

WHAT'S UP WEEKLY
December 11, 2023

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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



Linda, Suzanne, Caroline, Leah, Chris, Alli, Andrea, Donna L,
Judit, Lynn, Sharon F, Diana, Gini, Julie, Karen, Vicki, Donna D,
Jennifer, Nancy, Susie, Konnie

BIRTHDAYS IN JANUARY
Donna Day 1/14

From Caroline

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

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**2023 - Chorus Christmas Party hosted by Linda Borg.
Thanks Linda!**

From Susie:

SILENT AUCTION OF UNLOVED HOLIDAY GIFTS

MONDAY, JANUARY 15

It's time for our annual silent auction of unloved holiday gifts. If you receive a book, you've already read, a sweater too big or too small, sweets not on your New Year's diet, or a knickknack that doesn't match your decor, no worries - bring them to the hall, and do some shopping yourself. New items only please. All proceeds go to the Chorus treasury.

From Donna L.

NEW MEMBER

Welcome new member, **Angela Eigner**. Address: 1944 W. 26th Street San Pedro 90732, Phone: 773-865-1464, Email: adisalvo@gmail.com, Birthday: May 22, Singing: Lead

INSTALLATION DINNER - HOF'S HUT FUNDRAISER

MONDAY, JANUARY 22

Great news!! We will be having our Installation Dinner and making money at the same time. Our dinner will be held on the patio at Hof's Hut in Torrance. Details need to be worked out so stay tuned. **We need one or two volunteers to help out with securing our section at the restaurant.** Let me or any Board member know if you can lend a hand.

PHOTO OP

It occurred to me that some of these wreaths and swags, etc. might look fabulous on yours and your friends and family doors/homes. Ask your friends/family to take a photo of their greenery and send it to you. Send the good ones to me and we can use these photos as advertisements for our next Greenery fundraiser. **Don't forget your own fabulous décor!**

FUN PHOTO(S) OF THE WEEK

Double Quartets Over The Years

Continuing next year!

CALENDAR

*** 2023 ***

*Updates - **Date Change - ***New

Mon, Dec 13 - Board Meeting, 7:30

Sun. Dec 17 - Performance opportunity at 3 senior residences in Torrance, from 12:30pm to 2:30pm. We will sing for 20-30 minutes at each residence. Details to follow.

Mon, Jan 8 - Return to Chorus

Wed, Jan 13 - Board Meeting, 7:30

Mon, Jan 15 - Unloved Gifts Silent Auction

***Mon, Jan 22 - Installation Diner at HOF'S HUT. We're having another fundraiser! Details to follow.

From the Board:

NEW-MEMBER INCENTIVE!

After discussing ideas for promoting membership growth, The Board voted at the last meeting to approve the following incentive:

Any LAST member who brings in a new member will be eligible for ONE MONTH of FREE CHORUS DUES!

Requirements: New member must pass her Audition, be Approved by the Board, turn in a BHS Membership Application and Submit Payment for first month's dues.

Questions? Ask any Board Member!

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 all 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 GUIDELINES

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

****The only glass bottles accepted are water bottles, soda bottles and BEER bottles or any bottle that has the CRV sign on it. NO Wine and other hard liquor bottles as they are not allowed.**

PLEAS DO NOT BRING prescription bottles, yogurt or Ensure bottles, food containers, like mayonnaise or pickle jars or canned- goods cans or take-out containers, honey containers, cooking oil containers or other things like that. Bring only **California Redemption Value (CRV)** 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 trash bag. I will **not accept bags that are not tied closed**. Open bags are not acceptable because they 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 contact me if you have any questions! Thank you so very much!!! Alli

From Susie

RALPHS COMMUNITY REWARDS

IF YOU HAVEN'T REGISTERED YOUR REWARDS CARD ONLINE

1. Log into www.ralphp.com (<http://www.ralphp.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: LA South Towns, SPEBSQSA
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