The Weekly Newsletter of the
Choo Choo Chorus

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Calendar

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.

Birthdays

3- Margaret Crowe
18 - Cameron Druyor
20 - Chuck Wilson
22 - Nancy Owens
27 - Sheilla Ptacin
28 - Sandy White

Anniversaries

23 - Wally & Shannon Edmondson
25 - Paul & Lindy Blazek

Online Archive

Script for Monday's Meeting

7:00 Chuck leads warm up
7:15 Paul - Shenandoah
7:30 Paul - Circle - Welcome Back to Dixieland
7:45 Paul - Minstrel Montage
8:10 Chuck - Hello Mary Lou
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 - God Bless America & Simple Melody
9:23 Paul - Craft
9:28 Gandy and KTWWS

Last Meeting Highlights

Wilbur gave an update on the program for the 50th party. Chuck passed the Gandy to Wendell.

Paint Rooms Project

We want to paint both practice rooms before the June 18th Open House. I will send out a schedule of work sessions next week. Please contact me (1bearcub@comcast.net) if you can help. *Rich*

Heritage of Harmony Show

This was the Society's 50th anniversary show that many chapters put on in 1988. Nashville, Chattanooga, and Huntsville chapters put on a joint show in each of their towns. We rehearsed at Motlow College near Winchester, TN. Paul was our director; Larry Deters was Nashville's director. It was a great show with lots of music to learn. There was one medley that was pages and pages long. It's still in our library.

Also, it was Don Bruce's (a charter member) last gig. He was dying of cancer, but insisted on singing on the three shows. He died shortly after the last show. *Barry Owens*

Sell Tickets & Ads

Gary has 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.

Dave Fleury noted that we've sold enought ads to pay for printing the 50th program, and the rest will help pay for show and party expenses or go to fund this year's budget.

The Choo Choo Chorus is the performing unit of the Chattanooga Chapter of the Barbershop Harmony Society.
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