

Secret Chorus Business

05 July 2023

THIS WEEKS REHEARSAL

This week's rehearsal will be in the Pacifica Room.

- Arrival: 6.30pm onwards
- Rehearsal starting at 7.30pm
- Departure: 10.30pm – 11.00 pm

At this stage we are not planning to run Zoom rehearsals or Facebook live feeds during 2023.

Please Note:

1. On arrival, sign in as usual at the front desk
2. Please think of your chorus sisters and keeping them safe. We ask that you do not attend in person if:
 - a. You have tested positive for Covid within the last week
 - b. You are a close contact of someone with Covid
 - c. You are not well or have any symptoms, even if you have tested negative for Covid

If you are a casual contact with a covid case, should you attend rehearsal, we ask that you wear a mask.



Rehearsal Songs

- Almost Like Being in Love
- I Wish You Love
- And All That Jazz
- Don't Rain On My Parade

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**Tonight we will
vote on two new
members who
have passed
their auditions:**

Susie (bass)

Laura (lead)

Integrity ★ Commitment ★ Fun
Dare to be Different

LOVENOTES QUARTET, QUEENS OF HARMONY

Registrations Open



Registrations are now open for the LoveNotes 'Performance Magic' education weekend on **18-20 August 2023**.

This amazing Queens of Harmony quartet will be running a series of classes over the weekend, focusing on individual and ensemble skill development. And, of course, there will be a not-to-be-missed concert!

Workshop classes will run from Friday evening (commencing with a keynote address) until late Sunday afternoon with topics including:

- **Rehearsal techniques**
- **Performance anxiety**
- **Building a performance package**
- **Vocal health physiology**

There will also be coaching under class sessions. The full program is available on the registration page.

The venue is Southern Cross College in Burwood, Sydney. Registration for the whole weekend (including the show) is \$195.00.

Be part of the **preparation**, **passion** and **polish** and register here - <https://cvent.me/4b3eQw>



❖	Cheryl Wolfenden	July 08
❖	Inese Kamenyitzky	July 21
❖	Dani Groeschel	July 23
❖	Diane Jenkins	July 25
❖	Steph Wallbank	August 14

SUGGESTION BOX

Submitting Suggestions

Have a suggestion you want to raise? Simple the suggestionbox@circularkeys.org

This email has been set up so that it is sent to me (Team Coordinator) only and as you can see in this screenshot, I do not know who sent the email unless you want to sign it.

All suggestions will be discussed by the management team and outcomes of the discussions will be included in SCB.

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

ABOUT THE STAR OF THE WEEK

Any member of the chorus can nominate someone who has gone above and beyond, who has personally helped you, who has made a special difference or contribution to the Chorus or who has tried extra hard.

There are many other positive attributes that can be recognized with this award.

To nominate a member, simply email Frances Gurto (fgurto@gmail.com) with the member's name and short description as to why you would like to nominate them.

If no nominations are received, the star will not be awarded.



Congratulations to all our stars

YOUR MANAGEMENT TEAM

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| • Director | Vicki Dwyer |
| • Team Co-Ordinator | Carol Lutz |
| • Finance Manager | Sue Gray |
| • Secretary | Anne Harris |
| • Public Relations Co-Ordinator | Candace Deller |
| • Performance Co-Ordinator | Jane Masters |
| • Membership Chair | Frances Gurto |

Appointed members:

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| • Diane Jenkins | • Susan Kelly | • Pippa Anderson |
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DOONSIDE FESTIVAL

New Date - Saturday 23rd September 2023

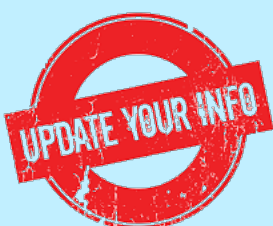
This festival has changed from 22nd July to 23rd September 2023

Performance Program

- I Wish You Love
- Almost Like Being In Love
- Something's Coming
- And All That Jazz
- All The Things You Are
- Don't Rain On My Parade

Please update/mark your attendance on the website

Please submit your risers – remember you can't perform if you haven't passed your risers



Please logon to the website and update your attendance and song status on a regular basis.

Your Music Team and Management Team work very hard behind the scenes and you can assist by taking responsibility for always making sure your status is up-to-date.

BE AN OOTER WITH ENDEAVOUR HARMONY

Compete in Harmony Classic at 2024 International

Lea Baker has reached out to advise that Endeavour have been invited to compete in the Harmony Classic in Kansas in 2024.

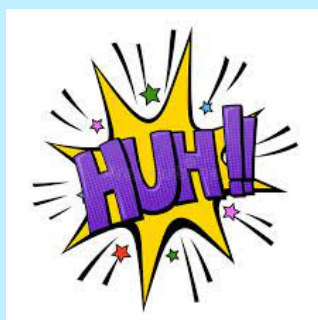
As we have declined the wildcard invitation, she is keen to let us know that EHC are looking for OOTERS to join them on stage in the contest.

Lea says “ We're looking for mainly baritones, and some basses and tenors and we'll take excellent leads too if they apply. Can you please let CKC know? We are working out the requirements for these dual members but they won't need to attend every Tue evening. Mainly the coaching weekends and Retreat”.

More details to come. Contact Lea Baker if you are interested. leasings3@gmail.com

SUPPER ROSTER

DATE	SUPPER	HOSP TEAM
Wed 5 th July	Casual Supper	
Wed 12 th July	Casual Supper	
Wed 19 th July	Casual Supper	
Wed 26 th July	Birthday Supper – July Birthday Supper	



An OOTER is an Out Of TOWnER – someone who joins another chorus to sing with them at an international competition

DIARY DATES

2023	
Fri 14 th July	Management team Meeting – Sue G's house – Bastille Day Theme
Fri 18 th – Sun 20 th August	LoveNotes Quartet Weekend Workshop and concert
Sat 19 th August	PERFORMANCE: Concert with Love Notes
Tue 22 nd August	LoveNotes coaching night for CKC
Sat 23 rd September	Doonside Festival Performance – 9:00 – 12:00
Friday 6 th - Sunday 8 th October	Coaching Weekend with Bec Hewitt in preparation for our Show Friday – Quartets, Sat/Sun - CKC
Sat 18 th November	Show with Sydney Harmony at Hornsby RSL
2024	
Saturday 24 th Feb	REF visit with Lea Baker
Wed 10 th - Sun 14 th April	Coaching with Bec Hewitt Thursday & Friday – Quartets, Wednesday night, Sat/Sun - CKC
Wed 17 th April	CKC AGM
Sat 4 th – Sun 5 th May	Coaching weekend 1 with Di Huber?
Sat 11 th – Sun 12 th May	Coaching weekend 2 with Di Huber?
Thu, 16 May 2024 to Mon, 20 May 2024	Sweet Adelines Australia Regional Convention – Freemantle WA

MEMBER LEAVE

Current member leave

Are you planning on taking holidays or unable to attend rehearsal?

If so please email
absence@circularkeys.org

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



Barb Morris	6 th Feb – ??
Sue Gray	19 th Aug – 6 th October 2023
Jane Masters	17 th May – 30 th July 2023
Inese Kamenyitzky	28 th June – 27 th July 2023
Rachael Moessis	14 th July – 25 th August 2023 13 th – 25 th November 2023
Kath Ware	17 th Aug – 3 rd Oct 2023
Frances Gurto	21 st June – 26 th July 2023
Pippa Anderson	22 nd Sep – 17 th Nov 2023
Jenny Do Rozario	2 nd Aug – 14 th Sep 2023
Kaye Kendall	2 nd – 30 th Aug 2023
Liz Perry	31 st May – 5 th July 2023
Ann Keating	10 th May – ??
Jessi Foulke	24 th May – 28 th June 2023
Emma Edwards	16 th Sep – 11 th Oct 2023
Dani Groeschel	19 th June – 20 th Aug 2023
Sue Rosenblum	21 st June – 12 th July 2023
Verne Mantova	16 th Aug – 27 th Sep 2023