PAMV Chapter BHS

Music VP Report for June 2, 2012 Board Meeting

The Music Team met on May 9. We discussed how to improve the chapter's musical performance. We decided to introduce the program described in the last paragraph below.

The voice lessons program has been well-received, with about 60 signups and over 40 attendees. The Development VP's report probably has more precise numbers. Paul Eastman has kept the students' attention by providing solid and useful information in an accessible manner.

Among the Voice students, we have a music educator interested in attending Harmony University.

Chapter members are energized by the quantity and excitement of clinic students, and enjoy singing and talking with them. This may motivate our members to work harder to learn songs and improve their singing skills.

Every week, about a half-dozen men at a time receive coaching in a small group while the remainder of the chorus is rehearsing. The music team will thus understand better what problems need work and how to address them. Eventually, all chorus members will be included. So far, the tenors and half of the leads have participated.

Upcoming musical dates:

6/17 Palo Alto World Music Day 7/1-8 International Convention, Portland OR 7/4 (maybe) San Jose Giants game 6/26-7/31 Voice Clinic II for chapter members 7/20-22 Harmony College West, Redlands 7/29-8/5 Harmony University, St. Joseph MO 8/7 (maybe) National Night Out 8/18 Palo Alto Farmers' Market 9/21-23 Youth Harmony Camp, Pollock Pines 10/11-14 FWD Convention, Mesa AZ ? Cabaret 12/15 Palo Alto Farmers' Market

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