Subject: Some Final Notes Before Contest This Weekend from Karen Parsons

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Dear Region 17 Members,

We are nearing our competition weekend and there are a few final details that are worth repeating.

- 1. Light snacks only in gathering rooms, nothing that plugs in. Beverages must be ordered ahead of time through the hotel if you want to bring in your own snacks. Contact Belinda Young at Belinda. Young@Marriott.com to order beverages.
- 2. Remember to have your parking ticket validated at the front desk in order to receive the discounted Sweet Adeline self parking rate of \$24 per day. Non-validated parking ticket holders will pay the standard rate of \$48 per day, and there is no option of a refund after the fact.
- 3. If your housing included a special request such as an ADA room, roll away bed, close to elevators, etc., please confirm this with the desk upon checkin.
- 3. Please plan on being part of the sound check chorus at 9:30AM on Friday (warmup at 9:15), as well as singing in the mass sing on Friday at noon at Tower City.
- 4. Remember to bring your lanyards to hold your AEB and bring your credit cards as the hotel is cashless. Registration will again be on the third floor, just off the elevators.
- 5. As a result of requests, the intermission time for each competition has been increased to allow the audience to grab a bite to eat, go back to their rooms, etc.
- 6. The program will again be electronic and will be available on line. Feel free to print out if you would like a hard copy. A limited supply of 1 page programs will be available at registration.
- 7. Remember that the competition portal at https://www.region17online.org/2025convention has all information archived and is very easy to use.

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8. Plan on attending the Region 17 party on Saturday night at 8PM in the Gold/Forest room on the third floor.

This will be our final competition at Hotel Cleveland after close to 20 years at this venue. I'm sure it will be a memorable one.

Contact me with any comments or questions. Looking forward to see you all very soon.

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