

Region 3 September Music School "KEEPING THE MUSIC ALIVE" with Diane Porsch

DATE/TIME	EVENT	FACILITATOR	LOCATION	AUDIENCE
FRIDAY, SEPT 25, 2026	WEEKEND SONGS ARE COME ON & SING AND IT'S THE MUSIC THAT BRINGS US TOGETHER			
4:00 PM	RMT Meeting		Boardroom	RMT
6:15 PM	Registration Opens	Kristin Farwig	Main Room	General Membership
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Weekend Song Review - It's the Music That Keeps Us Together and Come On and Sing	Joan Boutilier	Main Room	General Membership
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Rehearsal Planning & Implementation	Diane Porsch	Boardroom	Director/Assisant Director Workshop
8:00 PM - 8:10 PM	Break			
8:10 PM - 8:15 PM	Welcome	Sherry Berkley	Main Room	General Membership
8:15 PM - 9:15 PM	Singing With Your Ears	Diane Porsch	Main Room	General Membership
9:15 PM - 9:20 PM	Break			General Membership
9:20 PM - 10:15 PM	QUARTET SHOWCASE & SING WITH THE CHAMPS Performance by International 12th Place Quartet PRISM and Region 3 Second Place Medalist Quartet Sneakers. Followed by Sing With the Champs with PRISM and Stiletto	Sherry Berkley	Main Room	General Membership
SATURDAY, SEPT 26, 2026	WEEKEND SONGS ARE COME ON & SING AND IT'S THE MUSIC THAT BRINGS US TOGETHER			
8:00 AM	Registration Opens	Kristin Farwig	Main Room	General Membership
9:00 AM - 9:15 AM	Welcome and Introductions and a Few Warmups	Sherry Berkley	Main Room	General Membership
9:15 AM - 10:30 AM	Oxygen is a Big Deal! Air acquisition vs breathing	Diane Porsch	Main Room	General Membership
10:30 AM -10:40 AM	Break			
10:40 AM - 11:55 AM	Vocal Skills of Champions - demo quartet: PRISM	Diane Porsch	Main Room	General Membership
11:55 AM - 12:00 PM	Information on lunch			
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	LUNCH		Main Room	General Membership
			Boardroom	Directors with Diane
			Hotel	RMT with Team
			Restaurant	Leaders/Presidents
Immediately Following Lunch in the Main Room - Presentation of this year's Spirit of Harmony Award - Cindy Slowing				
1:00 PM - 1:50 PM	RMT Strategic Plan - Regional Update	Niki Stopolous	Main Room	General Membership
1:50 PM - 2:00 PM	Break			
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Membership & Marketing Class	Toni Mitt	Main Room	General Membership
	Finding and Training Effective Music Teams	Diane Porsch	Boardroom	Directors Only
3:00 PM - 3:15 PM	Break			
3:15 PM - 4:00 PM	Musicians: A Gentle, Loving People	Diane Porsch	Main Room	General Membership
4:00 PM - 4:15 PM	Break			
4:15 PM - 4:45 PM	Tag Singing with PRISM (Debbie Lee & Janet Masters)	Debbie Lee & Janet	Main Room	General Membership
	Performing Choruses gather and get ready		TBD	
4:45 PM - 5:45 PM	CHORUS SHOWCASE & SING WITH THE CHAMPS Performances by Midwest Crossroad Chorus, 2025 Region 3 Second Place Medalist & 2026 International Wildcard & Melodeers Chorus, 2025 Region 3 Champon Chorus & 2026 International Competitor. Followed by Sing With the Champs		Main Room	General Membership
5:45 PM	Closing: Wrap-up and Announcement of Raffle winners	Sherry Berkley	Main Room	General Membership
SAVE THE DATES: ZOOM Class with Jan Meyer "The Chords We Sing and the Overtones We Ring" Nov 15 7 pm CST; 2027 Regional Weekend with Scott Kvigne Sept 24-25, 2027				