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Dear Directors, Music Teams and Managements Teams of Region 35

Please mark your calendars now! **February 17**<sup>th</sup> – **19**<sup>th</sup> **2017**.

## Region 35 RMT will be hosting a LEADERS workshop with Sandy Marron and Jan Carley.

More details about the workshop programme will be announced later in 2016.

About our workshop faculty:

### Sandy Marron

Master 700 Director, *Lions Gate Chorus,* multiple Top 5 medalists Tenor, *Brava!*, 2004 International Quartet Champions Tenor, *Glow*, 2016 9<sup>th</sup> Place Quartet Finalist Certified Sound Judge Certified International Faculty



#### Sandy Marron

Sandy has been the Musical Director of Lions Gate Chorus since November 1<sup>st</sup>, 1991. Her extensive training in classical piano (Grade X Royal Conservatory of Music, University of Toronto), degrees in Psychology & Music Education from the University of Victoria (British Columbia, Canada), and vocal jazz & classical choral singing and conducting have all contributed to her success as a leader in the barbershop world. Sandy is a Master 700 Director in the Director Certification Program, the highest designation possible, and is a Certified Sound Judge, and a Certified International Faculty member for the organization. She is a professional barbershop coach, traveling the world as a coach for both Sweet Adelines and the Barbershop Harmony Society. Sandy sang tenor with Brava!, 2004 International Quartet Champions, Canada's very first Queens of Harmony! She now sings with Glow, 2016 Top Ten Finalist Quartet. On a personal note, Sandy is married to barbershopper Tim Marron, a Certified Singing Judge in the BHS.



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## Jan Carley BA,CEC,PCC Inner Coach of Barbershop

Known as the *Inner Coach of Barbershop*, Jan Carley has positively shaped the experiences of thousands of barbershoppers globally. She is a Professional Certified Executive Coach credentialed with the International Coach Federation and draws on her more than 25 years experience working in the professional non-profit world of the theatre arts to bring a progressive and creative whole-brained approach to all of her coaching programs.

As the *Inner Coach of Barbershop* she has inspired dozens of choruses of different sizes and levels with her generative messaging, run powerful musical and management leadership retreats and workshops, transformed directors with individual one-on-one coaching through her innovative 'Coach on Call' program, and inspired thousands of singers worldwide to shift and expand their personal mindsets and chorus cultures to ones of positivity and excellence. These shifts generate renewed energy and alignment of organizational cultures as well as significant performance results. Exploring the benefits of inner mastery while working toward musical and visual mastery creates a true "triple threat" performance experience for barbershoppers.

Jan has been singing with the award-winning *Lions Gate Chorus* from Vancouver, BC since 1994 and is Lead of the 2014 Open Division Audience Choice Winning Quartet, *Fandango*. She is the Inner Mastery Leader of Lions Gate Chorus and an integral contributor to their artistic team.

She captured her experiential work with barbershoppers in her popular book, *Harmony from the Inside Out*, which takes her inner coaching principles and expands them for easy application to one's personal and professional lives. Her second book, *FINDING YOUR OVERTONE* – is due to be released in June 2016.

"Jan Carley is the Sweet Adeline Whisperer" – Lisa Greenough, SAI Webcaster 2012

We hope to see most of Region 35s leaders there. These are two extraordinary women that have the skills and know how to assist us in many areas of our craft. This will be a fabulous time to get together, work together...and it wouldn't be a weekend without some 'play time'!

Kind regards,

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**Mabel Knight** 

**Education Coordinator** 

Team Coordinator