District VI Choral Director’s Fall Meeting

Patrick Henry High School – Roanoke, VA

Saturday, September 15, 2012

**Agenda**

I. Call to order

II. Roll call

III. Confirmation of Agenda

VI. Reading & Confirmation of minutes from spring meetings

V. Old Business

A. 2012 - 2013

1. HS Mixed – Dr. Jong Kim, Lynchburg College

2. HS Treble – Dr. Gail Allen, Averett University

3. MS Mixed – Mr. David Castonguay, Radford University

4. MS Treble – Mrs. Kimberly Davidson, Roanoke Childrens Choir

B. 2013 - 2014

1. Please suggest local conductors

C. Additions to the current conductor list

VI. New Business

1. VMEA
   1. Conference – November 15 – 17, 2012 in Hot Springs, VA
      1. Registration on VMEA.com ($60 for pre-registration)
      2. Consider submission for performance and sessions
      3. Boston Brass to perform at General Session
   2. New process for considering groups for performance
   3. Consideration for All-Virginia Guitar ensemble
   4. Advocacy
   5. Redistricting process – Fesibility study
   6. VMEA Educator/Administrator Award forms
   7. Congratulations to Lois Castonguay!
2. VCDA
   1. Congratulations to Kristi Vernon for performing at Conference!
   2. Literature Manual – Music submissions in a box at registration for the 2012 Performance Assessment
   3. All-Virginia Auditions
      1. “O Danny Boy”
   4. All-Virginia Choir
      1. No auditioning unless the form is complete
      2. 2013 All-VA Choir – Hanover High School, Mechanicsville
         1. SATB – Dr. Jo-Michael Sheibe, Univ. So . Cal
         2. SSAA – Dr. Edith Copley, Univ. of No. Ariz
      3. 2014 All-VA Choir – Harrisonburg
         1. SATB – Sandra Snow (University of Michigan)
         2. SSAA – Iris Levine (CA State Poly Tech University)
   5. Sight-Reading Committee
3. District VI
   1. District Calendar – Separate form
      1. 2013-2014 Calendar
         1. Please be thinking about hosting ahead of time
   2. District VI Website ([www.districtvi.weebly.com](http://www.districtvi.weebly.com))
   3. New District Rep nominations

VII. Old Business

1. Audition Changes
2. HS Audition Piece – “O Danny Boy”
3. MS Audition Piece Committee
4. MS Sight-Reading Audition
   1. As voted on by the membership in Spring of 2011:

“Adding of skips (so, mi, do) to the middle school sight-reading requirement of All-District Auditions. *Amended* – Sight-reading will be amended to include intervals of so-mi and/or mi-so, as well as a quarter rest”

-Motion by Lois Castonguay, Amended by Debby Wiley, and Seconded by Davina Porter (Motion passed)

1. HS Sight-Reading Audition Sight-Reading keys
   1. As voted on by the membership in Spring 2012…
      1. HS – C Major and E-flat Major
      2. MS – C Major and F Major

B. ACDA

1. All-Virginia MS Honors Choir

a. Andrea Ramsey

2. Free ACDA memberships for MS directors

C. Central Virginia Men’s Chorus Invitational

VIII. Other Business

1. Thank you to Terry Haynie and Becky Kilgus