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## **DISTRICT 5 Spring Meeting**

Location: Zoom

Date: 5/20/2020

5:00 Meeting

### **1. Call to order and introductions**

- a. Georgia Guiett
- b. Gail Worden
- c. Amy Walling
- d. Deanna Moore
- e. Dan Farison
- f. Jessica Nieuwkoop
- g. Farrah Madsen

### **2. Approval of Fall 2019 District Meeting Minutes**

- a. Minutes Approved

### **3. Treasurer's Report**

- a. Solo and Ensemble Expense \$1,755.91
- b. Choral Festival Expense \$5,006.75
- c. Festival Supplies Expense Estimate per Debra Jacks - \$1,275.00
- d. Registration and Medal Deposits \$9,974.00
- e. Addition Deposits \$690.00
- f. Balance Estimate Per Debra Jacks \$12,046.78

### **4. MSVMA January 2020 Full Board Meeting Update**

### **5. District 5 2019-2020 Festival Report**

- a. Solo and Ensemble - Hosted by Paul and Gail; Expenses - \$1,755.91; Registration and Medals - \$4,377.00; (profit \$2581.09); Ran smoothly
- b. Choral Festival - Expenses - \$5,006.75; Registration and Medals - \$5,597.00; (profit \$590.25); Ran smoothly

### **6. Festival Dates for 2020-2021 School Year**

- a. Solo and Ensemble - January 16, 2021  
Central Michigan University 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
Registration opens: September 2020  
Reduced fee application /postmark deadline: ???  
Final application/postmark deadline: ???  
Solos \$25, SE \$35, LE \$50  
Hosts: ????

To help keep festival costs as low as possible, it is District 5 policy that each participating school provide two half day workers (or one full day worker) to help with the event. Workers can be the directors, a responsible student, parent, or alumnus. It is imperative to keep our festivals running on time that each participating school helps out

b. Choral Festival - March 8 & 9, 2020

Monday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., Tuesday 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Saginaw Valley State University

Registration opens: September 2020

Reduced fee application/postmark deadline: ???

Final application/postmark deadline: ???

Literature deadline: ???

\$115 per choir

Host: Georgia Guiett

**7. State Nominations**

- a. None

**8. Suggestions for Honors Choir Directors**

- a. Adam Gardner-Northrop

**9. District 5 Concerns**

- a. Deanna Moore would prefer digital recordings of her choirs from festival instead of a CD.
- b. Jessica Nieuwkoop had a few spots on her recordings that were “fried out” due to loud volume. Maybe this could be watched more closely in the future.

**10. Other Business**

- a. Solo & Ensemble and Festival Deadlines will be posted with a date one week before the district manager actually needs them. The registration of choirs/events after the deadline will be at the discretion of the district manager.
- b. Emeritus - None
- c. Fall Meeting - Tuesday, September 15, 2020 Location to be determined at a later date.
- d. District 5 Manager - Dan Farison. THANK YOU DAN!

**11. District Good News**

None

**12. Adjournment**