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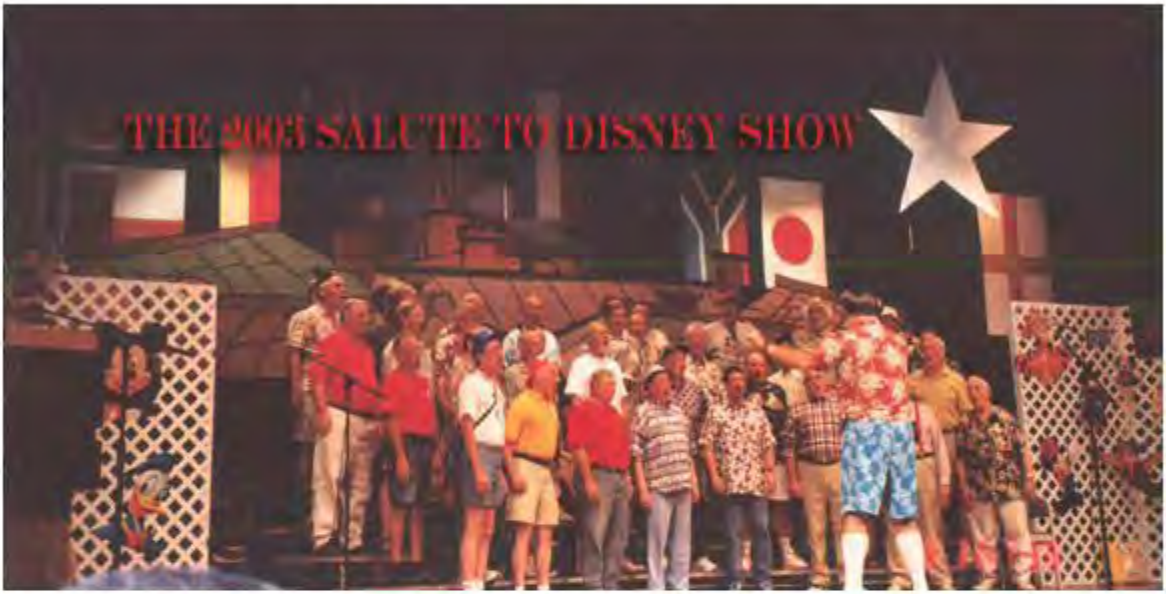

January 10, 2011

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Calendar

Board Meeting, January 10, Wally's Restaurant, 5pm dinner, 5:30 meeting

Valentine's Day Fund Raiser, Monday, February 14.

Dixie District Spring Convention, March 11-13, 2011, Boaz, Alabama

From the Music VP

The contest songs for spring will be "Showboat" and "Cruisin'". We are still debating on songs for fall - your opinions are welcome.

Script for Monday's Meeting

7:00 warmup - Paul
7:20 tag - Chuck
7:25 Chattanooga Choo Choo - Paul
7:35 How's Every Little Thing In Dixie - Paul
7:45 God Bless America - Chuck
7:55 The Lord's Prayer - Paul
8:10 Announcements
8:30 Quartet(s)
8:40 Riser Time - Paul/Chuck

Last Monday's Meeting Summary

2011 has started with a bang for the chorus. Around 25 present including 3 from the CCCC who are becoming new members.

Chuck led warm-up. Paul taught a tag (from "Give a little whistle", a Disney song which is likely to be on our next show. Paul and Chuck shared directing of Showboat came to town, Shenandoah, River of no return, Star spangled banner, & God Bless America.

Announcements were led by Program VP Dave White. Music VP Chuck Wilson reported on MLT meeting – Spring contest songs will be Showboat and Cruising Fall contest songs may

We have also tentatively set a show for August 27 with a Disney theme (see photograph above of the 2003 Disney show.)

Notice that next week we will work on "Chattanooga Choo Choo". Study all your music on your time and members be at least familiar with what we are singing - new members, we will do our best to get learning tools in your hands. Learning cds are in the works, but you can at least refresh yourself on the music you know. Be ready next Monday to have fun working hard (not a contradiction!). *Chuck Wilson*

be Lulu and Old Fashioned Girl. Quartets need to get ready for Valentines. Our show this year will be in August and will be the Disney theme (see the photograph above) with possibly a high school choir or the Chattanooga Girls Choir to perform too. Christmas show ticket chairman Marcellus Scott encourages ticket money to be turned in. Chapter Development VP Wally Edmondson thanked everyone for recruiting CCCC members. Chapter Secretary presented a renewal to Hobby Thomas. He has been a member 12 years.

Niles Fowler reported we received a greeting from a former member now living in Virginia at the age of 95, Bill McKeehan. He has organized a VLQ in the retirement center where he lives and performed for a large number of the other residents.

Business Mgr. Dave Rack reported on up coming sing-outs. We have a new one scheduled in March. A show of hands indicated we will probably have enough singers but it would be a good idea for section administrators to make a list of who will and will not be there and turn it in to him.

Two quartets performed for us after break. The Chattanooguys sang Let me call you Sweetheart, and Fred, Paul, Johnny and Hobby sang Caroline. On the risers we worked on Cruising, Shenandoah, and River of no return with very good results.Cameron, the last Gandy dancer of 2010 presented the spike to Dave Rack who led KTWWS with great enthusiasm.*Lebron Brock*