

CSD Spring 2023 House of Delegates Meeting

Drury Inn and Suites, Coralville, IA

Friday, **March 17, 2023**, 12 noon



Where the Harmony Began

Call to Order, Announcement of a Quorum

Recognition of Past District Presidents, BHS Board Members, special guests.

- Don Fuson, Chad Schuetz, John Donehower, Tim Myers, Perry White

Self-Introduction of District Board and Program Administration Team members

- Duane Lawson; Matt Suellentrop; Brent Randolph; Mark Fuerniss; Larry Warrick; Jeff Arians; Rick Pape; Kevin Barker; Mike Bass; Dave Stephenson; Chad Schuetz; Don Fuson.

Invocation and Chapter Eternal induction

William "Bill" Keppel, Florissant Valley, MO;
Kevin Keppel, Florissant Valley;
John Huddle, St. Charles, MO;
Bruce Wenner, Kansas City, MO;
Gerald Varker, St. Charles, MO,
Don Campbell, St. Louis Suburban;
Clyde Mickelsen, Kearney, NE; ;

James Porter, Kansas City, MO;
Mark McGovern, Cedar Rapids, IA;
Donald Lif, Kearney, NE

Michael Norris, Mason City, IA;
Ed Guzis; Davenport, IA;
John Jones, Lincoln, NE;
Arverd Lachowitz, Sioux Falls, SD;
Richard Lindberg, Sioux City, IA;
Robert Wagner, Kearney, NE;
Denny Sorge, Grand Island, NE, Kearney, NE,
Hastings, NE;
Frank Sullivan; Kansas City, MO
Dwight Ellis, Des Moines, IA;

Treasurer's Report -Posted on CSD website. **Received by Board of Directors**

- Fall Convention Income and Expense Detail,
Revenue of the convention was \$41,044.11. Bottom line for the fall convention was -\$1,347.14.
- Annual vs Budget Report: We were hoping to be in the black \$3,709.96. We ended up in the year -\$10,056.27.
- Donation Fund Report, Over the last year the District received \$10,858.21 from members' donations. \$10,148.95 from Harmony Foundation and \$709.26 from BHS Development Fund.
- Balance Sheet: As of December 31, 2022, District had cash assets of \$107,695.84
- Budget for 2023. Hoping to be in the black a little over \$2,600 at the end of the year.

New Business Items

Approval of Minutes of Fall 2022 meeting and Spring 2023 Consent Calendar

- **Motion was made to approve the minutes of the Fall 2022 House of Delegates meeting as posted on CSD website. Motion passed unanimously.**
- **The Consent Calendar was received by the Board of Directors at the Board meeting earlier today.**

Suellentrop reported on the digitization of District archived tapes.

District Mission and Vision statements

- **Mission Statement: To bring people together in harmony and fellowship to enrich lives through singing.**
- **Vision Statement: To encourage and support an inclusive, fulfilling, and joyous musical experience for all singing communities within the Central States District.**

Program Administration Team reports

State Vice President reports

Harmony Foundation International, Perry White, address

- “to enrich lives through singing” HFI and BHS programs

BHS, Past Society John Donehower

- HFI/BHS reconciliation
- Sell of Harmony Hall in Nashville
- Newest member of St. Charles Chapter, Ambassadors of Harmony Chorus

Tim Myers, welcome

Closing remarks

Adjournment, **Dubuque Delegate Donehower mover to adjourn. Motion passed unanimously.**