



# North Jersey School Music Association

## Region I of the New Jersey Music Educators Association

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Christopher J. DeWilde, President

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Dear District Administrator:

Each year, the NJSMA offers a professional development day for all of our members. This event is free of charge to those who are currently members of NJSMA & NJMEA through their paid memberships in the national association (NAfME). This paid membership enables the music teacher and the students at your school to participate in all state, regional and national honors ensembles along with local workshops and events sponsored by the NJSMA.

The June PD Day began in 2019 and has been a huge success. We are very excited and have a great day planned! The scheduled date is Tuesday, June 6th at The Mansion in Mountain Lakes. Those who attend will have a full day of events as follows:

*Content specific workshops for band, chorus, orchestra, general music and diversity/inclusion.*

*General Membership Meeting/Luncheon (NJSMA scholarship winners perform, open executive board positions are voted and divisions/executive board positions present to the members in attendance)*

*Keynote Speaker, Bob Morrison CEO Quadrant Research (Strengthening & Advocating For Our Programs)*

More information and a detailed list of workshops by content can be found on our website ([NJSMA.org](http://NJSMA.org)). If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

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