The Weekly Newsletter of the
Choo Choo Chorus

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March 2, 2023

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Chapter Meeting Thursday, March 2, 7 PM, Ponders

Dixie Spring Convention, March 17-18, 2023. Cleveland State Community College. Info

For the Good of the Chapter

Chuck passed the Gandy to visitor Paul Faulkner (Photograph by David)

The Singing Valentines 2023 Story

Singing Valentines 2023 is now in the history books. After a bit of a slow start, things got busier as the BIG DAY approached. There was a big influx of online orders this year, probably due to the advertisement on social media. Hopefully some feedback from the customers will determine that.

There were 5 quartets scurrying around town and beyond to accomplish a total of 73 deliveries on Tues the 14th. That is a number to be proud of although it wasn't a perfect record. There were a few quartets deliveries due to scheduling conflicts and recipients not being available. Amends have been made for those.

Two belated deliveries were made on Sat the 18th, which were of special nature. One was for a 20th wedding anniversary that actually repeated the date, time and location of the marriage proposal, which included a quartet singing to the couple way back then. The second one was an effort by a family to bring laughter to a mother who is suffering from brain cancer and has received a bleak prognosis. We know how much we enjoy our hobby, but we may never know how much joy that we bring to others.

A big thank you to the quartets and other individuals that helped with the project. *Pete*

Photograph of Wendel, Jerry, Daniel and Roger Lampree in an alternate Singing Valentine uniform by Richh

Singing Valentine by The Chattanoogays

Script For Thursday's Meeting

7:00 PM - Meeting at Ponders. Song list for Tonight:

The Old Songs
I'm Sitting On Top Of The World
Blue Skies arr. by Clay Hine
Let the Rest of the World Go By
Let's Get Away From It All
Sweet Adelaide
The Star Spangled Banner
When There's Love At Home
Keep The Whole World Singing

Repertory: *America the Beautiful, Armed Forces Medley, Blue Skies, California Here I Come, Can You Feel the Love Tonight, Darkness on the Delta, Georgia on My Mind, God Bless America, Hello Mary Lou, I'm Sittin' on Top of the World, It's the Music that Brings Us Together, Let's Get Away From It All, Old Barn Dance, Star Spangled Banner, Welcome Song, When One Loved Me, When There's Love at Home, Yesterday, and You Tell Me Your Dream*

Directly speaking

Be sure and check the song list for this Thursday. We WILL sing through "You Tell Me Your Dream" this week.

You guys made some great sounds last week! I can't wait to hear how much better you will be this week! Come prepared to give your best!

Be sure and let me know of your plans for our Spring convention if you have not already. We need at least TWO more to have THIRTY on the mario!

I'll see YOU Thursday! Jimmy

Singing Valentines 2023 (Cont)

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