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The Urbana District #116 Music Department participated in the IMEA (Illinois Music Educators Association) District III Auditions on Monday, October 12, 2009. Participants in this process were volunteers from the middle school and high school and/or members of the Enriched Music Courses at the high school. Through the help of their directors, students prepared music in advance for this audition. On the day of auditions, these students played or sang their prepared materials and also were asked to sight-read for a judge. At the end of the day, the judges get together, tally the scores and come up with the optimal ensembles based on auditions of the day. The directors of our Urbana ensembles were notified this past week of the students who were selected for this honor. The following is data on students who participated and students who were selected from our various ensembles.

#### **IMEA District III Junior Level (Middle School)**

<i>Ensemble</i>	<i># of Students who Auditions</i>	<i># of Students Selected</i>
Band	20	13
Choir	12	5
Orchestra	21	16

#### **IMEA District III Senior Level (High School)**

<i>Ensemble</i>	<i># of Students who Auditions</i>	<i># of Students Selected</i>
Band	19	7 *
Choir	19	11
Orchestra	16	10
Jazz Band	5	2

*\* Three of these students will be playing wind parts in the orchestra.*

I have enclosed a list of the names of students who were selected for a district ensemble.

If you have any further questions, please let me know.

Thanks!

# 2009 IMEA District III Participants

## SENIOR LEVEL

### **BAND**

Deven Carter  
Emmah King  
Rachel Shore  
Annie Valocchi

### **JAZZ BAND**

Jeremy Loui  
Jeff Sweedler

### **ORCHESTRA WINDS**

Kameron LeShoure  
Emily Otnes  
Amy Shea

### **ORCHESTRA STRINGS**

Gabriela Chavez  
Karen Chiu  
Glynn Davis  
Ruby Gaylen  
Kathleen Heinricher  
Jennifer Hill  
Benjamin Liebersohn  
Andreas Ruiz-Gehrt  
Kirsten Slaughter  
Jeff Sweedler

### **CHORUS**

Dylan Anderson  
Anika Ford  
Crystal Howard  
Carson Lewis  
Miranda Mammen  
Lacey Palmer  
Angela Pham  
Nicole Sanders  
Sean Smith  
Tertius Washington-  
Shelton  
Konnor Williford

## JUNIOR LEVEL

### **BAND**

Henry Ando  
Leah Berti  
Cecilia Brown  
Linus Erbach  
Sophia Gehrmann  
Madison Harrison  
Nikhaz Iranmanesh  
Hannah Hing  
Noah Lopez  
Ellen Mortenson  
Gabi Rajic  
Jack Wright  
Saul Downie

### **ORCHESTRA**

Antonia min Berenbaum  
Aiden Epstein  
Eric Gable  
Carmen Gewirth  
Darian Gingold  
Emily Hutchinson  
Chang-hee Lee  
Cydneee Lee  
Sami Messai  
Victor Mouschoviās  
Bridget Mueller-  
Brennan  
Ema Ondrejckova  
Ali Slaughter  
Valentina Stafford  
Hayden Wennerdahl  
Penny Xu

### **CHORUS**

Jeremiah Beasley  
Avery Broadstone  
Jarayjnee Griffin  
Kirby Joseph  
Taylor Shobe