

TEXAS MUSIC TEACHERS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONVENTION

New Discoveries...On Our Musical Journey

June 11-14, 2009

Hyatt Regency

Houston

Convention Information

Convention Chair: **Jonathan Gary** [conventionchair at tmta.org](mailto:conventionchair@tmta.org)
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LOCATION

Hyatt Regency, Houston.

HOUSING

- Convention room rates are \$110 plus 17% occupancy tax per night for all occupancy levels, single, double, triple and quad.
- Reservations will be made through the hotel by calling **1-800-233-1234**.
- To get the convention rate, you must mention that you are with Texas Music Teachers Association.
- **The rate is in effect until May 26, 2009.** After that date, full rates will apply.
- **Valet parking is priced at \$18 plus tax per day; \$13 for the first three hours.** Other parking is available nearby; those fees will range from \$6 to \$15 daily.

REGISTRATION

Everyone from age 6 and up attending convention activities is required to register and pay the appropriate registration fee. Badges will be checked for each event.

Registration Fees: Registration information will be available on the Website at www.tmta.org and in the registration brochure (mailed spring 2009).

CONVENTION SCHEDULE:

Pre-convention meetings	Thursday, June 11
Opening session	Thursday, June 11, 7:00 p.m.
Competitions, ensembles, sessions, and exhibits	June 11 (Select events on Thursday)—June 14
Delegate assembly	Sunday evening, June 14
Post-convention meetings	Monday, June 15

Specific event schedule will be announced in Winter *TMT* magazine and online at www.tmta.org.

See issues of the TMT, convention flyers, and TMTA Website (www.tmta.org) for more information.

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In addition to Student Affiliate activities at the convention (see second section of this handbook), Texas music students have the opportunity to participate in the following activities at the Texas State Music Teacher Association Convention. Activities are for students of all ages, levels of accomplishment and instruments, including vocalists.