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2008 Calendar

Monday:

7:30 Warm-ups (Joe K) & Old Songs (Burt K)
8:00 MMM Choreography plan
9:00 Meeting & Break
9:15 MMM Choreography plan and contest set.
10:30 KTWWS

March

20 Board Meeting 7:30pm
24 Rehearsal

April

5 Performance - Aurora show
Full chorus
7 Rehearsal
11 - 13 Spring Contest
14 Rehearsal
17 Board Meeting
21 Rehearsal
28 Rehearsal

May

5 Rehearsal
12 Rehearsal
?? Tech Rehearsal?
17 2pm & 8pm Spring Show
19 Coaching rehearsal with Joe Connelly
26 Rehearsal

June

2 Rehearsal
9 Rehearsal
16 Rehearsal
23 Rehearsal
30 Rehearsal

June - July

29 - 6 International - Nashville
2 Wed - First Rehearsal
3 Thu - Next Rehearsal
4 CHORUS CONTEST!

August

7 Kane County Cougars

September

20 Youth Festival
26 - 28 District Fall Contest

December 12 - 13 Christmas Show

Happy St. Patrick's Day

We need help to unload the risers and bring them upstairs. Let's have as many guys at the Moose Hall at 6:30 PM to get it done quickly. "Many hands make light work."

Tonight George Gipp will be presenting a choreography plan for the Music Man Medley. This is going to be a FUN presentation package, with the emphasis on FUN! We need everyone there.

Thank you Diane for getting out the notes from Saturday's coaching session with Kevin Keller.

Spring Contest - Peoria

Hotel reservations for Peoria need to be given to Ken Keever by March 24.

Registrations for Peoria (\$30 if ordered in advance, checks payable to West Towns Chorus) need to be in no later than March 31. Ken will have forms available at rehearsal.

- If you are competing in Peoria, and have not been measured wearing your Red Coat, BRING YOUR RED COAT and see John and Flora Kaindl. They will be taking measurements in the kitchen.

Attendance and Incentives

Reminder: Besides the fact that your attendance and participation now earn you money to help defray costs for going to Nashville, we need everyone at rehearsal so Joe and the assistant directors can work with the entire group for every song. And it's FUN! So be there and stay there!

Aurora Show Performance

Saturday, April 5, call time: 6 PM. Uniform: Black tux pants, black shirt, pattern tie, red jacket. Location: Perry Theater at Aurora University, 347 S.Gladstone Ave. Aurora, IL 60506. Ticket: \$20, available from Tom Erwin, Jim Fourmont, Bear, Craig Ahlgrim or Bill Morgan.

Afterglow at Luigi's Pizza from 10 PM - 1AM. Everyone buys their own food and drinks.

Nashville June 29 - July 4

- Hotel - Sheraton Music City (Airport) Hotel, about \$144/night - contact is Ken Keever - REMINDER: Feb. 25 is the deadline to get your hotel reservation forms to Ken so he can get them to the folks in Nashville Housing Bureau by their March 1 deadline.
- For those who did not yet register for International, the second set of registrations for Nashville will be sent April 7 - \$152.00, checks payable to West Towns Chorus. If you register directly, the fee will be higher.
- AIC show: 10% discount for orders of 10 or more tickets. More information coming.
- We are looking into a bus to go to Nashville. Contact Rich Carey and let him know if you are interested - rclc675@sbcglobal.net. A sign-up sheet will be available also.

Show & Repertoire Information

Final Song List for upcoming shows and performances: Opener (Let a Smile be Your Umbrella) (Joe K), How Deep is the Ocean (Joe K), Almost Like Being in Love (Joe T), Precious Lord (Joe K) - Buzz Tribute, I'll Walk with God (Joe K), Wrote 'em in the Good Old Days (Joe K), I'm Gonna Live Till I Die (Craig A), Wizard of Oz Medley (Joe K), Never Go Wrong with a Song (Casey C), Till There Was You (Joe K), Lida Rose (Jana Krones, soloist) (Joe K), Music Man Medley (Joe K). Keep the Whole World Singing (Audience)

Membership Renewals

If anyone's membership normally expires in Sept or December and you either did not receive or you may have lost your renewal notice, please check and renew on-line or call headquarters and ask for membership services (800-876-7464). Your membership must be up-to-date in order to compete.