WHAT'S UP WEEKLY
April 10, 2023

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please send all newsletter articles to DONNA L. any day or time but no later than 10:30 AM on Monday mornings.

BIRTHDAYS IN MAY
Rachel M. 5/5, Connie W. 5/19, Diana L. 525

From Caroline

Hi, Everyone,

Happy Day-After-Easter!
I hope all you had a lovely festive weekend, some family fun and a chance to relax (whatever *that* is?:-)

Across the Pond today is a "Bank Holiday" (a day off :-) Too bad it's not a Holiday here - we could use a few more "official" long weekends - in my humble opinion! Maybe I just need a kinder boss - haha!

Last Monday's rehearsal was fun - we made progress on *"A Lovely Way..."*, had a **first-time Guest** visit us via Meet-Up, welcomed back our wonderful **Sharon Fair** (YAY!) and celebrated **Linda's Audience Choice Award/3rd Place Win** with her quartet, **Troubadour!**

Linda also shared with us the official video recording of their on-stage Contest Performance plus a few fun stories from her BIG Weekend in Oxnard. A fun-packed night!

TONIGHT: Check out our **Rehearsal Schedule** and be prepared! And...don't forget we'll be having our **Easter Hat Parade** **(with PRIZES!) for the most MOST Marvelous Millinery of the night!**
See you there!

Love,
Cx

FUN PHOTOS OF THE WEEK

The next few weeks will highlight our quartets over the years, both pickup and established quartets.

Wendy, Debbie, Donna, and Marta
2010 – "Monday Night Live" at the
Bako Unity Breakfast singing
"Let's Get Away From It All."

Sharon F, Suzanne, Gini, and Beverly
2010 – "After Five" at the Bako Unity Breakfast.
BEVERLY, WAKE UP!!

From Donna L

For all of you who have **quartet or chorus related** photos,
please SEND THEM TO ME!

Email only!! Frenchfries13@att.net.

They can be old or new! Send the **history** along with the
photos.

I know that some of our newer members would like to join in
the photo fun so take pictures!! Send them to me!! Thanks!

CALENDAR

*** 2023 ***

*Date Change - **New

Mon, Apr 10 – EASTER PARADE Theme Night – Hats Off to Us!

Wed, Apr 12 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

Wed, May 10 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

Sun, May 21 – Centennial Celebration of "Leah's Church," the First United Methodist Church, Torrance. Time and details to be noted.

Mon, May 29 – NO CHORUS – Memorial Day

*Sat, July 1 – STARS & STRIPES in HARMONY

Wed, Jun 14 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

Wed, July 12 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

Wed, Aug 9 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

Mon, Sept 4 – NO CHORUS – Labor Day

Wed, Sept 13 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

Sat, Oct 7 – FALL FIESTA (patio party)

Wed, Oct 11 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

October 12-15 – BHS Far Western District Convention, Gilbert, AZ

Mon, Oct 30 – HALLOWEEN/BIRTHDAY Theme Night.

Oct 10 thru Nov 4 – SAI Intl CONVENTION, Louisville, KY

Wed, Nov 8 – Team Meeting at 7:30 via Zoom

*Sat, Dec 9– HOLIDAYS in HARMONY (Inside ON RISERS).

Mon, Dec 11 – CHORUS HOLIDAY PARTY!

Mon, Jan 8 – Return to Chorus

<div align="center">

From Donna L
LAST MUSIC LIBRARY

</div>

Many of you may not know that our chorus has an extensive list of music that we own. I have scanned in all of the sheet music from **LASTS music library** and they are available to any of you. Just know that the chorus has first right of refusal on any song on the list so you may (eventually) be singing a chorus song even if your quartet chooses the same song.

About 80% of the songs have not been used in the current years so it would be new-ish to any of you who are forming a one-song-quartet or a more permanent quartet. Some have learning tracks but most don't. That shouldn't stop you from taking a look. I can have tracks made at your cost so if you are interested in tracks, contact me.

<div align="center">

FUNDRAISERS INSTRUCTIONS

</div>

From Alli

<div align="center">

RECYCLE CANS AND BOTTLES!!

Please bring your aluminum cans, plastic bottles, and glass bottles to rehearsal and load them in my car! Examples include water bottles, soda cans, beer cans, plastic juice containers, plastic protein-drink bottles, like Ensure and Glucerna. This is a great ongoing fundraiser for the chorus!

Please **do not** bring food containers, like mayonnaise or pickle jars or canned-goods cans or take-out containers or things like that.
Bring only beverage cans and bottles.

I will no longer be accepting UNSORTED recycling materials. Cans, plastic bottles and glass bottles must be separated and placed in a plastic bag or trash bag. Please do not put them in an open paper bag (like a Trader Joe's bag) because then the cans fall out of the bag and all over my car.

If you only have 2 or 3 cans and lots of plastic bottles, you can put 2 or 3 cans in a small bag and then stick that small bag in your big bag of bottles.

</div>

Please see me if you have any questions! Thank you so very much!!!

From Susie

RALPHS COMMUNITY REWARDS

IF YOU HAVEN'T REGISTERED YOUR REWARDS CARD ONLINE

1. Log into www.ralphs.com (http://www.ralphs.com) and click on "Create an Account". Follow the 5 easy steps to create an online account

2. You will be instructed to go to your email inbox to confirm your account.

3. After you've confirmed your account by clicking on the link in the email, return to www.ralphs.com (http://www.ralphs.com) and click on "my account" (you may have to sign in again) View your info and edit if necessary.

4. Link your card to LASTS by clicking on : "Community Rewards", then "Edit my community contribution" and follow the instructions.

5. Click on the circle to the left of our name: Sweet Adelines L.A. South Towns, organization # BB396

IF YOU'VE ALREADY REGISTERED YOUR REWARDS CARD ONLINE

1. Log into www.ralphs.com, click "Sign In", enter your email address and password, then click on "My Account' (top right hand corner), and view your info and edit if necessary.

2. Link your card to LASTS by clicking on "Community Rewards", then "Edit my community contribution", and follow the instructions.

3. Click on the circle to the left our name: Sweet Adelines L.A. South Towns, organization # BB396