



REGION #19 MAILING

MARCH 2016

The Region #19 mailing contains vital information to be shared with *all* members.

- ♪ Presidents/Team Leaders are reminded to make appropriate reminders at rehearsals.
- ♪ Chapter REC's are reminded to distribute this mailing to the proper committee chairs and officers.
- ♪ Directions and their addenda are to be kept by the Secretary.
- ♪ Flyers should be posted.

Region #19 Philosophy

Women join Sweet Adelines because they love to sing. They stay because of the musical challenges, the rewards of individual achievement, and the rewards of performance and the sense of belonging. Therefore, Region #19 is a progressive women's organization which:

- ♪ Promotes excellence in the performance of barbershop harmony through education
- ♪ Creates an atmosphere of camaraderie among its membership
- ♪ Provides opportunities for individual growth.

Region 19 Website: www.region19sai.org

All submissions for the monthly mailing are due on the **27th OF EACH MONTH**. All submissions should be submitted in electronic form (Microsoft Word, or any graphic format – jpg, bmp, etc.), and sent to maggysings@verizon.net.

ATLANTIC BAY-MOUNTAIN REGION #19

CALENDAR OF EVENTS – updated February 2016

Key: ■=Chapter Events; ■=Regional Events; ■=International Events

* = newly added/modified events

2016

Regional Convention and Competition, Hershey, PA April 7-10, 2016
RMT Planning Meeting April 30-May 1
A.R.T. (Faculty: Sharon Babb) June 4
Regional F.L.A.S.H. (Faculty: Betty Clipman) September 23-25, 2016
International Convention, Las Vegas, NV October 18-22, 2016
Greater Harrisburg Chorus, Chapter Show, Lebanon, PA December 10
Valley Forge Chorus, Chapter Show December 10
Greater Harrisburg Chorus, Chapter Show, Harrisburg, PA December 11

2017

Singers' School (Faculty: TBD) January 20-22
Regional Convention and Competition, Hershey, PA April 6-9, 2017
Regional F.L.A.S.H. (Faculty: Judy Posgay & Sandy Marron) September 8 -10, 2017
International Convention, Las Vegas, NV October 10-14, 2017

2018

Regional Convention and Competition, Hershey, PA April 12-15, 2018
Regional F.L.A.S.H. (Faculty: Jim Arns & Renee Porzel) September 7 – 9, 2018

Please Note:

- If there are any additions and/or corrections to the regional calendar, please notify Sarah Nainan-Newhard, Team Coordinator, syuki63@gmail.com, and Marge Grossman: maggysings@verizon.net, Communications Coordinator.
- Chorus show dates do not have to be “cleared” with the Region; however, choruses should contact the Communications Coordinator to add your show date on this calendar. This will also help you learn when other choruses are planning their shows, and share your plans with other choruses.

Other Important Deadlines:

- Regional Mailing: submit to Marge Grossman (maggysings@verizon.net) by the **27th** of each month
- Hi Lo's: submit articles/photos/etc., to Marge Grossman, maggysings@verizon.net, by the deadlines indicated within the calendar.

NEWS & REMINDERS

- ✓ In order to get an accurate count for the *Hi-Lo's*, please email me the number of members in your chorus, not counting dual members – maggysings@verizon.net. *THANKS!*
- ✓ Please try to keep some type of “diary” of what your chorus/quartet has been, or will be, doing since the Fall *Hi-Lo's*, for submission to the *Hi-Lo's*. And, of course, save your photos!!
- ✓ Hey Quartets!! Let's hear from you, too!



MAXX Factor is hosting the 2016 MID-ATLANTIC Harmony Sweepstakes Contest

This year's *a cappella* contest will be held at the Birchmere in Alexandria, Virginia, on March 5th. MAXX will be hosting and performing. It's always an awesome contest! For tickets: thebirchmere.com.

GREATER HARRISBURG CHORUS

is accepting ads for the 2016 Regional Competition Program

If you, or someone you know, would like to advertise this year, please submit the following either by mailing this form, or emailing the information:

Name: _____

Business/Chorus: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____ Donation: \$ _____ Check # _____

AD RATES (PLEASE CIRCLE DESIRED SIZE):

	<u>RATE</u>
Rear Cover -----	\$200.00
Inside Front/Back Cover -----	\$150.00
Full Page -----	\$100.00
3/4 Page -----	\$ 75.00
1/2 Page -----	\$ 50.00
1/4 Page -----	\$ 25.00
<u>Special:</u> Competing Quartets	
can buy a business card ad for \$20.00	
Single-line patron ads -----	\$ 5.00

1. **ALL ADS MUST BE IN PDF.**
2. Check must accompany all program ads.

DEADLINE: All ads must be RECEIVED NO LATER THAN
~~FEBRUARY 29, 2016~~ → MARCH 10, 2016

Please forward program ad, along with check payable to "GREATER HARRISBURG CHORUS," and any questions, to:

Maggie Ryan
19 W. Green Street
Shiremanstown, PA 17011
maggie.ryan.mr@gmail.com

~ be sure to check out the Regional web site: www.region19

Region 19's 2016 Regional Competition

Less than two months to go! Have you filled out all necessary forms and paid any fees?

Meanwhile, International has drawn the order of appearances:

Quartets

Famous Janes (evaluation)

Lustre (evaluation)

Mosaic

Mix It Up

Casino

Swing Line

Rampage

KiZmet

By All Means

Mp4

Vintage

Audacious

Unaccompanied Women
(open)

Bearfoot (open)

Knock Out

GQ

Melody

Neon Lights

Vocal Exchange

Choruses

Cape Shore

Arundelair

Ringling Hills

Philadelphia Freedom

Shenandoah

Harmony on the Bay

Shades of Harmony

Freedom Valley

Chesapeake Harmony

Heart of Maryland (open)

Diamond State

DelMarVa (open)

Clustered Spires (open)

Valley Forge (evaluation)

Jersey Sound

Capital Accord

Red Rose City

Dundalk

Lehigh Valley

Altoona

Harbor City Music Company

Pride of Baltimore

UPPER CHESAPEAKE CHORUS

The Upper Chesapeake Chorus regrets to announce that Rick Taylor has had to step down as our musical director. He has taken a wonderful position with the Barbershop Harmony Society and we wish him every success in his new position. Therefore:

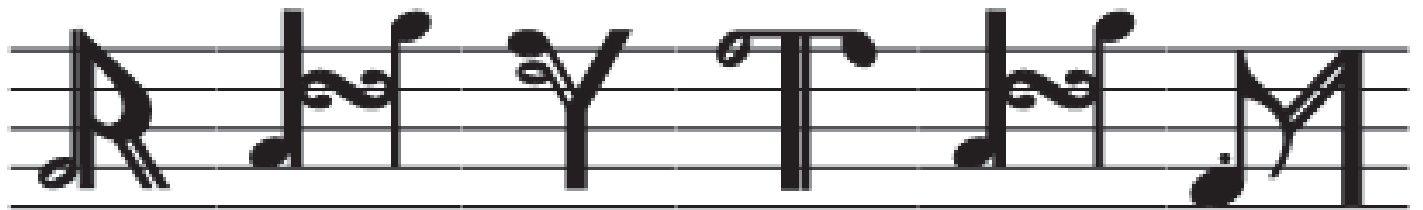
The Upper Chesapeake Chorus of Region 19, Sweet Adelines, Int'l is seeking a dynamic, energetic front line director with solid musical, leadership, and people skills, and the vision to propel us to the next level of musical excellence. We are an award winning chorus located in Harford County, MD - central to Baltimore, Philadelphia and Wilmington. UCC has a 40 year history of success in performances and competition. If you are ready for your next musical opportunity, please send a resume to: Ellen O'Hanlon ejohanlon@yahoo.com. See job description at www.uccsai.com.

The Upper Chesapeake Chorus is also pleased to announce that we have been selected to perform in the 2nd annual A Capella Festival, hosted by the Deer Creek Chorale. The Festival showcases a variety of A Capella groups from around the Baltimore/Harford County area. GQ is a featured performer at the event, March 13 at Perry Hall HS, 4:00 PM. Tickets can be ordered at www.deercreekchorale.org.

THE DUNDALK SWEET ADELINES

Sweet

*present a Benefit
Performance &
Variety Show*



FEATURING: Dundalk "Star Spangled Chorus"

2014 11th Place International Quartet, "GQ"

2015 Region 19 Novice Quartet, "Knock Out"

"Neon Lights," "Rampage" & Variety Show Acts

Saturday, March 19th, 2016

7 p.m. at North Point Government Center

(Corner of Wise Ave. & Merritt Blvd., Dundalk, MD)

**TICKETS:
\$10.00**

Tickets available *at the door*
or *in advance* by contacting
Bev Bruening: 410-866-2288

Donations are gratefully accepted.

BASKET RAFFLES

50/50 TICKETS

SPONSORED BY: BARBERSHOP BOOSTERS

All proceeds will be deposited in the Pat & Fred King Memorial Fund to benefit musical education expenses for Dundalk's Young Women in Harmony Quartets.

Pride of Baltimore Chorus

Annual English Tea

Featuring:

English Tea Selections

Finger Sandwiches

Scones ~ Desserts

Boutique and Raffle



Saturday, June 11, 2016

12 o'clock p.m. Doors open at 11:30

\$28 Donation per Person

St Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church

2504 Cub Hill Road Parkville, MD 21234

For ticket information and reservations

contact Jackie 410-789-7172



1st Annual Fundraiser Show

To Benefit Region 19 Quartets in Vegas 2016

Featuring:



Epic Quartet

2012 Harmony Queens, Harmony Inc.



MAXX Factor Quartet

2011 Sweet Adelines International Quartet Champions



Lustre Quartet

2016 SAI 3rd Place Medalists



Class Ring Quartet

2016 SAI 7th Place Medalists



Famous Janes Quartet

2016 SAI 15th Place International Quartet

2015 Region 19 Champions

2016 Region
19 Champions

2016 Region
19 Wildcard

Saturday, June 18, 2016

2:30 pm

St. Demetrius Greek
Orthodox Church Social Hall

2504 Cub Hill Road
Parkville, MD USA 21234

Silent Auction Included

Tickets \$15

\$18 at the door

Order online at lustrequartet.com/store for pickup at will call.

For info, contact Jenny Harris
SilverSororityShow@gmail.com, 443-745-4904.

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