

**Heart of Dixie Region #23** 

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Mary Ellen Gunzelman DCP Manager #4 P.O. Box 13081 Columbus, OH 43213

Hi Mary Ellen,

This is a voice from your LOONG past!! I was the director of the Bowling Green (KY) Chapter from 1976-78, then we moved to Florida. Didn't know if you'd remember me or not.

Enclosed are Bev Hyden's DCP records. I was *thrilled* to hear she's directing Seven Hills!! I didn't find out until about a month ago that she'd moved to your area. She's a neat lady, very sincere, and has a great sense of humor...besides loving barbershop!

We have recently retired...I also retired a year ago from directing our chorus here... and are doing a lot of traveling in our motorhome...LOVE it but do miss the singing...and being involved in directing end. Hope you're doing well!!

In harmony,

Pat

cc: Barbara Hansen, Education Coordinator #23, Joyce Daugherty, Music Services Assistant/DCP

# SWEET ADELINES INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR CERTIFICATION PROGRAM PROGRESS REPORT CONFIDENTIAL

PARTICIPANTS NAME: CHAPTER: Shoal	_Bever1	y Hyden	s Special Science in the	heddon sensor wh
CLASSIFICATION:	X	DIRECTOR/CO-DIRECTOR ASSOCIATE/ASSISTANT DIRECTOR CANDIDATE DIRECTOR		Delegationally rational bevoke record dedict

DMA: Record highest score received in each skill area and the year the score was achieved. Numbers correspond to DCP form numbers.

#### MUSICAL/TECHNICAL SKILLS

- 8.4 1. Conducting. 10 points possible for all classifications. Includes ictus, hand motions, beat pattern, tempo, body posture, ad lib style, attacks and releases, eye contact, facial expressions. Year of evaluation: 1995
- 7.0 2. Analytical listening. 10 points possible for all classifications. Ability to diagnose and develop a plan to correct problems in areas of balance, word flow, vibrato, section accuracy, synchronization, resonance, and vocal production. Year of exam: 1994
- <u>6.0</u> 6. Judging categories. 10 points possible for all classifications. Knowledge and application of the four categories as outlined in the Judging Category Description Book. Year of exam: <u>1995</u>
- 8.07. Vocal production. 10 points possible for all classifications. Understanding and practical application of components of good vocal skills. Year of exam: 1995
- 7.29. Music theory. 10 points possible for all classifications. Understanding of music notation, key signatures, time signatures, intervals, chord structures. Year of exam: 1995
- 9.4 10. Rehearsal planning and implementation.
  10 points possible for Director/Co-Director and
  Associate/Assistant Director classifications; 5
  points possible for Candidates. Understanding of
  time scheduling, rehearsal pacing and variety, and
  long-range planning. Year of evaluation: 1995/1993

- MANAGEMENT/COMMUNICATION SKILLS 8.0 3. Organizational knowledge. 10 points possible for all classifications. International and regional structure, appointees, elected officials, committees and their duties; organizational philosophy, policies, terminology. Year of exam: 1995
- 8.7 4. Teaching. 10 points possible for all classifications. Style of presentation, methods of teaching music, vocal skills, section unity, barbershop style. Year of evaluation: 1995

Score part 1: <u>8.7</u> Score part 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Enter total score above.

7.5 5. Management. 10 points possible for Director/Co-Director and Associate/Assistant Director classifications; 5 points possible for Candidates. Selecting, training, utilizing musical leaders; working with chapter administration. Year of evaluation: 1995

Score part 1: 4.0 Score part 2: 3.5 Enter total score above.

7.6 8. Communication. 10 points possible for Director/Co-Director and Associate/Assistant Director classifications; 5 points possible for Candidates. Application of effective communication skills with administrative leaders, musical leaders, chorus members and others. Year of evaluation: 1995

Score part 1: 4.6 Score part 2: 3.0 Enter total score above.

Score part 1: 4.4 Score part 2: 5.0 Enter total score above.

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Approval Date:						

DATE:

July 17, 1995

FROM:

Pat Estok, DCP Coordinator #23

TO:

Beverly Hyden, Director, Shoals Harmony

RE:

Directors Certification Program/Test Scores

TEST	POSSIBLE SCORE	<u>DATE</u> OF TEST	SCORE
D1: *Conducting Skills	10	07/03/95	8.4
D2: *Analytical Listening Skills	10	09/16/94	7.0
D3: **Organizational Knowledge	10	05/05/95	8.0
D4a:**Teaching Skills A (Director)	10	07/03/95	8.7
D4b:**Teaching Skills B (Other)	10	N/A	
D5a:**Management Skills (Directors)	5	07/03/95	4.0
D5b:**Management Skills (All)	5	05/05/95	3.5
D6: *Judging Categories	10	05/05/95	6.0
D7: *Vocal Production Knowledge	10	07/15/95	8.0
D8a:**Communication Skills (Directors)	5	07/03/95	4.6
D8b:**Communication Skills (All)	5	05/05/95	3.0
D9: *Music Theory	10	01/20/95	7.2
D10: *Rehearsal Planning I (Directors)	5	07/03/95	4.4
D10a:*Rehearsal Planning II (All)	5	10/08/93	5.0
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#### NOTE ABOUT RE-TESTING:

If the "Date of Test" did not change in an area you where you retested, you did not make a higher score.

cc: Barbara Hansen, DMA

## TESTING FORM - 1995 SUMMER CAMP

SKILL AREA	TYPE	TAKE	RETAKE
MUSICAL/TECHNICAL			
Analytical Listening	Test		
Judging Categories	Test	-	
Vocal Production	Test		
Music Theory	Test		
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Management Skills	Test		
Organizational Knowledge	Test		
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RETURN TO: Pat Estok, DCP Coordin	nator	5/30/	95
103 Razz Way	Dat	te	
Panama City Bch., FL	32408		
904-234-6039			

By JULY 1, 1995

cc: Barbara Hansen, DMA

A winner never quits and a quitter never wins!!

### SWEET ADELINES INTERNATIONAL

#### DIRECTORS CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

SKILL	AREA	VI:	JUDGING CATEGORIES					
			(To	be	completed	by	program	participant)

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PARTICIPANT'S NAME Beverly Hear CHAPTER Masker NashulaDATE 7/15/2
PARTICIPANT'S NAME Beverly Hear CHAPTER Mesko NashulaDATE 7/15/19 Classification: Director/Co-Director Assoc./Ass't. Director Candidate
INSTRUCTIONS: Write the correct answer in each blank.
1. In the music category, 10% of your score has to do with the arrangement.
2. In the sound category, 30% of your score relates to artistic sound.
3. In the expression category, lyric interpretation accounts for 4 of your score.
4. In the showmanship category, 70% of your score is focused on focused on the shown and the shown a
5. The number of different chords (major triad, minor 7th, for instance) used in barbershop arrangements is
6. The number of total points available for a two-song performance in a regional competition is 200.
7. In order to be eligible for an International award at your regional competition, your total score must be 600 points or above.
8. How many categories are affected by harmony accuracy?
9. Which category scoresheet has a picture of the barbershop cone?
10. In case of a tie score, the score in the <u>Showmanship</u> category breaks the tie.
To be completed by DMA:
Total correct answers 5 Score 5
Signed: Pat Estale, DCP Condinate, DMA Date 7/17/95

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SKILL AREA VII: VOCAL PRODUCTION KNOWLEDGE

(To be completed by program participant)

PARTIFIPA	NT'S NAME Beverly Hyder CHAPTER Metro Nasville DATE 7/15
	ation: Director/Co-Director Assoc./Ass't. Director Candidate
INSTRUCTION of the	ONS: Write the letter of the correct answer in the blank to the left of me following items.
<u>D</u> 1.	When we are not singing or speaking, the vocal cords are open. We refer to the space between them as the
	a. epiglottis b. larynx c. soft palate d. glottis e. cricoids
<u>C</u> 2.	The primary resonator in the human voice is the
	a. hyoid bone b. larynx c. pharynx d. diaphragm e. external and internal intercostals
A 3.	In singing, muscles that interfere with vocal freedom are themuscles.
	a. swallowing b. abdominal c. intercostals d. diaphragm e. sternum
<u>\$</u> 4.	For proper resonation, the must be open.
5	a. vocal cords b. soft palate c. intercostals d. larynx e. diaphram
5.	When we swallow, the "lid" that closes off the windpipe is called the
	a. cricoid cartilage b. epiglottis c. glottis d. sphincter e. soft palate
<b>D</b> 6.	Amplification of the voice is called
	a. phonation b. articulation c. vibrato d. resonation e. harmonics
7.	One of the muscles of inhalation is the
1	a. abdominal muscle b. vagus c. internal intercostals d. jaw e. diaphragm
8.	Proper phonation is achieved by lifting the
	a. abdominal muscles b. jaw c. phrenic nerve d. larynx e. epiglottis

<u></u>	Closure of the vocal cords is called
	a. resonation b. articulation c. relaxation d. interference e. approximation
10.	For good correct vocal production the must be relaxed and free.
	a. intercostal muscles b. vagus nerve c. jaw d. hyoid bone e. sternum
5_11.	Every sound that is produced, no matter what the source, must have three elements; an actuator, a, and a resonator suitable to the frequency or pitch, produced.
	a. articulator b. vibrator c. reflex action d. approximator e. transmittor
12.	Vowels are formed primarily with the
	a. jaw b. soft palate c. vocal cords d. tongue e. cheek muscles
<u>A</u> 13.	Intercostal muscles are the muscles which control the
	a. ribcage expansion b. diaphragm c. drop/lift d. shoulders e. vocal cords
<u>A</u> 14.	The laryngo-pharynx is the area where pitches are resonated.
	a. between middle "C" and the "C" an octave higher b. below middle "C" c. above the "C" above middle "C"
15.	The vocal cords are attached to the
	a. soft palate b. hyoid bone c. pharynx d. epiglottis e. thyroid cartilage
116.	The "middle voice" is used for producing tones
	a. between middle "C" and the "C" an octave higher b. below middle "C" c. above middle "C"
17.	The area of the pharynx that is closed by the soft palate is
2	a. larynago-pharynx b. naso-pharynx c. oro-pharynx
<u>H</u> 18.	The ventricular bands are
	a. vocal cords b. false vocal cords c. transverse abdominal muscles d. tongue muscles e. jaw muscles

- The part of the body not involved in the swallowing mechanism is
  - b. tongue c. diaphragm d. lips e. larynx
- Proper posture for singing is an upright stance with body weight primarily
  - a. evenly distributed on both feet b. on the heels with the legs relaxed
  - c. forward on the balls of the feet

To be completed by the DMA

TOTAL POINTS 16 : 2 = Score 8

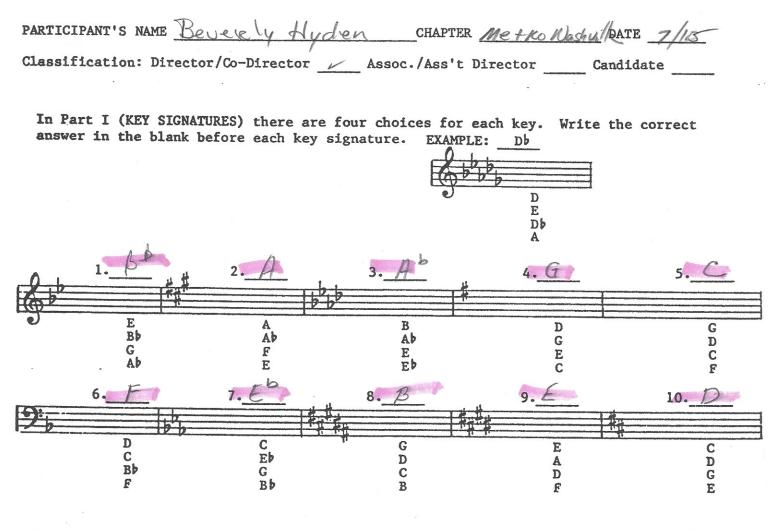
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SKILL AREA IX: MUSIC THEORY

(To be completed by program participant)

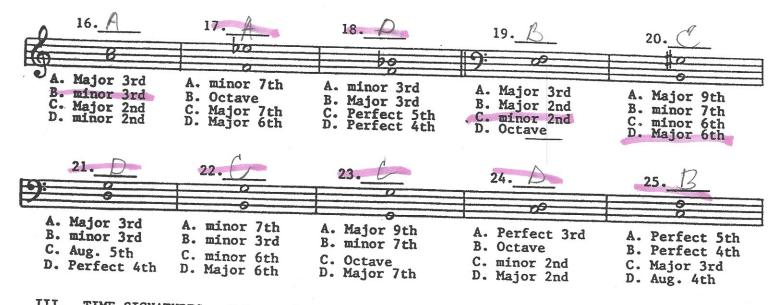


The remaining parts of the test are multiple choice (a,b,c,d). Select the correct answer and place its letter in the blank before each item.

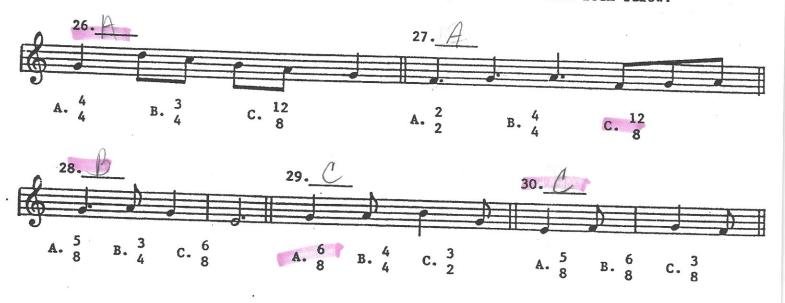


II. INTERVALS - Identify each interval.

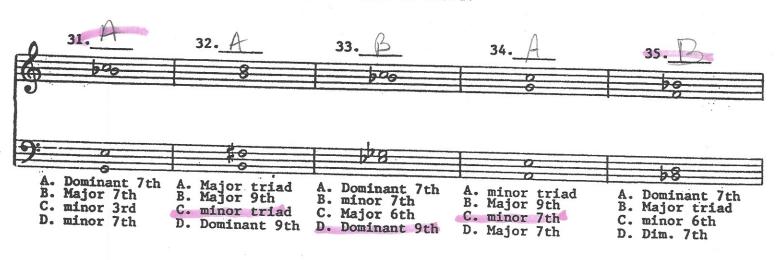
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A. Perfect 5th B. Major 3rd C. Perfect 4th D. minor 6th	A. Major 3rd B. Dim. 5th' C. minor 3rd D. Perfect 5th	A. Major 7th B. minor 7th C. Dim. 7th D. Octave	A. minor 7th B. Aug. 5th C. Dim. 5th D. Perfect 5th	A. Aug. 5th B. Dim. 5th C. Perfect 5th D. minor 6th

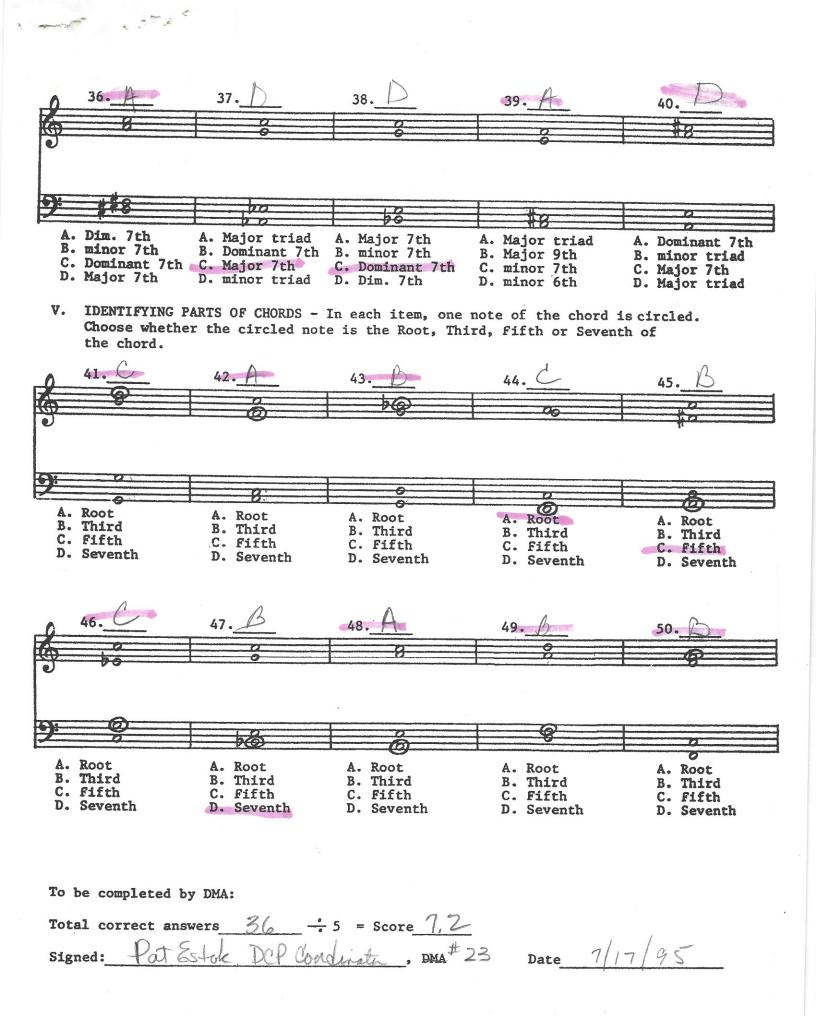


III. TIME SIGNATURES - Select the correct time signature for each item below.



IV. CHORD RECOGNITION - Identify each kind of chord.





## **MEMO**

DATE:

July 17, 1995

FROM:

Pat Estok, DCP Coordinator #23

TO:

Beverly Hyden, Director, Shoals Harmony

RE:

DCP Testing

Hi Bev,

Kim made some notes on your directing evaluation and asked me to pass them along so you would know what to work on to be even "more better".

 need to maintain expression on your face - sometimes there is scowling with the eyes

- losing tempo some in the uptune - hand movements might be to big

- tends to beat every beat - needs to smooth out ballad more - needs to be more fluid

indicates attacks and releases pretty god - try not to give cutoffs as a quick, closed fist - not good for correct vocal production

- indicated a dynamic variance two times in uptune and chorus didn't seem to respond in respect to cue; need more dynamics...did not have any in ballad

Bev, I'll watch your video when I come back from the director's seminar...sorry I couldn't get to it sooner.

cc: Barbara Hansen, DMA

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## DIRECTOR CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

SKILL	AREA	I:	CONDUCTING	SKILLS

PAR TI	CCIPANT'S NAME Beverly Hyden CHAPTER Shoals Harming DATE 7/3/95
Class	sification: Director/Co-DirectorAssoc./Ass't .DirectorCandidate
condu	ructions to DMA: Based on your observation, evaluate the participant's acting skills by assigning a numerical rating of 1-5 (5 = excellent: boor) for each item.
1.	Demonstrates understanding of ictus through appropriate breath and downbeat.
2.	Demonstrates ability to keep a steady tempo in an uptune.
3.	Demonstrates rubato technique appropriate to the interpretation of a barbershop ballad.
4.	Demonstrates ability to indicate attacks and releases clearly.
5.	Exhibits congruency between mouth posture and hand motions.
6.	Exhibits body posture appropriate for good singing.
7.	Avoids body posture distractions.
8.	Maintains eye contact with performing unit.
9.	Exhibits facial posture appropriate for expressive singing.
10.	Demonstrates ability to communicate dynamics effectively.
Evalu	Actual observation Videotaped example
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	uator: Kim Wonden Date 7/10/95
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## **MEMO**

DATE:

July 9, 1995

FROM:

Pat Estok, DCP Coordinator #23

TO:

Beverly Hyden, Director, Shoals Harmony

RE:

DCP Evaluations & other "stuff"

Hi Beverly,

Congratulations on your evaluations!! I do believe the chorus *loves* you and are very pleased with what you are doing. Most of the scores were very high...the lower ones are more than likely because you haven't been with the chorus long enough to train section leaders, choose an assistant, and do much with choreography.

Thought you might like to know what to work on without having to wait until after January for your Progress Report.

Teaching Skills:

Maintaining attention and control of the group,

section work, and method of teaching a song

Management Skills:

Provide training for the music staff members, develop, train, and utilize a musical team that makes it possible for each individual to receive assistance. (This one is tough when you're in a small chorus!! Maybe you could ask some of the

Metro Nashville team for assistance.)

Communication:

Exhibits security in position of Director. (Some didn't score this one which brought the score down) All the other scores were very high except for "gives clear instructions and communicates expectations." (This was above a 4 but not as high

as the others. 5 is a perfect score.)

Rehearsal Planning/Implementation:

Lowest was "includes time for Assoc/Asst. director and choreographers, as needed". Again quite a few didn't score this item. Other two...scored above a 4 but not as high as the others were... "works on new repertoire" and "begins rehearsal on time."

You can certainly be proud of what you're doing with the chorus, Beverly, and know they are very happy with you as their leader. All you have left is the conducting video...have someone tape you from the risers directing a ballad and an uptune and give it to Kim. You need a minimum of 4 points in the Musical/Technical area to become a CERTIFIED DIRECTOR!!! and I know you'll do much better than that!!

Look forward to seeing you at Summer Camp!!

cc: Barbara Hansen, DMA