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January 1, 2007

HOLLY HARRINGTON
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I am looking forward to working with you on completing the DCP modules and attaining your goals. Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

In Harmony,

Rita Tucker
DCP Coordinator
Region #4

Cc: Suzanna Runyan, Music Services Assistant/DCP
Lynn Hartmuth, Education Coordinator
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November 9, 2006

Ms. Holly D. Harrington
1728 Rosehill Rd
Reynoldsburg, OH 43068-2919

Dear Holly:

Thank you for your interest in the Director Certification Program (DCP). You are now enrolled as an applicant in the program. We commend you for taking advantage of this opportunity to further develop your skill and expertise as a chorus director.

Advancement within the program is contingent upon the satisfactory completion of specified requirements for each level. Advancement is also based on your proficiency in the following skills:

Musical/Technical

Conducting
Analytical Listening
Judging Categories & Competition
Vocal Production
Music Theory
Rehearsal Planning and Implementation

Management/Communication

Organizational Knowledge & Director
Teaching
Management
Communication

The ED/DCP Coordinator will notify you of any testing sessions available in your region/area. Following are some resources available from our international sales department that you might find useful in preparing for the sessions: *DCP Resource Modules, Arranger's Guide, Judging Category Description Book*, international competition video and audio tapes.

One of the requirements of the program is to complete the enclosed self-evaluation form and return it to the Directors Certification Program Coordinator in your region. This will provide the ED/DCP Coordinator and you a basis against which to measure your progress. The information on the self-evaluation form is considered confidential.

Please feel free to call on your ED/DCP Coordinator if you have any questions regarding the program.

Sincerely,

Suzanna Runyan
Music Services Assistant/DCP

cc: Lynn Hartmuth, ED #04
Zoe Hagy, DC #04
Rita Tucker, DCPC #04

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OCT 30 2006

Director Certification Program
Application

Ck # 1534 \$ 50.00

Chapter Name Hocking Valley Chorus Chapter # 110078 Region #4
Name Holly Harrington Membership # 48007
Address 1728 Rosehill Road Home Phone 614-565-4762
Reynoldsburg Alternate Phone _____
Ohio Zip 43068 Fax N/A Email holly@studioDH.com

Current Sweet Adelines International Title/Position

☒ Director/Co-director Chapter Name Hocking Valley Chorus
☐ Associate/Assistant Director Chapter Name _____
☐ Candidate Chapter Name _____

Sweet Adelines International Membership Data

Year joined Sweet Adelines International: 1985 Has your affiliation been continuous? yes
Please list former chapter(s) and region(s): Gem City (#4), Seven Hills (#4), Scioto Valley (#4),
Columbus (#4)

Sweet Adelines International Experience

☒ Chorus Director/Co-director
☐ Associate/Assistant Director
☒ Section Leader
☒ Quartet Member
☒ Quartet Coach
☒ Chorus Coach
☒ Regional Leader
☐ Arranger
☐ International Faculty
☒ Judge (Sound for Reg. #4 YWIT Contest)
(Mixed or contest 2002 Buckeye
Invitational)
*not part of SAI judging program

Musical Background

Formal education: B.S. in Education from Ohio University (Athens, OH)
Minor in music (clarinet emphasis)
Other musical training: University voice lessons; Private clarinet
lessons - 10 years; wonderful SAI Conventions/Education Seminars
Barbershop experience outside Sweet Adelines International: Coached male barbershop, Buckeye
choruses and quartets, mixed bbshp quartet (MOD) Invitation
Please list membership in other musical organizations (e.g., MENC, ACDA, NATS): N/A Harmony
Camp
Faculty

Sweet Adelines International Educational Background

How many regional competitions have you attended as a:

4 Competing chorus director 14 Competing chorus member 2 Spectator

Please list any international directors' seminars you have attended: IES 2005

Please list any regional training programs you have attended: Director Training (Reg #4) w/ Jean Barford (2004 + 2005); Every Regional Meeting (2003-2006)

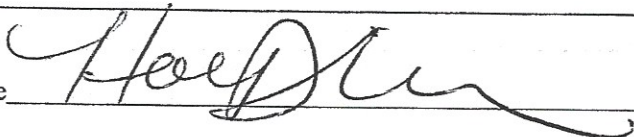
Please list regional educational event(s) you have attended in the last 12 months: All Reg. #4:

Winter Warm-up (Jan '06); Leaders Retreat (May '06);

Personal Goals

What do you hope to gain from enrollment in this program? Knowledge of all aspects required to become a certified director. Reassurance that I possess the required knowledge base for the standards set by SAI to be a cert. director

Signature



Date

9/30/06

Please complete and return this application to international headquarters, along with the \$50 application fee by check, money order (U.S. funds) payable to Sweet Adelines International or credit card. (This fee is non-refundable and non-transferrable.)

PLEASE NOTE: The application fee to enroll in the Director Certification Program **does not** include the DCP modules.

Please complete the following if using a credit card:

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ Discover Card

Signature

Expiration Date

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