

Education Coordinator Report 6/28/2020

Kim Wonders

- Corresponded with Patty Cobb Baker, Inviting her to be our guest presenter for the first class of our Leaders' Workshop and discussing and clarifying her class title & topic.
- Corresponded with RMT for class titles and descriptions.
- Prepared schedule for Virtual Leaders' Workshop, sent to RMT.
- Sent information for Virtual Leaders' Workshop to Jeanne and Kristi for marketing and communication to the region.
- Completed Education portion of SOR Report

YWIH Report - Liz Sabo Johnson

Here is the last e-mail that I have received from Maggie. I have asked her how I can help and have not heard back. My daughter and son-in-law just got here to the Lake House so dinner will be late tonight and I won't be able to join the meeting.

I did listen to the last 30 minutes of yesterday's webinar.

Chorus Buddies' Reports

Capital City Chorus

Hi Kim! We are doing well and have had a pretty consistent showing of members at rehearsal every week :)

I did see the information on the Virtual Leaders workshop coming up in July and I will be sharing that with my chorus members tonight during announcements so I can encourage them to take part in it. It's so affordable!

I think we are all set, unless Jenny or Shirl have ideas on any aid we might need. Thank you so much for reaching out! I hope you're doing well too!

Sincerely,
Kim

Cincinnati Sound Chorus

Good morning,

Things are going well. Jack Johnson is the candidate for Interim Director. He was the guest director this past Monday and will audition for the chorus July 13th.

We created a directors contract committee and they helped me rewrite the contract, write a job description and a hiring process. We plan to hire someone to take over running the Zoom rehearsals but as an Interim Director. The chorus will vote on Jack sometime the end of July or 1st of August.

We will have a trial period once in-person rehearsals start. We also have a clause in the contract that either party can terminate in 30 days. Once the trial period is over the chorus will vote again to hire him as the director.

We are also using the game Kahoots in a weekly Zoom rehearsal and members loved that. Libby and Kathy Watkins taught a new song. They did an excellent job.

We published the Leadership training date on the chorus calendar and I also emailed both the music and management teams. I don't have a count but we do plan to attend. I need to register. Great idea!

Tonight we're holding a joint meeting with music and management team to discuss the new SAI ruling for offensive lyrics. We need to remove a song and want to be sure our members understand why. I'm hoping that the region will help the choruses with diversity training.

I hope things are going well for you and appreciate you checking on us.

Forgot to mention that attendance is still good. Last week was up because they wanted to meet Jack.

Angie

KTown Sound Chorus- Nothing received as of today

Goals for 2020-2021

- Have 35%-45% attendance at the Virtual Leaders' Workshop
- Have 40%-50% attendance at the 2021 Singing Summit
- Develop ways to provide more virtual education for our region.
 - Since we will probably not have IFV available this year, figuring out ways we can help our choruses.
 - Virtual coaching by Regional Faculty
 - Regional Faculty visiting chorus rehearsals to teach a technique, vocal skill, warmup, etc.