

ALABAMA VOCAL ASSOCIATION AFFILIATES

The Alabama Vocal Association is a component organization of the Alabama Music Educators Association and is affiliated with Music Educators National Conference.

The officers of AVA are: The Executive Committee, which consists of the President, Vice-President (immediate past-President), President-Elect, Recording Secretary, and Executive Secretary. These officers serve for a two-year term of office. The Board of Directors of the AVA is composed of the above Executive Committee, the District Chairmen, the Webmaster and other board appointees.

MEMBERSHIP

Dues are included in payment of MENC dues and must be current for a director to be eligible to enter groups for participation in district, regional, and state events. Payment of dues entitles members to the following:

- Membership in the Alabama Vocal Association
- Newsletters, minutes, materials sent out by AVA
- Subscription to the *Ala Breve*
- Membership in the Alabama Music Educators Association
- Membership in the Music Educators National Conference
- Subscription to *Teaching Music*

Payment of dues should be sent to Music Educators National Conference, 1806 Robert Fulton Drive, Reston, VA 20191 (1-800-828-0229, fax 1-800-888-2652) or at www.menc.org.

PUBLICATIONS OF THE AVA

The AVA Handbook, which contains the Constitution, Bylaws, and Standing Rules of the organization, is published and distributed to members every two years. The website, www.alavocal.org, contains an updated calendar of events, as well as announcements, the handbook contents, and updated versions of forms or other documents as needed.

PAST PRESIDENTS OF AVA

1947-48: Mr. Walter Mason	1978-80: Mr. Harvey McClure
1948-49: Mr. Travis Shelton	1980-82: Mrs. Betty Jeanne Dobbins
1949-51: Miss Dorothy Love Adair	1982-84: Mr. Ben Russell
1951-53: Mrs. Mary McKinnon	1984-86: Mrs. Mary Louise Baker
1953-55: Mr. Amos Hudson	1986: Mr. Ronald Lett
1955-57: Dr. William Jack McBride	1986-88: Mrs. Karen Cantrell
1957-59: Dr. Ted Pritchett	1988-90: Ms. Diana Mayhall
1959-61: Dr. Ed Cleino	1990-92: Mrs. Eleanor Nation
1961-63: Dr. Harold Patterson	1992-94: Mr. Paul Edmondson
1963-65: Mr. Charles Tedford	1994-96: Mr. Allen Gillespie
1965-67: Mr. John Fowler	1996-98: Mr. John Baker
1967-70: Miss Frances Moss	1998-2000: Mr. C. Dwight Brown
1970-72: Mr. S. J. Allen	2000-02: Mrs. Kathy Hughes
1972-73: Mr. John Hinton	2002-04: Mrs. Rebecca Rockhill
1973-74: Mr. S.J. Allen	2004-06: Mrs. Vivienne Atkins
1974-76: Mr. Bobby McCullars	2006-08: Mr. Paul Edmondson
1976: Mr. John Butler	2008-10: Mr. Damion Womack
1976-78: Mr. Bobby McCullars	

RECIPIENTS OF THE FRANCES P. MOSS AWARD

1996 Frances P. Moss
1997 Eleanor Nation
1998 Connie Burlison
1999 Dr. Tom Smith
2000 Carmelita Gandy
2001 Hugh Thomas
2002 Billy Wilbourn
2003 Gene Davis