The Weekly Newsletter of the Choo Choo Chorus

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Singing Valentines 2016	February 22, 2016

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Calendar

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Coaching Rehearsal Canceled, Thursday, February 18, 7 PM, All Saints.

Continental Apartments, Friday, February 1**9**, Arrive 6:15 PM to sing at 7 PM. Uniform is blue coat, shinny shirt, new vest, black slacks, shoes and socks, and red tie and pocket handkerchief,

Rescheduled Coaching Rehearsal, Thursday, March 3, 7 PM, All Saints. Paul "Wezul" Wietlisbach - current VP CSLT and Presentation judge

Script for Monday's Meeting

7:00 Chuck – Warm Up – (Risers)
7:05 Chuck – *Sweet and Lovely* (That's What You Are to Me)
7:20 Paul – *I Want A Girl*
7:55 Steve V – Announcements & Break
8:20 Quartet Push Out – *Hello Mary Lou*
8:35 Paul – *Love At Home / Georgia on My Mind*
9:25 Gandy Dancer / KTWWS

Highlights of Last Meeting

SteveV led announcements. Rich thanked the Singing Valentines singers and workers. DaveR noted that the uniform for the Friday sing out is our new blue uniform (see Calendar). DanK asked for a quartet to sing the National Anthem at a college game at the Lookout stadium, and a VLQ was organized. Paul announced that the coaching session for this Thursday is canceled and we took a poll for another date which is Thursday, March 3. He is looking for a quartet or VLQ for the Special Olympics swim meet.. Fred passed a 26 year renewal to Wilbur. Marcellus gave a preliminary summary of the SV weekend. There were 4 quartets singing; RC4, Chattanooguys with Gene substituting as tenor, 8th Street Irregulars and Birchwood Commons. Pete donated a refrigerator to the chapter that was needed to keep the roses fresh. Thanks, Pete. SteveV announced there will be an Awards Banquet soon and took a pole for the best night which is a Thursday. After the break, Chuck, Paul, Charlie and Fred sang *I Want a Girl.* Jack passed the Gandy to Frank and we closed with Frank leading

Dixie Spring Convention, March 18-20, Oxford, AL

Chattanooga Symphony, April 9, 2016

Special Olympics Track and Field Saturday, April 23, 9:45, Red Bank High School

BHS International Convention, July 3-10, Nashville. Lots of opportunities to volunteer

Note from Program VP

Gentlemen, please be on time and ready to sing on the risers. That means standing on the risers ready to sing the first note. I'm sorry but it seems we have a hard time with getting from one room to the other in a timely manner. This is especially true after break. Our competition is just a month away and we need all the time we can get to rehearse. Enough said. *SteveV*

Rock City 4

KTWWS.

Note from Director

Lots of good work last Monday - our interval-stretching/ shrinking exercises will continue, as will our quest to repeat as Most Improved. We will be working all three songs (Georgia On My Mind, Love At Home, I Want A Girl) with a lot of energy to bring faces and bodies up to snuff. I really appreciate the work you guys are putting in. The results will speak for themselves. Have a great performance Friday night and I'll see you Monday night! *Paul*

Awards Banquet Preliminary Info

The dates I am looking at to have our Awards Banquet is the 17th or 24th of March. Please be considering which date will be best for you. Both dates are on Thursday. Also I am looking at about 6:30 P.M. If these dates and time are not good we can choose something else. The restaurant will be the Epicurean on Ringgold Road in East Ridge. The Menu will consist of 3 different meats, (fish, beef products, and chicken). I will have a copy of the menu before we go so you can decide beforehand what you would like to order. This will save time if you can do so. *SteveV*

Dixie Convention Information

Just wanted to let you know that the registration and hotel info is on the Dixie District web site but the headquarters hotel is already book up and the other hotel is getting full.
Registration is $41 if you register before March 1 and $51 after.

The hotel is Home2 Suites by Hilton
300 Colonial Drive
Oxford, Al.
256-831-7008
Rate code is BQD $95 per night including Breakfast.

The Headquarters is Hilton Garden Inn but is already full.
They are next door to each other so I understand. *Wilbur*

Sing Like 'Most Improved' Tonight

The Choo Choo Chorus is the performing unit of the Chattanooga Chapter of the Barbershop Harmony Society.
We meet almost every Monday night at All Saints Academy, 310 East 8th Ave, Chattanooga, TN 37421.
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