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WTA-Councillors please keep in mind that the next Council Meeting will be in Geneva on Friday morning October 30th between 10 and 12:00 a.m. – please consult the general EURO-VOX programme!

The General Meeting of EVTA will be on Sunday, November 1st at 11:15 am. **EUROVOX CONGRESS:**

We will have the general programme and registration brochure ready in April so please let me know how many programmes you would like to have to distribute to your members.

At the last Council Meeting it was decided that all members of National Associations connected with EVTA can participate at the EUROVOX Congress as an APCS-member. Thus the registration fee for APCS and EVTA members will be Sfr. 70. EVTA councillors and students are admitted free.

In the registration brochure you will find some proposals for hotel accommodations. The very best of all is naturally the HOTEL DU RHONE**** which makes us a special offer of Sfr. 145. per person and night – breakfast is not included. Please book all accommodations individually referring to the **EUROVOX CONGRESS**.

News from EVTA members:

France: Our friends of the French association plan two weeks of intensive work with French music. From May 3 - 10, The French Song of the 20th century, from May 10 - 17 "L'operette française"; a colloquium will be held in Paris on May 8 - 10.

Concerts will be organized in the whole country during these weeks and a collection of the proposed programmes will be published in a brochure. Nice idea, isn't it?

Why not use this idea for other associateons? It could be a possibility to exchange unknown national music between EVTA countries.

Germany: The 10th Congress of the German Voice Teachers Association will be held in Berlin from April 17 – 19, 1998. See the programme included.

USA: Marvin Keenze informs us that he is keeping in touch with Dr. Cobeta in Madrid, who in interested in founding a Spanish Association. APCS will send all of the information about the next EVTA Congress to Mr. Cobeta if he decides to come to Geneva.

From July 20 – 24 there will be a "Master Teachers and Singers Week" at the West-

minster Choir College of Rider University in Princetown, New Jersey. The teachers will be George Shirley, Elaine Bonazzi, Russell Oberlin and Shirlee Emmons. For information, write to: Marvin Keenze, 101 Walnut Lane, Princeton, New Jersey 08540 USA.

Unfortunately I do not receive a lot of information from other EVTA countries. Perhaps I will be more lucky for our next Bulletin of June. I hope to see you in Berlin!

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