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QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER OF THE SUNSHINE DISTRICT BARBERSHOP HARMONY SOCIETY

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December 15, 2018  
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**Chuck Steiner III**  
*Sunshine District President*

Hope you've all had a restful summer. Short and sweet this issue for me!

**Orlando International** is over and we did great! Final reports are... final, and awesome reviews continue to pour in for our SUN Events Team.

**Labor Day Jamboree** is over, and it was another smashing success - the best kept secret in The Society...although it's not really a secret anymore! Thanks to Byron Poore and crew for thinking outside the box in a tough year; getting folks to come to Orlando twice in less than two months for a barbershop event is a feat in itself. Even if a weekend poolside isn't your "thing", support the District by catching the great webcast and donating a few bucks.

You can still purchase and watch the shows by delayed viewing until 10/15/2018.

**Labor Day  
Jamboree 2018  
Delayed Viewing**

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And man, is it worth it! We had the top three BHS quartets on stage, our own top 10 Rooftop Records, and just a hornet's nest of mixed and female talent that I would put up against ANY District, anywhere, any time.

## President's Message

Now...**PLEASE** come and support our upcoming District Events- we must move forward:

**Fall Convention is October 26-27th, 2018** - Orlando Marriott Airport

- Sunshine District Quartet Championship
- Sunshine District Chorus Qualifier for Salt Lake City/2019
- Sunshine District Mixed Quartet Contest
- EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION ENDS OCTOBER 1st!
- Marriott Hotel must be booked by October 11th!

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**REGISTER for  
Fall Convention!**

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YOUR  
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## President's Message

- **LeadAc & Harmony College** (new location and improved!) January 4-5th, 2019- Orlando Rosen Plaza.

Folks- you asked for it, so this is our inaugural SUN Harmony College! We will add more courses as we go, but this is VERY exciting for us. Please plan on joining us in Orlando in conjunction with LeadAc. Everyone is welcome- and you can book it all on Eventbrite! Chapters- you'll want to work this into your yearly budget, because the instructors and curriculum to help you as a Chapter and individual singer will be top notch.



Or just head on over to [www.sunshinedistrict.org](http://www.sunshinedistrict.org) where all of these links are located!

See you in Orlando!



## SDAQC News...

by Randy Loos

Currently scheduled to appear on our fall convention show are:

SDAQC Chorus, under the direction of **Tony DeRosa**

**The Simple Life** (2017 Champs doing their swan song set)

Cameo's from:

**One Shot Deal** (30th anniversary)

**Backbeat** (25th anniversary)

**On Demand** (10th anniversary)

**Rounders** (top ten quartet 2008-09)

Show set from **Throwback** current 3rd place bronze medalists

and possibly another surprise or two...



One Shot Deal | 1989 Spring Prelims



Throwback





**Arne Helbig**  
*Executive Vice President*

Hi Everyone,

I hope everyone had a great summer, especially with International in our back yard and our annual **Labor Day Jamboree**. Special thanks to **Bryon Poore**, LDJ Chairman! He and his team put together a wonderful event including two shows that rivaled anything you'll see anywhere! I encourage you to make plans to attend next year. You'll be happy you did!

Start making plans to attend **LeadAc**. There are some new items planned that you'll see in this publication. It's a great time to get together with other chapter leaders, share ideas,

## Executive Vice President's Message

take some classes and have fun! Contact **Matt Crisostomo** with any questions.

I know we're all looking forward to our Fall Convention. Our very own **Randy Loos** is now on the Society Board and will be in attendance to help answer any BHS Board related questions, including **Everyone in Harmony**. I know you'll appreciate Randy's ability to make the EIH issues understandable.

As you receive information from BHS, the District and your chapter leadership, if you have any questions please let me know and your Board will be happy to assist.

Thanks!



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# Sunshine District LeadAC/Harmony College



## Big Changes for 2019 LeadAc

In addition to our revamped Leadership Training classes, The Sunshine District, by popular demand, is proudly debuting our very own Sunshine District Harmony College! These programs will help strengthen, broaden, and build up our chapters and our members as singers and musicians.

### New Affordable Location:

The Rosen Plaza Hotel  
9700 International Drive  
Orlando, FL 32819

### Classes being offered include but are not limited to:

- 🎵 Music Fundamentals/Music Theory
- 🎵 Sight Reading
- 🎵 Director's Class/Potential One on One Directing Coaching
- 🎵 Private Vocal Instruction

### Instructors Harmony College:

Dr. Don Campbell (Dean of Directors College at HU) | David Mills (Society C & J Committee Chairman)  
Bruce Cokeroff | Shane Scott

**Click Here** to sign up or contact Matt C at [musicbringslife2013@outlook.com](mailto:musicbringslife2013@outlook.com) for more details.



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## VP of Communication & IT's Message



**Roger Smeds**  
*Sunshine District VP for Communication & IT*

So, after an incredibly busy summer in Sunshine District, with hosting International convention we have all taken a deep breath and done some well deserved (IMHO) relaxation. As a result, not too much to report this time. The communications team has continued to support our efforts to keep the district informed of the activities in the Sunshine District through the District Website, ConstantContact, Facebook and Twitter. So that you continue to be “in the know”, please don’t forget to keep your email address up to date in the BHS member center, as that list is what we use to keep ConstantContact up to date. If you are not receiving emails from the district, you can reach out to me at the email address below and I will make sure your entry in ConstantContact is correct. You can make those changes yourself at:

<https://members.barbershop.org/> or you can ask your chapter secretary to do it for you.

We continue to look for someone with Social Media savvy to help out with our district Social Media accounts (Facebook, Twitter, etc). So I you

are that person, or know someone who would be interested in helping the district in that regard, please contact me at the email address below.

Don’t forget to support our district programs through purchases at [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com)! As of August 2018, the district has received \$144.98 from our members supporting us on smile.amazon.com. Not a lot you say? Maybe, but it is money the District would not have received otherwise to help support our programs. If all of our membership who shop online at Amazon were signed up, it could be a lot more. It is easy to sign up and there is always a link on the home page of the district website that will take you to the right place to sign up. Please consider doing so, if you haven’t already.

Please feel free to contact me regarding questions/suggestions about the District website.

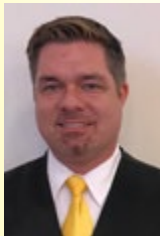
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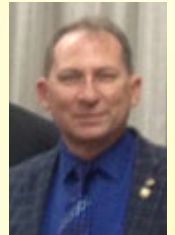
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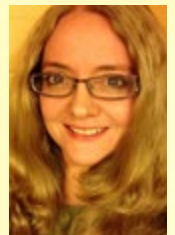
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