

INTERNATIONAL PRELIM QUARTET
FINALS CONTEST

6:30 p.m., Saturday, April 27, 2019
Grand Traverse Resort and Spa
Acme, Michigan

Welcome..... **.Dave Montera**
Pioneer District President, Detroit-Oakland Chapter

Master of Ceremonies **Doran McTaggart**
Windsor Chapter

Mic Tester Quartet _____

INTERNATIONAL PRELIM QUARTET FINALISTS

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(Before contest)

2018 District Championship Chorus
(Huron Valley chorus) sings its swan song
Second place Platoon Quartet sings one song
First place Platoon Quartet sings one song
Performance by "TC Sings!"
Singing of national anthems

(During intermission)

Awards Acknowledgements
Harmony Foundation Drawing
Service Project Presentation

(After contest)

2019 District Senior Quartet Champion is announced
Internat'l Prelim Quartet(s) is (are) announced
Each announced quartet sings one song
2019 District Championship chorus sings two songs
2019 District Championship chorus director directs
"Keep The Whole World Singing"

**PIONEER DISTRICT of the
BARBERSHOP HARMONY SOCIETY**

**Spring Convention
April 26-28, 2019**

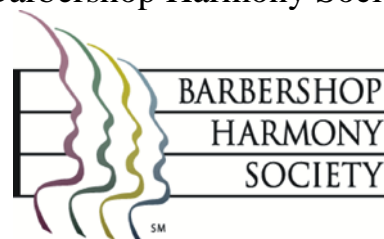
**Grand Traverse Resort and Spa
Acme, Michigan 49610**

Host Chapter: Mt. Pleasant

**Convention Theme----
"Harmonies And Memories"**



MARK MORGAN
Director of Marketing &
Retail Operations
Barbershop Harmony Society



MARK MORGAN

Mark Morgan is the Director of Marketplace and Retail Operations for the Barbershop Harmony Society. He is responsible for the Marketplace (both on-line and at events) and for Music Publishing. He is also responsible for developing merchandise and apparel for the Society.

Prior to working for BHS, Mark served as Director of Visitor Services at The John and Mable Ringling Museum of Art in Sarasota, Florida. One of his most rewarding positions was National Director of Chuck Colson's Prison Fellowship's Angel Tree program that provided Christmas gifts to 500,000 children of prisoners each year.

Always musically inclined, Mark grew up playing piano and trombone, and sang in church and high school musicals, pop ensembles, madrigals, and small auditioned ensembles. He was first introduced to barbershop in high school, and was in a staff barbershop quartet at Prison Fellowship. This past fall Mark joined the Music City Chorus in Nashville. He is excited to be representing BHS at the Pioneer District's Spring Convention.

2019 PIONEER DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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CONVENTION ADMINISTRATION

DISTRICT	POSITION	HOST CHAPTER
Roger Lewis	Chairman	Barry George
Roger Lewis	Housing	(not involved)
Doug Weaver	Auditorium	Dick Metz
Jeff Woodworth	Backstage	Jeff Rayburn
Zach Schroeder	Judges Services	Barry George & John Scheide
Zach Schroeder	Judges Transportation	Dick Hartrick (TC)
Todd Hoath	Registrations (full)	Joel Todd
Todd Hoath	Registrations (partials)	Dave Rayburn
Chris Berry	Raffle	Alan Zaeske
Dan Bezaire	Publicity	(not involved)
Dan Bezaire	Worship Service	Dean Delyanides
Roger Boyer	Community Outreach Proj.	Sally Scheide
John Baker IV	Barbershop Marketplace	(not involved)
	Barbershopper Chorus	Rob Pettigrew (H/V)

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Grand Traverse Resort and Spa
Acme, MI

Friday – April 26, 2019

10:30 a.m.	Board of Directors Meeting – Room 1256
11:00 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Registration – Tower Desk
11:00 a.m. – On	Barbershop Marketplace – Peninsula B and C Rooms
1:30 p.m.	House of Delegates Meeting – Directors Room
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	“AHSOW Woodshedding” (Peter Stephens-Brown) – Michigan E Room
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	“I’m not dead, I’m singing” (Cindy Hansen) – Council Room
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	“All your judging questions answered” (Mark Kettner) – Directors Room
4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Platoon Quartet meeting and rehearsal – Michigan C Room
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	“Tag--You’re It” (William Stutts, Jr.) – Council Room
7:00 p.m.	International Prelim Quartet Semi-Finals Contest and District Seniors Quartet Contest – Governors Hall
(Time TBA)	Evaluations and coaching for eliminated quartets – Judges’ rooms

Saturday – April 27, 2019

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Registration – Tower Desk
9:00 a.m. – On	Barbershop Marketplace – Peninsula B and C Rooms
9:30 a.m.	Barbershopper Chorus rehearsal (Directed by Rob Pettigrew) – Tower C Room
10:00 a.m.	Pioneer District Champion Chorus Contest – Governors Hall
(Time TBA)	Chorus eval’ns & coaching – (warm-up rooms)
4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Platoon Quartet Contest – Michigan C Room

6:30 p.m. Swan Song Performance – Huron Valley chorus
2018 Pioneer District championship chorus

6:40 p.m. Second Place and First Place Platoon Quartets sing

6:45 p.m. Special performance by “TC Sings!”

6:58 pm. Singing of National Anthems

7:00 p.m. International Prelim Quartet Finals Contest
– Governors Hall

(Time TBA) Evaluations and coaching for quartets
– Judges’ rooms

10:30 p.m. (approx.) – On Chapter Hospitality Rooms

Sunday, April 21, 2019

9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. Worship Service
– Tower A Room

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Post Convention Recap Meeting
– Council Room

JUDGES AND HOME DISTRICTS

Administrator	Ron Eubank	Pioneer
Assoc. Administrator	Lynn Knapp	Dixie
Music	Dave Rubin	Johnny Appleseed
	Steve Johnson	Land of Lakes
Presentation	Greg Caetano	Northeastern
	Mark Kettner	Dixie
Singing	Chris Hebert	Far Western
	Mark Stock	Carolinas

CANDIDATE JUDGES

Presentation	Allen Otto	Southwestern
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**PIONEER DISTRICT
CHORUS CONTEST**

**10:00 a.m., Saturday, April 26, 2019
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Welcome Roger Lewis
Pioneer District Director of Events; Battle Creek chapter

Presenter Mark Morgan
Society staff representative

Mic Tester Chorus Barbershopper Chorus
Directed by Rob Pettigrew

CHORUS/CHAPTER DIRECTOR

- 1. The Big Chief Chorus** Thomas Blue
Pontiac-Waterford Chapter, Plateau 2
- 2. Sun Parlour Chorus** Corinne Veronneau
Windsor Chapter, Plateau 2
- 3. Arrowhead Chorus** David Longroy
Flint Chapter, Plateau 2
- 4. Capitol City Chordsmen** Kaleb Lenneman
Lansing Chapter, Plateau 2
- 5. The Mall City Harmonizers** David Woolf
Kalamazoo Chapter, Plateau 2
- 6. Cherry Capital Chorus** Chad Hall
Traverse City Chapter, Plateau 2
- 7. Gentlemen Songsters** Steve Sutherland
Detroit-Oakland Chapter, Plateau 1
- 8. Floral City Harmonizers** Chris Berry
Monroe North Chapter, Plateau 2
- 9. City Lights Chorus** Aaron Pollard
Motor City Metro Chapter, Plateau 4
- 10. The MountainTown Singers** Kyle Howard
Mt. Pleasant Chapter (singing for score only)

