

# *Secret Chorus Business*

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

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## **REHEARSAL REQUIREMENTS FOR MARCH 2021**

And we are back...inside in the Pacifica Room.

Please note that the following will apply for rehearsals at St Josephs through March 2021.

Arrival: 6.30pm onwards

Departure: 10.30pm – 11.00 pm

As per the current restrictions:

1. On arrival at St Josephs, please sign in via the QR scan code and the sign in sheet
2. Rehearsals will be in the Pacifica Room and will take place without risers. We will still need to maintain social distancing as per the current COVIDSafe guidelines:
  - No more than 30 performers should sing indoors.
  - All performing singers should face forwards and not towards each other, having physical distance of 1.5m between each other and any other performers, and be 5m from all other people including the audience and director, where practical.
  - In indoor areas, audience members should not participate in singing or chanting.
  - Members of the audience are required to wear face masks when performers are singing
3. Receptionist will be on duty until 8.30pm
4. Tea/Coffee etc will be in the Pacifica Lounge area
5. We will need to turn off the lights in the Pacifica Room and exit via the night doors.



In order to comply with the restrictions, we are implementing a ticket system – 30 tickets will be available to the first 30 people who arrive at rehearsals. The 30 ticket holders will be able to sing, and **anyone without a ticket** will have to be in the **audience, not sing and wear a face mask**. Should a ticket holder wish to sit out of part of the rehearsal, they should hand over their ticket to someone in the audience so they can participate in the rehearsal.



## **DORIS WARD AWARD 2021 (Sweet Adeline of the Year)**



Nominations are due before Wednesday 31 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, Ann Keating.

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 Carol Lutz – [incazo@bigpond.net.au](mailto:incazo@bigpond.net.au)

A full list of nominees and their attributes will be published to members in time for voting on Wednesday April 07.

Previous winners are:

2006: Doris Ward	2013: Judith Bourne
2007: Deborah Martin	2014: Kate Hawkins
2008: Di Godwin	2015: Stephanie Wallbank
2009: Rosemary Champion	2016: Karen Tucker
2010: Stephanie Wallbank	2017: Karen Totaro
2011: Diane Jenkins	2018: Inese Kamenyitzky
2012: Liz Perry-Windhorst	2019: Carol Lutz
	2020: Ann Keating

## UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

Jessi Foulke      March 27  
Jane Masters      March 28  
Doris Ward      March 29



Kath Ware      April 02  
Kaitlyn Dwyer      April 04

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## STAR OF THE WEEK



**Noticed one of our CKC members doing something fabulous lately? Why not recognize them with a nomination for the 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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## CHORUS PAYMENTS

Please be advised that EFT should be used for your payments to chorus. Please contact Sue Gray if you need further details, or if you have an issue that prevents you from paying using EFT.

Make sure you include your relevant information in the reference field so Sue knows who the payment is from and what it is for.

### **CKC Bank Account Details for online payments:**

Westpac Bank  
BSB 032170  
Account Number: 273702  
Account Name: Circular Keys Chorus Incorporated



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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)

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



### **Current member leave**

Judith Bourne	24/02 – 19/05/2021	Ann Keating	03/03 – 31/03/2021
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10 March 2021

## DIARY DATES

2021	
Wednesday 31 March	Special Meeting to vote on election of Management Team Last day for nominations for Doris Ward Award Vote (Sweet Adeline of the Year)
Wednesday 7 April	<b>Doris Ward Award Vote (Sweet Adeline of the Year)</b>