



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

### **Christmas Songs**

- All I Want For Christmas Is You
- Christmas Chopstix
- Do You Hear What I Hear
- Have Yourself A Merry Little
  Christmas
- It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like Christmas
- Jingle Bell Rock
- Jingle Bells

- Santa Baby
- Santa Claus Is Coming To Town
- Silent Night
- The Little Drummer Boy
- The Secret Of Christmas
- Various Themes Of "Fa-La-La"
- We Need A Little Christmas

### FACEBOOK – CIRCULAR KEYS GROUP

Including in SCB for all members to see

Vicki Dwyer Just have to share - I can't agree more.

https://www.facebook.com/MoFieldCoach/posts/318088038376300

Mo Field - Vocal Performance Coach 9 October 2014

the thing about singing in a chorus ... when you are a part of something bigger than yourself, it is so easy to rest back a little and feel that carrying just enough of your part is enough ... but here is the thing - if everyone does that, subtly the momentum of the chorus suffers. .. and soon, increasingly, people think it's acceptable to miss rehearsals here and there, or show up half prepared and lean on others. it happens in every group ... yes, EVERY group - don't try and deny it ....

it is a slippery slope for even the most dedicated of choruses.

no matter the size or calibre of your ensemble, you are better to carry the unshakable feeling that the chorus culture and habits depend on YOUR reliability alone ! .. if not you, then WHO?

... we ALL must be heroes ...

make it worth while. if you spend your time, make the most of it ! .. give more than is requested - learn that music a week earlier than expected .. learn more than one part

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.. do something EXTRA without being asked ! ... worker smarter - and even harder ... your reward is integrity.

this builds culture and a healthier climate for everyone! esprit de corps is what it is ALL about.

the more you give, the more you get. it is in the giving that miracles and magic live. who doesn't want that?

so, how else does one become magnificent? is it the director's responsibility to make it happen FOR you? ... your section leader makes it happen FOR you? .. on the back of your membership card, does it say "this is somebody elses chorus. i just sing in it" ...? ....

if you want to grow, start digging in more deeply. help yourself. .. better yet, explore the joys and benefits of being of service to others ! everyone has SOMETHING to offer ...

so, consider this mantra "if you are part of something bigger than yourself, then for goodness sake, ACT like you are bigger than yourself !

.. and remember, as carlos santana says .. "there is nothing more contagious than enthusiasm" ....

### STAR OF THE WEEK

Congratulations – Congratulations Kelly Tipton



Who is a Star! It may be that member you know who has gone above and beyond, who has personally helped you, who has made a special difference or contribution to the Chorus, who has tried extra hard. There are many other attributes you will think of which will be appropriate.

#### To nominate a member:

Please email Jen Senior (<u>jasenior@hotmail.com</u>) with the member's name and short description as to why you would like to nominate that person.

### **CHORUS THEME NIGHTS**

12 October – Sound of Music 9 November - Grease



Relive and dress as one of your favourite characters!!

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# **CKC CHRISTMAS PARTY**



## **CKC Contest Costume**

This is a reminder that payment of \$60 is due by the end of the year for the Teal Green Top that was introduced for competition earlier this year. Those who have paid thank you, if you are unsure if you have paid or not please ask Deborah.

Please make payment to the chorus either via cheque/cash in an envelope at chorus or EFT payment to the chorus account.

BSB: 032 170 Account: 273702 Name: Circular Keys Chorus

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## Las Vegas International Competition

## WEBCAST!!!!

#### http://www.sweetadswebcast.com/

	Sydney Date & Time	
Harmony Classic	Wednesday 19 October	12 - 4.45pm
Quartet Semi Finals - Hi-Jinx	Thursday 20 October Contestant #42	4am start 2.00pm on stage
Chorus Semi Finals - Melbourne Chorus - A Cappella West	Friday 21 October Contestant #11 Contestant #30	4am start 6.50am on stage 12.39pm on stage
Anne Gooch Award	Presentation to <i>Carol Macintyre</i> (Musical Director Perth Harmony Chorus)	2.00pm
Quartet Finals	Saturday 22 October	5.45am start
Chorus Finals	Sunday 23 October	5.45am start

Full details located at the Sweet Adelines International website: <u>http://sweetadelines.com/events/lasvegas2016convention/scheduleandlayout/</u>

### SUPPER ROSTER

DATE	NAMES	HOSPITALITY TEAM
Wed 12. OCT	DORIS W, KAREN TOTARO, LISSA L, YASI	YASI CATHY
Wed 19. OCT	MARY O, CATHY S, KAYE K, ANNE H	ANNE H CATHY
Wed 26. OCT	DEBBIE P, KAREN TOTARO, ALISON A, INESE (cake)	ALISON INESE

#### 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.

### **UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS**

<u>Ann Keating</u>	Oct 07
Michelle Coates	Nov 05
Alison Anderson	Nov 05
<u>Violeta Owen</u>	Nov 11
Frances Gurto	Dec 08



# **DIARY DATES**

OCTOBER	
Oct 18-22	Sweet Adelines International Competition – Las Vegas
NOVEMBER	
Thursday 17	Hills Community Care Annual Dinner
Thursday 24	Christmas in Parramatta (lighting of the Christmas Tree)
Sunday 27	Carols in the City, Martin Place
Wednesday 30	Coaching - Carol Persinger
DECEMBER	
Friday 9	Carols in the Park - Kenthurst Rotary
Monday 12	Carols in the City, Martin Place
Wednesday 14	Carols in the City, Martin Place
Friday 16	Carols in the City, Martin Place
Wednesday 21	CKC Christmas Party
2017	
January 25	FRIST REHEARSAL OF 2017
March 17-19	Coaching Workshop – Lynda Keever
April 29	Dress Rehearsal – Family & Friends
May 16	Rehearsal (Tuesday night)
May 18-21	Convention - Perth
July 7 – 9	Coaching Workshop – Gail Jencik