

SPECIAL GUESTS:

Erin Harris
BHS Chief Program Officer



Erin Harris is the Chief Program Officer of the Barbershop Harmony Society (BHS) with over 17 years of international, regional, and local experience in successfully managing initiatives that improve and enrich the lives of others. Since 2014, Erin's role at BHS has been to work with staff and volunteers to fulfill the mission and vision of the organization through impactful programs like Harmony University, International Convention, and Next Generation Barbershop. Erin has her Bachelor's degrees in Political Science and International Business, an executive certification in Social Impact Strategy (UPenn), her Project Management Professional (PMP) certification, and a Master's degree in Sustainability. In her executive capacity, Erin uses her background to ensure the future sustainability and impact of the Barbershop Harmony Society.

Dr. Perry White
Harmony Foundation, Intl. CEO



Dr. White is in his sixth year as President and CEO of Harmony Foundation International. Prior to his arrival at the Foundation, he served as President of Bethel College in North Newton, KS; as Vice President of External Affairs at Silver Lake College in Manitowoc, WI; and as Vice President for College Advancement at Monmouth College in Monmouth, IL. Before moving into administration, Dr. White served as Music Department Chair and Director of Choral Activities at Monmouth College. As an avocation, Perry has amassed numerous credits in local professional and community theater, primarily in the greater Kansas City area, as well as work in the television and motion pictures industries.

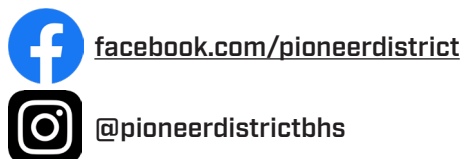
2022 PIONEER DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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CONVENTION ADMINISTRATION

Chair	Doug Weaver, Bill McAndrew
Contest and Judging	Al Fisk
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Backstage	Jeff Woodworth
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Registration/Tickets	Todd Hoath, Jay Bylsma
Raffle	Alan Zaeske
Worship Service	Jon Knapp, Detroit Sound Machine
Harmony Marketplace	John Baker IV
Mic Tester (Family) Chorus	Aaron Pollard, Brandon Smith

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The Pioneer District of the Barbershop Harmony Society presents

THE GREAT REUNION

April 29 - May 1, 2022

GRAND RAPIDS, MI • DeVos Center for Arts and Worship • DoubleTree Hotel
Grand Rapids, Host Chapter

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, April 29

Registration & Harmony Marketplace	10 am - 6pm
<i>Salon A</i>	
District Board Meeting	11 am
<i>Board Room</i>	
House of Delegates Meeting	1 pm
<i>Salon C+D</i>	
Classes/Workshops	2:30 - 4:30 pm
	2:30 pm
Erin Harris: BHS townhall <i>(Wolverine A)</i>	
Rob Arnold: Project management in barbershop <i>(Wolverine B)</i>	
	3:30 pm
Dr. Perry White: HFI townhall <i>(Wolverine B)</i>	
Sandi Wright: Quartet fixes when there is no coach in sight <i>(Wolverine A)</i>	
Steve Scott: Vocal technique <i>(Kentwood A+B)</i>	
QCA Meeting	3:30 pm
<i>Board Room</i>	
Tag singing with William Stutts, Jr.	4:30 pm
<i>Salon C+D</i>	
The Great Reunion SingFest	7 pm
<i>Salon C+D</i>	

Saturday, April 30

Registration & Harmony Marketplace	9 am - 11 am
<i>Salon A</i>	
Classes/Workshops	9 - 10 am
Tony Sparks: Building barbershop communities through collaboration <i>(Wolverine A)</i>	
Blair Brown: Discovering your inner yogi <i>(Wolverine B)</i>	
Pioneer board townhall <i>(Kentwood A+B)</i>	
Coaching: City Lights chorus	10 - 11:30 am
<i>Salon C+D: Open to all attendees</i>	
*Registration	Noon
<i>Foyer</i>	
*Quartet prelims	1 pm
<i>Auditorium</i>	
Tag Contest	3:30 - 4:30 pm
<i>Salon C+D</i>	
Harmony Marketplace	3 - 5:30 pm
<i>Salon A</i>	
Mic Tester Chorus rehearsal	5 - 5:30 pm
<i>Salon C+D</i>	
*Quartet finals	7 pm
<i>Auditorium</i>	
Sunday, May 1	
Worship service	9-9:45 am
<i>Salon C+D</i>	

All events will be hosted in the DoubleTree hotel unless otherwise noted

*Event hosted at the DeVos Center for Arts and Worship



INTERNATIONAL QUARTET QUALIFIER SEMIFINALS, DISTRICT SENIORS QUARTET CHAMPIONSHIP and DISTRICT YOUTH QUARTET CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, April 30 • 1:00 p.m. • DeVos Center for Arts and Worship at Grand Rapids Christian High School

Welcome Bill McAndrew
Convention Chair

Emcee Dr. Perry White
HFI CEO

Mic Tester Station Break
Tenor: Mike Hansen Lead: Jamie Carey
Bari: Steve Warnaar Bass: Randy McLaren

1. Mom's Favorite (JAD) ****
Hillsdale, MI; Independence, OH; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Jonathan Lang Lead: Alyssa Lang
Bari: Mark Lang Bass: Don Slamka

2. Shoreline ***
Grand Rapids, MI; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Maddie Cooper Lead: Kayla Reed
Bari: Cole Carey Bass: Caleb Downey

3. Wordplay (NSC) ****
Central Carolina, NC; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Buck Hinman Lead: Jay Lusk
Bari: Ryan Wilson Bass: Scott Gregg

4. Silver Edition *
Motor City Metro, MI
Tenor: Bruce LaMarte Lead: Craig Pollard
Bari: Aaron Pollard Bass: Cody Harrell

5. CHONK *
Motor City Metro, MI; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Matt Bidigare Lead: Aiden LaPointe
Bari: Luke LaPointe Bass: Kent Kirby

6. Vocal Point (CAR) ****
Fort Wayne, IN; Muncie, IN
Tenor: Robbie Bucher Lead: Kurt Ives
Bari: Scott Trout Bass: Pat Garmire

7. Soup to Nuts *
Huron Valley, MI; Motor City Metro, MI; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Stacey Smith Lead: Zak Stratton
Bari: Carson Greene Bass: William Stutts, Jr.

INTERMISSION

8. The Mackinac Express *
Lansing, MI
Tenor: Rich Harlow Lead: Brad Sharlow
Bari: Kevin Lenneman Bass: TR Gerard

9. Five Star *
Grand Rapids, MI
Tenor: Cole Carey Lead: Jamie Carey
Bari: Jeff Opperman Bass: James Masalskis

10. OverTime *
Pontiac-Waterford, MI; Motor City, MI; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Pat Hefner Lead: Austin Suthers
Bari: Jon Knapp Bass: Charlie Perry

11. Northern Exposure **
Traverse City, MI
Tenor: Dick Hartrick Lead: Douglas Powers
Bari: George Tatro Bass: Bob Gray

12. Crossover *
Lansing, MI; Motor City Metro, MI; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Kaleb Lenneman Lead: Zack Morgan
Bari: Jake Kershaw Bass: Michael Roberts

13. Olde Thyme Harmony Quartet **
Grand Rapids, MI; Lansing, MI; Marquette County, MI; Frank Thorne
Tenor: Charlie Martin Lead: Lee Leffingwell
Bari: Tim Oliver Bass: Don Horton

14. Quorum (JAD) ****
Cape Coral, FL; Frank Thorne; Independence, OH; Zanesville, OH
Tenor: Puck Ross Lead: Chris Vaughn
Bari: Nathan Johnston Bass: Gary Lewis

15. Detroit Sound Machine *
Huron Valley, MI; Livingston County, MI; Monroe North, MI; Motor City Metro, MI Frank Thorne
Tenor: Dave Ebersole Lead: Dylan Broome
Bari: George Jackson, Jr. Bass: Jay Hall

*International Preliminary Quartet Qualification
**International Preliminary Quartet Qualification Contest and District Senior
*** District Youth Quartet Contest
****Out-of-District Quartet competing for International Preliminary Quartet Qualification

INT'L QUALIFIER FINALS

Saturday, April 30 • 7:00 p.m.

Welcome Doug Weaver
District Director of Events

Emcee Chris Berry
District President

Mic Tester (Family) Chorus

Tag Contest 1st and 2nd Place Quartets

Mic Tester

1. _____

2. _____

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11. _____

12. _____

Harmony Foundation Raffle
City Lights/Great Lakes performance
District Youth Quartet champion announcement
District Senior Quartet champion announcement
International Qualifiers announcement

JUDGES

Music
Mark Hale RMD
Tony Sparks RMD

Performance
Kevin Dunckel SWD
Sandi Wright CSD
Blair Brown* SUN
Paul Ellinger* PIO

Singing
Rik Johnson CSD
Steve Scott DIX

Administrators
Rob Arnold ONT
Lynn Trapp DIX
Bill Hawken* ONT

*denotes practicing judge

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