

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1976

- 1:00 P.M. Registration -  
Ramada Inn
- 2:00 P.M. District Board Meeting -  
Ramada Inn
- 7:30 P.M. Judges Clinic -  
Ramada Inn
- 8:15 P.M. Quartet Briefing -  
Eastern High School
- 9:00 P.M. Intl. Preliminary Quartet  
Contest - Eastern High  
School Auditorium

### SATURDAY, APRIL 24, 1976

- 9:00 A.M. House of Delegates -  
Ramada Inn
- 9:00 A.M. Quartet Preliminary  
Elimination Critique
- 11:00 A.M. Chorus Directors Briefing -  
Ramada Inn
- 1:30 P.M. Chorus Contest - Eastern  
High School
- Chorus Clinic (immediately  
following Contest) at  
Eastern High School
- 8:00 P.M. Quartet Finals - Eastern  
High School

### SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 1976

- 9:00 A.M. Quartet Finalists Critique -  
Ramada Inn

# 1976 PIONEER SPRING CONVENTION



## LANSING

## April 23-25

## QUARTET PRELIMINARIES

9:00 P.M., APRIL 23, 1976 - EASTERN HIGH AUDITORIUM  
M C - DORAN MC TAGGART, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

MIKE TESTERS: THE 4 FITS

1965 DISTRICT CHAMPIONS  
1975 INTERNATIONAL REPS.

1. SOUND SPECTRUM.....Port Huron  
Denis Phelan -Grosse Pointe  
Galen Oliver -Clinton Valley  
Brian Kaufman  
Jack Slamka
  2. VAGABONDS.....Lansing  
Ken Gibson -Detroit  
Dennis Gore -Oakland County  
Clason Shumard  
Norman Thompson
  3. RAPIDAIRES.....Cadillac  
Alfred Rigsbee  
Richard Cronk  
Allan Fickes  
John Taylor
  4. NORTHERN HI-LITES..Grosse Pointe  
Bob Demchak Wayne  
Dave Caldwell Detroit  
Bob Wisdom Oakland County  
Lee Hanson
  5. CLASSMATES.....Battle Creek  
Jim Johnson Saginaw-Bay  
Tom Peil  
Bob Glover  
Len Johnson
  6. FOUR "D" MINORS.....Battle Creel  
Dean Burrill  
Dick Spear  
Dorn Burrill  
Don Burrill
  7. PATCH CHORDS.....Lansing  
Mike Johnson  
Gene Johnson  
Don Horton  
Doug Pearson
  8. CHORDWOODS.....Alpen  
Bruce VandenBosch  
Bill Daugherty  
Ted Johnson  
Cliff Anderson
  9. WARREN G. HARDING MEMORIAL FOUR  
E. Leslie Marhoff Detroit  
D. Edward LaBumbard -Jackson  
J. Franklin Reid  
J. Edward Conn
  10. FRINGE BENEFIT.....Grand Rapid  
Darld Black  
Roger Bauer  
Ron VanSteeland  
Jack Sidor
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## DISTRICT CHORUS COMPETITION

1:30 P.M., APRIL 24, 1976 - EASTERN HIGH AUDITORIUM  
M C - JOHN GILLESPIE, DISTRICT PRESIDENT

CAPITOL CITY CHORDSMEN.....Lansing  
Willis Wood

10. HURON HARMONY.....Port Huron  
Patrick Yacques

SUN PARLOR.....Windsor  
Doran McTaggart

11. TIMBERLAND CHORDSMEN..Saginaw-Bay  
James Gross

MOTORMEN.....Pontiac

12. ARROWHEAD.....Flint  
Fred Kienitz

GREAT LAKES.....Grand Rapids  
Bob Buffham

13. LAKESHORE.....Grosse Pointe  
Gordon Limburg

CHERRY CAPITOL.....Traverse City  
Dean Fischer

14. FRUIT BELT.....Benton Harbor  
Roger Valentine

WONDERLAND.....Wayne  
Steve Sutherland

15. MIDSTATESMEN.....Gratiot County  
Kenneth Smith

CLINTON VALLEY.....Clinton Valley  
Stanley Salter

16. FLORAL CITY.....Monroe  
Glenn Van Tassell

CEREAL CITY.....Battle Creek  
Larry Swan

HURON VALLEY.....Milford  
Martin Zurn

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## INTERNATIONAL QUARTET FINALS

8:00 P.M., APRIL 24, 1976  
EASTERN HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM  
M C - DON FUNK  
INTERNATIONAL BOARD MEMBER  
PIONEER DISTRICT  
IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT

MIKE TESTERS: \_\_\_\_\_

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### INTERMISSION

AWARDS ----- PRESENTATIONS

1975 DISTRICT CHORUS CHAMPIONS

THE MOTOR CITY CHORUS

1976 INTERNATIONAL CHORUS REPS.

## JUDGES

### CHAIRMAN OF JUDGES

Merle Clayton - Battle Creek, Mich

### SOUND

Don Lang - St. Joseph, Mich.  
Les Hesketh - Clifton, Va.

### INTERPRETATION

Melvin J. Harris - Charlotte, N.C.  
Dan Waselchuk - Green Bay, Wis.

### STATE PRESENCE

O.B. Falls, Jr. - Jackson, Mich.  
Bob Mulligan - Birmingham, Mich.

### ARRANGEMENT

Thomas Gentil - Cincinnati, Ohio  
Russ Foris - Elmhurst, Ill.

### SECRETARY

Lawrence G. King - Livonia, Mich.

### ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Carroll Mavis - Reynoldsburg, Ohio

### PRACTICE PANEL CHAIRMAN

Ed Gaikema - Grand Rapids, Mich.