

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

TO THE FINE PEOPLE AT

SHERATON HOTEL

THE VISITORS AND CONVENTION
BUREAU OF LANSING

WAVERLY HIGH SCHOOL

THE GRAND RAPIDS CHAPTER

THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER

Oh, say! can you see by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilights last
gleaming
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the
perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly
streaming?
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still
there.
Oh, say, does that Star Spangled Banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

O CANADA

O Canada! Our home and native land!
True Patriot love in all thy sons command
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,
The True North strong and free!
From far and wide, O Canada
We stand on guard for thee,
God keep our land glorious and free!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

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Spring Convention

APRIL 28-30, 1995



ROGER J. LEWIS

International Board Member

Waverly High School Auditorium

Lansing, Michigan

Hosts

Grand Rapids Chapter



ROGER J. LEWIS

Roger joined the Battle Creek Chapter of the Society in 1961 as the result of competing in a high school quartet contest sponsored by the Grand Rapids Chapter in conjunction with their annual show. He has been extremely active in the Chapter, District and at the International level ever since. He is currently serving as our International Board Member. Roger previously served in all Chapter offices except Secretary. He has also been Chapter Show Chairman and Convention Chairman and has served on many chapter committees. At the District level, he has served as Division Vice President, Executive Vice President, President and Director of Conventions and as Troubadour Editor. Roger is currently serving as Chairman of the International Convention Management Committee. Roger has been a Stage Presence Judge in the judging program and is now a candidate in the Presentation Category. Roger started singing in the Harmony Hounds in 1962 and is still singing with them after a period with the Nitty Gritty Good Time Four.

Roger is married to Sue. They have 3 children and 3 grandchildren. Roger and Sue both are on executive committee of the Balloon Championships in Battle Creek. Roger enjoys wood working which comes in handy in his efforts to remodel their 135 year old octagonal home, and golf in addition to Barbershopping. In his spare time he serves as a Director/ Partner of Employer Group, Inc. a temporary and contract worker employment firm.

It is a pleasure to have Roger and Sue here as the representatives of International President Dick Shaw. Please give them a great big Pioneer District welcome.

1995 PIONEER DISTRICT OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	Russell Seely
IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT AND INTERNATIONAL BOARD MEMBER ..	Roger J. Lewis
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	Larry Parker
SECRETARY	Jack Schneider
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Division I	Edgar Mc Carthy
Division II	Edward Fritzen
Division III	David A. Cole
Division IV	Bill Woodbeck
Division V	Mark Wilson
Division VI	Lawrence G. King
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC EDUCATION	Fred Kienitz
DIRECTOR OF CONVENTION PLANNING	Michael Cirrito

We would like to thank the following members of the permanent convention committee: Mike Cirrito, Dale Hanson, Donald Kill, Roger Lewis, Ed McCarthy, Mike O'Donnell, Jack Schneider, Russ Seely, Jim Stephens, Jim Styer, Stan Williams and Alex Willox as well as the host chapter and their committees for the efforts in making this another successful convention.

SPRING 1995 HOST CHAPTER COORDINATOR	James Russell Grand Rapids Chapter
FALL 1995 HOST CHAPTER COORDINATOR	Dennis Wortz Lansing Chapter

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY - April 28

9:00 a.m.	District Board Meeting Sheraton Royale Ballroom
11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Registration in Lobby at Poolside
12:00 noon - On	Barbershopper's Shop Maxwell Room
2:00 p.m.	House of Delegates Meeting Sheraton Royale Ballroom
3:30 - 7:00 p.m.	Ladies Hospitality Room Cord Room
8:00 p.m.	Quartet Question/ Answer Session and Evaluation / Coaching Sign-up - Waverly Room 62
8:30 p.m.	Quartet Contest Waverly Auditorium
11:00 p.m.	Quartet Jamboree Reo Theater

SATURDAY - April 29

8:00 a.m.	Evaluation Sessions - Eliminated Quartets - Waverly Room 62
9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	Registration Sheraton poolside
9:00 a.m. -On	Barbershopper's Shop Maxwell Room
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Ladies Hospitality Room Cord Room
1:30 a.m.	Chorus Question/ Answer Session and Evaluation/ Coaching Sign-up Waverly Room 62
12:00 noon	District Chorus Contest Waverly Auditorium
3:00 - 5:00	Ladies Hospitality Room Cord Room
8:00 p.m.	Quartet Finals and College Quartet Contest Waverly Auditorium
11:00 p.m. (approx.)	Chorditorium Poolside

SUNDAY - April 30

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	Quartet Evaluation/ Coaching Sessions Royal Ballroom B & C and Packard Room
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Post Convention Recap Meeting Reo Theater

JUDGES

Administrator	Phil Lundeen	Sunshine
Asst Administrator	John Bauer	Pioneer
Music	Steve Delehanty	Mid Atlantic
	Bruce Evans	Pioneer
Presentation	Judd Orff	Land O' Lakes
	Dale Thomas	Mid Atlantic
Singing	Larry Deters	Dixie
	Burt Staffen	Evergreen

INTERNATIONAL QUARTET PRELIMINARIES

8:30 p.m. Friday, April 28, 1995

Leverly High School Auditorium, Lansing, MI

Welcome	Jim Russell
	Grand Rapids Chapter
Master of Ceremonies	Roger J. Lewis
	International Board Member
	Battle Creek Chapter
Mike Testers	Galaxies
	Grand Rapids Chapter

- Genuine Blend** - Battle Creek, Grand Rapids-Holland Chapters
Tenor-Butch Lievense Baritone - Kirk Wood
Lead - Mark Garlock Bass - Dan Doctor
- Safe-In-Sound** - Macomb County Chapter
Tenor - Roy Gurney Baritone - Tom Hall
Lead - Mike Jaissle Bass - Mel Totzke
- Mach 1** - Battle Creek Chapter
Tenor - Dean Burrill Baritone - Dorn Burrill
Lead - Mark Spear Bass - Don Burrill
- Gallery** - Lansing Chapter
Tenor - Art Cardy Baritone - Larry Parker
Lead - Dave Hundt Bass - Larry Wise
- Unlawful Assembly** - Kalamazoo Chapter
Tenor - Raleigh Bloch Baritone - Ed Fritzen
Lead - Gene Hanover Bass - Gary Nitz
- The Next Generation** - Frank Thorne Chapter
Tenor - Ted Brainard Baritone - Pete Stevens-Brown
Lead - Jeff Kobasic Bass - Marc Tall
- Souvenir** - Sault Ste. Marie, Traverse City
and Frank Thorne Chapters
Tenor - Cliff Dake Baritone - Paul Stabile
Lead - Josh Harris Bass - Pat Pierson

INTERMISSION

- Harmony Transfer** - Grand Rapids and Muskegon Chapters
Tenor - Alan Coombs Baritone - Tim Koeppel
Lead - Mike O'Donnell Bass - Joel Prather
- Firepower!** - Gratiot County and Lansing Chapters
Tenor - Mark Wilson Baritone - Jeff Marks
Lead - Jamie Carey Bass - James Hawkins
- Four Grand** - Grand Rapids Chapter
Tenor - Steve Brown Baritone - Dan Casamatta
Lead - Tim Killmartin Bass - John Bloomquist
- Picture This 4** - Kalamazoo Chapter
Tenor - Jerry Ditto Baritone - Robert Ramlow
Lead - James Bosworth Bass - John VanWestrianan
- Time After Time** - Motor City Metro
and Frank Thorne Chapters
Tenor - John Wearing Baritone - Doug Early
Lead-Michael J. Slamka Bass - Pete Burns
- Beyond Measure** - Grand Rapids Chapter
Tenor - Paul Slack Baritone - Jerry Koning
Lead - Tom Weidner Bass - Wayne Kinde
- Northern Express** - Boyne City and
Cadillac Chapters
Tenor - Steven Marks Baritone - Steve Piwowarski
Lead - Bill Woodbeck Bass - Dale Wells
- Onyx** - Motor City Metro and Frank Thorne Chapters
Tenor - Bruce LaMarte Baritone - Mike Woodruff
Lead - Craig Pollard Bass - Brian Kaufman

DISTRICT CHORUS CONTEST

12:00 noon, April 29, 1995

Waverly High School Auditorium, Lansing, MI

Welcome Michael Cirrito
Director of Convention Planning
Lansing Chapter

Master of Ceremonies Mark Savage
Grand Rapids Chapter

Mike Tester Chorus Joe Barbershopper Chorus
Director Jim Pollard
Grand Rapids Chapter

Chorus/City	Director
1. Arrowhead Chorus Flint Chapter	John Noteware
2. Harmonizers Huron Valley Chapter	Rob Pettigrew
3. Heart of the Hills Chorus Rochester Chapter	Al Fisk
4. Cherry Capital Chorus Traverse City Chapter	Marty Chirgwin
5. Shoreline Chorus Muskegon Chapter	Mike O'Donnell
6. Stateline Chorus Black Swamp Chapter	Steve Kovach
7. Capitol City Chordsmen Lansing Chapter	Jamie Carey
8. The Lakeshore Chorus Grosse Pointe Chapter	Russ Seely
9. Mall City Chorus Kalamazoo Chapter	Gene Hanover
10. Gentlemen Songsters Detroit-Oakland Chapter	Steve Sutherland
11. Renaissance Chorus Wayne Chapter	Fred Mc Fadyen
12. Sun Parlour Chorus Windsor Chapter	Doug Sly
13. City Lights Motor City Metro Chapter	Matt Coombs

INTERNATIONAL PRELIMINARY QUARTET FINALS

8:00 p.m. Saturday, April 29, 1995

Waverly High School Auditorium, Lansing, MI

Welcome Russell Seely
Pioneer District President
Grosse Pointe Chapter

Master of Ceremonies Doran McTaggart
Windsor Chapter

Mike Testers _____

Finalists:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____

COLLEGE QUARTET CONTEST

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

AWARDS ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

PRESENTATIONS OF AWARDS - CHORUS PLATEAU WINNERS

CHARITIES DRAWING

PRESENTATION OF COLLEGE QUARTET AWARDS

1994 PIONEER DISTRICT CHORUS CHAMPIONS
GREAT LAKES CHORUS - GRAND RAPIDS CHAPTER

ANNOUNCE QUARTET REPRESENTATIVES

1995 INTERNATIONAL QUARTET REPRESENTATIVES
INCLUDING COLLEGE QUARTET REPRESENTATIVE

1995 PIONEER DISTRICT CHORUS CHAMPION

FINALE

"WE SING THAT THEY SHALL SPEAK"

and

"KEEP THE WHOLE WORLD SINGING"

Signed by Mary Jo Campbell