# Sound Celebration Spring Into Song

Heart of New Jersey Chorus Show

Saturday, May 21, 2022 3:00 PM

Calvary Lutheran Church 108 Eastman Street, Cranford, NJ 07016

Also available on Live-Stream









#### From the Director's Desk



Welcome to our show, "Sound Celebration – Spring Into Song". Whether you are with us in person or watching our Live Stream, we are delighted that you chose to spend your time with us.

It is my privilege to be the Director of Heart of New Jersey Chorus and share the musical journey, fellowship, and joy together each week.

It has certainly been a challenging time for all of us. Social distancing has been difficult in so many ways. It feels good

to be back singing together again. We are thankful for the technology that has kept us together and moving forward over the past two years.

Our chorus has been fortunate in so many ways. The support that we have for one another is precious and makes us who we are.

We are also fortunate to have welcomed so many new members this year. A special welcome to all of our newbies. We are so happy that you have joined us on this journey.

Heart of New Jersey Chorus continues to embrace our Core Values of Excellence: Community, Collaboration, Integrity and Welcoming. I want to thank all of our members for their support, dedication and hard work at every rehearsal – whether online or in person. I am proud to be a part of this chorus and value the friendships and teamwork that we build upon each week – not to mention the laughter and fun  $\odot$ 

Special thanks go to you, our family and friends, for your on-going support. We hope you enjoy the show as much as we enjoy performing for you.

Jeanne Elmuccio Director

#### From Our President and Vice-President



Hello and Welcome to **Sound Celebration** - **Spring Into Song!** 

We are thrilled to be entertaining a "live audience" for the first time in more than two years, and we are proud to share the joy of music with our community. *Thank you* to all of our chorus members for continuing to sing



their hearts out! We hope that you enjoy the Show.

We welcome our loyal supporters as well as those who are seeing us for the first time. We are so fortunate to have our amazing Director, Jeanne Elmuccio, who has kept us together...... singing, learning and having fun. We thank you, Jeanne, for what you bring to us each and every week.

Thank you for joining us!

Love and Harmony,

Becky Woodard, Board President Vicki Warnock, Board Vice-President



## **Show Production Staff**

Director Jeanne Elmuccio

Show Committee Sherry Barell, Teresa Conlin, Virginia

Dearborn, Cheryl Raley, Becky Woodard

Audio/Video Technician Sean Garnhart

Boosters Becky Woodard

Costumes and Makeup Esther Krutzel

Grant Writers Vicki Warnock, Becky Cartine, Donna Dabreau

Music Team Virginia Dearborn, Esther Krutzel, Carolyn

Wolfe, Becky Woodard

Publicity Becky Woodard

Script Carolyn Wolfe

Ticket Sales Virginia Dearborn

Visual Team Karen Grande, Esther Krutzel

## **Chorus Members**

#### **Tenor**

Jenny Duncan Audra Nemeth Carolyn Wolfe \*#

#### Lead

Sherry Barell
Brianna Braun
Donna Dabreau
Amy Desmond
KellyAnne DiBello
Karen Grande
Laura Krajewski
Megan Peterman
Lily Prasad
Cheryl Raley
Lois Taylor

#### **Baritone**

Kerrie Blum Becky Cartine Teresa Conlin Virginia Dearborn

Susan King Becky Woodard \*#^^

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#### **Bass**

Joyce Baldinucci
Esther Krutzel #
Portia Licciardello ^
Taryn McCarthy
Janet Mendelsohn ^
Nancy Plumfield
Vicki Warnock ^^
Beverley Williams

- \* Assistant Director
- ^ Board of Directors
- ^^ President/Vice President
- # Section Leader

## **Associate Member:**

Cindy Raia

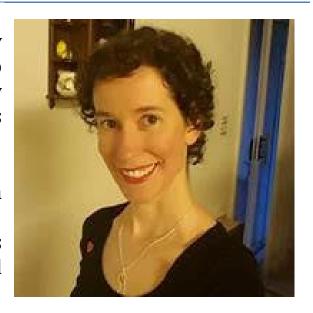
## **Member Emeretus**

Sharon Pitoscia

#### **Member of Note**

The **Member of Note** award is given annually to a member of each chorus in our region who rises above and beyond. In Heart of New Jersey, this individual is chosen by the chorus membership.

We have proudly chosen **Virginia Dearborn** as our 2021 Member of Note! Virginia is always positive and works tirelessly for our chorus with an eye toward equality and inclusion for all.



Virginia truly exemplifies the spirit of Sweet Adelines and she is a great ambassador for our chapter. She has added so much to our chorus; she has worked on many different projects including diversity, has brought in several new members to our chorus, participates in chorus events and attends outside events such as Vocal Fest and other online regional events. She is always singing in the videos Jeanne has put together this past year. She's eager to contribute and a wonderful representative of our chorus. She is always ready and willing to work in any capacity for the betterment of HONJ. Whether it be "tech" help, engaging in regional events, or anything musical. As Baritone section leader – she is also always willing to help singers in other parts, Virginia can be counted on to go over and above, always with a smile! Aside from her being a good member and Baritone Section Leader, she is also a member of our Board of Directors. She is a wonderful ambassador for not only our chapter, but also for all of Region 15, and Sweet Adelines all over the globe! We are very lucky to have her.

# "Sound Celebration – Spring Into Song" Program Order

Sound Celebration Sing, Sing Baby, I'm Yours

Jenny Duncan - soloist
When I Have Sung My Songs

Are You Havin' Any Fun?
My Romance

Brianna Braun - soloist If I Loved You

Make Your Own Kind of Music You'll Never Walk Alone

Extension Chords
What A Wonderful World
California Dreamin'

Let There Be Peace On Earth
Don't Stop
As Long As I'm Singing My Song
How We Sang Today!

Program subject to change.

## **Young Singers Foundation**

The Young Singers Foundation is committed to enriching lives of young women by promoting educational and performance opportunities for vocal music within the barbershop style.



The Young Singers Foundation was created by Sweet Adelines International in 1992.

The purpose is to enrich the lives of young people through educational programs in vocal music by giving scholarships, grants to school-based music programs, and funding to after-school and community vocal music activities for young people. For more information, visit

www.youngsingersfoundation.org

# **Young Women In Harmony**

## **Engaging the next generation of barbershop singers!**

Sweet Adelines International is passionate about introducing young women to the barbershop music art form through the Young Women In Harmony (YWIH) program. Designed for women age 25 and younger, YWIH provides opportunities for students to explore the world of barbershop music through awareness, education and competition.

YWIH offers music educators complimentary tools to incorporate barbershop harmony in their community, school or studio music programs.

If you would like to donate to the Young Women In Harmony program, call 1.800.992.7464 or download a donation form at: <a href="https://sweetadelines.com/filesSite/YWIH%20Donation%20Form.pdf">https://sweetadelines.com/filesSite/YWIH%20Donation%20Form.pdf</a>

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Sing your heart out, Bev! Way to go, Virginia!

Denise and Tom McGough

Congratulations to the talented group!

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It may be Heart of New Jersey, but the New Yorkers love you all! Teresa & Sherry

Good luck with the show, Aunt Lois. Love, Sydney

Best of luck with your show. Love, Charlie and Ann













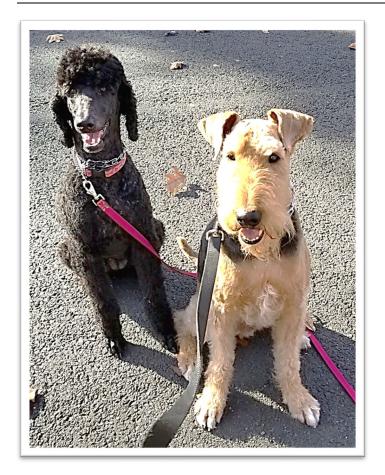
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To the best Bass Section:

Beverley, Janet, Joyce, Nancy, Portia and Vicki

(and Taryn...we love you and hope

you come back soon)

So proud to be together as we celebrate singing together again

Love you all, Esther



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## your voice has a place in our chorus



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## HIRE US!

We have general, holiday, and patriotic songs in our repertoire. Contact us at:

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or 732-474-8529 for details.

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Kindly make your donation to Heart of New Jersey Chorus today!



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