The Weekly Newsletter of the

Choo Choo Chorus

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COTS (Chapter Officer Training), Saturday, January 4, 2020, Details later

First Meeting in 2020, Monday, January 6, 7 PM, Ponders

Message From President Elect

To the incoming Board, let me encourage all to email Wendell and myself of your commitment to attend

Script For Monday's Meeting

There is no meeting this Monday

Spring Contest Songs*:*

Repertory: *Darkness On The Delta, Georgia on My Mind, God Bless America, Hello, Mary Lou, Hey, Good Lookin', National Anthem, Old Folks at Home, Sittin' On Top of the World, Tennessee Waltz, When I'm Sixty-Four*, *When She Loved Me, When There's Love at Home*

Highlights From Christmas Party

The Choo Choo Chorus Christmas Party was held this year at Wally's East Ridge on Monday, December 16, 2019. We had approximately 55 folks in attendance for the event which included about 7 from the Community Chorus and guests. After the group finished eating from a buffet of traditional Christmas season foods, Fred announced that Clarence Wall had renewed his membership for the 44th year and SteveW renewed his membership for the 18th year.

the Leadership class at Morris Hills Baptist church the first Saturday of January ahead of what should be another great year for the Choo Choo Chorus. Finally, a special thanks to Rich Ptacin for being at the helm for 4 years. Well done, Rich! See y'all next year! *SteveG*

Leadership Training

To the incoming Board, let me encourage all to email Wendell and myself of your commitment to attend the Leadership class at Morris Hills Baptist church the first Saturday of January ahead of what should be another great year for the Choo Choo Chorus.

RichP (President) was introduced to say a few words about the years success in the Choo Choo Chorus. He talked about the successful Spring Show as well as the Christmas Show which was receive will by all both participants and spectators. We had approximately 25 sing outs. Thanks to all those that participated to make the year successful including our gratitude to wives and others.

Our 2020 board officers were officially installed into their new positions by Jimmy Thompkins, VP of Music and Performance for the Dixie District. He presented each officer and member of the Choo Choo chorus will responsibilities to faithfully perform their responsibilities to ensure that the Chattanooga chapter was as successful as it could be for 2020 and in future years.

After the installation of officers, Paul B, director, spoke of how proud he was of the community chorus in their performance and their contribution in making the Christmas show a success. He heard from several in discussions after the show that it was probably the best Christmas show ever. Paul expressed his gratitude to everyone. Paul closed the occasion out by leading the Community Chorus members in some songs including *Heart of My Heart, Veni Veni, Jingle Bells, and the Christmas Tag.*

In conclusion, I believe everyone had a great time. The food was great and we had a good time reflection on a successful year.

Barry

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