

CAVEMAN CHORUS NEWS

October 12, 2006

Your newsletter is back. Your editor had a great holiday. He also forgot his camera at last practice.

Practice

We had our first practice since Contest on Thursday this last week. We have started practicing for the Annual Show, "A Cappella Showcase", Saturday, December 9, 2006, 7:30 pm. Missing from our ranks were Leads – **Billie Hurt, Jason Drapper, Mike Burdette, Jeff Jones, Rich Hornbeak;** Tenors – **Jamie Poff,** Baritones – **Brad Caffey, Chad Reagan, Mike Wheeley, Matt Nelson;** Basses – **Adam Wheeley, Jack Jacobsen, Matt Martin.** We missed the ones that weren't there.

We had a long discussion regarding riser etiquette. It was agreed that we would let Greg have control of the chorus while we are on the risers. That means that members of the chorus will not talk for Greg on how to correct errors, etc. It also means that members will not talk to each other while Greg is working with a particular section. It means that we will pay attention to what Greg is trying to teach us. There is no penalty for not going along with this agreement, other than the chorus not sounding as well as it could, because of the disruptions caused by several people talking at the same time others are trying to learn their part.

Performances/Gigs

Future performances are as follows:

December 1 - Christmas party and Installation of 2007 Officers at Park Mammoth Resort Hotel in Park City. Social hour begins at 5:30 pm

December 3 - Performance at Mammoth Cave National Park. Wear a colorful sweater.

December 8 - Dress rehearsal at the Capital Arts Center. 7:00 pm. No uniform required.

December 9 at 7:30 pm - **Caveman Chorus 33rd Annual Show, "A' Cappella Showcase"**, Capitol Theatre, Bowling Green, KY,. Come to the Capital at 5:00 pm. Food will be available. Bring uniforms - details later.

December 14 - Sing at Village Manor (where Jack Jacobsen lives)

Annual Show

The program for the annual show is as follows:

"A Cappella Showcase"

Opening set -- **chorus** -- 12 min.

1. Ring out the bells in Dixieland
2. Where the southern roses grow
3. Look me up when you're in Dixie

Second set -- quartet -- 15 min.
Comin' Clean

Third set -- **chorus** -- 12 min.

1. Sittin' on top of the world
2. Blue velvet
3. 50's Medley

Fourth set -- chapter quartet -- 12 min.
Lock & Key

Fifth set -- ensemble -- 15 min.
Red Shirts

INTERMISSION
12 MINUTES

Sixth set -- chapter quartet -- 12 min.

Past 'n' Present

Seventh set -- quartet -- 18 min.
2nd Nature

Eighth set -- feature quartet -- 25 min.
Hot Topic

Ninth set -- **chorus** and quartets -- 15 min.

1. Have yourself a merry little Christmas - Octet
2. A Christmas song - **chorus**
3. Hot Topic singing a song - quartet
4. Red Shirts singing a song - ensemble (?)
5. It came upon a midnight clear medley - **chorus**

Final set -- **entire cast** -- 5 min. with intros

1. Let there be peace on earth

With these times, that will put the show at 153 minutes, approx. 2hrs,33 min. This is going to be a great show.

Advertising needs to start now. Please talk to folks about advertising in our program so we can make money on the show.

Tickets are available for sale now. See Jack Stoess.

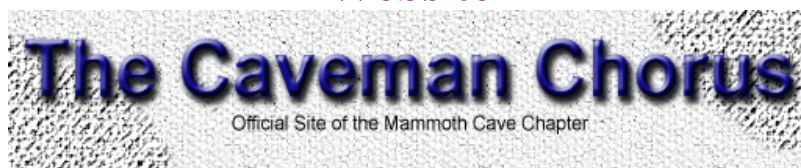
This is our major fund raiser. **Help!**

Fall Contest



We came in fifth. The contest was close. It would have been nice if we had done better, but there is always “next time”.

Website



If you have questions on how to use it (not the info, but the site), call **Josh Givens**

Send your news to **Mike Jones** at mjones685@insightbb.com. You can also give me information at practice. Write it down, and I have a good chance of remembering it. Don't, and there is a very good probability that I won't think of it again until the next time I see you.