

EVERGREEN DISTRICT



GREEN SHEET



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November 1st 2023



Are you a new Chapter Leader? Do you know what your job entails? Are you a returning Chapter Leader and need a refresher? Please join the Leadership Academy Zoom meeting this Saturday! It only takes an hour and it will be an hour well spent! IT'S FREE, IT'S INFORMATIVE AND IT WILL MAKE YOU A BETTER LEADER!

NOV 4 - Zoom starts at 9:30 am PDT

SIGN UP BELOW

**SIGN UP HERE FOR THE LEADERSHIP
ACADEMY**



NEW EVG LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

November 4, 2023

Short ZOOM meetings designed for new and returning chapters leaders

5 different sessions!!

President – Secretary – Treasurer

plus Marketing/Membership – Communication

INFORMATION - SIGNUPS - ZOOM LINK



MUCH CELEBRATION AND INSPIRATION WAS HAD!

Congratulations to all the competitors... especially our new Quartet Champs,

[Metzin' Around](#), our Chorus Champs [PDX Voices](#)

and Chords on Delivery, our International Prelim Seniors Quartet Qualifier.

AND..... we can't forget our Top 5 Quartets who ALL qualified for International!

Amazing! [Click here](#) to see all the pictures and scores.

We are so proud to have you represent Evergreen District!



METZIN' AROUND



PDX VOICES



CONTEST VIDEOS AND PHOTOS

Individual chorus and quartet videos (for download) and photos will go out over

the next several days to those who have ordered.

For those who haven't, orders will remain open until Friday, November 3 [HERE](#)

Also for those who subscribed, the full 2023 contest videos are now available for online viewing by subscribers [HERE](#), along with the 2022 contest, 2023 quartet prelims, and more regional barbershop content.



Donny Rose our Harmony Foundation International contact.

We provide programs that:

- Educate.**
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- Inspire.**
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- Invest.**
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- Sing.**



Check out Harmony
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doing good things for all of
us!

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN EVG?

We are now so used to having the news channels send us the latest world and national news ... that we forget that our EVG District also has places for everyone to find out what's happening in the EVG District. Our EVG website is packed with current news.

Current EVG documents are available at: <https://evgdistrict.com/documents/>

LINKS TO NEWSLETTERS:

Timbre - [https://evgdistrict.com/c timbre/](https://evgdistrict.com/c-timbre/)

Greensheets - <https://evgdistrict.com/c-greensheet/>

Chapter Leader

News - <https://evgdistrict.com/c-chptldrnews/>

Harmony Foundation - <https://evgdistrict.com/harmony-foundation/>

WHO DOESN'T LOVE FREE MUSIC?????

FREE LEGAL MUSIC

The **EVG FREE LEGAL MUSIC** collection has over 200 titles now in sheet music, portfolios, and workbooks—which has been passed on to the EVG music library and available for FREE (You just pay the postage.)
Check out: <https://evgdistrict.com/free-music/>



LOTS OF RESOURCES TO GROW YOUR CHAPTER

Since 2022, The Evergreen District Website has been filled with great marketing ideas to increase your Chapter Success:

[Monthly Marketing Ideas, Advice, Opinions, Projects](#)

[Social Media 101 with Amy Rose- ZOOM Meeting](#)

[SWOT Your Chapter](#)

[Chapter Vocabulary](#)

[A Complete Look at Chapter Marketing](#)

[Let's Talk Advertising](#)

[New Member Orientation](#) – Collaborative Guideline from EVG Communications Team

[Marketing and Membership Guideline Ideas](#)

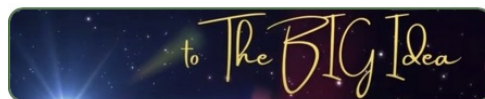
[Marketing Tool Box- Worksheets – Samples- Templates- more](#)

We hope your new officers take the time to explore the information available on www.evgdistrict.com it's well worth the time.

Don't forget to register for the
[Leadership Academy](#) on November 4th.

In Harmony,
Greg Kronlund
Chapter Marketing Advisor 2022-2023

THE BIG IDEA.....NEXT ZOOM IS NOVEMBER 5



[Paul Ellinger launches](#)
The BIG IDEA



'TIS THE SEASON! SHOWS SHOWS AND MORE SHOWS!

THE LANGLEY FIRST CAPITAL CHORUS PRESENTS
It's Been a Long, Long Time
A REMEMBRANCE DAY MUSICAL TRIBUTE
WITH SPECIAL GUESTS
THE LANGLEY UKULELE ENSEMBLE

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7PM
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OR BY SCANNING THIS QR CODE

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2023
2PM
ST. MARK'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
12953 20 AVE, SURREY, BC
TICKETS AVAILABLE ON EVENTBRITE - 
[HTTPS://BIT.LY/ECCNOV11](https://bit.ly/ECCNOV11)
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CULTURE



Gnome for the Holidays!

Featuring **STAMPEDE CITY CHORUS**

Saturday, December 9, 2023
2 pm & 7 pm

Lakeview United Church
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Reliving an annual TV Christmas tradition,
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Saturday | 2 PM | Central Kitsap PAC
December 9 | 7 PM | Silverdale, WA
2023



featuring
Acappella
Soundsations
Chorus



Ticket info: tinyurl.com/Christmas2023WSC



Season of Harmony

Saturday December 9th @ 4pm
Village Church - Beaverton

Tickets: \$25 (students: \$15)
bit.ly/seasonofharmony2023
also available at the door
Afterglow to follow!



South Island Harmony

A Cappella Chorus
Presents

The Season Is 'Round Again

Directed by
Dr. Kinza Tyrrell (D. Mus.)
&
David Christmas

Featuring:
Trousance Alley Quartet
Lady and The Tramps
UVIC Brass



We will all join hands and remember this moment

Saturday, December 9, 2023, 2:00 pm
Mary Winspear Centre-2243 Beacon Ave., Sidney
\$30.⁰⁰
tickets.marywinspear.ca - (250) 656-0275

www.southislandharmony.com





Harmony Platoon 2023 Rings True!

This year's Evergreen District Convention was a huge success on all fronts from the quartets to the choruses to the Tags to the Afterglow and everything in between. Congratulations to everyone! Especially the 19 first time Platooners who contributed to one of the largest Harmony Platoons ever. In addition, the qualities of the quartets participating made this year's Platoon one of the best ever (and there was lots of weekend singing afterwards also)! Congratulations to our top three quartets this year! "Hang Time" who were our Mic Tester quartet, "Raging Harmonés" who placed second, with "Unchained Harmony" in third. Special Thank you to our Judges: Ken, Judy, Jeannie, Kim, and Michelle for their help to make things go smoothly and to Iain Haukka from Bridgetown Sound who did such a great job directing us and bringing us together as an ensemble. It was especially great to have the entire Bridgetown Sound Chorus join us this year in the Platoon. It really helped contribute to the full confident sound of the chorus and each quartet.



PLATOON CHAMPS "HANG TIME"

(L-R) Todd dignan (T), Greg Verhappen (L), Jeroen Bedenker (B), Iain Haukka (b)



HARMONY PLATOON CHORUS

GREENSHEET EDITOR.....MOVIN' ON UP!

David Dobson has been the Editor of the Greensheet since 2018 and has worked very hard to make the Greensheet what it is today. In the last 6 years, he has made many wonderful contributions to the Communications team.

As of January 1st, David will be moving on to be a part of a new



venture on the Evergreen District Board and will be working with Bob Cox.

From David: "I want to thank everyone who has helped me along the way. John and Edi thank you for always working with me. To Bob Robson thank you. To Don Greer & Bill Hickman Thank You. To Sid Brown Thank you for your guidance.

And most of all Thank You to you the Evergreen District....you are the best! I will still be around and helping out the Communications team in some way, shape or form."

So what is next for the Greensheet? Your Assistant Editor, Laura Pennington, will become Editor. Laura sings with the Star Harmony Chorus in Boise, Idaho, and has been Assistant Editor since March.

PDX Barbershop Quartet Takes Boise Youth Event By Storm

500+ students from nearly 30 schools participated in a three-day barbershop festival in Boise, Idaho. Two local choruses, Boise Chordsmen and Star Harmony, offered much of their valuable time to support students and sing for them on the evening show each night. Debbie Cleveland, two-time international barbershop quartet champion and music educator of the highest caliber, added memorably to the experience. PDX favorites, Argonauts, were privileged to attend as the headlining act.

Drew Osterhout has performed previously at this festival in the late '00s, back when it was a one-day event. The growth since then has been amazing, especially considering the effects of the pandemic on choirs. The Idaho Barbershop Youth Festival is a model that BHS and Districts nationwide should be studying closely.

Rich Lapp, moderator and MC for the event, taught students about the importance of music. As long as you're a barbershopper, a welcoming family of singers is available to you throughout your entire life, regardless of age or gender.

Need Something For Veteran's Day or Remembrance Day?

If you are looking for a free, easy 1-minute a cappella arrangement to include with any of your Veteran's Day/Remembrance Day performances we've included a copy of the sheet music for "Lest We Forget." It was originally written by Greg Verhappen for the YouTube video he created last year which can be found at this

link: <https://youtu.be/s3IFEsD5V8E>.

For free sheet music and learning tracks VISIT EVGDISTRICT.COM or contact Greg Verhappen at gverhappy@shaw.ca.



The festival wasn't just for kids, either! Choir teachers were able to learn about the barbershop style and how they might implement it in their own programs. They also learned and performed a song alongside the clinicians, to deafening applause on the evening show.

You will never attend a show with an audience that's more enthusiastic and vocal than this one. From the stage, the cheering and applause was a physical force – a roaring wind tunnel of love and excitement each time a group hit the stage.

For booking inquiries, please contact argonautsquartet@gmail.com



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