

2002

Thirty-eighth Annual Convention  
July 11-13, 2002  
Sheraton-Denver West Hotel  
360 Union Boulevard  
Lakewood, Colorado

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#### Highlights

The convention was held in conjunction with the American String Teachers Association w/NSOA.

Nationally acclaimed clinicians included:

Alfred Watkins Director of Bands at Lassiter HS in Georgia

“Yes, You Can Do It All”

“Marching Band General Effect in the Classroom”

“Concert Band”

Anne McGinty Noted Composer

“Young Bands Can Play Music Expressively”

“Teaching the Elementary Orchestra”

“Balanced Instrumentation”

Deborah Baker Monday Award winning orchestra program in Logan City, Utah

“Strings Extraordinary”

“Starting Beginning String Players From a String Players Perspective”

“So You are a Band Teacher Teaching Strings”

New concert band and jazz band literature was read at the convention.

Many Colorado band directors lent their talents to sessions at the convention.

The first evening featured a jam session at the hotel bar patio. It was sponsored by CBA/ASTA/IAJE. On the second evening of the conference attendees were offered a bus trip, free buffet and gambling \$\$ at “Mardi Gras Casino” in Blackhawk.