



Here are some quick highlights and deadlines related to the Great Gulf Coast Region #10 2023 Convention and Competition. ***More details/forms will come after the New Year, so watch for them in early January.***

- 1) **Contestant Registration** – Quartet Contacts and Chorus Presidents/Team Coordinators or Treasurers/Finance Coordinators may now register their ensemble to compete by following the instructions forwarded from SAI Headquarters.

**Link to register:** [Regional Contest Online Entry](#)

**Details from SAI regarding competing ensemble requirements:**

[Chorus Competitor Page](#)      [Quartet Competitor Page](#)

**Deadlines to register with SAI as a competing ensemble**

**Choruses – Jan 24, 2023      Quartets – Jan 23, 2023**

**Late Entry Deadlines (with \$100 late fee added)**

**Choruses – Feb 8, 2023      Quartets – Feb 7, 2023**

**Draw for Order of Appearance: January 30, 2023**

- 2) **Convention Site** – Once again we are returning to the Houston Hilton North Hotel Nightly Room Rates are up slightly from 2022. Details in January.
- 3) **Convention All-Events Registration Fee = \$100** (required for all Region #10 members and competing quartet members from CAL or other regions)  
**Individual Event Tickets for non-Reg10 members = \$25/sold on site only**  
*Separate ticket required for Chorus Contest, Quartet Contest and Sat Show of Champions*
- 4) **Convention Related Deadlines** (forms available in Jan2023)  
Hotel Room Forms – Due February 15  
Convention Registration Fees – Checks and Excel Spreadsheets – Due March 1  
Chorus Meals/Rehearsal Space Requests – Due March 1  
Regional Education Fee for all Reg#10 Members – Due March 1  
Convention Volunteer Forms – Due March 1
- 5) **Judging Panel** – Paula Davis – Panel Chair & ACJ Workshop Chair  
Beth Smith – Sound Judge  
Jana Gutenson – Music Judge  
Vickie Maybury – Expression Judge  
Diane Porsch – Visual Communication Judge

Forms and other deadlines related to our convention will be available in early January. Feel free to let us know if you have questions before then.

We hope you all have a great holiday/winter break and will be ready to go full speed ahead when you return to rehearsals in January.

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