

1997

Thirty-third Annual Convention

July 28-30, 1997

Regency Hotel

“Golden Dome”

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Denver, CO

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Highlights

The convention was held in conjunction with the American String Teachers Association and the International Association of Jazz Educators.

Clinicians included Larry Clark who was sponsored by Warner Bros. Publications and Flesher-Hinton Music Co. He did two clinics, one to promote his band method book and a second clinic to demonstrate Warner Bros. “new” 3-D Drill Design. Blair Bielawski sponsored by Hal Leonard Publications and Flesher-Hinton Music Co presented on jazz literature and preparing the middle school jazz ensemble.

For a second year attendees performed a concert at Elitch Gardens the first evening of the convention and performed the National Anthem before a Rockies game on the second evening.

Interestingly, rooms at the Denver Regency could be booked for \$52 per night.