

Choral Sectional Meeting Agenda 8-10

- Financial Report
 - There is \$2649.84 in the bank and no outstanding invoices (yea!)
- FLC Honor Choir, Nov 11 (See attached email from Homburg)
 - * Invited High Schools Only
 - * Contact Andrew Homburg FLC for music list
 - * Clinician is Charles Robinson
- High School Solo and Ensemble
 - Saturday, October 9, 2010, San Juan College
 - Registration Deadline Wednesday, September 8th
 - High School teachers will judge each others students. (Collard, Nickels, Kidd both Shawn and Cristine, Britanyak)
 - Virginia Nickels will do schedule. (7 minute time slot)
 - David's wife or Bonnie host (David will find out if his wife is available)
 - \$8.00 Fee
- Middle School Solo and Ensemble
 - Friday, December 3rd, Mesa View Middle School
 - Registration Deadline, November 3rd
 - Middle School teachers will judge each others students (Lyon, Cowell, Leath, Marletta, Cristine Kidd and Deborah Gregory available too)
 - Petra Lyon will do the schedule
 - \$8.00 Fee
- Youth All-State, NMSU, Las Cruces, Jan 26-29, 2011
 - Must register as an ACDA member to participate go to acda.org to register and click on members. There is a link there to register for membership
 - You must submit the online registration form by Sep 27th
 - Audition tracks are posted on the bottom of the home page of the website www.nmacda.org just drag them onto your desktop
 - Audition CD's must be postmarked by October 1st
 - Check website for audition material
 - Petra Lyon main coordinator and contact for Farmington
- Large Group Festival, Kirtland High School, Mar 15 and 16, 2011
 - Marletta Newman, Festival Coordinator
 - David Collard Site Chair Tuesday March 15
 - Petra Lyon Site Chair Wednesday March 16
 - Deadline for online registration is February 14, 2010 (Happy Valentines Day!)
 - \$125 Fee
 - Lunch on Tuesday: Shawn Kidd
 - Lunch on Wednesday: Petra Lyon
 - David Collard will get judges
 - Suggestions for judges: Andrew Homburg and Linda Mack from Ft. Lewis College, Scott Haegler (Durango), new music minister at Methodist Church in Farmington her name is Virginia, Amy Barrett, Rochelle Mann (Durango), Les Leach
 - David get six sets of risers for each room – sightsinging, warmup, stage – and another set of six placed outside for choir pictures

- David will provide high-school students on both days to work the sight-reading room, watch doors, lead choirs around, tables for judges, signs, etc.
 - Do not forget it was ruled that the requirement to sight-sing will now be made optional. A director can choose to sight-sing or not. If the choir does not sight-sing then they will have a half an hour clinic with one of the judges instead.
 - Don't forget selections from pop, Broadway and jazz will not be permitted.
 - Please make sure that you have legal copies of music for the judges.
 - Liz Applegate of Signature Photo and Design will do group pictures of the choirs for \$10 which will be added to your registration fee
 - Site Chairs need to make sure that they double check the judges sheets and that the points are added up correctly
 - Marletta needs to do easier sight-singing for the sixth graders
 - Virginia needs to revamp high school sight-singing
 - High school needs to be chaperoned more (Petra suggested that kids critique other choirs for a grade which keeps them occupied and in the auditorium)
 - Need a separate room for high school girls to change in
- Other Business
 - State Choir Festival is April 15 & 16, 2011 at Albuquerque Academy (same week as state band festival) Have to make a 1 at your local district festival to be invited
 - High School All State is Jan 5-8, 2011 at UNM in Albuquerque
 - Spring meeting is May 4, 2011 at 2 pm in Newcomb – choir will meet at 9am at Andrea Kristina's in Farmington
 - Virginia invites everyone to sing with Caliente Choir meets on tuesdays from 6pm-7:30pm
 - Wicked opens in Alb. January 26th and runs through the third week of February
 - Santa Fe Opera - has great deals for for students and directors--Virg. will find out more info and let us know
 - Durango High School is doing Footloose--opening friday October 29th and runs three weekends--Petra will try to get posters