## **District Harmony Grant Program**

To encourage Chapters to participate in the newly re-named **District Harmony Academy** (**DHA**), **January 9-10 at UW-River Falls**, the LOL Board of Directors has authorized two new means to financially subsidize Chapter participation:

- 1. Each Chapter can claim **TWO FREE TUITIONS** for members to attend the DHA! This \$150 credit will be reflected on the DHA registration form.
- 2. In addition, Chapters may apply for a **District Harmony Academy (DHA) Grant to send four additional members tuition-free and up to \$250 reimbursement for mileage and hotel expenses for your group!** That amounts to an additional subsidy of up to \$550 for your chapter.

This potential \$700 investment in your Chapter reflects how strongly your District leadership believes the annual District Harmony Academy is for getting as many Chapter members as possible from across the LO'L to be together, sing and learn/share creative means for chapter development.

The District Harmony Academy (DHA) Grant is intended to assist LO'L Chapters that are financially challenged. Thus, preferences will be given to those Chapters with less than \$10,000 in their regular Chapter funds.

Chapters are asked to submit the attached DHA Application to Jim Rasmus, LO'L VP of Chapter Support (pjras20@gmail.com) with all due reverent haste. It will be reviewed by the Chapter Support Team promptly upon receipt and **determinations will be made by December 15th. Feel free to call Jim (920) 973-0010 with your questions!** 

Each DHA Grant recipient will be expected to submit an evaluation of benefits they received from attending the District Harmony Academy by February 1, 2026.

It's GREAT to be a Barbershopper in the LO'L!