



GREEN SHEET



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District News

Barberpole Cat Songbook 1 Challenge Update

By: Sid Brown
and Greg
Kronlund



Thanks to everyone for your videos!

So far in November we have featured **Charisma By-Pass**, **Four Score Quartet** Senica District, **The Squares**, and **Vocal Vintage**.

As of this writing, with 5 videos posted in November to the Evergreen District Facebook page the ensembles have reached 8,789 people and are growing. The Facebooks reels combined so far have had 2,073 views.

The **Bridgetown Singers** with **Sweet Adeline** appeared in October as a teaser. They'll appear again in November.

Harmony Kings, **Midday Melody Men**, **Boise Chordsmen**, and a repeat performance of **Bridgetown Singers** are coming up.



Boise Chordsmen



The Squares



Harmony Kings



Bridgetown Singers



Midday Melody Men



Vocal Vintage
Quartet



Four Score Quartet



Charisma By-Pass
Quartet

Remember: It's all made up and the points don't matter...

Thanks to everyone that played the game!

Harmony Platoon 2025

Harmony Platoon 2025

Out Sing!
Out Smile!
Out Perform!

2025 HARMONY PLATOON: \$35 FOR ALL 2025 EVENTS (DATES OF HP BELOW)

• Mar 13-16	FWD Prelims & SE/SW Division, Riverside(Tent), CA	• Sep 26-27	RMD Fall District Convention, Ogden, UT
• Mar 28-29	FWD NE/NW Division, Davis(Tent), CA	• Oct 2-3	Evergreen District Convention, Surrey, BC
• Apr 10-13	CSD Spring Convention	• Oct 2-3	SWD District Convention, DFW Airport, TX
• May 1-3	SUN Spring Convention, St. Augustine, FL	• Oct 9-12	CSD Fall Convention, Lawrence, KS
• May 2-3	Arizona Division Convention, Phoenix, AZ	• Oct 9-12	FWD Fall Convention, Fresno, CA
• June 12-13	Harmony College NW, Tacoma, WA	• Oct 16-18	SUN Fall Convention, St. Augustine, FL

- Learn the 5 "MODERATE DIFFICULTY" songs.
Learn them COLD, to compete in the contests. You are guaranteed to sing with prepared singers.
- These are NOT EASY. You will have to WORK to BE PREPARED to sing these five songs.
- For the sake of other singers, do NOT underestimate your responsibility to learn the music!

HERE ARE THE NEW SONGS:

Title	Arranger	Contestable	Track Artist
I'm Gonna Live 'Til I Die As sung by Keepsake	Western Continentals & Greg Volk	Yes!	BHS (Tim Waurick)
No More Sorrow Fun classic © 1926	Shelton Kilby III	Show	BHS (Tim Waurick)
Stand By Me Popular Classic by Ben E. King	Steve Delehanty	Show	BHS (Tim Waurick)
Frog Kissin' One of Kermit's Greatest hits	Bob Jones	Yes!	BHS (Tim Waurick)
You've Got a Friend in Me From Pixar's Toy Story	Dan Wessler	Yes!	BHS (Tim Beutel)

\$35 USD GIVES YOU:

- CHARTS and all LEARNING TRACKS for 5 songs: every part predominant + full mix.
- More QUARTET SINGING than you ever did at a convention (before Platoon came along).
- A quality QUARTET CHALLENGE that is exciting, fun, and memorable.
- NEW FRIENDS from all over your district (and beyond) who can't wait to sing with YOU!
- Deluxe color-coded Harmony Platoon LANYARD to locate other HP singers ALL WEEKEND.

THERE ARE TWO STEPS TO REGISTER FOR THIS YEAR'S EVENT:

- STEP 1: COMPLETE THE REGISTRATION FORM** using this link:
 - <https://forms.gle/DavZrV1Gu7EpbEfD6>
- STEP 2: ORDER YOUR MUSIC** using one of these options:
 - **PAYPAL** to donsalz@rosye.com (use Friends & Family option), or
 - **VENMO** to [@Donald-Salz](https://www.venmo.com/Donald-Salz) or
 - **SEND CHECK** to Don Salz. Email donsalz@rosye.com for an address.



QUESTIONS? Email platoonharmony@gmail.com (add this to your contact list to avoid messages going to spam)

By completing these two steps, you are automatically eligible to participate in ANY and ALL of this year's Harmony Platoon Events.

Help Wanted: Facebook Admin

Evergreen Communications Team 2024
In Search of Facebook Admin



2024 COMMUNICATIONS

Facebook Admin

Join the Team to support local Chapters

Phone: 206.265.9706

Email: marketing@evgdistrict.com

Website: www.evgdistrict.com

Help Wanted: Timbre Editors

Seeking Editors for the Evergreen Timbre, the District's Quarterly Newsletter!

We are looking for dedicated team members willing to share their skills and excited to build a fantastic quarterly newsletter.

Interested? Contact:

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District Communications Director

206-265-9706

communications@evgdistrict.com

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Chapters in Action

Bellevue Chapter



Sing, Sing, Sing!

On October 20, the Bellevue Chapter kicked off its latest Sing, Sing Sing! program. This twice yearly gift to the community provides free professional voice instruction on singing a cappella to those who have never sung or have not sung in a while.



While they learn the basics, the participants not only share the joy of singing with others, they are introduced to our style through three barbershop songs.

This year, 39 residents of Bellevue and the surrounding area joined the members of

Northwest Sound and Northwest Mix for the six-week program, which will culminate with an invitation to join the choruses on their annual holiday show, [A Hollywood Holiday](#), at the Kirkland Performing Arts Center on December 7.

Pioneer Courthouse Square



Portland Figgy Pudding, Anyone?

Pioneer Courthouse Square (Portland, Oregon) is preparing for a joyful holiday season in downtown! We are excited to host, once again, the fun and festive Great Figgy Pudding Caroling Competition live at The Square and in front of neighboring retailers, restaurants, and hotels in the heart of

downtown!

This year's caroling competition will be held on Friday, December 13, 2024 from 5:30pm – 8:00pm. Caroling groups will fan out to blocks along SW Morrison, SW Yamhill, SW Park and SW Broadway to sing from 6pm – 7:30pm then head back to The Square for a “carol off” of the top three groups hosted by KGW television personality Drew Carney. The winning caroling group will be selected by crowd applause and receive a \$1,000 grand prize! Prizes will also be awarded for 2nd and 3rd place teams along with the coveted People's Choice Award.

To be a part of this annual caroling tradition,

**groups (3-20 members) can register for FREE
online at [THIS LINK](#).**

If you have contact information for additional groups that may be interested in participating, please let us know!

Thank you for your support and we look forward to bringing Portland together Downtown For the Holidays in song at The Square.

District Approved December Shows

South Island Harmony

December 1

South Island Harmony
Presents

candy canes and carols

Get hooked on sweet
four-part Christmas a cappella!
Come see our Very Special Guests!

DECEMBER 1st, 2 pm
Mary Winspear Centre
2243 Beacon Ave, Sidney

Adults \$30, Students \$15

Stampede City Chorus

December 5 & 11

An Evening of Carols

By the

Stampede City Mixed Chorus

*Helping **Three** non-profits in **Three** locations*

Wednesday, November 27 @ ~7:15 pm

St. Albert The Great Church

Calgary SE

Admission: Donations for St. Vincent de Paul appreciated

Thursday, December 5 @ 7:00 pm

Robert McClure United Church

Calgary SE

Admission: Cash Donations for Silvera Senior Living

Wednesday, December 11 @ 7:00 pm

Scarboro United Church

Calgary Central

Admission: Cash Donations for MS Canada



A Cappella Northwest

December 7



Stroll along the Hollywood Walk of Fame with songs made famous
by some of Hollywood's biggest celebrities!

Acapella Road

December 7

Celebrate Christmas and the Holidays with
Acappella Road & Rhythm of the Rockies

DEC. 7, 2024

2 PM



One Starry Night



\$25 General
12 & Under Free

BETHANY CHAPEL
3333 RICHARDSON WAY SW
CALGARY

All proceeds to the Calgary Food Bank

TICKETS/INFO:

403-651-8513

sing4fun.ca

eventbrite.ca



PDX Voices

December 7



SATURDAY
12/7 @ 4PM
BEAVERTON, OR
BARBERSHOP
SOUNDS OF
THE SEASON



Tickets

Available online and at the door.
General Admission: \$20 online / \$25 door
Students & Seniors: \$15 online / \$20 door
Kids 8 and under: FREE!

Special Treat! The audience will be invited to learn and sing a little song snippet you can take home with you!

Star Harmony Chorus

December 7

Star Harmony
and Friends
PRESENT

WE NEED A LITTLE CHRISTMAS



7
DECEMBER
2:00 PM | 7:00 PM

CLOVERDALE CHURCH OF GOD
3755 S. CLOVERDALE, BOISE, ID

tickets at www.starharmonychorus.com | \$15
Children 12 and under are free

A portion of the proceeds will be donated to Make-A-Wish Idaho

West Sound Chorus

December 7

Back by popular demand, see a classic holiday movie with music, voices, and sound effects produced live on stage!

The West Sound Chorus
Christmas Show



With **Acapella Soundsations Chorus**

Go to the movies, Barbershop style!

When?

Saturday, December 7th - 2:00pm & 7:00pm

Where?

Central Kitsap Performing Arts Center, Silverdale



tinyurl.com/RudyTwo

Harmony Nanaimo

December 8



• HARMONY NANAIMO PRESENTS •

It's Christmas... Company's Coming!

Tidesmen A Cappella Chorus
Rising Tide All Voices Chorus
Harmony Nanaimo Quartets

Special Guest:
Lauren Raetz
Vocal Award Winner
Lionel Hampton
Jazz Festival

SATURDAY DECEMBER 7
2:00PM - MATINEE
QUALICUM BEACH
CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CENTRE
825 VILLAGE WAY

SUNDAY DECEMBER 8
2:00PM - MATINEE
NANAIMO
HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
6234 SPARTAN ROAD

TICKETS
\$25

From Chapter Members
On-line at WWW.TIDESMEN.COM
And Select Community Vendors

SCAN HERE TO
BUY TICKETS



WITH SUPPORT FROM 



Okanagan Vocal Harmony
December 8

Okanagan Vocal Harmony

Home for the Holidays



DECEMBER 8th
3:00pm
Creekside Theatre
Lake Country

Special Guests:
White Sails
A Cappella Chorus

www.okanaganvocalharmony.org

Boise Chordsmen

December 10 & 11



Cascade Chorus

December 14

The poster features a festive design with a pink background and white snowflakes. At the top, there are green pine branches, red and gold ornaments, and two candy canes. In the center, a row of green Christmas trees is positioned above the text "CASCADE CHORUS" in large, bold, black letters. Below this, "Community Christmas Celebration" is written in a red, cursive font. Two candy canes frame the text. Underneath, it says "benefit for" in a small, black, sans-serif font. To the left of the word "FOOD" is a green logo featuring a white circle with a fork and a spoon, and a green leaf. The word "FOOD" is in large, bold, black letters, and "For Lane County" is in a smaller, black, sans-serif font below it. On the left side, a yellow circle contains the text "FREE admission with donation of 3 items of nonperishable food". Below this text are three cans of food: one with a Santa Claus face, one with a Christmas tree, and one with an orange slice. In the center, there is a QR code with the text "Scan here for details" below it. On the right side, the text "SATURDAY December 14th 2:00 pm" is displayed in a bold, black, sans-serif font. Below this, the location "Eugene Church of Christ 2424 Norkenzie Rd Eugene" is listed in a black, sans-serif font. The bottom of the poster is decorated with green pine branches, red and gold ornaments, and two candy canes.

CASCADE CHORUS
Community Christmas Celebration

benefit for

 **FOOD**
For Lane County

FREE admission with donation of 3 items of nonperishable food



Scan here for details

SATURDAY
December 14th
2:00 pm

Eugene
Church of Christ
2424 Norkenzie Rd
Eugene

Seattle Seachordsmen

December 14



Santa's Love Language

a barbershop holiday show



December 14th 2024
2:00p & 6:00p
Phinney Ridge Lutheran
7500 Greenwood Ave N

seachordsmen.org/HolidayShow

Tacoma Vocal Standard

December 14

Tacoma Vocal Standard
presents...

A North Pole Romance

A Prequel

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER
14TH
3:00PM**

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TACOMA
602 N ORCHARD ST TACOMA WA**

**WITH HEADLINING
QUARTET: HOT NOTES!**



**\$20 TICKETS. KIDS 12
& UNDER FREE.
SPECIAL DISCOUNT
RATES FOR HEROES,
SENIORS, TEACHERS,
STUDENTS & GROUPS
OF 10+. AFTERGLOW
PARTY TO FOLLOW
3PM SHOW.**



**WEAR AN UGLY
SWEATER & GET \$5
OFF AT THE DOOR!**

www.TacomaVocalStandard.com

Lilac City Voices

December 14



PRESENTS

Festive Favorites

Saturday, December 14

7:30 p.m.

Doors open at 7:00 p.m.



St Stephen's
Episcopal Church
5720 S Perry St., Spokane

\$20 - Adults

\$10 - Students



An Evening of Christmas Carols featuring
the **Spectrum Singers**
Silent auction/raffle
Cocoa and cookies to follow!

Ticket Information at lilaccityvoices.org

Lilac City Voices is a 501(c)(3)
performing arts organization

Timbre

The December 2024 issue of **TIMBRE** is **PACKED** with information!



TIMBRE



Quarterly Newsletter of the **Evergreen District** of the Barbershop Harmony Society
"With One Voice"

From The Editors

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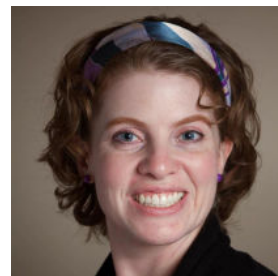
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