The Weekly Newsletter of the Choo Choo Chorus

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Calendar

Garden Plaza of Greenbrier Cove, Thursday, April 26, assemble at 6:30 PM. Dress is Patriotic.

Scout Flag Day, Saturday, May 26, National Cemetery, 8:30 AM

Memorial Day, Monday, May 28, National Cemetery, 10:30 AM.

50th Anniversary Party, Friday, June 1, 5:30 PM, at the Colonnade in Ringgold

Annual Show, *Fifty Year Parade of Harmony*, Saturday, June 9, 7:30 PM at GPS

Dixie Harmony Weekend July 20-21, Huntsville, AL

Ruby Falls, July 28 (**Date change**)

Dixie Fall Convention, September 28-30, Tunica, MS.

Sweet Adelines 50th Anniversary Show, October 6.

Sell 50th Tickets

I have tickets to sell for the 50th show. Please take at least ten tickets at $15 each. Children 12 and under are free and do not need a ticket. I will take cash or check. *Gary*

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Script for Monday's Meeting

7:00 Chuck leads warm up
7:15 Paul - Hello Mary Lou
7:30 Paul - Circle - Welcome Back to Dixieland
7:45 Paul - Minstrel Montage
8:00 Paul - Dream is a Wish
8:10 Chuck - When You Wish Upon a Star
8:20 Dave White - Announcements & break
8:30 Quarteting - If available
8:40 Risers - Ten Feet Off the Ground & Chat Choo Choo
9:00 Paul/Chuck - Shenandoah & Simple Melody
9:23 Paul - Craft
9:28 Gandy and KTWWS

Summary of the Last Meeting

Chuck led warm up and we sang MWIR. Paul worked on *Chattanooga Choo Choo* and *Welcome Back to Dixieland* in a circle. We continued to learn *Minstrel Montage* with a quartet of Chuck, Charlie, Daniel and Wally with Bernard Peek singing the solo parts. We welcomed Tom back.

Dave White led announcements. Wilbur gave an update on 50th planning. Fleury again spoke about ad selling. Rich noted the sing out for Garden Plaza and the dress is Patriotic. Gary announced that he has 50th show tickets to sell. Fred passed a 49 year renewal to Tom.

After the break we went to the risers and worked on *Shenandoah*, *Simple Melody*, *Ten Feet* and *Hello Mary Lou*. Gary passed the Gandy to Tom for his 49 years as a barbershopper. We closed with KTWWS.

Special Olympic Sing Out

A small, but enthusiastic group assembled for the annual Special Olympics Track & Field Competition sing out. This was the 24th year that the Choo Choo Chorus has sung for this event, and the first that Paul missed. And what a day to miss because as shown in the photograph, Lindy Blazek was Grand Marshall. We did our usual good job of singing the National Anthem on a day when it looked like rain, but the rain never came. *Steve Wixson*

Check out Picture Portfolio

I prepared a portfolio of photographs for Lamar to use with 50th PR. It turned out so nice that I've sent it to businesses that I am trying to get to buy an ad. You might like to see it and use it. It is attached to this email newsletter. *Steve Wixson*

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