December

The Weekly Newsletter of the
Choo Choo Chorus

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Christmas Show Finale | **December 21, 2015**

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Calendar

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Garden Plaza, Thursday, December 17, Arrive at 6:15 PM. Driving directions attached.

Knights of Columbus, Saturday, December 19, Arrive at 6:45 PM, Driving directions attached.

Christmas Party, Monday, December 21, 6PM Fellowship, 7PM Dinner followed by installation of officers. Fairview United Methodist Chruch. Map attached..

Chattanooga Symphony, April 9, 2016

Thanks From The Show Chairman

Just a quick note of thanks to everyone for their hard work on the Christmas show. We had a great audience and put on a great show. To Rich, Dave, Chet, SteveW and Gene: thanks for all the preparatory work. To Paul and Chuck: thanks for the hard work getting us ready and the fine job of directing. To the actors in the *What's the Dickens* and *Hunch and Grunch* skits, thanks for presenting an unforgettable experience (see me in costume below). To the CCCC: thanks for your dedication and effort to sing with us. It was great to work with Brandon and Randy and to have the ladies sing with us. Looking forward to doing it all again next year! Hope to see everyone at the Christmas party on the 21st. Thanks for making the role of Show Chairman an enjoyable and rewarding one. Merry Christmas

Script for Monday's Party

6:00 Fellowship
7:00 Dinner followed by officer installation and singing

Highlights of Last Meeting

This was a rehearsal with Chuck directing to get ready for the Garden Plaza sing out where he will be directing. This also to prepare us for our final sing out for 2015 at the Knights of Columbus on Saturday. Pete passed the Gandy to Wendell. We closed with KTWWS.

Thanks From The Director

The Christmas season is not over yet, but I can declare it our most successful season for a number of reasons. The quality of singing at our performances (and the BIG SHOW) is the best ever for the CCCC and quite possibly for the Choo Choo Chorus also. The overall ENTERTAINMENT value is the highest we've ever achieved, mostly because this year all of you bought in to the idea of commitment to the message, not just singing words and notes correctly. Having the Scenic City Chorus perform (see photograph below) on the show and then join us for the finale (see photograph above) was the icing on the cake. My goose bumps had goose bumps on top of their goose bumps! All in all, I'm not sure how it could have been any better. The exciting part is - the first Monday in October is only 10 months away, and we get to do it again!

(Once per year membership nudge) For those of you that can't wait until next October, we meet almost every week to hone our skills, work on new music, enjoy the company of good men, and prepare for community performances, conventions/contests, and our annual non-Christmas show. Being that you've sung in the CCCC our "three-visit" requirement is waived and you are eligible to apply for membership NOW. We'd love to have you with us year-round - just talk to any Chapter officer and we'll get the paperwork under way. (End nudge)

Finally, my heartfelt thanks to each of you for the work you've done this year, for being ready to accept coaching and make it a part of your performance, and for your dedication to entertaining our audiences. You keep me on my toes and working hard, but the result is always better than my dreams. I hope to see everyone at the Christmas party, but if not, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you and your families! *Paul*

Treasurer Request

Just a reminder to please turn in all ticket money no later than December 21, 2015. *Wendell*

Last Sing Outs Driving Directions

Driving directions for the Garden Plaza and Knights of Columbus sign outs plus a map to the party are attached to this email.

and rewarding Merry Christmas to all! *Steve Grubb*,

Steve Grubb in Costume

Photographs by Marcellus Scott

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