



FootNotes



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Director's Notes

SCOK/One Voice...Growing & Glowing

As the "Mother Ship", the Sarasota Chorus of The Keys is the anchor of the competition effort AND the glue that holds us firmly together. It is with great pleasure we proudly update the SCOK on the progress of our competition journey, and offer a great BIG thank you for your ongoing support.

Gentlemen- we could not ask for a better effort than what was put forth on Saturday 08-29-09. The championship intensity level and boundless energy is representative of a group willing to pay the price for championship results. Your musical and presentation directing team wants to share a simple word of thanks to EACH man who chose to give of their most valuable resource- "Your Time". We now look forward to our first Tuesday Night Session 09-1-09 as we diligently prepare for an outstanding rehearsal.

"Special Thank Yous" go out to some truly "special" heroes who have taken it upon themselves to lead by example- Kirk Hyder, Tom Bronson, Amos Velez and ALL of the Section Leaders.

THE SECTION LEADERS- worked for one hour perfecting the "One Voice Unit Sound". Invaluable!! AMOS VELEZ- prepared a visual strategy and took "still facial photos" to help men see their progress.

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Calendar

Oct. 1-4: Fall Convention in Jacksonville

2010

Jan. 26 to 31: 2010 Midwinter Convention, Tampa Florida at the Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center, Carol Morsani Hall. Details to come later.

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TOM BRONSON- designed, developed and delivered an incredible FRONT ROW ROUTINE.

KIRK HYDER- what a leader. When Coacher and Gipp arrived during the coffee and doughnut time, 30 men were on the risers rehearsing the presentation plan for MA- under the leadership of Kirk Hyder. They had been rehearsing since 8:00 and given our 9:00 chorus start time... well, you do the math. Kirk proves once again that he is a champion who leads by example

Here is a word of thanks for all these GIANTS:

Inspired By Joanna Fuchs

You Made Our Day

We appreciate your kindness
More than words can say;
The very nice things you did for us
Really made our day!

Your Directing Team,
Coacher and GGG

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Member

9-01 Tristan St John
9-07 Hank Vomacka

And Spouse

9-01 Kathleen Daum, Bob
9-02 Lola Lambert, Dick

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

9-01 Frank & Dorothy Chlad
9-01 Jim & Janice Reckard
9-01 Lowell & Berry Wolfe
9-04 Jim & June Diehl
9-05 Frank & Rose Astorino
9-06 Bob & Barbara Quinn

9 performances, 7 dates

The following dates have been confirmed.
Please mark your calendars.

Sat. Nov. 7: 7:00 PM, Kirkwood Presbyterian,
Bradenton
Fri. Nov. 13: 7:00 PM, Pine Shores Presbyterian,
Sarasota
Sat. Nov. 28: 2:00 & 7:00 PM, Glenridge
Christmas Shows
Sun. Nov. 29: Longboat Chapel. (16-20 men)
Sat. Dec. 5: 8:00 PM, Bird Key, (12-14 men)
Sun. Dec. 20: 2:00 & 7:00 Pm, Glenridge
Christmas Shows
Sun. Feb. 21: 5:00 PM Church of the Redeemer,
Sarasota

Sunshine News

A THOUGHT TO REMEMBER

Do not think about the cost of doing something
think about the cost of doing nothing.

No new news of anyone.

Cards, calls & prayers are always welcome.
Sunshine Chair— Ed Manville **941-346-8219**
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ATTENTION: ALL PROGRAM AD SALESPERSONS

Dick Bechtel reports that he has not yet heard from any member with news of selling an AD. We only have eight weeks left to wrap up our ad campaign, and he is getting nervous. There are a lot of envelopes yet to be picked up. And, seriously, if we're going to continue with our tradition of providing our show patrons with a "first class" program, we have to pay for the \$3,500.00 printing bill with AD sales. Not ADs, no Program. This is important. Very important. We'll need 50 ads at an average price of \$70.00 each to reach our goal. It would be nice to sell 70 ads, like we did in 2008.

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