



## MICKEY STISHER

Born and raised in Bainbridge, IN

Attended North Putnam HS where his Band Director was John T. Wilson

Graduate of Ball State University, BS MusEd (1979); LSU, MM in Wind Conducting, (1988)

Has taught at Jefferson City HS (MO), Associate Director of Bands (1979-82); Yorktown HS (IN), Director of Bands (1982-87); LSU Conducting Intern & Graduate Assistant-Bands (1987-88); La Porte Community Schools Director of Music/Head HS Band Director, (1988-2019).

Has served as ISSMA President (twice), Indiana Bandmasters Association President, Indiana State Chair for National Band Association, Secretary of the International Association of Jazz Educators Indiana Unit, and Contest Director for the Midwest Color Guard Circuit.

Was recognized with Outstanding Teacher at Jefferson City HS 1981, Phi Beta Mu Outstanding Indiana Bandmaster 2007, Chicagoland Outstanding High School Music Educator Award 2007, Midwest Color Guard Circuit Hall of Fame 2009.

Most memorable performance: 1985 (First Annual) State Concert Band Finals

Mickey and his wife Teri have two daughters Shauna & Lyndee.