

WHAT'S UP WEEKLY

February 13, 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 FEBRUARY

Jennifer Vollbrecht 2/6, Judy Petrone 2/25

Check Calendar for updates!

From Caroline

Hi, Everyone! ♥️👍♥️♥️👍

Are you ready for TONIGHT? Yes, it's our annual chance to get gussied up and sing a few sugary "**Sweetheart**" Songs.

Think Pink, be **Ravishing in Red** or **Magical in Magenta** - whatever works for you! (Not mandatory but you wouldn't want to look like you're in the WHB would you? No, I didn't think so!)

I'll have prizes for the prettiest, poshest or over-the-top outfits - let's have some fun! You really don't want to miss it - you never know what might happen! One year **Judit's** Prince Charming turned up and surprised her with a proposal of marriage!!! It was pretty swoon-worthy.

And there's a good chance tonight that **Ready Willing & Mabel** might show up and sing a couple of slushy ballads - just sayin'! It's definitely shaping up to be a good time!

Coming up - more **Good Times** ahead!

Be sure to check the latest updates on our **CHORUS CALENDAR** included with this WUW (Donna also emailed the updates over the weekend). We have a few important date changes including a **NEW PERFORMANCE DATE: Saturday, Feb 25.**

We'll have a sign-up sheet at Chorus tonight so **PLEASE SIGN UP** (even if you're a NO) so I can plan a fun mini-show for our **BRAVO GROUP** Friends.

Our program will include the following songs (*subject to available tenors!):

**CONSIDER YOURSELF
WHO WILL BUY
SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY
*IF THERE'S ANYBODY HERE FROM MY HOME TOWN
IRISH MEDLEY
WHEN I LIFT UP MY HEAD
IT'S SAND, MAN**

That's it from me - see you all TONIGHT!

Love,

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From Donna L

SONGS ON TONIGHT'S SHEDULE

**Let Me Call You Sweetheart - My Wild Irish Rose - Side by Side
Consider Yourself.** All of these songs are on the website and are on our 2023 repertoire list.

BRING YOUR MUSIC TO CHORUS

MUSIC NOTES

The song "**Side By Side**" is on our B list and most of us know it. For the newbies who are learning it, we **do not sing the intro. Start singing at the chorus on measure 16.**

The only song, on our updated repertoire, that is **not** on our website is "**This is a Lovely Way to Spend an Evening.**" **The tracks and music are on the website!!**

The song "**It Is Well With My Soul**" is **on hold**. It is a Tenor melody and we do not have enough Tenors, at this time, to perform this song.

FUN PHOTO OF THE WEEK

02-14-2022 - Valentine's Celebration (in masks)



Leah, Donna L, Lynn, Diana, Konnie, Roxanne, Judit, Wanda, Susie, Marjorie, Jennifer, Susan R, Rachel, Susan W, Alli, and Sharon S.



TA-DAAAA!



Here we are showing our natural personality!
Stitching out Diana (taking photo) and adding Caroline!



CALENDAR

*** 2023 ***

*Date Change - **New

Mon, Feb 13 - VALENTINES Theme Night - **Think Pink** and **Red!**

Sat, Feb 25 - Performance for Bravo Group. Arrive at **12:30 pm** for a 1:00 pm show. Located at the Doubletree Hotel in Torrance, 21333 Hawthorne Blvd.

Wed, Mar 8 - Team Meeting, 7:30 via Zoom.

***Mon, Mar 13** - SHAMROCKS & SHENANIGANS! Family & Friends Fun Night inside the hall.

****Sat, Mar 18** - **Marjorie Falcon** - celebration of Life, 1:00-3:00 pm in Manhattan Beach. More information to follow.

March 24-25 - BHS So Cal Divisional Contest, Burbank, CA

Mar 30 thru Apr 2 - REGION 11 Spring Convention, Oxnard, CA

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

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

Sat, July 3 - STARS & STRIPES in HARMONY inside on RISERS

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 2 - HOLIDAYS in HARMONY (Inside ON RISERS).

Mon, Dec 11 - CHORUS HOLIDAY PARTY!

Mon, Jan 8 - Return to Chorus

From Donna L
LAST MUSIC LIBRARY

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.

FUNDRAISERS INSTRUCTIONS

From Alli

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.

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

From Susie

RALPHS COMMUNITY REWARDS

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