CONVENTION 2019 GREATER NY/NJ REGION 15

APRIL 11 - 14, 2019

QUARTET/CHORUS SUPPLEMENT

Don't Rain On My Parade



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WELCOME GREETING FROM YOUR COMPETITION COORDINATOR

From the CC:

Hello Greater NY/NJ Region #15. Can you believe we are returning to Albany for our 6th year? We on the RCC (Regional Competition Committee) can hardly believe it! With Regional Competition being just under 5 weeks away, the RCC is in the final stages of making preparations for what we hope will be another memorable and rewarding experience for all. This is a group of hard-working and dedicated ladies....Please stop and thank them for all they do on behalf of you, the members or the fabulous Region 15! In addition to wishing all competitors a fantastic time on stage, I hope you all will have a wonderful weekend greeting old friends and making new ones.

In this Competition Supplement, you will find all the pertinent information to finalize your plans and make your time on stage the best it can be. We have included the Order of Appearance for each contest, contest traffic patterns, Quartet Walk-On Schedule, stage diagrams, forms that need to be turned in at the briefing (and the number of each required), riser configuration specs and a copy of the ESPCC Floor Plan. We hope that by including these here in one place, it will make it easier to comply with all of SAI's contest requirements.

As in the past, The Joint Briefing will be held on Thursday Night at 7:30 at the Hilton (Governor Ballroom A and B). All forms, awards that need to be returned and banners should be brought to the room next door beginning at 6:00, with enough time to get to the briefing at 7:30. Please arrange to have all of this done no later than 7:15, so the briefing can start promptly. Packets of these forms need to be provided to the Judging Panel before we begin the briefing. Please review again the required number of copies of each form. The RCC will not be in a position to make copies if you fail to bring the required number. The Blue Notes Chorus will rehearse immediately after the briefing has concluded.

Weather permitting, the Mass Sing will be held on the plaza on the Museum steps of the ESPCC at noon on Friday, April 12th. From there, head on over to the base of The Egg and peruse the boutique, which will be just outside the auditorium where the contest will take place.

Quartet Walk-ons are scheduled to begin at 10:00 on Friday morning, right after the Site Inspection/Audio/Visual Checks and the proposed schedule is included in this supplement. This may have to be adjusted if the Inspection runs over in order to accommodate everyone and still begin the contest at 1:30. PLEASE ADVISE ASAP IF YOUR QUARTET DOES NOT INTEND TO USE ITS SCHEDULED TIME AND I WILL ADJUST THE SCHEDULE ACCORDINGLY. There will be buses running every 10 minutes on Friday morning to get the quartets to the ESPCC for their walkons.

There are 23 quartets entered, including two in the Open Division. The entry back into the contest venue will be via the doors closest to the Stage at Stage Right, allowing for time for audience members to cheer/welcome their favorite quartets. ONLY COMPETING QUARTET MEMBERS WILL BE ALLOWED ACCESS VIA THESE DOORS, IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEIR PERFORMANCE ON STAGE. You will be directed from the backstage area to the door closest to the stage to return to the auditorium.

EXCITING NEWS!! New this year will be a performance by the newly formed Blue Notes Chorus, comprised of past quartet champion members. They will perform for us while the quartet results are being tabulated. Please contact Jean Schoenlank if you believe you should be included and have not heard from her. Once the Blue Notes Chorus has performed, Just 4 Kicks will perform their swan song set. Quartet award presenters will be asked to gather backstage while the members of the Blue Notes Chorus are gathering on stage.

NOTE REGARDING BLUE NOTES CHORUS PERFORMANCE - There will be a rehearsal immediately after the briefing on Thursday night, and there will NOT be time allotted on Friday to gather before your performance. Blue Notes chorus performers will be asked to come directly onto the stage at the completion of the quartet contest. This will save time and will allow competitors already in the audience to see the rest of the contest. We are trying something new this year.....Members of the Top Five Quartet Winners will come from their seats to the stage to accept their awards (please wait for your photo to be taken as well). Members of the Fifth Fourth, Third and Second Place Quartets will assemble on the risers awaiting the announcement of this year's Quartet Champions.

The Chorus Contest will begin at 12:00 noon on Saturday April 13th. There are 15 entrants, including two for evaluation. CHORUSES PLEASE NOTE: AS A REMINDER, RISER BAGS AND INDIVIDUAL ZIPLOC BAGS WILL NOT BE PROVIDED BY THE RCC. EACH CHORUS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR BRINGING THEIR OWN RISER BAGS AND ZIPLOC BAGS. EMPTY WATER BOTTLES ONLY, NO FULL WATER BOTTLES PERMITTED!!!!! IF THE PERSON COLLECTING THE ZIPLOC BAGS IN THE LOBBY OF THE HOTEL SEES A FULL BOTTLE, THEY WILL DISCARD IT. PLEASE BE KIND TO THE LADIES MOVING THESE BAGS AROUND AND KEEP THE CONTENTS TO A MINIMUM. Immediately after Greater Nassau competes for evaluation, they will exit the stage and line up for their outgoing Champion Performance. While they are lining up, all Directors will be asked to assemble backstage so they can be ready for the Parade of Directors during GNC's performance. After their performance, all chorus award presenters will be asked to gather in the backstage area.

PLEASE BE SURE TO PICK UP BANNERS AND RISER CHAIRS IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE CHORUS CONTEST. Each chorus should designate a specific individual to be responsible for this, as we have previously had issues about what to do with banners that have been left. With the designation of a specific individual to be responsible for this task, we had no leftover banners the last 3 years! We will ask for this person's name at the Briefing.

There will be buses running between the hotels and the ESPCC, as well as buses designated for competitors.

There will be separate buses designated for the winning quartet and the winning (Overall) Chorus Champion.

We will once again be having a Regional Dinner at the Hilton Saturday Night, followed by Regional Awards and Show of Champions.

I am happy to answer any and all questions and look forward to seeing each of you in Albany. My e-mail address is JeannePV237@msn.com. Please stop me, introduce yourself and say hello. I am looking forward to another great weekend of friendship, harmony and FUN!!!!

In Harmony,

S/Jeanne P. Viscito/

Jeanne Viscito, Region 15 Competition Coordinator

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS APRIL 11 - 14, 2019

Thursday, APRIL 11, 2019

4:00 pm	Hotel Check-In	
4:00 pm – Midnight	One (1) Shuttle bus running contir	nuously between hotels
6:00 pm – 7:15 pm	Turn in Forms for Briefing	. Hilton Hotel, Governor B
7:30 pm	Quartet/Chorus Briefing	. Hilton Hotel, Governor A
Following the briefing	'Blue Notes' Chorus Rehearsal	. Hilton Hotel, Governor A
Following the rehearsal	VIP Reception [BY INVITATION ONLY]	. Hilton Hotel, Old Kelsey

Friday, APRIL 12, 2019

8:00 am	Dedicated buses for mic testing chorus and quarte	et only
9:00 am	ESPCC, Facilities Inspection/Sound Check, BY INVIT	ATION ONLY
9:00 am – 7:00 pm	Spectator buses dedicated from each hotel to ESPO	CC
9:30 am – 6:00 pm	Registration Desk/Ticket Sales	ESPCC
10:00 am	Quartet Walk-Ons	ESPCC
11:00 am-Contest End	Boutique	ESPCC
12:00 noon	Mass Sing	TEPS PLAZA
	Rain location	C Concourse
1:15 pm	Quartet Contest Curtain Call	ESPCC
1:30 pm	Quartet Contest	ESPCC
4:00 pm	Hotel Check-In	

From end of contest to 12:00 am - buses WILL run between hotels

Saturday, APRIL 13, 2019

9:00 am – 7:00 pm	Spectator Buses from each hotel to ESPCC	
9:30 am - 3:00 pm	Registration Desk/Ticket Sales	ESPCC
11:00 am-Contest End	Boutique	ESPCC
11:45 am	Chorus Contest Curtain call	ESPCC
12:00 noon	Chorus Contest	ESPCC
7:00 pm	Cash Bar	Hilton Ballroom
7:30 pm	Regional Banquet	Hilton Ballroom
8:45 pm	Regional Awards	Hilton Ballroom
After Awards	Top 3 Choruses & Quartets sing	Hilton Ballroom
	Minimal seating available	

Following the Banquet: Sirens of Gotham Tag Singing......Hilton Ballroom Lobby

Buses WILL run between hotels from end of contest to 2:00 am

Sunday, APRIL 14, 2019

There will NOT be a goodbye mass sing. Safe travels, everyone, and see you next year.

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FINAL QUARTET ORDER OF APPEARANCE

CONT.#	QUARTET	CHAPTER(S)
MT	Tag Team	Greater Nassau Chapter
1A	Breakfast for Dinner	Sirens of Gotham Chapter
1B	Lotus	Sirens of Gotham Chapter
1C	Hot Lunch	Golden Apple Chapter
1	GREEN	Chapter-at-Large Region 15, Sirens of Gotham Chapter
2	HeartStrings	Harmony Celebration Chapter
3	Just 4 Kicks, OPEN DIVISION	Harmony Celebration Chapter
4	Brown Eyed Girls	Chapter-at-Large Region 15, Sirens of Gotham Chapter
5	Up & Away	Chapter-at-Large Region 15, Jersey Sound Chapter, Liberty Oak Chapter
6	Synergy	Liberty Oak Chapter
7	Take Note!	Chapter-at-Large Region 15, Hickory Tree Chapter
8	Perfect Fourth	Spirit of Syracuse Chapter
9	Repeat Offenders	Harmony Celebration Chapter, Sirens of Gotham Chapter
10	Harmony	Chapter-at-Large Region 25, Greater Nassau Chapter
11	Saturday Express	Chapter-at-Large Region 15, Harmony Celebration Chapter, Liberty Oak Chapter, Twin County Chapter
12	Yellow Brick Road	Capitaland Chapter, Saratoga Soundtrack Chapter
13	Balancing Act	Liberty Oak Chapter
14	Q Music	Harmony Celebration Chapter, Liberty Oak Chapter
15	Naturally One	Harmony Celebration Chapter, Saratoga Soundtrack Chapter
16	Love That Red!	Jersey Harmony Chapter
17	Jinks	Evergreen Chapter
18	Anthology	Chapter-at-Large Region 15, Liberty Oak Chapter
19	After Hours, OPEN DIVISION	Capitaland Chapter
20	Spellbound	Greater Nassau Chapter, Island Hills Chapter

QUARTET WALK-ON SCHEDULE — FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 2019 @ ESPCC (PREPARED 3/8/19) 10:00 START

LADIES: In an effort to make this run smoothly, I ask that **you arrive 10 MINUTES before your scheduled time.** If all members are not present at your assigned time, you will go onstage without them or forfeit your time. Quartets will be allowed 3 MINUTES on stage, which is clocked from the moment the first member steps onstage. The additional minute allowed in the schedule is for on and off between quartets. You will all enter from Stage Left or Center Entry. Please let me know at the briefing which entrance you will use. There may be (and most likely will be) other people in the ESPCC at these times. I cannot give you time alone in the center. If you choose not to do a walk-on, please let me know so I can adjust this schedule. Contest will begin at 1:30 on Friday. Last quartet estimated to be on stage at 6:24 PM, with the Blue Notes Chorus estimated performance time at 6:40. Quartets will come from their seats to receive their Awards, have their photo taken, and assemble on the risers.

#	QUARTET	WALK-ON TIME
1A	Breakfast for Dinner (Hilton)	10:00
1B	Lotus (Hilton)	10:04
1C	Hot Lunch (Hampton Inn)	10:08
1	GREEN (Hilton)	10:12
2	HeartStrings (Hilton)	10:16
3	Just 4 Kicks (OPEN) (Hilton)	10:20
4	Brown Eyed Girls (Hilton)	10:24
5	Up & Away (Hilton)	10:28
6	Synergy (Hilton)	10:32
7	Take Note! (Hilton)	10:36
8	Perfect Fourth (Hilton)	10:40
9	Repeat Offenders (Hilton)	10:44
10	Harmony (Hilton)	10:48
11	Saturday Express (Hilton)	10:52
12	Yellow Brick Road (Hampton Inn)	10:56
13	Balancing Act (Hilton)	11:00
14	Q Music (Hilton)	11:04
15	Naturally One (Hampton Inn)	11:08
16	Love That Red! (Hampton Inn)	11:12
17	JiNKS (Hampton Inn)	11:16
18	Anthology (Hilton)	11:20
19	After Hours (OPEN) (Hilton)	11:24
20	Spellbound (Hilton)	11:28

NOTE: TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE IF THE OFFICIAL INSPECTION RUNS LATER THAN EXPECTED.

Best of luck to all of you for a wonderful performance. Go out there and show the rest of Region 15 how awesome our quartets are, and what they are missing!

In Harmony, Jeanne Viscito, Region 15 CC

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		Quartet Con	ipetitio	n Sched	IIIIA TAT FRIAZV					
					idie for Triday	, April 12, 20	19			
			Photos a	at Hilton	Depart HILTON	Arrival ESPCC	Dressin	g Room	Backstage	On Stage
MT Ta	Contestant Name	Hotel	Enter	Leave			Enter	Leave		
	ag Team	Hilton	12:46	12:56	12:58	1:08	1:13	1:23	1:25	1:30 PM
1A Br	reakfast for Dinner	Hilton	12:57	1:07	1:09	1:19	1:24	1:34	1:36	1:41 PM
1B Lo	otus	Hilton	1:08	1:18	1:20	1:30	1:35	1:45	1:47	1:52 AM
1C Ho	ot Lunch	Hampton Inn	1:19	1:29	1:31	1:41	1:46	1:56	1:58	2:03 PM
1 GF	REEN	Hilton	1:30	1:40	1:42	1:52	1:57	2:07	2:09	2:14 PM
2 He	eartStrings	Hilton	1:41	1:51	1:53	2:03	2:08	2:18	2:20	2:25 PM
3 Ju	ust 4 Kicks (OPEN DIVISION)	Hilton	1:52	2:02	2:04	2:14	2:19	2:29	2:31	2:36 PM
4 Br	rown Eyed Girls	Hilton	2:06	2:16	2:18	2:28	2:33	2:43	2:45	2:50 PM
5 U _i	p & Away	Hilton	2:17	2:27	2:29	2:39	2:44	2:54	2:56	3:01 PM
6 Sy	ynergy	Hilton	2:28	2:38	2:40	2:50	2:55	3:05	3:07	3:12 PM
7 Ta	ake Note!	Hilton	2:39	2:49	2:51	3:01	3:06	3:16	3:18	3:23 PM
8 Pe	erfect Fourth	Hilton	2:50	3:00	3:02	3:12	3:17	3:27	3:29	3:34 PM
		INTERN	AISSION (30 minute	es) (25 announced	1)				
9 Re	epeat Offenders	Hilton	3:21	3:41	3:43	3:53	3:58	4:08	4:10	4:15 PM
10 Ha	armony	Hilton	3:42	3:52	3:54	4:04	4:09	4:19	4:21	4:26 PM
11 Sa	aturday Express	Hilton	3:53	4:03	4:05	4:15	4:20	4:30	4:32	4:37 PM
12 Ye	ellow Brick Road	Hampton Inn	4:04	4:14	4:16	4:26	4:31	4:41	4:43	4:48 PM
13 Ba	alancing Act	Hilton	4:15	4:25	4:27	4:37	4:42	4:52	4:54	4:59 PM
14 Q	Music	Hilton	4:26	4:36	4:38	4:48	4:53	5:03	5:05	5:10 PM
15 Na	aturally One	Hampton Inn	4:37	4:47	4:49	4:59	5:04	5:14	5:16	5:21 PM
16 Lo	ove That Red!	Hampton Inn	4:48	4:58	5:00	5:10	5:15	5:25	5:27	5:32 PM
17 JiN	NKS	Hampton Inn	4:59	5:09	5:11	5:21	5:26	5:36	5:38	5:43 PM
18 Ar	nthology	Hilton	5:10	5:20	5:22	5:32	5:37	5:47	5:49	5:54 PM
19 Af	fter Hours (OPEN DIVISION)	Hilton	5:21	5:31	5:33	5:43	5:48	5:58	6:00	6:05 PM
20 Sp	pellbound	Hilton	5:35	5:45	5:47	5:57	6:02	6:12	6:14	6:24 PM
BI	lue Notes Chorus/Just 4 Kicks Swan Set					Time Approxima	ate			6:40 PM
n	Quartets at the Hampton Inn will be trar	sported to the	Hilton fo	r Photos	After photos, you	will be transpo	rted fron	n the Hilt	on to the FSI	PCC.
	1C Hot Lunch	•			ilton 1:14 - Once a	.			.011 10 1110 1201	
	12 Yellow Brick Road				ilton 3:59 - Once a					
	15 Naturally One			•	ilton 4:32 - Once a	•				
	16 Love That Red!				ilton 4:43 - Once a					
	17 Jinks			•	ilton 4:54 - Once a	•				

		20:	19 Region 15	(Prepared 3/8	3/19)				
		Chorus Comp	petition Sc	hedule for	Friday, Ap	ril 13, 2019	9		
			Pickup Ho	tel Lobby	Arrival	Dressin	g Room	Backstage	On Stage
#	Contestant	Hotel	Enter	Leave	at ESPCC	Enter	Leave		
1	Spirit of Syracuse (EVALUATION) (57)	Hilton	11:10 AM	11:20 AM	11:30 AM	11:40 AM	11:50 AM	11:55 AM	12:00 PM
2	Saratoga Soundtrack (31)	Hampton Inn	11:22 AM	11:32 AM	11:42 AM	11:52 AM	12:02 PM	12:07 PM	12:12 PM
3	Golden Apple (21)	Hampton Inn	11:34 AM	11:44 AM	11:54 AM	12:04 PM	12:14 PM	12:19 PM	12:24 PM
4	Harmony Celebration (55)	Hilton	11:46 AM	11:56 AM	12:06 PM	12:16 PM	12:26 PM	12:31 PM	12:36 PM
5	Liberty Oak (92)	Hilton	11:58 AM	12:08 PM	12:18 PM	12:28 PM	12:38 PM	12:43 PM	12:48 PM
6	Evergreen (30)	Hampton Inn	12:10 AM	12:20 PM	12:30 PM	12:40 PM	12:50 PM	12:55 PM	1:00 PM
7	Island Hills (35)	Hilton	12:22 AM	12:32 PM	12:42 PM	12:52 PM	1:02 PM	1:07 PM	1:12 PM
8	Long Island Sound (30)	Hampton Inn	12:34 AM	12:44 PM	12:54 PM	1:04 PM	1:14 PM	1:19 PM	1:24 PM
		INTERMISSION	N (40 Minutes	s) (35 MINUTE	S ANNOUNCI	ED)			
9	Twin County (50)	Hilton	1:30 PM	1:40 PM	1:50 PM	2:00 PM	2:10 PM	2:15 PM	2:20 PM
10	Jersey Harmony (23)	Hampton Inn	1:42 PM	1:52 PM	2:02 PM	2:12 PM	2:22 PM	2:27 PM	2:32 PM
11	Heart of New Jersey (24)	Hilton	1:54 PM	2:04 PM	2:14 PM	2:24 PM	2:34 PM	2:39 PM	2:44 PM
12	Hickory Tree (38)	Hilton	2:06 PM	2:16 PM	2:26 PM	2:36 PM	2:46 PM	2:51 PM	2:56 PM
13	Capitaland (40)	Hilton	2:18 PM	2:28 PM	2:38 PM	2:48 PM	2:58 PM	3:03 PM	3:08 PM
14	Sirens of Gotham (34)	Hilton	2:30 PM	2:40 PM	2:50 PM	3:00 PM	3:10 PM	3:15 PM	3:20 PM
15	Greater Nassau (EVALUATION) (52)	Hilton		Meet in Me	eting Room 7	@ 2:55 PM		3:28 PM	3:32 PM
	Greater Nassau (Performance)			Tim	e Approximat	e			3:50 PM

NOTE: Contestant #15 is the Host Chapter. Many of the members will already be at the ESPCC doing their assigned jobs. If there are any GNC members at the Hampton Inn, please have them get on the bus with Jersey Harmony (if any). I do not know how many will need to be picked up at the Hilton. They should get on the bus with Sirens of Gotham.

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FINAL CHORUS ORDER OF APPEARANCE

CONT.#	CHORUS	LOCATION	DIRECTOR
1	Spirit of Syracuse Chapter – EVALUATION ONLY	Syracuse, NY	Kay Crawford
2	Saratoga Soundtrack Chapter	Saratoga Springs, NY	Jennifer Hunter
3	Golden Apple Chapter	White Plains, NY	Anastasio Rossi
4	Harmony Celebration Chapter	Ridgewood, NJ	Scott Brannon
5	Liberty Oak Chapter	Freehold, NJ	Katie Blackwood
6	Evergreen Chapter	Poughkeepsie, NY	Carole Argulewicz
7	Island Hills Chapter	Hauppauge, NY	Tom Brucia
8	Long Island Sound Chapter	Riverhead, NY	Peggy DiSunno
9	Twin County Chapter	Massapequa Park, NY	Christine Krowles
10	Jersey Harmony Chapter	Princeton, NJ	Kathleen Britt
11	Heart of New Jersey Chapter	Millstone Township, NJ	Jeanne Elmuccio
12	Hickory Tree Chapter	New Providence, NJ	Carolyn Schmidt
13	Capitaland Chapter	Albany, NY	Susan Koppenhaver
14	Sirens of Gotham Chapter	New York, NY	Mira Taferner, Kari Francis
15	Greater Nassau Chapter – EVALUATION ONLY	Baldwin, NY	Harriette Walters

REGION 15 CHORUS COMPETITION 2019 CHORUS TRAFFIC PATTERN SCHEDULE (Prepared 3/8/19) # Chorus Hotel Departure Stage 1 Spirit of Syracuse (57) EVALUATION Hilton 11:20 AM 12:00 PM Saratoga Soundtrack (31) Hampton Inn 11.32 AM 12:12 PM 3 Golden Apple (21) Hampton Inn 11:44 AM 12:24 PM 4 Harmony Celebration (55) Hilton 11:56 AM 12:36 PM 5 Liberty Oak (92) Hilton 12:08 PM 12:48 PM 6 Evergreen (30) Hampton Inn 12:20 PM 1:00 PM 7 Island Hills (35) Hilton 12:32 PM 1:12 PM Long Island Sound (30) Hampton Inn 12:44 PM 1:24 PM INTERMISSION Twin County (50) Hilton 2:20 PM 1:40 PM Jersey Harmony (23) 10 Hampton Inn 1:52 PM 2:32 PM Heart of New Jersey (24) 11 Hilton 2:04 PM 2:44 PM Hilton 12 Hickory Tree (38) 2:16 PM 2:56 PM 13 Capitaland (40) Hilton 2:28 PM 3:08 PM Sirens of Gotham (34) 14 Hilton 2:40 PM 3:20 PM 15 Greater Nassau (60) EVALUATION Hilton 2:52 PM 3:32 PM

2019 CHORUS REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

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Last Updated: 03/05/19

Questions contact: Phyllis Capolongo, RCC Convention Services at paclead@yahoo.com

Order of			Friday R	ehearsal		Saturday Rehearsal Buffet and Rehearsal
Appearance	Chorus	Residing Hotel	Room	Time*	Dual Status	Room Time**
1	Spirit of Syracuse	Hilton	Governers A	9 - 10 PM		
2	Saratoga Soundtrack	Hampton	Broadway A	9 - 10 PM	Dual-CL	
3	Golden Apple	Hampton	TBD	9 - 10 PM		
4	Harmony Celebration	Hilton	Hudson	9 - 10 PM	Dual - JH,S,E	
5	Liberty Oak	Hilton	Old Kelsey	9 - 10 PM		
6	Evergreen	Hampton	Broadway A	10 - 11 PM	Dual-HC	
7	Island Hills	Hilton	Capital A&B	9 - 10 PM	Dual-GNC	
8	Long Island Sound	Hampton	Broadway B	9 - 10 PM	Dual-GNC	
9	Twin County	Hilton	Governers B	9 - 10 PM	Dual-GNC	**Please note that Satuday Rehearsal times
10	Jersey Harmony	Hampton	Broadway B	10 - 11 PM	Dual-HC	will be communicated once Breakfast
11	Heart of New Jersey	Hilton	Chambers	9 - 10 PM		information has been received - due March
12	Hickory Tree	Hilton	Governers D	9 - 10 PM		15, 2019.
13	Capitaland	Hilton	Governers E	10 - 11 PM	Dual - SaS	
14	Sirens	Hilton	State Room A&B	10 - 11 PM	Dual-HC	
15	Greater Nassau	Hilton	Governers C	10 - 11 PM	Dual - LIS, TC,IH	
	-				-	
Not Competing	City of the Hills	Hampton				
Not Competing	Song of the Valley	Hampton			639	
Not Competing	Seneca Soundwaves	Hampton				

Initial Friday start time for chorus rehearsals is based on the Quartet Competition expected end time with room for members to eat after the Quartet Competition as we know everyone would want to be at the arena to hear the results of the Friday Competition.

^{*}Please note that Rehearsal times were set to accommodate the specific requests from choruses including the request not to overlap rehearsal times for dual members if possible. Please be considerate and stay within the time limits set for your chorus rehearsal time.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR OPEN DIVISION COMPETITORS

All Open Division competitors (Quartet and Chorus) must submit a prepared program (10 copies) at the briefing Thursday night. The prepared program must list all planned activity occurring on stage after completion of the entrance and following the official introduction. Planned activity occurring prior to the first word spoken or the first chord of the first song, whichever begins the performance, will result in disqualification if in the opinion of the panel chair and a majority of judges on the panel the time spent is excessive and results in a delay of the contest.

Total Time of the Entertainment Package Session in the Open Division of any official Sweet Adelines competition is:

Quartet: Not more than ten (10) minutes. Chorus: Not more than ten (10) minutes.

Timing begins at the first word spoken or the first chord of the first song, whichever begins the performance, and continues through the final chord of the last song or the last word spoken, whichever concludes the performance. The three {3} to seven (7) minute timing requirement for the contest song is suspended.

Spoken materials and/or sound effects may be utilized in any of the non-competition songs included in the entertainment package.

RULE INFRACTION PENALTIES (FOR ALL COMPETITORS)

The official language for songs designated as competition songs is American English. Languages other than English may be used for noncompetition songs included in the entertainment package.

The official songs of Sweet Adelines are 'Harmonize the World' and 'How We Sang Today'. Neither of these songs may be sung in any competition session, including the entertainment package. Performance of any official song in Open Division will result in disqualification.

Religious and Patriotic songs may not be sung in competition. Performance of a religious or patriotic song as the contest song in Open Division will result in disqualification.

Crowns or tiaras are neither worn by nor presented to any contestant other than the quartet winning first place in the international quartet competition. In all sessions, penalty for violation is twenty-five (25) points. Crowns worn by a contestant in Open Division will result in disqualification.

Only the director(s) and performing members of a competing chorus may appear on stage. A penalty may result if, in the opinion of the official panel, the presence of a "non-singing" member is a distraction and detracts from the musical performance. In all sessions, the penalty ranges from ten (10) to twenty-five (25) points, depending on severity. In Open Division, this may result in disqualification.

STAGING

All props and visual devices must enter and leave the performance venue with the chorus or quartet. Storage space for props or equipment, other than riser chairs or medically necessary items, is not provided at the contest venue.

Props or visual devices requiring excessive set up time will be subject to delay of contest penalties.

All contestants are required to leave the stage in the condition they found it. Anything discarded or dropped must be removed and exit the stage with the contestant. In all sessions, penalty for violations is twenty-five {25} points.

Any contestant that purposefully throws an object (s) into the audience or judging pit from the competition stage may be assessed a minimum penalty of twenty-five (25) points up to a maximum penalty of disqualification from the contest.

Entertainment Package Sessions: Special staging and/or lighting effects may not be incorporated into the songs designated as competition songs but may, at the discretion of the International Board of Directors, be utilized as part of the noncompetition songs included in the entertainment package.

CONTEST REMINDERS / INTERNATIONAL RULES

Withdrawals: Chorus directors, Presidents/TCs, and quartets must withdraw in writing (email is okay) to International Headquarters. A phone call is not sufficient.

Props rule: If any object is thrown into the audience or into the judging pit a penalty of 25 points up to the maximum of disqualification from the competition will be enforced.

Copyright Clearance: All music must have cleared the copyright process. Failure to use cleared arrangements may result in disqualification. International Headquarters is responsible for administering the copyright policies and procedures.

Chorus photos will be taken ON STAGE. Photo cue sheets are included in this publication. Checks are made payable to Jon Petersen and will be brought to the briefing on Thursday evening along with a photo order form.

Candid contest photos will be available on Jon Petersen's website at www.jonpetersen.photoreflect.com 2-3 weeks after competition.

Contest score sheet packets will be distributed in Meeting Room #7, adjacent from the hall.

A curtain will not be used for the contests, and the stage is not carpeted.

Backstage entry is for the competitors and coaches only! Please observe the "authorized entry only" signs.

Coaches who accompany a contestant backstage may watch the performance from Stage Left or from the audience. The coach may then join the contestant following the performance.

There is no VIP Seating.

TRAFFIC PATTERN - PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING OF PERSONAL BELONGINGS BACKSTAGE

Prior to competition weekend, distribute a "Ziploc" bag to each member with her name clearly printed on a color coded/numbered label. Gallon size bags are adequate. Chorus members are to use this for any personal items taken to the competition facility. **NOTE: PLACE ONLY EMPTY WATER BOTTLES IN ZIPLOC BAGS.**

Individual "Ziploc" bags are to **BE COLLECTED IN THE LOBBY OF THE HOTEL** prior to boarding the bus to the ESPCC and placed inside cloth, canvas, or paper bags provided by each chorus for each row of the chorus. Bags should be closely marked with chorus name and row number (bags will not be provided by RCC). Larger choruses may need two bags per row. These bags will be brought down the elevator to the Green Room (warm up room). 'AC' members will collect large bags at the top of the ramp after leaving the Green Room (warm up room).

Room temperature water is supplied in the Green Room (warm up room).

Tote bags will be supervised until collected by the chorus following its on-stage performance. Bags will be retrieved at the reentrance doors to the auditorium.

COMPETITORS NEEDING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE:

Chorus with competitors needing special assistance are to notify Jeanne Viscito, CC, prior to Convention weekend. (Call 908-625-7183 or email JeannePV23@msn.com).

Choruses are expected to provide any extra transportation or assistance (with wheelchairs and scooters) if required. The chorus assistant to the person using these must take the device behind the open stage and leave it at the stage left exit from the stage before she gets on the risers.

Chorus personnel will set riser chair(s) on the risers immediately preceding its performance and remove the riser chair(s) immediately following the performance.

All riser chairs are to be delivered to the backstage area between 10:30 am and 11:30 am on Friday, April 12, 2019 and placed along the back wall. Please make sure your riser chairs are CLEARLY marked with your chorus name.

All riser chairs must be removed from the auditorium immediately following the chorus contest session.

Choruses opting to use props in their performance cannot leave any of them backstage or on stage before or after their performance. You carry everything on and everything off – even something you dropped on stage. There is a 25 point penalty assessed by the Showmanship Judge in terms of the degree that the performance is enhanced or detracted from by the use of said props.

CHORUS COMPETITION TRAFFIC PATTERN INFORMATION:

Quartet/Chorus gathers in the hotel lobby no more than 10 minutes before your assigned time and follows directions of the Assisting Chorus member waiting in the lobby. You will NOT be called unless there is a significant change to the schedule.

Row bags must be filled prior to boarding the bus in the hotel lobby. (DO NOT place full water bottles in these bags, empty bottles only).

Quartet/Chorus loads onto buses at a designated departure point in each hotel. Buses will depart promptly ontime and will not wait for singers who may be late.

Chorus arrives at the ESPCC entrance and will be greeted by a Convention Assistant.

Quartet/Chorus escorted to the Green Room (warm up room) (mirror room, singing permitted, water available).

Quartet/Chorus shown to backstage area and proceeds directly to the stage.

Tote bags will be collected at the top of the ramp after leaving Green Room (warm up room) on the way to the stage.

Please note:

- Chorus sets up necessary riser chairs at this time.
- Singers who use wheelchairs must have a chorus member take it to stage left once she is on stage. Back stage staff do not know how to operate them and are busy with their duties.
- o Director to signal regional personnel stage left when ready to begin.
- Curtain is not utilized.
- The stage floor will be marked with tape indicating a center-line.
- Recording microphones will be placed overhead of the risers.
- Refer to diagram for riser configurations.
- Chorus removes riser chairs immediately following performance.
- Chorus MUST remove riser chairs from the ESPCC immediately following the close of the competition awards ceremony.
- o Chorus photographs are taken on stage. Be prepared! Have your pose ready!
- o Chorus exits Stage Right. Bags will be retrieved at the reentrance doors to the auditorium.

INTERNATIONAL AND REGIONAL AWARDS

Previous year's recipients must return all trophies and plaques to Nancy Duke, Awards Chair, at the Chorus and Quartet Briefing Thursday, April 11, 2019 at 6:00 pm. (Governor B)

DISTRIBUTION OF RESULTS

Contestant packets containing score sheets and instructions for retrieving copies of your performance DVD will be available approximately 15 minutes following the conclusion of contests. Only the Chorus Director or President/TC may pick up the score sheet packet. Score sheet packets will be distributed in Meeting Room #7, adjacent to the hall.

DUAL MEMBERS

Members with dual membership may compete with each chorus of which she is a member in good standing. The second costume must be brought to the ESPCC on Saturday, not before and placed in Meeting Room 7.

ATTENTION CCL's -

BADGE PICK UP AND IMPORANT HOUSING CHECK-IN INFORMATION

BADGES & PROGRAMS for all members, will be available at the Registration Desk, located in the ESPCC boutique area, starting at 9:30 am on Friday morning.

HOUSING PROCEDURE: Check in at both hotels will be done individually at the Front Desk. CCL's and/or Housing Chairs should be accessible to their members by cell phone if questions arise.

Check-in time at both Convention hotels is 4:00 p.m. Every effort will be made to have rooms readied early, but how early will depend on how full the hotel is the previous night! Should you arrive before your room is ready, designated secure areas for luggage are available at each hotel. Please remember to be patient and courteous to the Front Desk personnel and the Housekeepers. They will be working as hard as they can to get everyone into their rooms as quickly as possible.

Additional Information:

<u>Hilton</u>: Their new system allows for incidentals to be separate from the room charges. Only room charges will appear on the chorus statement. If you want to charge anything to your room, you MUST leave your personal credit card with the front desk upon check-in. You will not be allowed to charge to your room or order room service unless your card is on file.

<u>Hampton Inn</u>: Parking this year is \$8.00 per night. Drivers must leave their personal credit card information at the front desk upon check-in. Parking will not go on the chorus bills. It is requested that you attempt to have only one car per room due to the limited parking area.

Sunday Check-out:

New York Choruses: The CCL will reconcile chorus hotel room charges on-site with the Front Desk and pay any balance due with a chorus check or credit card.

<u>New Jersey Choruses</u>: The CCL will reconcile chorus hotel room charges on-site with the Front Desk, resolve any discrepancies and then meet with Mary Connelly in the Lobby to approve Regional payment. If there is any remaining balance, be prepared to give Mary a chorus check for the balance. If you require on-site assistance concerning housing arrangements, Johanna Herudek, Regional Housing Manager, can be reached by cell phone. 732-598-5142.

THURSDAY BRIEFING INFO AND FORMS

Don't Rain On My Parade



THURSDAY NIGHT BRIEFING INFORMATION:

The combined Quartet/Chorus Briefing will be held at 7:30 pm on Thursday, April 11, 2019 in the Hilton Hotel (Governor A). All competing Chorus Directors and Quartets, or their representatives are required to attend this briefing. Presidents/TC's and CCL's are welcome and encouraged to attend.

You will be required to bring the following forms to the briefing – Governor B, starting at 6:00 pm. <u>ALL FORMS</u> (INCL CORRECT NUMBER OF COPIES) MUST BE TURNED IN PRIOR TO 7:15 PM. Bring plaques and trophies to Governor B, starting at 6:00 pm.

CHORUSES

TWO (2)	Copies of the List of Competing Members and Verification Form (single-sided)
SEVEN (7)	Copies of the Chorus Contact Information Sheet
FIVE (5)	Copies of the Chorus DVD/Photography Cue Sheet (Final Pose)
ONE (1)	Copy of the Chorus Photo Form with check for Jon B. Petersen
TEN (10)	Copies of 2019 Regional Chorus Open Division Cue Sheet
	QUARTETS
SEVEN (7)	QUARTETS Copies of the Quartet Contact Information Sheet
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	Copies of the Quartet Contact Information Sheet

CONTESTANT #

LIST OF COMPETING MEMBERS

Please complete and bring TWO (2) COPIES to Thursday Briefing

INSTRUCTIONS:

Fill out the list below in ALPHABETICAL ORDER with members' information and signatures, or attach a list in ALPHABETICAL ORDER with the name, Sweet Adelines International I.D. number and signature of each performer including director(s) who will be appearing on stage. Should a performer not be able to compete after this form is completed, draw a heavy line through the entire line, and correct the TOTAL number listed below. Two copies of this form and the list of competing members (only if it is a separate document) is to be submitted to the COMPETITION COORDINATOR during the chorus directors' briefing at the regional competition. **Please DO NOT mail to international headquarters**.

Date of Competition:	Region:	Contestant Number:
Chapter Name:		
Director(s):		
As officers of said chorus we certify that all participa the chapter and the chapter is current in the paymen		
NOTE: Regional competitions are considered to be the 30 (the end of the fiscal year), "good standing" shall represented by the competitions, i.e., the year that ju	be interpreted as pertaining to	
Should a complaint regarding ineligibility of any particompetition, and should that complaint be verified, to the next highest scoring chorus.		
Signed by:		
Chapter President		
Chapter Director		
The number listed below is used in determining eligible chorus awards (31-60). Eligibility is determined by the	•	,
TOTAL number of singing members on	stage (director not included	in count):

By signing below, I agree to all competition rules as stated on the registration form and signed by the President and Director.

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CHORUS CONTACT INFORMATION

This form is to be completed AFTER Hotel Check-in by all Competing Choruses.

	CHORUS NAME:
	CONTACT (CCL) NAME:
	CONTACT (CCL) CELL PHONE NO:
	HOTEL ROOM NUMBER:
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	Is your Director eligible for the Region 15 Novice Director Award?YesNo
	FOR SAI 'PITCH PIPE'
SONG 1:	Name Arranger If parody—Attach lyrics
SONG 2:	Name Arranger If parody—Attach lyrics

PLEASE BRING SEVEN (7) COPIES TO THE BRIEFING

CONTESTANT #

Please complete and bring FIVE (5) COPIES to Thursday Briefing

CHORUS DVD/PHOTOGRAPHY CUE SHEET PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY CHORUS NAME: # OF CHORUS MEMBERS ON STAGE: **CONTESTANT NUMBER:** Song One: Song (Check only one) Song Title: Uptune: Arranger: Ballad: Song Two: Song (Check only one) Song Title: Uptune: Arranger:_____ Ballad: FINAL POSE (Briefly describe final pose) Chorus photos will be taken on-stage. Jon Petersen, photographer, sends the following suggestions: The Final Pose The best poses are when choruses are spread for a final bow. Directors are encouraged to refrain from arms up, etc. and to position themselves so as not to block members or their faces. HOLD IT!! The photographer will fire four "4" flashes during the 30-45 seconds after the chorus goes into the final pose. Directors are instructed to hold the chorus for "4" flashes. Note: Please use layman's terms and keep the description clear and simple... Examples: Director will step into the front row center, left shoulder out, hands on hips. Director will step into front row end, slight turn, right arm out



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2019 CHORUS PHOTO FORM

PRICES BELOW APPLY AT TIME OF COMPETITION ONLY	Region _	15
FIGELS BELOW AFTER AT TIME OF COMMETTION ONE	Date	
CHORUS name		
Mail photographs to: (please print or type) E-mail addres	SS	
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Quantity	Description	Unit price	Total
	2x3 Color	\$5.00 each	
	4x5 Color	\$9.00 each	
	5x7 Color	\$14.00 each	
	8x10 Color	\$16.00 each	
	8x14 Color	\$17.00 each	
	11x14 Color	\$18.00 each	
	8x16 Color	\$22.00 each	
	8x18 Color	\$23.00 each	
	8x10 B/W	\$16.00 each	
	Electronic file for Publicity	\$25.00	
	Chorus Postage/handling (UNDER 40 MEMBERS ON STAGE)	\$12.00	
	Chorus Postage/handling (OVER 40 MEMBERS ON STAGE)	\$16.00	
	TOTAL AMOUNT OF ORDER:		\$

COMPLETED FORM TO BE TURNED IN AT BRIEFING CC OPTION – ADD 3.5%

CONTESTANT #

2019 REGIONAL CHORUS OPEN DIVISION CUE SHEET

You MUST turn in a copy of this form to your region's Competition Co	ordinator AT THE BRIEFING. This form MUST be used. No other form will be accepted!
Chorus Name:	Contestant #:

Note: Timing begins at the first word spoken or the first song, whichever begins the performance, and continues through the final chord of the last song or the last word spoken, whichever concludes the performance. The prepared program must list all planned activity occurring on stage after completion of the entrance and following the official introduction. Planned activity occurring prior to the first word spoken or the first chord of the first song, whichever begins the performance, will result in disqualification if in the opinion of the panel chair and a majority of judges on the panel the time spent is excessive and results in a delay of the contest.

PLEASE USE LAYMAN'S TERMS; DON'T USE A CUE INDICATING THE NUMBER OF MEASURES INTO A SONG

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List song titles and check all boxes that apply. If a medley is used, list ALL songs included in the medley. Please check which song is to be judged as your contest song.	Traditional White/White is used during competition songs. White, combined with one additional color (Red, Lavender, Blue, Amber, Green, on Magenta), is for non-contest songs only. Indicate additional lighting color if desired.*If available from region.	Indicate mic(s) used for each non- contest song.* Center stage is fixed in the quartet configuration. *If available from region.	Briefly describe emcee work and when it occurs, that is before or after the song.	Briefly describe any special moves, indicating location on stage.
SONG TITLE:		Check all that apply		
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QUARTET CONTACT INFORMATION

	This form is to be completed AFTER Hotel Check-in by all Competing Quartets.
	QUARTET NAME:
	CONTACT NAME:
	CONTACT CELL PHONE:
	HOTEL ROOM NUMBER:
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	Are you eligible for the "Cracker Jill's" Novice Quartet Award?Yes No
consist of	will be given to the eligible quartet receiving the highest score of 400 or more. The quartet must not more than two members who have previously competed in any Sweet Adelines Regional or and competition, in any category, including Evaluation or Open Division.
	Are you eligible for the Most Improved Quartet Award? Yes No
Quartets p	s open to any quartet that has no more than one new member and no minimum score is required performing for Evaluation Only or in the Open Division are not eligible. Quartets must have competed us year and there is no limit to the number of times a quartet can win.
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Please complete and bring **FIVE (5) COPIES** to Thursday Briefing

QUARTET DVD/PHOTOGRAPHY CUE SHEET PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY				
	QUARTET NAME:			
CONTESTANT NUMBER:	LIST QUARTET MEMBERS ON STAGE:			
Song One: (Check only one) Uptune: Ballad:	Song Song Title: Arranger:			
Song Two: (Check only one) Uptune: Ballad:	Song Song Title: Arranger:			
	FINAL POSE (Briefly describe final pose)			



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2019 QUARTET PHOTO FORM

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	4x5 Color	\$9.00 each	
	5x7 Color	\$14.00 each	
	8x10 Color	\$16.00 each	
	2x3 Color	\$5.00 each	
	8x10 B/W	\$16.00 each	
	Electronic file for Publicity – Quartet - when ordered with		
	prints	\$ 15.00 and	
	Electronic file for Publicity – Quartet – when ordered	\$ 35.00	
	without prints		
	Quartet Postage/handling	\$8.00	
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	POSSIBLE DURING THE 10 MINUTE SESSION. YOU WILL RECEIVE ALL OF THE IMAGES FROM THE SESSION IN HIGH RESOLUTION JPEG FORMAT SENT VIA DROP BOX. UNLIMITED USAGE TO PRINT, SHARE WITH FRIENDS AND	\$120.00	
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ORDER FORM AND CHECK TO BE COMPLETED AND GIVEN TO PHOTOGRAPHER WHEN PHOTO IS TAKEN. CC option add 3.5%

TOTAL AMOUNT OF ORDER: | \$

PLEASE PROVIDE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF COSTUME BELOW:

2019 REGIONAL QUARTET OPEN DIVISION CUE SHEET

You MUST turn in a copy of this form to your region's Competition Coor	dinator AT THE BRIEFING. This form MUST be used. No other form will be accepted!
Quartet Name:	Contestant #:

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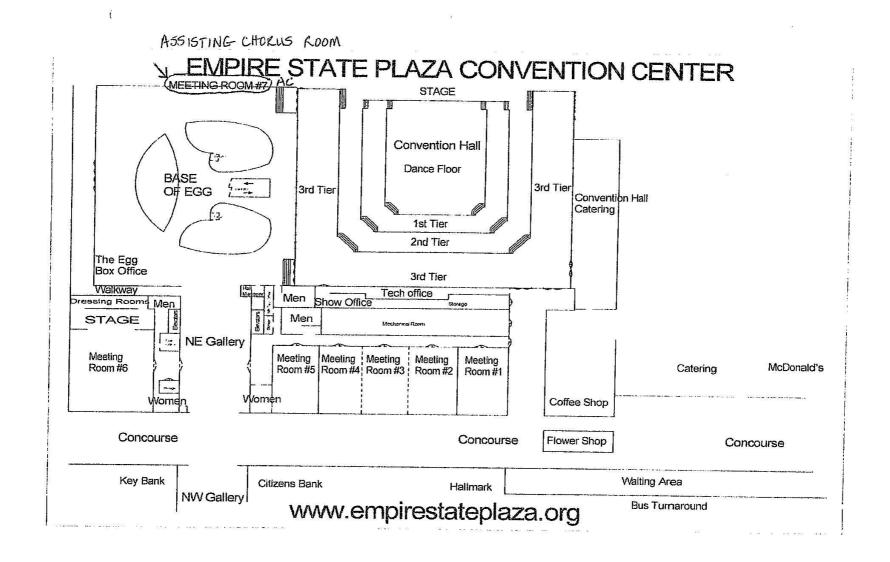
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ESPCC STAGE FLOOR PLAN



STANDARD RISER CONFIGURATION

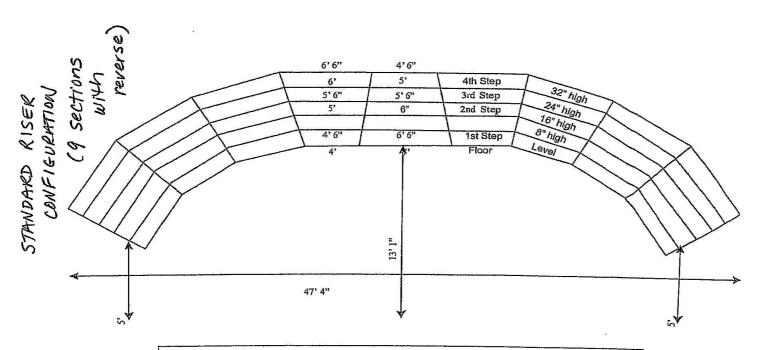


Diagram for nine six-foot sections of 18" (0.46m) choral risers using reverse (inverted) section, including 4th step and floor.

Maximum distance between front edge of riser and curtain is 5'(1.52m); this can be reduced to 3' (0.91m) to prevent loss of sound.

This configuration accommodates 100 or more chorus members comfortably

		Conversions from feet to meters. (Diagram is not to scale)
	47'4" = 14.43m	5'6" = 1.68m
	13' = 3.96m	5' = 1.52m
22	7'= 2.13m	4'6" = 1.37m
l	6'6" = 1.98m	4' = 1.22m
l	6' = 1.83m	

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STAGE DIMENSION SHEET

