

# Texas Bandmasters Hall of Fame

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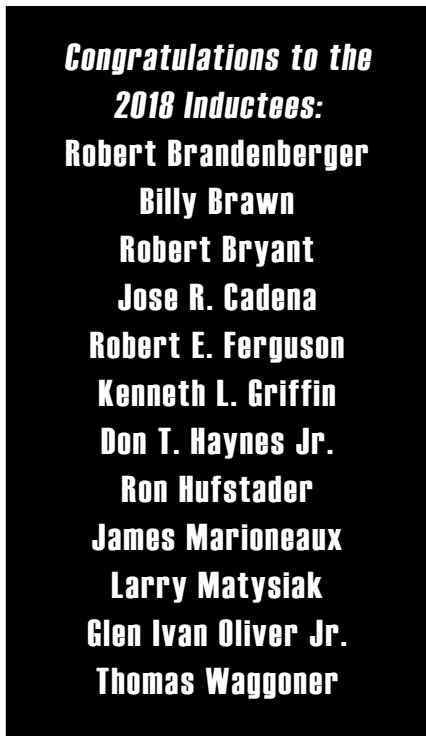
On behalf of the membership of the Alpha Chapter of Phi Beta Mu, I cordially invite you to attend this year's Texas Bandmasters Hall of Fame ceremonies. They will be held on Saturday, July 28 at the Marriott Riverwalk Hotel, Salons A, B, and C.

The two ceremonies for the Class of 2018 will be held as follows:

2:00 PM - Robert Brandenberger, Billy Brawn, Robert Bryant, Jose R. Cadena, Robert E. Ferguson, and Kenneth L. Griffin

3:00 PM - Don T. Haynes Jr., Ron Hufstader, James Marioneaux, Larry Matysiak, Glen Ivan Oliver Jr., and Thomas Waggoner

Membership in the Hall of Fame originates with nominations received from a variety of sources. There is a standing committee that investigates potential candidates that are received from the general public, music educators, and Phi Beta Mu members. Candidates do not have to be a member of Phi Beta Mu to be eligible. Requirements are that the candidate is at least 65 years of age (or deceased) and retired, have taught a minimum of 10 years in the state of Texas, and have produced and maintained a consistently outstanding band program. You may acquire nomination forms from the Hall of Fame Committee chair Barbara Lambrecht at [bglambrecht@utep.edu](mailto:bglambrecht@utep.edu) or contact me, Scott Coulson, at [sscoulson@gmail.com](mailto:sscoulson@gmail.com) and I will be happy to send you one.



We feel this is one of the premier events of the TBA Convention/Clinic. We recognize the contributions of music educators who have made a difference in the bands of Texas. I invite you to visit the Phi Beta Mu web site (which can be accessed on the TMEA web page) to view the biographies of past inductees—this is a wealth of band history. These eminent men and women made our band programs today possible. You will be inspired by their commitment to

excellence and their perseverance in overcoming obstacles.

Phi Beta Mu will be sponsoring two clinics at TBA. (1) *“Avoiding Trouble at Work—Understanding the Ins and Outs of Finances, Hiring, and Administrative Expectations”* and the selected presenters will be three excellent administrators representing different regions in our state: Peter Warshaw from Leander ISD, Jeff King from Irving ISD, and Cody Myers from Amarillo ISD. (2) *“Planning Every Rehearsal for Maximum Effect—If it isn’t written down, it won’t happen!”* The clinician will be Joseph Munoz from Pearland High School.

Additionally, I invite you to hear the *Phi Beta Mu Directors Band for New Concert Music*. Grade 3 music-conducted by Fred Allen (10:30-11:00 AM); Grade 2 music-conducted by Kenny Capshaw (11:00-11:30 AM); and Grade 1 music-conducted by Robert Herrings (11:30-12:00 AM) on Friday, July 27 in Room CC217ABC.

And finally, the *Phi Beta Mu Chat Room* will make its debut at TBA featuring four outstanding music educators: Brian Merrill, Sherry Poteet, Bill Watson, and Amanda Drinkwater. The Chat Room will be open from 1:30-3:30 PM on Friday, July 27 in Room CC212. (See page 27 for more information on the Chat Room.)

See you in San Antonio!

