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No Rehearsal Monday, October 13th

TOUR NEWS

There will be a tour fundraising meeting on Saturday, November 1st from 11 am to noon. This will be during the regular Concert Choir Saturday rehearsal. All parents of tour members need to attend. Please meet in the upstairs lobby and bring any fundraising ideas you may have.

Reminder: If you are going on tour and do not have a passport, you must apply for one now. All tour members will need their passports in hand by December.

Fun Pasta

Pasta orders will be distributed tonight. If you placed an order you can pick it at the rehearsal desk. Please check to make sure your order is accurate. *Thank you to the wonderful parent volunteers who organized these pasta orders last week!*

Attention: Bella Voce members and Parents

On Monday, October 20th Bella Voce will rehearse in the parlor (just outside McEwen Chapel) on the second floor. Directional signs will be posted to assist you.

Chocolate Sales

We still have boxes of chocolate available to check out and sell. Visit the rehearsal desk and leave a \$25 deposit for a box of 50 bars, which are sold for \$1 each. Turn in the remainder once the box is sold. You will earn 1 hour for each box sold.

Annual Spring Auction

It's time to start planning the annual spring auction fundraiser. A meeting will be held on Monday, October 27th at 5:15 in room 216. Committee members are needed to contact local businesses to secure donated auction items.

Ballet Shoe Fitting

Victoria Dunn with Center Stage Dance Company will be at the **October 20th** rehearsal to fit the girls for ballet slippers. Payment will be due at that time and checks should be made payable to Victoria Dunn. You are not required to purchase your shoes from this company; the choir offers this service for your convenience. *All girls in Cantilena, Bella Voce and Jubilate will need black leather ballet slippers for formal performances.*

Concert Program Ad Sales

Sell ads for the concert program books and earn one hour for each \$25 worth of ads sold! Ads and payments are due by November 17th. Ad forms are available at the rehearsal desk.

Wardrobe Volunteer Opportunity

The wardrobe committee is in need of volunteers who can hem dresses. If you like to sew, this is an easy way to earn volunteer hours from home. See the rehearsal desk for more information.

GoodSearch.com

Here's an easy way to help raise money for the choir. Log on to www.GoodSearch.com and learn how you can donate 1 cent per search to the Chattanooga Girls Choir without any cost to you!

Pancake Breakfast at Applebee's

The concert choir is hosting a **pancake breakfast at Applebee's** on Shallowford Village Drive. The breakfast will be held on Saturday, October 25th from 8-10 am. Tickets are only \$5.00. Profits from this event will go toward our 2008-2009 fundraising goal of \$13,000. Get your ticket from a concert choir member, have them be your server at breakfast and ask them to sing a song for you!

Key Cards

Key cards have been issued to all choirs. If you did not receive yours, please see a choir representative at the rehearsal desk.

October Birthdays

The CGC would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following choir members:

Oct. 2nd: Anna Baldree
Oct. 14th: Meg O'Brien
Oct. 31st: Amanda Davis
Amanda Tigar



Parking at First Baptist Church

Since the Girls Choir's entry is at the Fellowship Hall, please park closer to the Fellowship Hall and on up the hill, leaving the spaces closest to the Kindermusik entrance free for those families with small children (toddlers and younger). Thank you!

Winter Concert Staging

The staging committee is still looking for about 5 banners and banner stands for the winter concert. The theme is "peace". Does your church have a banner ministry? Please ask if they have a peace themed banner (and banner stand) that the choir can borrow. Acting as a liaison between your church and the choir is just one of many ways you can earn volunteer hours.

**Chocolate Fundraising Event Schedule:
Scheduled volunteers are listed below.
Events which need volunteers are in bold.**

October-

Saturday, 11th - Brainerd WalMart

9:00-10:30 am...Pam Turner, Marylyn Quinn
10:30 am-12:00 pm...Ruth Wilhoite, Marylyn Quinn
12:00-2:00 pm...Ruth Wilhoite, Stacy Malone

Saturday, 18th - Soddy Daisy WalMart

9:00-10:30 am..Misty Foreman, 1 volunteer needed
10:30 m-12:00 m..Donna McConnico, 1 volunteer needed
12:00-2:00 pm..2 volunteers needed

Saturday, 25th - Hixson Super Bi-Lo

9:00-10:30 am...Sally Graham, 1 volunteer needed
10:30 am-12:00 pm..2 volunteers needed
12:00-2:00 pm...Kathy Spada, 1 volunteer needed

Volunteer Log Book

There is a volunteer notebook at the rehearsal desk. Once you have completed a volunteer task, please find your family's sheet (listed alphabetically) and log your time. Each family is required to contribute a minimum of 6 hours of volunteer time to the choir.

CALENDAR- Some important Dates to remember for October and November:

October

6th Regular Rehearsal- 4:45 to 7pm
11th Saturday- Chocolate Fundraiser
Brainerd WalMart 9am - 2pm
13th No Rehearsal- Fall Break
18th Saturday- Chocolate Fundraiser
Soddy Daisy WalMart 9am - 2pm
20th Regular Rehearsal 4:45 to 7pm
Ballet shoe fitting
25th Fundraising Breakfast at Applebee's
Saturday; 8:00 - 10:00 am
Saturday- Chocolate Fundraiser
Hixson Super Bi-Lo 9am - 2pm
27th Regular Rehearsal 4:45 to 7pm

November

1st Concert Choir rehearsal 10am to noon
Tour fundraising meeting 11am to noon
3rd Regular Rehearsal 4:45 to 7pm
Final tuition payment due
8th Saturday- Choc. Fund. Ringgold WalMart
9am to 2pm
10th Regular Rehearsal 4:45 to 7pm
Winter Concert T-shirt pre-orders Taken
17th Regular Rehearsal 4:45 to 7pm
Winter Concert T-shirt pre-orders Taken
Winter Program ads are due.
24th Regular Rehearsal 4:45 to 7pm
Winter Concert T-shirt pre-orders Taken

Bi-Lo Booster Program

Don't forget to enroll your Bi-Lo BonusCard in the program. Simply take the bar code below and your BonusCard to any Bi-Lo store and have them scanned by the cashier. The Chattanooga Girls Choir will receive 1% of purchases made for the next year.

