



Regional Management Team Meeting Highlights April 12, 2014

The Region 10 Management Team met on April 12, 2014 via ooVo Video Conference from 3 locations. Following is a summary of actions taken.

- 2014-15 Budget—Reviewed and approved.
- Reviewed chapter visit travel arrangements & reimbursement process from SAI.
- Steering Committee Contest 2014 update—received many positive comments regarding the pattern changes. Issues with hotel check-out are being addressed. Although the uploading of recordings to Dropbox was not as easy or seamless as would have been liked, the recordings themselves were excellent quality. SAI is aware of some of the problems, and will be addressing those before next contest. 4GB flash drives will be available next year. Ballroom speaker system was inadequate this year. There were not enough speakers in the room, which made it difficult for the audience to hear (particularly from mid-ballroom to the back of the room). Sponsorship opportunity of Div. A medals to be offered to all choruses.
- Agreed to repeat RMT Bingo contest for May Leadership Meeting; Marketing will research and obtain logo incentive items for May Leadership Bingo Contest. Continue to use current (I Met My RMT) buttons for May Leadership Meeting until supply is depleted. Create Region 10 pin with the new logo to be available to sell to members at regional events.
- Fall Classes discussed—Karla Fenton would like to offer 2 technology classes at Fall Regional; Cheryl Pyle would like to offer her class on Generations if time permits.
- New Regional song will be unveiled at May Leadership Meeting (“Fly Me to the Moon”). A link from the Regional website will be created for all current Regional songs.
- RMT will spend one hour with each species group at the May meeting in addition to lunch roundtable discussions. Contract for meeting rooms was revised as cost saving measure.
- Education faculty and RMT bios and headshots will be added to website.
- The State of the Region report will be compiled by Karla with input from entire team due to SAI in June.
- 55th Anniversary for Region 10 in 2016—it was agreed to assign a task force to get more people involved in researching/sharing the history of the region—Gail will collect

names of interested parties.

- Reviewed Boundary map for SAI Regions. Region 10 has all of Louisiana, and the bottom half of Mississippi. There are currently no SAI choruses in Mississippi. Carol Mouché will head a task force to research possible markets. A group of former Sweet Adelines is interested in starting a chorus in Central Louisiana near Alexandria.
- Scheduled RMT Goal Setting Session with Molly Huffman on Sunday 5/18/2014.
- Reviewed future meeting dates.