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## 1996 President elect will represent Society at Pioneer convention

### Quartet champs chorus; Sunday morning gospel sing; two new features of convention

from reports by Bill Wickstrom  
and Stan Williams

Long in the planning, a Pioneer District Quartet Champions Association (PDQCA) is finally a reality. The organization Committee Chairman, Bill Wickstrom said the **Champion Quartets Chorus** will perform for the first time, Saturday evening, October 21, at Waverly High School, following the district quartet finals contest.

An invitation together with chorus music has been sent to all PDQCA members whose addresses are known. A rehearsal will be scheduled, with the time and place to be decided at the Association's *free breakfast* meeting, Saturday at 7:30 a.m. in the Royal Ballroom of the Sheraton Hotel.

**Genuine Blend**, outgoing Pioneer District Quartet Champions, will be special honored guests at the breakfast meeting which will include an election of officers for the coming year, among other business.

District Treasurer, R. Stanley Williams reports plans are being finalized to include a Sunday Morning Worship Service/Gospel Sing on the final morning of the convention.

Stan said "We expect the service will be held from 9:15 to 10:00 a.m. to allow for the other wrap-up meeting and judging sessions also scheduled on Sunday morning."

Quartets or mini-choruses interested in singing a gospel number on the program are asked to call Stan Williams at 517 322-5996 days, or 517 589-5586 evenings.

"Other than the quartets/choruses, I expect we will enjoy some old fashioned hymn singing from the 'congregation', a short devotional, and just generally enjoy an upbeat way to leave the convention for the trip home," Stan concluded.

Tim Hanrahan, has rendered long, faithful service to his several chapters, two districts and the International Society, and has been elected International president for 1996. He will visit our fall convention as Society representative.

He joined the El Paso, Texas chapter in 1955 and sang lead with the **Border Chorders Chorus** which placed 5th in International competition in Minneapolis in 1956. After serving as chapter treasurer, he was selected Southwestern District finance committee chairman for 1957.



Tim Hanrahan

Moving to Florida in 1958, Hanrahan helped start the present Greater Canaveral Chapter in 1960 where he was chapter president in 1962, 1967, 1984 and 1988. He filled all chapter officer roles at least once and was heartspring chairman 1971-1994, and chapter BOTY in 1964 and 1984.

Sunshine District services began in 1963 as bulletin editor followed by: area counselor, two years; division vice president, 1968 & 1969; district heartspring chairman, 1974-1976 and 1992-93; editor, district directory, 1982-84; district secretary, 1982-83; vice president-service, 1984-85; district president 1986-87. Honors included District BOTY, 1984 and District Hall of Fame in 1991.

International level activity included: District presidents moderator in 1987, International board member 1990-91, vice president in 1993 and '94 and vice president-treasurer, 1995. He served as chairman of the International Membership Development Committee 93-94 and chairman of the Finance Committee in 1995. Tim also served on the Motto Song Committee in 1990,  
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### President's Position

by President Russell Seely

When Dean Snyder, Society Historian, addressed district presidents two years ago, his theme was "The winds of change are blowing." At the time I didn't realize how profound Mr. Snyder was when he added, "don't let the winds become hurricanes." In other words, let changes take a natural course.



Several changes, some enacted, some not, almost achieved gale like proportions. One was the possibility we were contemplating; the addition of Sing America/Sing Canada and eliminating Heartspring as our service project. Sensibly, we opted to support both and also

encouraged support for local charities. Dropping Heartspring would have been an enormous gamble for our Society. We already have a reduced membership of about 15% over the last ten years.

Another situation occurred when we disallowed non-member chorus directors, only to reverse the decision six months later. Is this a natural change, or our inability to develop directors within our Society?

At the Miami convention a new motion to accept the management study committee's recommendation to restructure the administration of our Society - at all three levels - passed unanimously. Should the districts and chapters have been given the proposal for their deliberation and input? Personally I don't know or maybe don't care as long as there is a Society that doesn't lose sight of the fact that all of us joined because we not only love to sing but we love the barbershop style and preserve the style and those songs we heard through the magic of our unique roots: *The Barbershop Quartet!*

If we lose that, in my opinion, I lost the Society I joined forty-two years ago. Let's never let that happen.

After all, where else will my grandson go to preserve this antique and teach his grandson, "Colee Eve la Baby?"

President Russell Seely also contributed an historical article about the first "Harrisville Harmony Week," and potential re-growth. Please see page 5.



### International Perspective

by IBM Roger Lewis

Miami Beach was a great convention!! The singing gets better and better. The competition gets tougher and tougher. The weather was far, far better than what we experienced from border to border in the Pioneer District for the following 4+ weeks. Make plans now for Salt Lake City next year -- every year we "raise the bar" from the previous year, so it promises to be even better. We'll have registration forms and information about Salt Lake City at a display table at the Pioneer fall convention. Pick some up. Plan *now* to attend.



The International board handled some tough, delicate and sweeping proposals for a change. The biggie is the re-structuring of the Society, proposed by the Management Study Team. It was passed, with some modifications. 1966 is a year of planning; 1997 a year of transition; and in 1998, the new structure will be in place. Here are some highlights:

\* Chapter boards, district boards and International committees will all be aligned. Here is how it will look:

POSITION	CHAP.	DIST.
President, Secretary and Treasurer	x	x
VP Chapter Development (PR, Memb, Marketing)	x	
VP Marketing		x
VP Membership and Outreach		x
VP Chapter Support - Leadership Training		x
VP Events (conventions and meetings)		x
VP Contest and Judging		x
VP Music and Performance (including quartet development)	x	x
VP Chorus Director Development		x

In larger chapters, additional VP positions might be established to correspond with each of the VP positions shown at district level. (Marketing, Membership and Outreach, Performance, etc.) There will be a corresponding International committee for each of the specific areas.

At the district level, the VPs will be specifically trained for their function and approved by the International committee before being elected, similar to the current selection  
*Continued, please see Lewis, page 4.*

## The Executive Pitch

by Larry Parker, Executive V.P.

**Zipper Club Chorus not to be.** I guess it wasn't supposed to happen. There was very little interest in forming a "Zipper Club Chorus" for the spring convention. a second attempt for this fall has not been any better. I am a little disappointed, but I can readily understand that trying to add another event to a loaded agenda



might be too much. To those who expressed interest, I thank you for your response.

Twenty-nine Pioneer barbershoppers were among the 700 plus students and faculty in attendance at the Harmony/Director College in St. Joseph, MO, July 30 to August

6.

Two Pioneer quartets, **Gallery** from the Lansing Chapter (Art Cardy, Dave Hundt, Larry Parker and Larry Wise) and **Unlawful Assembly** from the Kalamazoo Chapter (Raleigh Bloch, Ed Fritzen, Gene Hanover and Gary Nitz) were among the record 24 quartets in attendance.

Other Pioneers attending were: Karl Heidmann and Ed Jatkowski - Alpena; Roger Lewis - Battle Creek; Jeff Wheeler - Cadillac; Nick Pastor, Bill Power, Tom Uicker and Darl Wiley - Detroit-Oakland; Stu Benedict and Herm Dykema - Kalamazoo; Bob Fox and Nate Martin - Lansing; Austin Quinn, John Szewc Jr. and faculty member Mike Slamka - Motor City Metro; Eli Berry, Marty Chirgwin Dan Decker and Francis Sanborn - Traverse City; Dan Bezaine, and Wayne Crown - Windsor.

During the week of intense study, student and faculty still found time to consume 645 gallons of ice cream. The week ended with two spectacular performances by the 1993 International Champion **Gas House Gang** quartet.

Many have declared the barbershop thrills they get at Harmony College is a close second to the excitement they find at an International convention. Find out first hand by attending next year's school. Curriculum and registration information will be appear in the November/December issue of the *Harmonizer*.

## Membership! What's happening?

by Larry Parker, Director of Membership Dev.

The Society report of June 30, 1995 listed 20 of our 29 chapters with a gain or no losses in

membership. Now that's good.

However, the report of July 31, 1995 listed 24 of our 29 chapters with a *loss* in membership of one to nine members. Now that's *not* good.

Each chapter should contact those in arrears. Sometimes it only takes a phone call.

With summer's the vacation season over, we barbershoppers should reinforce our efforts to enlist that friend, co-worker or relative to join our chapter. I'm working at it. How about you?

**President elect** - continued from page 1

Ethics Committee and three additional terms on the Membership Development Committee.

President elect Hanrahan lives in Satellite Beach, Florida with wife, Pat. They have four children and eight grandchildren.

Tim graduated from Notre Dame University with a BS in Aero Engineering in 1950.

He is, since 1963, the Principal Director of the Eastern Range Regional Office for The Aerospace Corporation at Cape Canaveral. The firm is responsible for providing general systems engineering and integration support as well as independent launch certification to the United States Air Force for all national defense launch vehicles and spacecraft.

Tim also serves on the Board of Directors for the United States Air Force Space Museum.

**Lewis** - continued from page 3.

methods for the District Associate Contest and Judging Chairman.

\* The International Board was reduced in size. Districts are "paired" (we are paired with Land O' Lakes) and the two districts will alternate electing a board member for a three year term. Russ Seely is nominated for a two-year term beginning January 1996. He will serve two years. Then a board member will be elected by LOL for a three year term, beginning in January 1998. We will elect a board member for a three year term beginning in 2001.

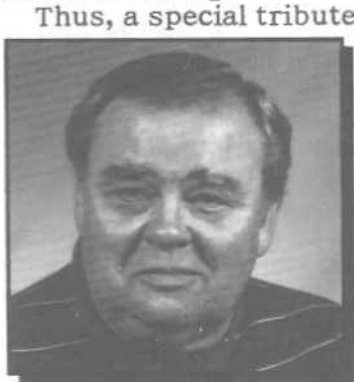
The total size of the new board is 15 voting members plus the Executive Director. The voting members are 8 district elected board members; 3 At-Large members; President, Executive VP; Immediate Past International President and Treasurer. The board will have three groups: a planning group; an operations group; and a small board management council.

The board has been 25 members so there is a reduction of 10. I'm very positive about the changes that will come about in the next 2 years. The board has been too large and unwieldy. Chapter and district officers have not had support from each other or the Society. The new structure emphasizes the items important to the chapter and the members.

There'll be lots of change, challenges and fun.

**take note** by Fred Kienitz,  
Director of Music Education

I just got back from our annual week of camping in Harrisville. Would you believe we had a *chapter* meeting with *tags* and *woodshedding* and I thought it might be nice to salute our hosts for the evening.



Thus, a special tribute from your DME goes to the Alma Chapter, where the summer high temperature gets to a whopping 76 degrees.

Keeping in mind that barbershop in 1995 is geared to winning, I have seen quartets, choruses and even entire chapters almost disband because they could no longer win **c o n t e s t s** i n

competition. It's as if we've forgotten the "Preservation and Encouragement" facet of our being.

So why this tribute?

It will probably be some time before these guys win a district chorus contest. They do not have a quartet presently which would make the likes of *Genuine Blend*, *High Bid*, *Onyx*, *Power Play* or *Firepower* shake in their boots, but they are very special in other ways.

They have a *barbershop* chorus that is the best singing ensemble in the entire Alpena County. They boast six quartets which are easy on the ear and have a great deal of entertainment value. They have enthusiasm, leadership and a desire to keep improving their craft. And they have several members, who like yours truly, are very old, very tired and very retired, but are still having as much fun as when they lived in the southern half of our district.

The chapter exemplifies the reason I joined the Society 46 years ago, namely the thrill of ringing chords with no special training, no special talent and no special reward. *Hats off to the Alpena Chapter.*

Our Joe Barbershopper Chorus director for the fall convention will be non other than the great, the talented, the highly qualified and best bass singer, the best looking and most humble person in our district, Mr. Jack Slamka.

He will select Polecat songs well known to all. Jack has asked that all JB Chorus members report to the photography area in the high School at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday for rehearsal. Please be on time.

Wow! Great!! I have already received a verbal application for our 1996 Harmony Round-Up from a district quartet.

## Harrisville - How and when it all began - and may be revitalized

by Russell Seely, District President

Thirty four years ago John Kee and Myrleen Smith (old Redford Chapter) bumped into yours truly and Shirley while camping with our sons at Bay City State Park. After unsuccessfully trying to sing a tag, since - by my judgement - Shirley was tone deaf, John, a bona-fide SPEB/Sweet Ad director, insisted we follow his crew up to Harrisville where we would have several days in that quiet little state park to "tune-up" Shirl. No way.

So at the end of the week the Smiths and the Seelys agreed that a barbershop camp-out might be a blast and promised that the next year we would bring at least one other couple who could sing. The following year there were nine of us and the Harrisville Harmony Week-End was born.

Soon the "full" sign would appear for the first time at this park and overflow facilities and motels were brought into play. Local merchants and politicians got word of the ever growing event and became involved with golf tournaments, fund raisers and church cook-outs and parties.

In return we offered our singing services, including an outdoor free show the final Sunday, but our first show took place on a Saturday night in Vets Park on a hay wagon with about 16 in our "mass chorus", plus the *Aire Males*, the *Four Fits*, and the *Wonderlads* on a 30 degree night.

In due course, our numbers including families and Sweet Adelines exceeded 1000. Years later some enterprising art fair enthusiasts wondered if we would mind sharing the town the same week. They were welcomed of course and guess what---the Art Fair is now the main course and we are kind of an embellishment. Our numbers have been reduced not only because of the overcrowding of the community but also a rather complex new state park reservation procedure. This year all sites were reserved early in January.

Those who continue to attend have a ball but our visibility is limited compared to the past. But our show is alive and healthy thanks to Tom Pollard's sons, specifically Jim, who would have made his daddy proud. Some families have literally grown-up at Harrisville - seeing Mikie Slamka with his little one(s) boggles my mind.

So in an effort to attract the barbershop community back to Harrisville, the proposal is to have the event a week earlier and avoid the art fair and get the kids back to school.

Make sense to you? It does to me. More info later.

**Ed Notes** - Chapter news articles sometimes report chapter *Barbershopper-Of-The-Year* awards in recognition of outstanding contributions of time, effort and talent to the chapter by individual members. We also find those reports in chapter bulletins.

But we wonder if we learn of all of them. And we would like to.

We would like to publish an annual column acknowledging those so honored by their chapters. Since most chapters apparently make the awards around the end or first of each year, we feel the February/March issue would be the most appropriate time to publish the column.



Gordon Gunn,  
editor

So, chapter presidents - please advise by the January 15 deadline - the name of your chapters *renowned Barbershopper of the Year*.

The *Troub* also aspires yet, to publish a monthly column of *Quartet News*. Only two issues carried the column this year, as we received no further copy. Please let us know what your quartet is doing. Then fourteen or fifteen hundred others may read of your adventures.

We learned of a successful method of advance show ticket sales at a COTS class some time ago.

The instructor, (sorry - don't remember his name or chapter) reported the MC, near the end of each show, asks the audience if they have enjoyed the show. Following their affirmative applause, he asks if they like their seats, and then announces they may reserve the *same* seats for the following years show in the lobby, immediately following the evenings performance.

The instructor insisted the practice is invariably successful and his chapter thus achieves substantial advance ticket sales, with the money in the bank a year in advance.

Likely some of you are wondering why photos you submitted were not published. Wish we had time to acknowledge every submission and return unused pictures. Sorry, we don't.

But, in reference to screening photos for publication - our practice is simple. If all faces are totally recognizable, and they are relevant, we will likely publish the picture. But if shadows cover the faces, if they are blurred, or if they are too small or if for any reason facial features are not clearly recognizable, we will set them aside. Hopefully, with those simple guidelines in mind you may each pre-screen you own photos and avoid disappointment.

### PioNet coming

by Jim Styer, District Communications Officer

We are moving along in developing a Pioneer District computer network, with information available to every barbershopper via E-mail. Further capabilities may be added as cost and time permit.

I have selected Voyager in Lansing as our initial Internet service provider. It is providing free software, no initial hookup charge and a local Battle Creek exchange which I can use without additional phone charges. My charge to the district for the hookup will be \$10 a month, about the same as commercial services but with full Internet capabilities and unlimited access time.

Voyager - which began as a Lansing computer bulletin board five years ago - expects to add local numbers in many areas throughout the state, and also promises links through MichNet, which already has many local numbers statewide. Any individual who wants a direct, full Voyager hookup may pay \$20 a month.

We're told capability also is available for a World Wide Web graphical site, which could be linked to an international World Wide Web page that in turn links to all other districts. I have not yet had a chance to determine the ease of setup or the additional cost, if any.

I will send letters to every chapter when further details are available. Meanwhile, please send me the E-mail addresses of anyone in your chapter who already has E-mail capability. And encourage all members of your chapter who have computers to join the Information Highway. You can E-mail me at jim\_styer@fcl.gfn.org. I will always have access to this address and will add a Voyager address this fall.

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## Veteran member leaving district board, 1996 district officers slate complete

After five years as the District Director of Conventions and District Board Member, Mike Cirrito announced in April that he would not be a candidate for re-election.

Former Convention Director, former District President and current IBM who's term is ending, Roger Lewis has accepted nomination to the demanding post. Cirrito acknowledged, "Putting on a convention requires a great deal of time, effort and attention to numerous details. It cannot be done by one person." He extended his "Sincere thanks to all the members of the convention committee, hosting chapters, convention bureaus in Lansing and Battle Creek as well as headquarters hotel staffs in each city."

The past five years under Cirrito's leadership has witnessed a smooth transition from Battle Creek to Lansing and an increase in convention membership attendance and participation. He reported "Our convention format, logistics and organization have been cited as a model for others to follow."

District President Russell Seely is expected to represent the Pioneer District as our new IBM for the next two years.

Larry Parker of the Lansing Chapter and executive vice president of the district for the past two years is the nominating committee's choice for district president.

The committee has selected David Cole, current VP of Division III from Benton Harbor/St. Joe, for the position of executive vice president.

Richard Plaisted, Holland, has been nominated to fill the post vacated by Cole.

In Division I, David Anderson of Macomb County, is the nominee to fill the VP slot now held by Edward McCarthy, who's term will end.

Paul Smith, current president of the Flint Chapter, has accepted nomination to the division V, VP post, where Mark Wilson's term will expire.

In divisions II, IV and VI, Edward Fritzen, William Woodbeck and Lawrence King have all been re-nominated, as have Secretary Jack Schneider and Treasurer, R. Stanley Williams.

While article IX of the district by-laws require the nominating committee to present a slate of candidates "30 days prior to the annual meeting," the same article provides, "Further nominations may be made by the general membership with a written notice to the district secretary accompanied by a written agreement to serve by the nominee at least 15 days prior to the annual meeting." The "annual meeting" will be the House of Delegates meeting, October 20 at the fall convention, when the election will be held.

## Fran Durham has long record of service to Heartspring

by Alex Willox, Affiliated Charities Chairman

Fran Durham has been an active member of SPEBSQSA since 1966 and for a number of years was the Heartspring chairman of the Detroit Chapter. He was appointed the Pioneer District chairman in 1979 and has attended every district seminar at Heartspring since the early 1980's.

In 1983 Fran became a member of the International Heartspring Service Committee. He was named chairman of the committee in 1994 and a member of the Heartspring Board of Trustees in January, 1994.

As chairman of the International Services Committee, Fran coordinates the Heartspring raffle booth and the Heartspring breakfast at the International convention.

As a board member, he serves as liaison between the Society and Heartspring. Fran has taught classes at COTS and has been a great help to me as charities chairman of the Pioneer District.

Fran Durham is one of our most knowledgeable persons on the subject of Heartspring. He is always willing to communicate with others what Heartspring is all about and how important barbershop dollars are to the families of students with disabilities.

Through the years the Pioneer District has been in the forefront of giving to Heartspring and this is largely due to men like Fran Durham.

I wish to personally honor Fran for his tireless work, love and commitment to the work of Heartspring.

## New site for ladies hospitality room at fall convention

by Larry Parker

The ladies hospitality room in the Sheraton hotel has been move to the fifth floor Executive Level Suite, away from the bustle of convention happenings, where you can sit, relax and have a cup of coffee or tea with snacks.

To reach the room, take the elevator to the fifth floor. As you exit, walk straight ahead to the first door on the left. Ladies who visit may register for various door prizes.

The room will be open on Friday, October 20 at 2 p.m. and remain open until 5 p.m. On Saturday the room will be open from 9 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. and will reopen approximately 30 minutes following the conclusion of the chorus contest.

The door prize drawing will take place at 4:30 p.m. on Saturday. You need not be present to win. Stop in and enjoy the fellowship.

**Pioneer District  
SPEBSQSA, Inc.  
Summary of Minutes  
April 28, 1995**

**Board Actions:**

Moved, seconded and carried that the minutes of the previous meeting be accepted as presented.

Moved, seconded and carried that the consent calendar reports be accepted as presented.

Moved, seconded and carried that the Gratiot County Chapter Midstatesmen be permitted to compete unrestricted in the chorus contest and be eligible for all awards although their entry form was not received prior to the entry deadline.

Moved, seconded and carried that the remaining funds in the Port Huron Chapter's treasury be donated to Heartspring.

Moved, seconded and carried that the Holland Chapter be permitted to proceed with the arrangements for their 50th anniversary program despite not having authorization of the Benton Harbor Chapter who had prior clearance for their show the same date.

Moved, seconded and carried that a copy of the International reporting form for charitable contributions by the chapters be forwarded to the District Services Chairman.

Moved, seconded and carried that the district reimbursement policy be amended for 1995 to pay up to \$200.00 per person for those attending the Judges Recertification Category School for travel and lodging expense.

Moved, seconded and carried that the Troubadour editor receive a stipend of \$80.00 per issue or a total of \$480.00 annually.

Moved, seconded and carried that the matter of purchasing a copier be tabled.

Moved, seconded and carried that the district pay the expense of the first two organizational breakfasts for the individuals attending to form the Association of Past District Quartet Champions.

**House of Delegates Actions:**

Moved, seconded and carried that the amended minutes of the previous meeting be accepted.

Moved, seconded and carried that the consent calendar reports be accepted as presented.

District Communications Chairman, Jim Styer, appealed to all members to provide him with E-Mail addresses to provide faster, more efficient communications in the district.

Future district convention hosts are: Lansing, Fall 1995; Gratiot County, Spring 1996; Grosse Pointe, Fall 1996; Detroit-Oakland

County, Spring 1997; and Battle Creek, Fall 1997.

Awards were presented to Dan Bezaire, Windsor Chapter, for second place and Jim Styer, Battle Creek Chapter, for first place in the Bulletin Editor of the Year Contest.

50 year members Bill Grumley, Bill Juchartz, Ray McAlpin, Leroy Sverson, Bob Tracy and Tom Young were recognized.

Bud Kraft was recognized for sponsoring 5 new members in 1994.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Schneider,  
District Secretary

**NOTICE OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING**

Notice is hereby given of the Pioneer District Board of Directors meeting to be held as follows:

October 20, 1995, 9:00 am, Sheraton Hotel,  
Creys Road and I-496, Lansing, MI,  
in conjunction with the fall convention.

This notice is given as required by article 7.03 of the Pioneer District by-laws.

All District Board of Directors meetings are open to all District members.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Schneider,  
District Secretary

**NOTICE OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING**

Notice is hereby given of the Pioneer District Board of Directors meeting to be held as follows:

December 2, 1995, 9:00 am,  
Kellogg Center, Gull Lake, MI,  
in conjunction with the  
Chapter Operations Training Seminar.

This notice is given as required by Article 7.03 of the Pioneer District By-Laws.

All District Board of Directors meetings are open to all District members.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Schneider  
District Secretary





by John T. Gillespie, COTS Coordinator

Pioneer's Chapter Operations Training Seminar will again be held at the Education Center of Michigan State University, W.K. Kellogg Station on Gull Lake, December 2 and 3.

The veteran International faculty will include:

Dean	Jud Orff
President	Vaughn Albert
Membership VP	Dave Dicken
Program VP	Gary Garitson
Music VP	Dave Gelb
Secretary	Lowell Shank
Treasurer	John Hanna
Public Relations	John Krizek

Seminar site registrations will begin at 9 a.m. on Saturday, December 2. The first session will begin at 11 a.m. The event will conclude at approximately 12 noon on Sunday, December 3.

Chapter secretary's will receive the registration packets in October. A detailed map will be included. Please respond promptly - we expect reservations to fill rapidly.

Remember, COTS will go a long way to assisting your chapter to a successful 1996.

Convention registration

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## Operation Harold Hill coming soon!

by Ev Nau, Society Manager, Membership Development and Outreach

*Want to go to the 1997 Society convention free? Read on!*

### What is it?

Operation Harold Hill is the mobilization of the Society to increase membership during the first six months of 1996. This is an opportunity for chapters to determine their own course of action, not a single plan for all to follow. *The goal is 2,880 new members during the campaign.*

Your chapter secretary will receive a letter announcing Operation Harold Hill, a chapter registration form and a menu of options to select from. *Each chapter must be registered with the Society office by December 15, in order to be eligible for awards and free materials.*

### What can you do?

As a member you can commit to bringing in a new member during the drive. Write to the Society (or call the membership department (800 876-7464) and request a recruitment pledge form, then find one new member during the first six months of 1996. When you recruit someone, you will receive a pin that reads: *I said I would, and I did!* Wear it with pride and encourage others to commit early.

### And don't forget...

Help the new member learn the polecat songs, be a buddy to a new member or volunteer to help with the orientation for new members in your chapter. *Urge your chapter secretary to register your chapter with the Society by December 15.*

The Society will support your chapter through telephone assistance, staff field visitations and articles which will be written in *The Harmonizer*.

*There will also be free recruitment materials available to those chapters who register with the Society by December 15, 1995.*

The message is simple. Just do it!

### What's in it for you?

Awards have been established to give recognition to individuals, chapters and districts who meet recruiting objectives. This is not a contest where someone wins and everyone else loses. When these objectives are met, everyone is a winner!

A special award, called the Marathon Award, will be given to any chapter who recruits its minimum number and *has at least one recruit per month for six consecutive months.* Individual awards will include a Man-of-Note pin for each sponsor.

*The grand prize will be transportation, room for 6 nights and registrations for two, to the 1997 Society convention in Indianapolis.*

Four runners-up will receive tuition to the 1997 Harmony College/Directors College. You will receive one entry in the drawing for each man you recruit. Get started now by committing to find one new member. This campaign will be fun, easy and you'll be able to do what you want to earn your rewards.

*Let's all win, for a change!*

*"Seventy-six trombones led the..."*



## District '94 Heartspring Contributions Total \$33,308.29

Pioneer District Heartspring Summary, April 27, 1995

by Alex Willox, Charities Chairman

### CHAPTER CONTRIBUTIONS

<u>CHAPTER</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>MEMBERS</u>	<u>PER CAP</u>	<u>AWARD</u>
ALPENA				
BATTLE CREEK	\$35.00	32	1.09	
BENTON HARBOR-ST. JOSEPH	154.23	29	5.32	
BOYNE CITY	646.30	30	21.54	Bronze
CADILLAC	586.28	18	32.57	Silver
DETROIT-OAKLAND	4,334.50	85	50.99	Gold
FLINT	740.00	27	27.41	Silver
GRAND RAPIDS	2,959.40	79	37.46	Silver
GRATIOT COUNTY	2,335.00	66	35.38	Silver
GROSSE POINTE	4,034.50	97	41.59	Silver
HOLLAND	1,242.00	57	21.79	Bronze
HURON VALLEY	638.00	42	15.19	Bronze
JACKSON	175.00	31	5.65	
KALAMAZOO	1,650.00	47	35.11	Silver
LANSING	2,353.00	81	29.05	Silver
MACOMB COUNTY	155.00	48	3.24	
MILFORD	312.00	28	11.14	Bronze
MONROE	460.00	20	23.00	Bronze
MONROE NORTH	575.00	44	13.07	Bronze
MOTOR CITY METRO	943.12	98	9.62	
MUSKEGON	706.50	35	20.19	Bronze
PONTIAC	1,160.00	21	55.24	Gold
PORT HURON				
ROCHESTER	31.00	47	.66	
SAGINAW BAY				
SAULT STE. MARIE	1,100.00	40	27.50	Silver
SWAN VALLEY	101.87	22	16.55	Bronze
TRAVERSE CITY	1,925.00	57	33.77	Silver
WAYNE	2,114.47	65	32.53	Silver
WINDSOR	550.00	52	10.58	Bronze
PIONEER DISTRICT	1,028.50			
TOTAL	\$33,308.29			
PER CAPITA TOTAL	\$25.23			

**Note:** This summary partially duplicates the report published in the February/March issue, but Alex recently advised those figures were incomplete and has now submitted these revised figures. Alex also offered his thanks and congratulations. These figures are higher!



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 \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday tickets @ \$12

- I am interested in learning more about the show; please contact me.

**Motor City Metro Chapter**  
c/o Steve Ray  
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Photo by Dick Teeters

Pioneer's at Harmony College, 1995  
Those pictured are listed in Larry Parker's column on page 4.



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August 1995

*Update is regularly distributed to selected international, district and chapter officer positions. Because many recipients hold one or more offices at various levels, duplicate receipt may occur from time to time.*

## Chapter officer elections loom

At this time of year, your chapter should be considering its slate of officers for 1996, since elections normally take place during the first week of October. In making up a slate, your nominating committee should assess how well the current officers are executing their responsibilities. It might be wise to ask those who are doing a particularly good job to consider continuing in the position for a second year. At the same time, many chapters find it advantageous to install at least one new member on the chapter board, for the fresh perspective he can bring to discussions.

In most chapters, the election procedure is for the nominating committee to present its slate to the chapter membership for three successive weeks, each time inviting nominations from the floor. On the third week, the president may move that the entire slate be adopted by acclamation, or may ballot each office.

While barbershopping is a hobby, when it comes to chapter administration, it's a business—just like any business that involves transfers of funds, keeping books and records, and maintaining good customer relations, both internal and external. We like to harmonize, but we should also be wise about keeping our chapters healthy as working organizations.

## Friday night show included

The Jacksonville midwinter registration form in the July/August *Harmonizer* didn't indicate it, but the registration package includes a reserved seat at both the Friday and Saturday night shows. The registration blank in the September/October *Harmonizer* will reflect this change, which was approved by the International Board at the Miami Beach convention.

## Go to COTS!

All chapter officers are expected to attend a Chapter Operations Team Seminar (COTS) as a vital part of being able to successfully carry out their duties. COTS tuition and expenses are legitimate chapter obligations and should be underwritten for all officers.

This year will see the introduction of Chapter Resources 1996, a draft version of a new publication that will replace the individual officer manuals. Also, officers will be briefed thoroughly on the administrative restructuring of SPEBSQSA that will begin taking effect in 1997. See the article by President Dick Shaw in the forthcoming September/October issue of *The Harmonizer*.

In addition to specific training in chapter administration, COTS offers a great opportunity for newer members to be introduced to the wider world of barbershopping. Those who have not yet attended Harmony College or a Society HEP school will find COTS an ideal and inexpensive way to discover what goes on beyond the local chapter level.

## California quartet to represent Dr. Pepper

In the May *Update*, we reported that **Metropolis**, a foursome of members of the Foothill Cities, Calif., Chapter, would appear during the first week of June on E! (Entertainment Television Network) in *The Fourth Floor Show*, a pilot for a new series on the network. The pilot will air eight times to test for audience response and approval. Pending positive results, the series will begin a regular schedule, and the quartet will have a recurring role.

We have now been informed that the group has been selected to be the quartet that will be appearing in Dr. Pepper commercials on network channels. Members are: Drew Lang, tenor; Bob Hartley, lead; Mike McGee, bari and Brian Philbin, bass.

## Submission of chapter audits and tax returns mandatory

Most chapters faithfully file annual tax returns to the IRS by the specified date in May; however, quite a few are late each year in submitting copies of the chapter audits and tax returns to the international office. This information is vital to keeping the Society's books in order and thus preserving our tax-exempt status.

As a matter of record, the Society's Board of Directors has ruled that chapters who fail to comply will have their charters suspended. The headquarters office sends out the proper forms to the appropriate officers each year, so it's not a matter of being forgetful. Additional forms and reminders are mailed to chapters that become delinquent, in an effort to preserve their charters. Please help us eliminate this extra paperwork.

## Aliens produce video

No, men from Mars have not landed, but one of the Society's best-loved comedy quartets, **The Aliens**, may now be seen on video, presenting several of its famed "Saturday Night Surprises" at Evergreen District contests, earning side-splitting guffaws (and DQs) from the judging panels. We understand there are six songs in all, taped live at the contests.

All proceeds from sales of this video will go to Quartet Champions of the Evergreen District (QCED) to support quartet-promotion efforts in the district. For your copy, send a check for \$17 (includes S&H), payable to The Aliens, to:

Chuck Olson  
2030 16th Avenue  
Forest Grove, OR 97116

## Convention countdown

At the end of July, the registration count was as follows:

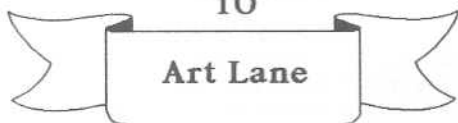
Salt Lake City International ..... 2,476  
Jacksonville Midwinter ..... 125



## PIONEER CHAPTERS IN ACTION



### A TROUBADOUR SALUTE TO



**Art Lane**

His was the first chapter copy received for this edition. *Early copy helps, a lot!* Art writes for the Holland Chapter. Thanks too, to all contributors. There could be no *TROUB* without you! The next copy, photo, and advertising deadline is **November 15**.

#### Holland Chapter

by Art Lane, BE and PR Officer

The chapter's "Whopper Weekend" on Oct. 27, 28 and 29 will celebrate the 50th anniversary of barbershop singing in Holland with -- what else? -- a lot of barbershop singing. Singers with staying power from throughout the district are invited to join the festivities.

Events start 7 p.m. Friday, October 27, at the Holland Fish and Game Club with the Diekema Bowl. It's a contest in which quartets and choruses (12 or more members) sing songs arranged by Willis A. (Bill) Diekema, founder of the Holland Chapter, prolific barbershop arranger and composer of "*Keep America Singing*." Winners will receive inscribed wooden bowls.

Competitors may contact Dale Bekker, 616 392-7735 for lists of arrangements, sheet music, contest rules, tickets, maps and motel lists.

The big celebration show, "50 Years of Harmony," will be 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 28 in the Holland Civic Center. The show will include the **Holland Windmill Chorus**, our special guests, the **Banks of the Wabash Chorus** from Terre Haute, Ind.; popular comedy quartet **Chordiac Arrest**, the 1994 Pioneer District quartet champions and 1995 International contest quartet **Genuine Blend** and the **Good News Gospel Quartet**.

Tickets for the show and afterglow are available from Paul Bekker, 602 Maple Creek Dr., Holland, MI 49423, ph 616 393-8122.

District members are invited to stay and sing with the Holland Windmill Chorus and area choir singers in Sunday afternoon's Hallelujah Amen Gospel Concert at the Civic Center. The Good News quartet will be featured. There will be a rehearsal at 1 p.m. preceding the concert at 2. For copies of the music, call Jim Essenberg at 616 396-2057.

Enjoy a whole weekend of barbershop singing! Tickets are \$5 for the Diekema Bowl, \$10 for the show, \$5 for the afterglow and the

gospel concert is free.

The chapter's 10th annual Chester P. Oonk Memorial Tag Contest on August 5 featured 22 quartets competing in the sylvan splendor of Kiwanis Camp after feeding heartily on Don Luca's chili and barbecued pork.

Recent chapter Barbershopper of the Month awards included: Dale Bekker and Dick Plaisted for May. They were co-chairs of the 1995 Tulip Time show and of the upcoming 50th anniversary Whopper Weekend celebration. In June the recipient was Art Lane, editor of the chapter's *Windmill Blade* bulletin.

Holland's **Windmill Chorus** director, Myke Lucas has announced plans for the chapter to have three choruses instead of one. There will be a chapter chorus, a contest chorus and a religious performance chorus.

#### Flint Chapter

by Ken Rice, Publicity Chairman

Has it ever occurred to you that the middle of the lake would be a good place to make friends for barbershopping? The **Arrowhead Chorus** put the concept to a test in mid August when we met at Don Will's house on Bald Eagle Lake.

Twenty plus singers boarded two pontoon boats and cruised the cottage clustered shoreline. Folks came out to listen as we drifted by singing "*Here Comes the Showboat*" and other appropriate music. By the time the evening ended, we had been through our entire repertoire several times and were joined by a floating audience in two more pontoon boats.

Then it was back to Don's yard for the traditional sacrifice of brats and sauerkraut.

Our first Tuesday rehearsal in September provided a pleasant surprise when we were interrupted by the arrival of 18 members of the Detroit-Oakland Chapter delivering the infamous "jug." Except that D-O failed to bring along any tenors and we had to provide our own over worked falsetto foursome so their chorus could perform for us, it was an outstanding evening of fellowship and song and what else?, brats and sauerkraut.

A new tourist attraction in Genessee County, the *Genessee Belle* paddle-wheel steamboat, now offers rides on Mott Lake at Crossroads Village. On Wednesday, October 11, the Arrowhead Chorus will board the 175 passenger capacity craft for a performance. The 45 minute ride and 25 minute concert will cost just \$6.00

Much of our rehearsal time in August and September has been spent brushing up our "Showboat Adventure" package which we will have the pleasure of presenting on the Pontiac Chapter show on October 14 in Ortonville. *Continued on next page.*



**Flint Chapter**, continued from previous page. Thanks for the invitation Pontiac, we're looking forward to the opportunity.

Y'all like a good chicken dinner? You're invited to Flint's Masonic Temple on Sunday, October 29, where the Arrowhead Chorus will serve broasted and barbecued chicken with all the trimmin's from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

It's a major fund raiser for us but the price is just chicken feed -- \$6.50 for grown-ups and \$4.00 for the young-uns. Drop in after church for a fine meal. We might even bust a chord or two between the main course and dessert.

Among several sing-outs scheduled for the coming months, we will sing for the annual Michigan Bee Keepers Association (our own Ed Wracan is a member). We've been wondering - does anybody have a barbershop vocal arrangement of "The Flight of the Bumble Bee?"

### **Detroit-Oakland Chapter**

by Tom Uicker, Chapter President

Do you believe it? Summer is over and fall is upon us. Of course Detroit-Oakland keeps going all summer, but maybe not with as much focus as during the rest of the year.

September though, has been very busy, even with one of those pesky Monday holidays. We have had a chapter visit - up to Flint - a paid performance, a guest night and an inter-chapter party at Canadian Night. We are also putting together several new songs for our show in February and brushing up on our convention contest package.

I wish to congratulate our group of Daytime Singers who meet regularly on Thursday afternoons. Started last January to better learn our show tunes, and in general to improve our singing techniques, the group has become a small, performing chorus. It started with a visit to a couple of shut-in members and has blossomed into afternoon engagements that we could not do with the full **Gentlemen Songsters Chorus**.

On August 18 the Daytime Singers went over to sing for Ed Fach, our most senior member. Ed was celebrating his 92 birthday when we visited and we were able to congratulate him with a new membership card. Ed now has 56 years in the Society. Ed was so moved by our visiting and singing for him that he made a sizable donation to Heartspring in our name. Thanks Ed, and we hope to see you hale and hardy when we come back at Christmas time.

If anyone wants to visit the Daytime Singers, we normally meet between 1:00 and 3:30 Thursday afternoons at Starr Presbyterian Church on Crooks Road at 13 Mile, in Royal Oak. Our regular chapter meets there every Monday night except holidays. Come by and sing a few with us. Or if you can't, we'll see you in Lansing.

are Society members or not, male or female, young or old, black or white, as long as they have background in choral directing and close harmony, said Dave Arevigian, music vice president.

Anyone who has a contact that might result in a director may call Arevigian, 616-962-7255 or chapter President, Jim Styer, 616-965-6456.

In the interim, Dave, Roger Lewis and others will help lead.

"Capt. Kirk" Wood at the time of the chapters annual show in May, said he didn't believe he

### **Rochester Chapter**

by Frank Mirasola, Public Relations VP

Every pipe in the **Heart of the Hills Chorus** is tuned to a fever pitch as we prepare for our gals Twentieth Anniversary show on October 28. "Strike up the Band", a vocal tribute to parade band music will feature the incomparable **Acoustix**, the comedic talents of **Studio Four**, the **Chordmeisters** and the **Rochester Hills, Heart of the Hills Chorus**. With our membership at an all time high of 54, you can count on being in "seventh heaven." Show co-chairmen, Don Reddy and Kurt Kirsling have put together an outstanding package of all new tunes for the chorus. Mark your calendar and check our ad in this issue of the *Troubadour*. We will have tickets available at the district convention in Lansing.

We are particularly excited since this will be our first show under our new director, "Slim" Fisk. Some of you may remember our old director, Big Al (52 pounds ago) Fisk. Fortunately, he did not lose his talent, skills or intensity.

A number of new faces have joined our chapter in the past year, including Chris Blakely, Dave Davenport, Ross Ensign, transferred from New Jersey, Adam Howarth, Dan Latulippe, Sal Licovalli, Tom Skemp, Tom Taliford and Jesse Young. In addition to enthusiasm they have brought some great voices, and there are more on the way.

A belated congratulations to our own **Chordmeisters** quartet for judging Pontiac's annual Woodshed Contest and providing some entertainment as well.

Our recent board meetings have turned into events. In July we were treated to a marvelous cookout (including strawberry shortcake) prepared by President Bob McCaffrey and his wife, Phylis. In August we met on Secretary Don Lewis' newly purchased 36' sailboat. Our meeting was conducted as we sailed on the Clinton River. A two hour cruise on Lake St. Clair with Wes Tomlinson and Scott Young at the helm, along with wet and dry refreshments, topped off the evening.

A dual Barbershopper of the Month for August was awarded to Dave Davenport and Adam Howarth for their work as co-librarians. We wish Dave good luck as he embarks on his college career at Bowling Green. Adam is in his senior year at Adams High School in Rochester.

Don Lewis is heading up our Singing Valentines project. The group has had several rehearsals and will soon make a presentation to the chapter. Hopefully, Ross Ensign, who had some prior experience with singing valentines at his former chapter, will get involved. Since this *Continued next page.*

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Oct 28 Rochester Show  
Oct 27-28-29 Holland Whopper  
Weekend  
Nov 3-4 Grand Rapids Show  
Dec 8-9 Motor City Metro Show

#### 1996

Feb 16-17 Detroit-Oakland Show  
Mar 1-2 Wayne Show  
Mar 2 Lansing Show  
Mar 9 Monroe North Show  
Mar 16 Kalamazoo Show  
April 26-28 Dist. Conv. Lansing  
May 16-18 Harmony Round-Up  
Jun 13 Windsor Send Off  
Oct 18-20 Dist. Conv. Lansing  
Nov 1-2 Grand Rapids Show

**NOTE:** All chapter show activities must be cleared through the District Secretary.

#### PLEASE NOTIFY:

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### **Pioneer District 1995 Fall Convention October 20-22, Lansing, Michigan**

#### Friday

- \*Registration, 11 am, lobby, Sheraton Hotel, will move to Waverly H.S. box office one hour before each event.
- \*District Board of Directors meeting, 9 a.m.-12 noon.
- \*District House of Delegates meeting, 2 p.m.
- \*Barbershop Shop - all hours except during contests.
- \*Raffle, Associated Charities, lobby, Sheraton Hotel.
- \*Concessions, lobby, Waverly High School, before and during contests.
- \*Trolley Shuttle, Sheraton - Waverly H.S., \$2.00 all events or \$1.00 each event, at registration desk only.
- \***Note:** There will be no football game Friday night.
- \*Quartet Contest Preliminary, Waverly H.S. 8:00 p.m.
- \*Quartet Jamboree, Sheraton Hotel, 11 p.m.

#### Saturday

- \*Registration, 9 am, lobby, Sheraton Hotel, will move to Waverly H.S. box office one hour before each event.
- \***Joe Barbershopper Chorus** followed immediately by **District Chorus Contest**, Waverly High, 12 noon.
- \***Mass Sing**, Sheraton Ballroom, 4 pm, followed by **Senior's Quartet Contest**.
- \*B.B.Q. Buffet, Sheraton Pool-side, 4 - 7:30 p.m.
- \***Quartet Contest Finals**, Waverly High, 8:00 p.m., followed by debut of **District Quartet Champions Chorus**.
- \***Afterglow**, Sheraton Pool-side, following contest.
- \*Hospitality rooms for all hotels/motels will be posted in Sheraton lobby. Chapters - notify Mike Cirrito.

#### Sunday

- \***Sunday morning worship service/gospeling, 9:15-10:00**

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