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Meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at Coventry Church of the Brethren, 946 Keen Road, (South Keim Street & East Cedarville Rd.) Pottstown, PA 19465

Director Opening for Pottstown Chapter, Ches-Mont Jubilaires Chorus

The Pottstown Pa. Chapter is looking for a new Director.

This would be a great starter chorus for an Assistant Director of a Chapter. We are members of the Central Division of the Mid-Atlantic District, and have been in continued existence for the past 33 years.

We meet every Tuesday evening from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at Pottstown, PA 19465. If interested contact President Tom Vagasky at 484-949-4409 for details for this position. Director fees and contract will be discussed at the audition. Chapter web page www.jubilaires.com Guests are always welcomed to sing with us!

Hoagie Sale tickets have been distributed to Members

Ronal Roth who is chairing the Hoagie Sale distributed ten tickets to each member to sell. The price of the the Hoagie tickets is \$7 and are valid for starting July 5th and ending on October 13, 2016. The Ice House Steaks and Pizza, located at NE Corner of King and Manatawny Street, Pottstown is where tickets can be redeemed. Each member is asked to help sell hoagie tickets to help defray the chapter expenses. Our past hoagie sales have been a successful moneymaker.

Thank you Ron for the work you do on the Hoagie Sale.

Chapter Members Paul DiMascio and Brett Thomas enjoyed attending the July 3-10, 2016 International Barbershop Convention in Nashville, Tenn.

Ches-Mont Jubilaires performed at Coventry Church of the Brethren

Ches-Mont Jubilaires took part in the 10:45 a.m. Sunday, August 7 service at Coventry Church of the Brethren 946 Keen Road, Pottstown, Pa. 19465

Directing the Ches-Mont Jubilaires chorus was LeRoy Scheffler in "How Great Thou Art" and "I Believe". Also performing was Downtown Sound quartet performing "Faith Of Our Fathers".

We thank Edward Wood for making the arrangements. Coventry Church of the Brethren is now our new site for holding our 7:30 p.m. Tuesday evening Barbershop Harmony rehearsals. You are invited to stop in and sing with us.

Pottstown Chapter Friendly's Night Monday, August 22nd - 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Rt. 100 & Shoemaker Road, Pottstown, Pa. Please attend and bring family and friends.

SHOW COMMITTEE NOTES:

At the Show Committee meeting recently held, it was voted to order music and learning tracks for the list of songs mentioned below:

SOMETHING
WHEN I'M 64
IT'S A WONDERFUL WORLD;
AIN'T MISBEHAVIN
DON'T BLAME ME
GOODNIGHT SWEETHEART GOODNIGHT

ALSO SUGGESTED, THE ANNUAL SHOW TITLE, "A BLAST FROM THE PAST", THAT NEEDS TO BE CONFIRMED AT NEXT MEETING.

Ches-Mont Jubilaires Western Division Contest -- 2009 & 2010 Most Improved Chorus Award Singing fraternity of men, drawn by their love of the four-part, a cappella, close-harmony style of music known as barbershop.

~~~ 2016 Calendar Dates ~~~

Chapter Guest Night, every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. Be a Singer Bringer!

Remember that Membership begins with <u>ME</u>. And bring a guest to our Tuesday rehearsals. Be a singer bringer! COME and Sing with the Ches-Mont Jubilaires Chorus.

Keep in mind the six-M's of recruiting: Find'em, Bring'em, Thrill'em, Sign'em, Train'em, And Keep'em.

We, that means that every member is responsible for recruiting. Let's work together and start recruiting <u>NOW</u>.

Our chapter will grow in numbers if we all try.

2017 International Convention July 2-9, 2017 to be held in Las Vegas, Nev. Information at www.barbershop.org/lasvegas

2016 Mid-Atlantic District Fall Convention Update.

This message is to inform you of a change to The date of the Fall Convention, 2016. The M-A-D Board of Directors authorized a change to the date of our 2016 Mid-Atlantic District Fall Convention to September 16-17, 2016. The Events Team was able to secure the Lancaster Convention Center and the Lancaster Marriott Hotel for our 2016 Fall District Convention.

The Events Team apologizes for any inconvenience this change may cause to our District members.

Mid-Atlantic District Convention List

September 16, 2016 - Fall District - Lancaster, PA March 31, 2017 - Spring Prelims - Reading, PA April 28, 2017 - Central Division - Reading, PA May 26, 2017 - Southern Division - Reston, VA

> ~~~Happy Birthday~~~ August 7, Arlan Davis August 13, Ernest Fink August 19, LeRoy Scheffler

~~~Happy Anniversary ~~~
Aug 22, John and Anna McCloskey ~ 50 years

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~~ Membership Renewals ~~
John McCloskey ~ 45 Years
Thank you for your many years of service!
"Keep The Whole World Singing"

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It is great to sing in harmony!

Barbershopper of the Month

Edward Wood was selected a Barbershopper for the Month for June. Ed sings tenor in the chorus, and sings same part in the Downtown Sound Chapter Quartet. Ed made our new meeting place arrangements with Coventry Brethren Church at 946 Keen Street, Potstown, Pa. 19465.

He volunteers to bring members to rehearsals and concert performances. Ed is always promoting our Barbershop chapter in many ways.

Thank you Paul DiMascio for hosting recently the special chapter meeting and rehearsal at your home.

Ches-Mont Jubilaires invites you to buy a Friends Helping Friends Shopping Pass for Tuesday, October 18, 2016

The Friends Helping Friends ticket is a **25%** discount shopping pass. The ticket is **\$5** each and the entire **\$5.00** goes directly to the **Ches-Mont Jubilaires** who sold the ticket.

Ticket holder is eligible to win fabulous door prizes including shopping sprees as well as valuable merchandise items. Free refreshments will be served throughout the day at our Boscov's Department Stores. Remind your friends and relatives that we are now selling Boscov's 25% discount shopping tickets, and to buy them from any of our members. See **Bruce Loud** for tickets now to get an early start with this fundraiser. The shopping pass can be used at any Boscov's stores on **October 18, 2016.**

International Chorus Finals, Nashville, Tenn.

St. Charles, MO is the International Chorus Champion

- 1. St. Charles, MO, Ambassadors of Harmony (CSD) 96.8
- 2. Metro Kansas City, MO, Central Standard (CSD) 95.2
- 3. Santa Fe Springs, CA, Members of Harmony (FWD) 94.0
- 4. Toronto, ON, Toronto, Northern Lights (ONT) 92.8
- 5. Denver Mile High, CO, Sound of the Rockies (RMD) 90.2
- 6. Alexandria VA, Alexandria Harmonizers (MAD) 89.6
- 8. Hershey, PA, Parkside Harmony (MAD) 87.8
- 10. Hell's Kitchen, NY, Voices of Gotham (MAD) 87.3
- 14. Hamilton Square, NJ, Brothers of Harmony (MAD) 83.4

International Quartet Finals, Nashville, Tenn.

- 1. Forefront (CAR) Quartet Champion 93.3
- 2. Lemon Squeezy (SNOBS) 92.8
- 3. Main Street (SUN) 92.6
- 4. Signature (SUN) 90.9
- 5. Throwback (SUN) 89.1
- 6. After Hours (ILL) 88.3
- 7. Quorum (JAD) 88.3
- 8. Stockholm Syndrome (SNOBS) 87.0
- 9. Artistic License (FWD) 86.7

