

# *Secret Chorus Business*

*Integrity – Commitment – Fun*  
*Dare to be Different*

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## **DORIS WARD AWARD 2019** (Sweet Adeline of the Year)



**Nominations are due before Sunday 24 March.**

The Doris Ward Award was instigated in 2006 to recognize the work of CKC's founder and Director for six years, Doris Ward. The purpose of this award is to recognize, honour and thank a special member in our Chorus for her contributions to the chorus. A perpetual trophy is presented annually and the recipient of the award is our Sweet Adeline of the Year, recognized at Convention with a certificate.

Nominations are now invited from the chorus. Any current full chorus member is eligible for nomination with the exception of Doris Ward, Vicki Dwyer and the previous year's winner, Inese Kamenyitzky

The ideal candidate:

Serves CKC to the best of her ability without thought of personal gain  
May hold an elected position or other high profile but is not the previous year's winner, or Doris Ward, or the Music Director.

The candidate displays many or all of the following traits at chorus level:

- Has excellent attendance records at rehearsals, performances, fund raising and other chorus activities
- Willingly takes on responsibilities and generously donates her skills when required
- Can be depended upon to carry through tasks/projects to completion
- Shows keen interest in chorus affairs, respecting and supporting decisions made by chorus Management Team or Music Staff
- Believes in the importance of her personal marketing responsibility to present her chorus, the region and Sweet Adelines International in the best positive way to the general public.

Please email your nominations including a paragraph or two with the reason why you are nominating a person to Diane Jenkins – [\*\*dianejenkins532@gmail.com\*\*](mailto:dianejenkins532@gmail.com)

A full list of nominees and their attributes will be published to members in time for voting on Wednesday March 27.

Previous winners are

2006: Doris Ward

2007: Deborah Martin

2008: Di Godwin  
2009: Rosemary Champion  
2010: Stephanie Wallbank  
2011: Diane Jenkins  
2012: Liz Perry-Windhorst  
2013: Judith Bourne

2014: Kate Hawkins  
2015: Stephanie Wallbank  
2016: Karen Tucker  
2017: Karen Totaro  
2018: Inese Kamenyitzky

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## MEMBERSHIP DRIVE 2019

Workshop Songs – Almost Like Being In Love & I Wish You Love

**Graduation – CKC to perform full Harmony Classic Package with costume and props.**

### Weekly Lesson Plan

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| 1. alignment and breathing                     | 6. coordination                                |
| 2. phonation                                   | 7. fundamentals of the barbershop style        |
| 3. resonating                                  | 8. recap - looking at videos of other choruses |
| 4. vowels and diphthongs                       |  |
| 5. consonants pitched, singable and percussive |  |

## SKILLS ADVANCEMENT WEEKEND

- Please see Liz Perry's email for details and payment information.

### Schedule

#### Saturday

- Rehearsal Start - 9.00am
- Morning Tea - 11.00 to 11.20am (CKC provide)
- Lunch - 1.00 to 1.45pm
- Afternoon Tea - 3.30 to 3.50pm (CKC provide)
- Dinner - 6.00pm
- Evening Activities - 7.00 to 10.00pm

#### Sunday

- Breakfast - 7.30 to 8.30am
  - Rehearsal Start - 9.00am
  - Morning Tea - 11.00 to 11.20am (CKC provide)
  - Lunch - 1.00 to 1.45pm
  - Chapel Set Up - 2.00 to 2.30pm
  - Graduation - 3.00 to 4.00pm
  - Reset Chapel - 4.00pm
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## **FUNDRAISING - EASTER BASKET RAFFLE**



For our raffle this year the fundraising committee are asking for egg donations. If you are able to help with providing an Easter Egg or two please bring them along to rehearsal. Cheryl Benson will be collecting your donations over the next couple of weeks.



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## **STAR OF THE WEEK**

**To nominate a member:** Please email Jen Senior ([jasenior@hotmail.com](mailto:jasenior@hotmail.com)) with the member's name and short description as to why you would like to nominate that person.



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## **MEMBER LEAVE**

Are you planning on taking holidays or unable to attend rehearsal?  
If so please email [absence@circularkeys.org](mailto:absence@circularkeys.org)

Current member leave

Karen Totaro	23/01/19 – 24/07/19
Kaye Kendall	06/03/19 – 27/03/19
Milly Baeza	08/03/19 – 01/05/19
Debbie Proctor	06/03/19 – 14/08/19
Kath Ware	17/04/19 – 08/05/19
Steph Wallbank	01/05/19 – 08/05/19
Ann Keating	08/05/19 - 22/05/19
Maria Priestly	08/05/19 – 19/06/19
Liz Perry	26/06/19 – 31/07/19
Cheryl Benson	10/07/19 – 17/07/19
Alison Anderson	17/07/19 – 24/07/19
Lyn Howells	04/09/19 – 30/10/19

Using this email address ensures the Musical Director, Membership and the Music Team are all notified at the same time.

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## **CONVENTION TASK - HOBART 2019 MEDAL COORDINATION**

This year CKC has taken on the role of coordinating the medals for Convention 2019. This task offers CKC \$500 from the region.

Sue Gray will be leading this for CKC and in the future will be seeking volunteers to assist with putting the medal sets with ribbon together.

## SUPPER ROSTER

- WED 13. MAR - KAREN TUCKER, DORIS W, JUDITH B, MARIA P, YASI W, JENNY D. HOSP TEAM - YASI & JENNY D (milk)
- WED 20. MAR - STEPH W, LYN H, DIANE J, MAREA W, SUSAN K, ANNE H  
HOSP TEAM - ANNE & SUSAN (milk)
- WED 27. MAR - CAROL L, SUE G, JEN KUMAR, JESSI F, VERNE (birthday cake), INESE (milk). HOSP TEAM - VERNE & JESSI

## DIARY DATES

<b>2019</b>	
February - April	New Members Drive (13 Feb start – 7 April finish)
March 27	Doris Ward Award Vote (Sweet Adeline of the Year)
April 6 & 7	Skills Advancement Weekend @ St Josephs
April 11	Fundraising - Cake Stall @ Bunnings Castle Hill
April 13	BHA Eastern Region Competition
April 17	CKC Annual General Meeting
May 16-19	Sweet Adelines Australia Competition - Hobart
May 31 – June 2	Coaching Weekend – Anne Downton
June 15	Fundraising - Cake Stall @ Bunnings Castle Hill
July 13	Fundraising - Trivia Night!!!
August 10	Concert – Sydney Harmony @ Hornsby RSL
September 22	Fundraising - Bunnings BBQ @ Castle Hill
November 22-24	Education – Steve Scott - Canberra
<b>2020</b>	
Feb – 21 -23	Coaching Weekend @ St Joseph's
May – 14-17	Convention – Hobart – Diane Huber

## SUGGESTION BOX

The Suggestion Box is kept on top of the microwave during rehearsal for you to place a note you would like management Team to address.

6 March 2019

**UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS**

Jennifer Kumar Mar 07

Kate Hawkins Mar 26

Jessica Foulke Mar 27

Doris Ward Mar 29