



PIECES OF 8 - FEBRUARY 2020

Hope the new year has already started off great for every one of you! Deadlines for regional contest are rolling around soon (or have already past!), and this issue of the Pieces of 8 is FULL of important information for all of our members. Please read through and let me know if you have any questions....I will then point you in the right direction.

It is going to be a GREAT contest in Rapid City, South Dakota! Looking forward to seeing you all there!

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Regional Contest Weekend Reminders!



Here are a couple reminders about our regional contest weekend in Rapid City, South Dakota!

Room Reservation Deadline - FEBRUARY 17

Please remember to reserve your hotel room for contest weekend by FEBRUARY 17th. Your chapter competition coordinator and/or leadership should have already communicated how to do this. The step-by-step directions can also be found [HERE](#).

Regional Awards Dinner Buffet

Saturday night of contest weekend, we will have a Regional Awards Dinner Buffet. We encourage all of you to attend as we will be giving out all of the awards during this time before the Show of Champions starts. This is done in an effort to start our Afterglow earlier so we can have more time to hang out

with everyone!

Please [read this letter](#) from Barb Louden, the Chair of Regional Convention, that discusses this event in more detail.

Contact your chapter's competition coordinator for the deadline to sign up. If you are a CAL member, the deadline to sign up is MARCH 15th.

Order of Appearance is OUT!

Click below for the order of appearance for both the quartet and chorus contests. Please note: Chapter affiliations may be incorrect, but we will be sure that you are announced correctly on stage.

[Quartet Order of Appearance](#)

[Chorus Order of Appearance](#)

Upcoming Events

Listed here are the next few months of events. We hope to see you at a show or event soon!

Click on the link below to see all info for each event, as well as any links to tickets, etc.

[View the entire calendar](#)

APRIL 2020

- *April 2-5* - Regional Convention - Rapid City, SD

JULY 2020

- *July 22-26* - International Education Symposium (IES) - San Antonio, TX

Mark your calendar for this fantastic event!



We can't wait to have some fun with you!!

Bling! offers classes in vocal skills, showmanship, and administrative leadership for quartet and chorus members! We strive to bring hands on, engaging classes to boost your barbershop knowledge and inspire you to further your skills as a Sweet Adeline! All four of us are members of Spirit of the Gulf chorus, so our experience goes beyond our quartet journey. Our chorus members have various backgrounds as international faculty, regional faculty, regional management team members, chorus director and leaders, international judging program, and music educators.



REGIONAL WORKSHOP 2021

February 5-7, 2021 🏡 Denver I-25 Corridor

Stay tuned! More information and details to come.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to two Region 8 Members!

Region 8 is so proud to have two members on the International Board of Directors (IBOD)! **Vickie Maybury** (from Skyline Chorus) is serving a three-year elected term May 1, 2020 to April 30, 2023, and **Leslie Galbreath** (from Skyline Chorus) is serving a one-year appointed term May 1, 2020 to April 30, 2021.

Congratulations and thank you to these two members, as well as the rest of the IBOD, whose passion for service led them to volunteer for this awesome responsibility!

Meet your new Regional Management Team!

We recently switched back to the Regional Management Team (RMT) structure starting November 1st. Please welcome your 2019-20 RMT! (Listed in alphabetical order by coordinator position.)

Communication Coordinator - Heather Reimnitz, Skyline
Directors' Coordinator - Julie Palagi, Greeley Harmonix
Education Coordinator - Suzi Johnsen, Skyline
Events Coordinator - Mary Kriener, Skyline
Finance Coordinator - Ruth Widerski, Skyline
Marketing Coordinator - Amy Munnell, Skyline
Membership Coordinator - Jeanne Simpson, High Country
Team Coordinator - Sue McCormick, Skyline

More info about these ladies will be out on the regional website soon! Stay tuned!

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