



## Affiliate Chapter Annual Report

Affiliate Chapter Name: **HOROLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF MARYLAND (HAM)**

Affiliate Chapter Address: **20310 AYOUB LANE HAGERSTOWN, MD 21742**

### Current Chapter Officers

President: **ROBERT L. ROTHEN**

Vice President: **DAN SPATH, CMW**

Secretary: **LEROY ROBERTS Jr.**

Treasurer: **STANLEY CRAIG, CMW**

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Other

**Type of Chapter:**  State Chapter  Local Chapter  Theme Chapter

How many guilds? **0** Are you incorporated?  Yes  No

Number of members: **31** Number of regularly scheduled meetings per year: **24**

### Programs Presented\*

Number of AWCI Bench Courses: **0**

Number of AWCI Video Programs: **1**

Number of AWCI Speakers: **0**

Number of Technical Programs from Industry: **0**

Number of Technical Programs by Members: **24** Number of Programs Related to Horology\*: **24**

Number of Programs **NOT** Related to Horology\*: **0**

**\*Please Describe These Programs: ONGOING PREPARED THERORETICAL AND PRACTICAL PRESENTATIONS INVOLVING EVERY ASPECT OF CLOCK AND WATCH REPAIR.**

### Annual Convention

Do you hold an annual convention?  Yes  No Date Usually Held: **NA**

**Annual Dues**

Regular Member \$ **25.**

Associate Member \$ **NA**

Student Member \$ **NA**

Other \$ **NA**

**Election Policy**

Members Elect Directors

Members Elect Officers

Directors Elect Officers

Other

**Newsletter**

Do you produce a newsletter?  Yes  No If yes, how often? **MONTHLY**

Paid ads?  Yes  No How do you distribute your newsletter?  Mail  Email  Both

Social Activities (please describe): **OUR MEETINGS ARE BOTH TECHNICAL AND SOCIAL**

Civic Contributions: **0**

Future Plans: **RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS AND CONTINUALLY UPGRADE OUR MISSION OF TEACHING HOROLOGY**

Most Successful Projects: **ONGOING PERSUIT OF THE BEST IN TECHNICAL EDUCATION TO THE BROADEST SEGMENT OF THOSE INTERESTED IN HOROLOGY**

Comments: **THAT THE AWCI CONTINUE IT'S MISSION OF MAINTAINING THE HIGHEST STANDARDS OF CERTIFICATION AND DESEMINATION OF KNOWLEDGE, WHILE CONTINUING ITS SUPPORT OF THE SERIOUS AMATEUR AND ENTHUSIAST.**

**THIS IS THE SECOND (2) SUBMISSION OF THIS QUESTIONAIRE. DAN SPATH OUR DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE INDICATED HE HAD RECEIVED WORD THAT IT HAD NOT BEEN RECEIVED. THE ORIGINAL WAS SENT 07/07/2010. THERE ARE NO COMMENTS IN THE SECTION RELATING TO CONVENTION ACTIVITIES, BECAUSE WE AT THIS TIME DO NOT HAVE CONVENTIONS.**

Proposals for the AWCI Board of Directors: **MAINTAIN CLOSE RELATIONS WITH THE INDUSTRY, WHILE PRESERVING AUTONOMY**

Report prepared by: **ROBERT L. ROTHEN**

Title: **PRESIDENT**

## **Affiliate Chapter Convention Questionnaire**

Because the sharing of experience is one of the real values of AWCII Affiliate Chapters, we ask that you please complete this questionnaire on your annual convention. Each chapter can draw upon the information on this form to help make its convention better, and those chapters which don't hold such a convention may be inspired to begin planning their own.

Please answer as fully as possible. A copy of your last convention booklet for each chapter would be a useful adjunct to this report.

### **PLANNING**

1. Convention is planned by:
  - Executive officers and directors
  - Permanent convention committee
  - Temporary convention committee
  - Other, please specify
  
2. How long before the convention are:
  - A. Dates and location confirmed?
  - B. Speakers and program confirmed?
  - C. Publicity activities begun?
  - D. Registration forms sent?
  - E. Exhibitors invited?
  
3. When and where was your last convention held?
  
4. How many days does your convention last?
  
5. How many conventions have you held to date?

## FUNDING

1. Your convention is funded by:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Registration fees      | <input type="checkbox"/> all <input type="checkbox"/> part* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Association treasury   | <input type="checkbox"/> all <input type="checkbox"/> part* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Convention booklet ads | <input type="checkbox"/> all <input type="checkbox"/> part* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibitors' fees       | <input type="checkbox"/> all <input type="checkbox"/> part* |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                              |

\*Please give approximate percentage

2. Are guest speakers charged for:

- A. Registration fees?  Yes  No
- B. Meals?  Yes  No
- C. Rooms?  Yes  No
- D. Other activities?

3. What was the registration fee for your last convention?

## PROGRAM

1. What types of activities and programs are usually included in your typical convention?

- Annual business meeting
- AWCI speakers
- Industry speakers
- AWCI bench courses
- Other related activities
- Banquet
- Tours
- Other social activities

## ATTENDANCE

1. Those invited to attend are:  Members  Non-members  Family

2. What was the attendance at your last convention?

3. What percentage of members attends your convention?

4. Do you provide for registration for certain programs only?  Yes  No

5. What is your policy on advance registration, i.e., is it required?  Yes  No

A. Are incentives offered?  Yes  No

B. If so, what are they?

## CONVENTION BOOKLET

1. Do you publish a convention booklet?  Yes  No

2. Do you plan for booklet ads to:  Show a profit  Cover production costs only

3. Are any profits applied to other convention costs?  Yes  No

4. What is your latest fee for a full-page ad?

5. How many copies of your last convention booklet were circulated?

6. These were given to:

Attendees only  All members  Others, describe

### **PUBLICITY**

1. We use the following forms of publicity:

- Descriptive brochure with registration blank
- Association newsletter
- Trade ads
- Signs
- Cooperative mailings by AWC/ by material houses
- Other (describe if not covered below)

2. Do you arrange for:

TV coverage  Radio coverage  Local press coverage  Trade publication coverage

### **EXHIBITORS**

1. Do you invite members of our industry to set up exhibits?  Yes  No

2. Do you make space arrangements for them?  Yes  No

A. If so, do you charge rent to:  Cover cost  Make a profit

3. Do you schedule time for exhibit viewing?  Yes  No

### **COMMENTS**

**Affiliate Chapter: HOROLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF MARYLAND (HAM)**

**Prepared by: ROBERT L. ROTHEN Title: PRESIDENT**