) – Sioux Falls
Region 5 Large Group Contest – Chamberlain
- 22-24 ALL-STATE BAND – Brookings
- 28 Region 3 Vocal & Instrumental Solo/Ensemble Contest – Watertown
Region 4 Large Group Contest – Aberdeen

April 2012

- 4 Region 1 Large Group Contest – Vermillion
- 11 Region 2 Large Group Contest (Large Schools) – Brandon
- 12 Brookings Optimists – SDSU Jazz Festival – SDSU, Brookings
- 13 Region 6 Large Group Contest – Mobridge
- 13-14 SDACDA All-State Honors Choir Auditions – Sioux Falls
- 18 Region 2 Large Group Contest (Small Schools) – Harrisburg
- 20 SDACDA All-State Honors Choir Auditions – Yankton
- 21 SDACDA All-State Honors Choir Auditions – Huron
- 23 SDACDA All-State Honors Choir Auditions – Rapid City
- 26 Region 8 Large Group Contest – Rapid City

May 2012

- 2 Region 3 Large Group Contest – Milbank
- 3-5 ALL-STATE JAZZ BAND – Aberdeen