

HERE COMES THE SUN



ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGION 8 ANNUAL CONVENTION & COMPETITION

APRIL 12-15, 2018
ORPHEUM THEATRE
203 W ADAMS ST.
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

*CONVENTION STEERING COMMITTEE ASSISTED BY
SKYLINE CHORUS*

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On behalf of our Regional Governance Team and the Convention Team, we want to welcome you to Phoenix, AZ and the Rocky Mountain Region 8 Convention and Contest. We wish the very best of luck to all our competitors as we have fun in the sun!

*Kathy Dow – Competition Coordinator
Barb Loudon – Chair of the Regional Convention*



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2018 Regional Executive Committee (REC)

Regional Administrative Director
Regional Education Director
Regional Membership Director

Sue McCormick – Skyline
Marilyn Cox – Velvet Hills
Pati Bouman – Chapter-At-Large

Convention Steering Committee

Chair of Regional Convention (CRC)
Competition Coordinator (CC) *
Communications / Secretary
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Future Assistance Chapter

Barb Loudon
Kathy Dow
Heather Reimnitz
Karen Benson
Andrea Hass
Sue Widdison
Amy Herting
Rachel Loudon & Sue McCormick
TBD

* International Appointment

Assistance & Appreciation

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Ann Standerfer
Susan Gunnels
Skyline Chorus

Judging Panel

Sound
Music
Expression / Panel Chair
Showmanship
Panel Secretary

Kim Vaughn
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Janice McKenna

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO:

Production Services Arizona (PSA)
Trey Haagen, Stage Manager
Heather Reimnitz, Skyline Chorus, Logo Designer

WEBCASTERS

Quartet – Judy Vidal (Black Hills Showcase) & Sharon Ross (High Country)
Chorus – Beth Bruce (Former Mountain Jubilee director)

2018 REGIONAL CONVENTION SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, April 12

1:00pm – 3:00pm	Pre-Con & CSC Meeting	Renaissance Meeting Level, Executive Boardroom
3:00pm – 10:00pm	Sales Area Open	Renaissance Meeting Level, Salon 1 & 2
6:00pm – 10:30pm	COMBINED CHORUS & QUARTET BRIEFING, JUDGES INSPECTION and QUARTET WALK-ONS <i>(Quartets, Directors, Presidents/Team Leaders, Chorus Convention Coordinators)</i>	Orpheum

FRIDAY, April 13

8:30am – 1:00pm	Sales Area Open	Renaissance Meeting Level, Salon 1 & 2
9:00am – 10:00am	Class – “The Power of Believing” presented by Lori Lyford, SAI Master Director	Renaissance, Goldwater Room
11:45am	Curtain Call	Orpheum
12:00pm – 7:00pm	Quartet Competition	Orpheum
7:00pm – 10:00pm	Sales Area Open	Renaissance Meeting Level, Salon 1 & 2
8:00pm – 10:00pm	Chorus Rehearsals (OPTIONAL)	See schedule for specifics

SATURDAY, April 14

7:00am – 11:00am	Chorus Rehearsals	See schedule for specifics
9:00am – 12:00pm	Sales Area Open	Renaissance Meeting Level, Salon 1 & 2
11:45am	Curtain Call	Orpheum
12:00pm – 3:00pm	Chorus Competition	Orpheum
3:00pm – 7:00pm	Rest and dinner on your own!	
3:00pm – 11:00pm	Sales Area Open	Renaissance Meeting Level, Salon 1 & 2
7:00pm – 9:00pm	Regional Awards & Champ Highlights Show	Renaissance Grand Ballroom, Ballroom Level
9:00pm – 12:00am	Afterglow	Grand Ballroom
9:00pm – 12:00am	Post Competition Sing & Socialize	Renaissance Meeting Level, Salons 3-8

SUNDAY, April 15

10:00am – 11:30am	“Coffee & Scoresheets” class with our esteemed judging panel	Renaissance, Goldwater Room
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QUARTET CONTEST

MC – Sue McCormick, Regional Administrative Director

Page – Mel Horgan, Skyline

Mic Testers – C'est la vie.....Region 21

Caitlin Klemballa, Melanie Barker, Krista Moller, Taylor Daniels

1. One Voice (Evaluation Only).....Region 21

Wendi Young, Michele Baldwin, Denise King, Karen Meade

2. Ona Whim.....Bella Voce, Skyline, The Blend

Aaron Gillett, Brenda Hershiser, Judy Windey, Julie Trujillo

3. Four to the Bar.....High Country, Skyline

Gail Shannon, JC Ford, Trudy Pardee, Debby Hartke

4. Confetti!.....Skyline

Pat Walz, Mary Roughen, Lynn Cameron, Sandi Knutson

5. A capella Belles.....Mountain Jubilee

Leslie Rupper, Tammy Long, Jill Markley, Carol Bonnett

6. **Rebel Bass (*Open Division*)**.....**Mountain Jubilee**
Patricia Klettke, Brenda Ahlemann, Jennifer Klettke, Juliare Andelin

7. **Packin' Heat**.....**Chapter-At-Large, Idaho Falls A Cappella**
Kyrsten Cox, Heidi Green, Leslie Markiel, Sarah Brock

8. **Sway**.....**Bella Voce, High Country, Skyline**
Jen Seivert, Christine Peart, Leslie Kennedy, Heather Reimnitz

9. **Lyric**.....**Chapter-At-Large, The Blend**
Ann Standerfer, Kathy Dow, Laura Lewis, Victoria Baumgart

INTERMISSION – 30 MINUTES

10. **Mischief**.....**Skyline**
Marion Honemann, Clarissa Constantine, Christine Rodriguez, Holly Flygar

11. **Fringe**.....**Chapter-At-Large Region 8**
Kimberly Blackwell, Susan Ward, Jennifer Bigler, Julie Cameron

12. Risky Business.....Greeley Harmonix
Kristie Breuer, Julie Palagi, Nichole Gorman, Renee Noack

13. Ruby Blue.....Chapter-At-Large, High Country, Skyline
Cindy Wadsley, Rebecca Richards, Heather Tavel, Jocelyn Nguyen-Reed

14. Kindred.....Skyline
Meghan Conner, Robin Mickle, Dawn Hewitt, Kim Andrews

15. Timeless.....Skyline
Rebecca DeCook, Becky Blakeslee, Cindy Munnell, Vickie Fitches

16. VintageChapter-At-Large, Skyline
Morgan Pawl, Becky Maybury, Lisa Lewis, Laura Barnick

17. Free Fallin'Chapter-At-Large, Skyline
Robin Petrovich, Suzi Johnsen, Laura Schafer, Andrea Hass

18. **De'Ja'Vu (*Open Division*)**.....**Bella Voce, Skyline**
Julie Trujillo, Amy Herting, Karen Duehr, Laura Hudson

19. **Harmony Road (*Open Division*)**.....**Mountain Jubilee**
Katherin Case, Lynmari Taylor, Colleen Anderson, Tammy Long

INTERMISSION – 20 MINUTES

20. **Over The Moon**.....**Chapter-At-Large, High Country**
Brittany Vasquez, Joanne Maypole, Jodie Sabin, Vicki Mayea

21. **Kizmit**.....**Bella Voce, Route 66 (Region 21), Skyline, The Blend**
Jeana Womble, Paige Sgrignoli, Anna-Lisa Glad, Andrea Rostel

22. **Je t'aime**.....**Skyline, Velvet Hills**
Cathy Wehrwein, Gayle Miller, Kelly Cowan, Amy Moulin

23. **Nothin' But Treble**.....**Chapter-At-Large**
Beth Bruce, Julie Winans, Ashlee Olson, Stephanie Osmond

24. Escapade.....Chapter-At-Large, Skyline
Dawn Reddy, Kelli Lind, Joni Gailey, Michelle Barnes

25. After Dark.....Skyline
Jessi Short, Mandy Penn, Paige McCarthy, Amy Munnell

26. C'est la vie (Evaluation Only).....Region 21
Caitlin Klemballa, Melanie Barker, Krista Moller, Taylor Daniels

During Tabulation of Scores
2017 Quartet Champions – Ruby Blue

Presentation of Quartet Awards

Audience Choice Award _____

Presented by: Sue McCormick, Regional Administrative Director

Fifth Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Jill Harward, Faculty Specialist

Fourth Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Susan Mann, Marketing Coordinator

Third Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Chariece Hillery, Chartered Chapter Liaison

Second Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Ruth Widerski, Regional Secretary

2018 Region 8 Quartet Champions _____

Medals presented by: Leslie Galbreath, Leadership Development Specialist

Individual trophies presented by: Jamie Ryan, Facilities Coordinator

Flowers presented by: Rachel Loudon, Assistance Chapter Co-Chair

Traveling trophy presented by: Sue Widdison, Official Panel Liaison

“Harmonize The World” - Directed by 2017 Championship Director, Vickie Maybury

CHORUS CONTEST

MC – Pati Bouman, Regional Membership Director

Page – Laura Schafer, Chapter-At-Large

- 0. **Windsong (Open Division Video)**.....Sterling, Colorado
Annette Lambrecht, Certified Director

- 1. **Grand Mesa**.....Grand Junction, Colorado
Colette Mayers, Director

- 2. **The Blend**.....Fort Collins, Colorado
Laura Lewis, Certified Director

- 3. **Greeley Harmonix - WITHDRAWN**.....Greeley, Colorado
Julie Palagi, Certified Director

- 4. **Bella Voce**.....Craig, Colorado
Jeana Womble, Director & Anna-Lisa Glad, Certified Director

INTERMISSION – 15 MINUTES – SWITCH TO LARGE RISERS

- 5. **High Country**.....Wheatridge, Colorado
Rebecca Richards, Harmony 500 Director

- 6. **Mountain Jubilee**.....Salt Lake City, Utah
Stevie Dugdale, Certified Director

- 7. **Skyline (Evaluation Only)**.....Denver, Colorado
Vickie Maybury, Master Director 700

5 MINUTE STRETCH BREAK

During Tabulation of Scores

Introduction of the Regional Executive Committee Directors
& other Regional recognition

2017 Chorus Champions – Skyline

Parade of Directors & Team Leaders

Presentation of Chorus Awards

Most Improved Chorus _____

Presented by: Marilyn Cox, Regional Education Director

Division A Small Chorus Awards (15-30 members)

Third Place Division A (Small) Chorus _____

Presented by: Karen Benson, Convention Housing Coordinator

Second Place Division A (Small) Chorus _____

Presented by: Bobbie Kern, Prospective Chapter Coordinator

First Place Division A (Small) Chorus _____

Presented by: Sherry Feller, Director Certification Program Liaison

Division AA Mid-Size Chorus Awards (31-60 members)

Second Place Division AA (Mid) Chorus _____

Presented by: Ann Standerfer, Convention Registration Chair

First Place Division AA (Mid) Chorus _____

Presented by: Barb Loudon, Chair of the Regional Convention

Overall Chorus Awards

Fifth Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Heather Reimnitz, Region & Convention Communications

Fourth Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Andrea Hass, Convention Finance Coordinator

Third Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Suzi Johnsen, General Education Specialist

Second Place Medalist _____

Presented by: Kathy Dow, Competition Coordinator

2018 Region 8 Chorus Champions _____

Medals presented by: 2017 Chorus Champions, Skyline

Trophy & Certificate presented by: Brenda Hershiser, Finance Coordinator

Director of the Year (donation to Overtone Society) presented by: Vickie Maybury, Skyline Master 700 Director

Region 8 Quartet Champions

(Year – Quartet Name – Tenor, Lead, Baritone, Bass)

- 2017 – **Ruby Blue** – Cindy Wadsley, Heather Tavel, Rebecca Richards, Jocelyn Nguyen-Reed
2016 – **Ruby Blue** – Cindy Wadsley, Heather Tavel, Rebecca Richards, Jocelyn Nguyen
2015 – **Ruby Blue** – Cindy Wadsley, Heather Tavel, Rebecca Richards, Jocelyn Nguyen
2014 – **Ruby Blue** – Cindy Wadsley, Heather Tavel, Rebecca Richards, Jocelyn Nguyen
2013 – **Ruby Blue** – Cindy Wadsley, Heather Tavel, Rebecca Richards, Jocelyn Nguyen
2012 – **Bounce** – Kimberly Blackwell, Klysta Foster, Tori Postma, Julie Cameron
2011 – **Bounce** – Kimberly Blackwell, Klysta Foster, Tori Postma, Julie Cameron
2010 – **Synergy** – Jeanne Schamel, Joan Clare Ford, Kim Andrews, Sandi Knutson
2009 – **Radiance** – Becky Maybury, Suzi Johnsen, Vickie Maybury, Julie Starr
2008 – **Impulse** – Danette Kientz, Monica Kastman, Heather Tavel, Andrea Hass
2007 – **Radiance** – Becky Maybury, Suzi Johnsen, Vickie Maybury, Julie Starr
2006 – **Bonus Track** – Crystal Fitches, Joan Clare Ford, Lindsay Graham, Vickie Fitches
2005 – **Vocal Legacy** – Danette Kientz, Terry Harris MacRae, Lynn Cameron, Sandi Tripp
2004 – **Vocal Legacy** – Danette Kientz, Terry Harris MacRae, Lynn Cameron, Sandi Tripp
2003 – **Rainbow Collection** – Beth Bruce, Cathi Yorgason, Tori Postma, Lynda Mills
2002 – **Ms. Behavin'** – Rosemary Baltensberger, Monica Kastman, Heather Tavel, Sue Brown
2001 – **Brillante** – Vickie Maybury, Suzi Johnsen, Lynn Cameron, Cheryl Suhr
2000 – **Brillante** – Vickie Maybury, Suzi Johnsen, Lynn Cameron, Cheryl Suhr
1999 – **Upbeat** – Heather Bruce, Beth Bruce, Tori Postma, Lynda Mills
1998 – **Brillante** – Vickie Maybury, Suzi Johnsen, Barb Jamison, Cheryl Suhr
1997 – **Dazzle** – Joni Jones, Cathi Yorgason, Peggy Acomb, Carol Larson
1996 – **Brillante** – Vickie Maybury, Suzi Johnsen, Karen Greer, Cheryl Suhr
1995 – **Electric Avenue** – Dana Dee Johnson, Lonnie Leasman, Kim Andrews, Sally Davidson
1994 – **Brillante** – Vickie Maybury, Suzi Johnsen, Karen Greer, Cheryl Suhr
1993 – **It's High Time** – Danette Kientz, Terry Harris, Barb Jamison, Neala Carmichael
1992 – **Flashpoint!** – Lisa Cummings, Julie Palagi, Barb Kiser, Vickie Mayea
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1990 – **High Time** – Karen Greer, Terry Harris, Beckie Martini, Pam Cogswell
1989 – **High Time** – Karen Greer, Terry Harris, Beckie Martini, Pam Cogswell
1988 – **Espirit** – Kerry Mauer, Jean Hein, Denise Mehls, Sally Davidson
1987 – **Rainbow Collection** – Jan Burr, Cathi Yorgason, Tori Postma, Lynda Mills
1986 – **Rare Expression** – Marilyn Cox, Terry Harris, Suzi Johnsen, Kathy Rolfes
1985 – **Rainbow Collection** – Jan Burr, Cathi Yorgason, Tori Postma, Lynda Mills
1984 – **Sky Country Showcase** – Barbara Reese, Diane Page, Bonnie Hawkins, JoAnn Kamp
1983 – **Sound Celebration** – Carol Parma, Dani Prigge, Cheryl Suhr, Pam Cogswell
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1981 – **Sky Country Showcase** – Barbare Reese, Diane Page, Bonnie Hawkins, JoAnn Kamp
1980 – **Special Delivery** – Jan Burr, Dani Avalos Prigge, Cathi Wilder, Marion Gray
1979 – **All Star Jubilee** – Susie Leuthauser, Julie Haller, Judy Gordon, Linda Johnson
1978 – **Satisfaction Guaranteed** – Brenda Henry, Sylvia Alsbury, Linda Greiner, Bette Rooney
1977 – **Treasure Tones** – Carol Erickson, Carol Walker, Grace Scales, Aidreu Beagle
1976 – **Satisfaction Guaranteed** – Brenda Henry, Sylvia Alsbury, Cathy Hebert, Bette Rooney
1975 – **Star Spangled Sound** – Jeanette Webb, Julie Haller, Cecile Walker, Chris Henneke
1974 – **Country Sunshine** – Susie Leuthauser, Sally Davidson, Connie Wallner, Jann McKeever
1973 – **Mellow Mergers** – Darlene Komula, Peggy Mitchell, Ann Emery, Isabelle Dorbandt
1972 – **High Country Music Assoc.** – Sharon Henley, Sylvia Alsbury, Cecile Walker, Bette Rooney
1971 – **Gold Diggers** – Betty Manion, Janice Buckles, Cathy Hebert, Pam Cogswell
1970 – **Spicesations** – Susie Leuthauser, Claire Forbes, Gloria Lassiter, Cathy Gruner
1969 – **Echoes** – Charla Gray, Arlene Hild, Donna Driver, Betty Hastings
1968 – **Capriccios** – Sharon Henley, Roxanne Colwell, Barbra Martenson, Johnnye Powell
1967 – **Smile Hi's** – Diane Beck, Cecil Walker, Judy Zeppelin, Cynthia MacDowell
1966 – **Snow Tones** – Judy McGovern, LaNell Rockwell, Pay Tyree, Ethel Grieve
1965 – **Zip Chords** – Karen Utzinger, Wanita Selvy, Donna Cox Anderson, Cam Frisk
1964 – **High Hopes** – Shirley Lovejoy, Shirley Hadden, Beverly Turnbull, Johnnye Powell
1963 – **Lamplighters** – Betty Manion, Elaine Dahlberg, Virginia Martin, Susie Burchard
1962 – **Sophistachords** – Carolyn Butler, Mary Jane Reed, Virginia Hill, Betty Hastings
1961 – **Desert Tones** – Lois Ywyeffort, Mary Jane Reed, Virginia Hill, Betty Hastings
1960 – **Polka Dots** – Bobbie Nichols, Corinne Schienler, Marlene Willie, Dottie Saevig
1959 – **Tip Tops** – Charlotte Julian, Virginia Binney, Marian McGlohon, Eileen Nightengale

Region 8 Chorus Champions

<u>Year</u>	<u>Overall Champion</u>	<u>Division A (Small)</u>	<u>Division AA (Midsize)</u>
2017	Skyline	Bella Voce	Mountain Jubilee
2016	Velvet Hills	Bella Voce	Velvet Hills
2015	Skyline	Idaho Falls A Cappella	High Country
2014	Velvet Hills	Bella Voce	Nebraska Pride
2013	Skyline	A Cappella Showcase	High Country
2012	Velvet Hills	A Cappella Showcase	N/A
2011	Skyline	Bella Voce	A Cappella Showcase
2010	Mountain Jubilee	Yampa Valley	High Country
2009	Skyline	Yampa Valley	High Country
2008	Velvet Hills	Centennial Blend	High Country
2007	Skyline	Yampa Valley	High Country
2006	Mountain Jubilee	Colorado Spirit	High Country
2005	Skyline	A Cappella Showcase	High Country
2004	Mountain Jubilee	A Cappella Showcase	High Country
2003	Skyline	Centennial Blend	High Country
2002	Velvet Hills	Grand Mesa	High Country
2001	Skyline	Centennial Blend	A Cappella Showcase
2000	Mountain Jubilee	Centennial Blend	N/A
1999	Skyline	Centennial Blend	Velvet Hills
1998	Mountain Jubilee		
1997	High Country		
1996	Mountain Jubilee		
1995	Skyline		
1994	Mountain Jubilee		
1993	Velvet Hills		
1992	Skyline		
1991	Velvet Hills		
1990	Mountain Jubilee		
1989	Skyline		
1988	Velvet Hills		
1987	Bountiful		
1986	High Country		
1985	Bountiful		
1984	High Country		
1983	Bountiful		
1982	High Country		
1981	Bountiful		
1980	Velvet Hills		
1979	High Country		
1978	Skyline		
1977	High Country		
1976	Bountiful		