

Wednesday
April 6 2016

Circular Keys
chorus

Secret Chorus Business

Circular Keys Chorus are creative musicians who inspire with heart, soul and musical excellence.
We dare to be different!

The risers must
come down

Supper

Ann K

Jen S

Sharon

Deborah M

Hospitality

Verne & Cathy

From the Music Director:

Recordings from last rehearsal are on the website.
Please listen to 1st and 2nd and note the changes. Practice the correct one with the choreo ready for recording in octets on Wednesday.
Check the performance list for Sunday. Please also practice those songs: time will be allocated in rehearsal for them.

Some sections are meeting to squeeze in extra practice time: please try and attend when you can as the smaller groups can make a big difference to confident sound and choreo.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM of Circular Keys Chorus will be held in the Pacifica room at St Josephs Centre on Wednesday April 27th 2016 during rehearsal.

As all elected positions on the Management Team will be declared vacant please consider your availability to take on one of the elected roles and continue the very fine tradition of CKC's management.
This is your opportunity to give something back to CKC; to be part of the planning and decision making at management level representing your colleagues in the chorus.

Elected positions to the Management Team in CKC are:
Team Coordinator, Finance Manager, Secretary, Membership chair,
Performance Coordinator and Public Relations.
All full members can vote at the AGM.

Many thanks to all for the wonderful 20th anniversary party.

Rehearsal on March 23 ended with a great celebration of our 20 years thanks to Elizabeth, Marea and Yasi's organisational skills. Thanks also to Cheryl Wickenden who got some of our best albums out for a trip down memory lane and to the combined efforts of Deborah and Heather Finch for an excellent video presentation. Hospitality provided lovely food and bubbly for the occasion not forgetting a very special cake.

If you missed any of that have a look at our Facebook site where you will find a great celebratory video and many other pictures of our most recent events.

Congratulations to our 20 year members,

Mary Owen, Joanne Rogerson, Maria Priestley and Liz Vrhovsek.
What a fabulous milestone of singing, service and friendship.
Thank you for your leadership and commitment. The emerald pin will look well on your shirts.

Blacktown City Council Seniors Week performance

This Sunday April 10.

This very special performance for Blacktown City Council's Seniors Week celebrations is an annual event but our first with them. We will be on stage for 30 minutes to a full house of approximately 300-400 senior citizens. We are the opening act for the Seniors concert and will be joined by our very own Alouette. It will be a wonderful performance opportunity for us all. Please note the changes to costume, call up time. Make-up and the performance list is also on the site. Please check the website calendar for details.

Heartiest Congratulations to Karen Tucker, our Doris Ward Award recipient for 2016.

There were many nominees; a reflection of the above and beyond duties so many perform behind the scenes which helps make CKC the great chorus it is. We are proud of you all. We are delighted to be sending Karen's name and details off to the Region for her recognition at SAA Convention 2016.



6 weeks to go

Registration to attend convention closes this Friday 8 April.

Farewell Pam

Pamela Tolmie said farewell recently as she has decided to resign. Thank you Pam for your heartfelt words to us all, your inspiration, love of CKC and your friendship. We certainly will look forward to seeing you around as our friend and supporter.

Fundraising

The latest enterprise of fundraising for Chorus is the sale of Entertainment books. Please let Ann Keating know if you would like one. Details are on the website. You could even order one for a friend in another state! What a great gift. \$65 - \$70.

To view the choreo video of Heather:

1. Go to www.youtube.com
2. Log in with user name ckcvisual@hotmail.com.au
3. Password is ckcmembers2
4. From the YouTube home page, looking in the menu on the left hand side, look under Library and click on 2016 CKC. You are looking for the video called "Midnight Choo Choo choreo with Heather 23 Mar16". It's 42 minutes long.
5. If you can't find the video there, just paste this link in your web browser and then sign into the CKC account:
<https://youtu.be/uoTVlxqFNm4>
6. Note that you can download the video to your own computer so you are not using up download data each time you view it. After you've gone to the video's page, click on Video Manager then find the video again on the list, and click the down arrow next to Edit. Click on Download MP4.

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. The next MT meeting is on April Thursday April 14.

<i>April birthdays</i>	
<i>Kaitlyn Dwyer</i>	<i>4th</i>
<i>Cheryl Benson</i>	<i>7th</i>
<i>Vicki Dwyer</i>	<i>20th</i>
<i>Linda Vitali-Alchin</i>	<i>21st</i>

From the whiteboard

Everybirdy pay attention to rhythms mouth - 'what' = oe

aisle aisle aisle aisle aisle

heart = hoert clo-own: watch hands! dragon nostrils

mask of play = masskoevplehee fangs-stretch-angst chew, chew

push beats - expanded sound grow BAM!

DIARY DATES

APRIL	
Sunday 10	Performance, Blacktown Seniors. Call up at 11.15a.m.
Wednesday 13	Faculty visit from Lea Baker
Wednesday 27	AGM. (reports in by 12th)
Saturday 30	Workshop with Lea Baker (to May 1)
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Sunday 1st	Workshop with Lea Baker
Wednesdays 4-18	Coaching for Convention. Details TBA
Sat. - Sun. 14 - 15	Proposed Skype/training/rehearsal time at St Josephs Please keep these days free.
Fri. 20 - Sun. 22	CONVENTION, Wollongong
JUNE	
Friday 17th	Blue Illusion Castle Hill, (Fundraiser) . 11 - 2 p.m.
JULY	
Saturday 2	Trivia night at St Josephs. (Fundraiser) All welcome.
Fri. 15 - Sun 17	AHA , Auckland, NZ. (Acapella International Weekend)
Sunday 17	Bunnings Sausage sizzle: Castle Hill
SEPTEMBER	
Saturday 17	Concert at Independent Theatre, North Sydney
Tuesday 20	Sing at Polio Conf. MCA, Circular Quay. (evening)