

## Special points of interest:

Alumni Night 19 May 2010 Music Monday 2010

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## Land O Lakes District News

The Fargo Chapter will be having it's 4th annual Gospel Show on Saturday March 6. More details are available on our website at [greatplainsharmony.org](http://greatplainsharmony.org)

Please ensure that all Canadians in LOL District are aware that scholarships are available for youth and music educators to attend the LOL HX Camp. Applications are available on line at [www.SingCanadaHarmony.ca](http://www.SingCanadaHarmony.ca)

Best regards to you and all with whom you sing from Sing Canada Harmony Board of Directors Cheers eh!!

**Canadian Chorus in Mid Winter Youth Competition.** It is called the Cross Canada Youth Chorus (CCYC). They will be the largest chorus on stage. 9 of those voices will represent the Land O'Lakes District. Others are from the Ontario and Evergreen Districts. Dave Pearce is one of the many men involved in putting this chorus together. Our Canadian Chorus came in 4th in the AA Group

The picture is part of the Youth Chorus from Moose Jaw..



Our Seniors rep from LOL, Perfect Timing from Fox River Valley, came in 19th.

Bring the following to rehearsals every week:

Pencil Highliner Name Tag



**Tape/Digital Recorder—Sherrie asks us to bring a recorder to help learn the music and interp.**

## Society Dues

DUES - Reminder to those who have dues owing to contact Gordon and he will pay them for you as long as you give him a cheque to cover the costs.



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## Valentine's Special

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Put on your thinking caps. What is the most romantic thing you have done with your sweetheart in the past. Jot it down on a piece of paper and have it ready for next Wednesday. You can sign it or remain anonymous. It should be a fun evening. Please wear something RED that evening.

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Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada  
Land of Lakes District, Barbershop Harmony Society  
[www.goldenchorismen.com](http://www.goldenchorismen.com)



10 February 2010 Rehearsals - Wednesday 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. at St. Andrews Church (basement) 255 oak Street Issue 2010 06



**Inter-chapter Visits** (Gordon Billows) Our barbershopping experience is enriched when we get to visit other chapters. To locate chapters throughout North America, you can go to the following Barbershop Harmony Society link to find the District, you can locate the chapters in that District, and find their meeting night, location, website link and contact person, etc. You might get lucky and find that the chapter is having their annual show (and afterglow!) near the time you are in their area or that there is a district or division contest that you can attend, WOW! <http://www.barbershop.org/sing/find-a-chorus.html>

Those of you who are traveling overseas, we have affiliates in many other countries - like Holland, Germany, Sweden, Finland, England, Ireland, Australia, South Africa, and New Zealand. The following link, to The Ultimate in Barbershop Links should assist you with many of these contacts.

<http://www.harmonize.ws/links/affiliates/>

If you have any questions about locating chapters, etc do contact me. I would be more than pleased to help. I would also request that any members, who do visit other barbershop chapters, let our Notes' editor, Brian Sanderson, know about their visits.

**Executive Meeting** There is an executive committee meeting at Martin's home this Monday, February 8th at 7:30. The minutes from January's meeting and the agenda have been sent.

### 2010 WGC Roster Update

Here is the new members information to include in your rosters:

Update Douglas Hoffer - (Claira), 80 Huntingdale Rd., R3P 2H3, Res: 282-2742, [adhoffer@mts.net](mailto:adhoffer@mts.net)

Lloyd Thomas - (Elaine), 132 Matheson Ave., E., R2W 0C2, Res: 589-4297, [lloydthomas494@shaw.ca](mailto:lloydthomas494@shaw.ca)

## LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

Just like Our Armed Forces—We need you!! Think about helping the Chapter with you Talents and Skills. We require your help in the following areas:

Alumni Night Chairpersons -

Christmas Chorus Chairpersons -

Annual Show Producer for 2011 -

Singing for Life Chairperson -

Chapter Representative - Male Voice Symposium -

Annual Show Chairperson for 2011 -

Membership Assistant -

Long Range Planner -

[Found in the Snow by the Church—Tape Recorder— Did you Lose it?](#)

**Welcome to the guests:** Welcome to Ron Houssin, Jack Goodman, Ray Gislason, Lloyd Thomas and Douglas Hoffer. See you again on Wednesday.

**We need quartets for Winnipeg Valentines. Dates Include 12.13 14 Feb. Please let us know when you are available.**

**Some people have signed up to sing. Also Drivers**



**Is  
Everyone  
Listening  
to the  
Learning  
CD's**

### Annual Show Songs

**FEBRUARY 10**

**California Dreamin'  
Beach Boys Medley**

**Aquarius**

**Bridge Over Troubled Waters**

## Today's Websites to visit

<http://www.barbershophq.com/?p=390#comments>

<http://www.ahsow.org/>

### Let It Be...The 60's

*"When the moon is in the  
Seventh House  
And Jupiter aligns with  
Mars,  
Then peace will guide the  
planets  
And love will steer the  
stars."*

**Remember  
to dig out  
the old  
photos!!**

Remember to look through some old photos of yourself from the 60's and bring them to Drummond for use in the show. I am sure you will find lots of you and the rest of

the gang having some great fun at parties, the beach and school days.



## Notes of Interest

Jim Erickson has not been well for awhile and is presently in St Boniface Hospital. If you get a chance go up and visit him.

### A note from Geoff Taylor

Some of you may know that I am on the board of directors of the Winnipeg Afro-Aboriginal Cross-cultural Association (WAACA). We are trying to help recent African immigrants and young aboriginals share their cultural experiences most notably, drumming. We provide numerous services and help them find common, positive solutions to their problems. We will be celebrating our one year anniversary with an energetically charged and unique cross-cultural concert featuring Summer Bear Dance Troupe, and the African drum and circus performance of Yamoussa and Kalabanté on Thursday, March 18th, 8 pm, at West End Cultural Centre, 586 Ellice Avenue.

The stage will come to life with Ojibway, Cree, Assiniboine and Sioux tribes represented in the Summer Bear Dance Troupe from Winnipeg, and Yamoussa Bangoura, Productions Kalabante from Montreal, a multi-talented collaboration of Guinean and Francophone musicians and acrobats. Check out their videos at [www.kalabante.org](http://www.kalabante.org).

Doors open at 7:15 pm, show starts at 8:00 pm. Tickets are \$15 regular, \$10 student, and are available at the door. Advance tickets are available at the West End Cultural Centre or by calling me at 488 0912.

If you would like a little more information about WAACA and the other services that this event is raising money to continue doing, please check out our web site. [www.waaca.mb.ca](http://www.waaca.mb.ca)

We are on the Web  
[www.goldenchordsmen.com](http://www.goldenchordsmen.com)

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### Calendar of Events

February 10 – Regular rehearsal evening

April 30 – May 2 – LOL Spring Prelims, Mankato, Mn.

April 30 – May 2 - Male Voice Symposium

May 15, 2010 – Red Carpet/Northwest Contest - Winnipeg

June 19, 2010 – WGC annual show “Summer in the 60's”

### 2010 Chapter Executive

President - Martin Gurvey  
Past President - Norm Silverberg  
VP Chorus Development - Harold Casselman  
VP Music - Victor Olafson  
VP Marketing -  
Secretary - Gordon Billows  
Treasurer - David Petrie

### Board Members at Large

Ken Broadfoot  
Bernie Gunn  
Harold Nicholson  
Brian Sanderson

### 2009 Music Committee

VP Music - Victor Olafson  
Musical Director - Sherrie Bredesen  
Assistant Director - Victor Olafson  
Tenor Section - Duncan Zaluski  
Lead Section - Bernie Gunn / Gary Miles  
Bass Section - Martin Gurvey / Charles Kiefling  
Baritone Section - Harold Casselman

### 2010 Leadership Positions

Accountant - Gary Miles  
Attendance and 50/50 - Norm Silverberg  
Awards Banquet Chairs - Bernie Gunn, Gary Miles  
Charities - Harold Casselman  
Xmas Chorus –  
Grey Cup Pool Chair – Ken Broadfoot  
Historian -  
Music Librarians - Duncan Zaluski  
Notes 4 U Editor – Brian Sanderson  
Performance Booking - Victor Olafson  
Program Director – Morley Bernstein/Earl Golden  
Refreshments - Milt Muldrew, Harold Casselman  
Singing Valentines – Gordon Sargent  
Sunshine – Brian Sanderson  
Wardrobe - Gordon Sargent, Morley Bernstein  
Website - Gordon Billows  
Youth Outreach – Brian Sanderson  
2010 Competition – Herold Driedger / Bruce Wilton  
2010 Show Producer – Drummond Brown  
2010 Show Chairman - Glen Armstrong,