

**SWKMEA Choral Directors Meeting**  
**December 7, 2024**  
**10:00 a.m. – Choir Room**

**Tori Koehn, President**

1. Welcome
2. Introductions
  - a. Schools In attendance: Leoti-Wichita Co, Garden City, Montezuma-South Gray, SWH, Lakin, Hugoton, Coldwater-South Central, Greensburg-Kiowa Co, Sublette, Scott City, Holcomb, Liberal, Dighton, Great Bend, Cimarron, Jetmore-Hodgeman Co, Hoisington, Tribune-Greeley Co., Elkhart, South Barber-Kiowa, Pratt-Skyline, Pratt, Syracuse, Ulysses
3. High School Choir Chair Report – Abigail Martinez
  - a. Total # Registered: 414
  - b. Total # completed auditions: 324
    - i. Soprano 1: 48
    - ii. Soprano 2: 67
    - iii. Alto 1: 64
    - iv. Alto 2: 40
    - v. Tenor: 39
    - vi. Bass: 66
  - c. Total # selected for Ensemble: 2124
  - d. Number per section
    - i. Soprano 1: 32
    - ii. Soprano 2:32
    - iii. Alto 1: 32
    - iv. Alto 2: 30
    - v. Tenor 1: 14
    - vi. Tenor 2:22
    - vii. Bass 1: 33
    - viii. Bass 2: 19
  - e. Numbers of Schools participating: 30
4. Old Business
  - a. Audition Fee Reduced back to \$12
5. New Business
  - a. Look Over Handbook email any issues you see to Tori Koehn
  - b. By-Laws – Look over, voting will open after January event. Sections are marked in red to what is being changed.
  - c. Fee for Voice Changes/Entry Changes
    - i. Policy will be added at summer board meeting and discussed.
  - d. Policy addition to state clearly that you can only audition for band and choir. This will be voted on to be approved at the summer board meeting.

- e. Additional policy discussion will be if you register a student regardless of if they audition or not you as a director are expected to assist with the audition day.