YIH REPORT: HOD 2026

The ILL District has four active Youth in Harmony Festivals that all take place annually in the Fall. Those four festivals are hosted by the following choruses.

Central IL YIH Festival: Sound of Illinois - (10/29/2026)

Coles County YIH Festival: Coles County - (10/19/2026)

Fox Lake YIH Festival: New Tradition - (10/24/2026)

Springfield YIH Festival: Land of Lincoln - (11/04/2026)

These festivals play a major role in exposing the next generation to the joys of barbershop. Each year hundreds of high school students from all over IL attend these four festivals and spend a day learning the fundamentals of the craft. Led by chapter music leaders or by highly qualified and talented staff brought in by the chapters themselves. Our District takes pride in each festival and has support ready should a chapter need any financial assistance. Should any chapter not currently running/operating its own festival like to discuss how to get one started, please contact Evan Patrick directly.

CONTACT INFORMATION BELOW

Any chapter that wishes to request any financial aid for their festival should have a full budget available to share with Evan via email.

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