



The Burlingtone



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Green Mountain Chorus- Installation Dinner

The installation dinner, to install the 2005 directors of the GMC Board, will take place on Wednesday, January 5, 2005. It will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, on Berard Drive, So. Burlington, VT. It will be an Italian dinner, w/salads, rolls and desserts. Also, it is a BYOB affair.

The cost is \$15.00 per person in hopes of more members being able to attend.

There will be no rehearsal on Tuesday, January 4, 2005.

I will need to have an accurate count of those attending by the December 28th meeting.

Dick Labrecque
GMC President

Holiday Shows Dec. 5th – (That’s Next Sunday!)

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The long awaited Joint Holiday Concerts with the Barre-Tones are upon us this coming Sunday (12/5/04). Although the sign-up list so far is meager, we expect all, who are able, to make both shows or one show at a minimum. Show venues are the North Avenue Alliance Church at 901 No. Avenue in Burlington and the Hunger Mountain Christian Assembly in Waterbury Center.

Maps/directions will be available on Tuesday at rehearsal. "Techie" load-in and setup on Sunday will be at 1:00 p.m. - feel free to pitch in. Chorus warm-up times are 1:30pm in Burlington and 5:30 pm in Waterbury Center.

Uniforms for both shows will be the same: white tux shirt, black tux trousers, white tux jacket, black stage shoes, red/green bow ties and red/green cummerbunds. Members with both red and green cummerbunds and ties are asked to bring both in order to share same with our newer members.(Cont'd p.2)



Holiday Shows, (Cont'd.)

And newer members - if you're planning on singing and don't have a white tux jacket, please see or e-mail Tif Crowell.

Rumor has it that after the Waterbury show, we'll head to Arvads in Waterbury for brews and chews.

Your assistance would be appreciated in a few areas - we're still looking for help in Door Prizes and a House Chair to arrange for lobby ticket sales and a couple of ushers. Pls see/e-mail Charlie Church now if you can assist here. And please continue to plug ticket sales - the more we sell in advance, the bigger the audience and the more fun we'll have singing to them. Tickets are good for either show location. Please plan on turning in your ticket monies and/or unsold tickets to Jim Mallabar on Sunday.

Here is a list of the songs/order the chorus will be singing. We'll be working on the joint songs on Tuesday at rehearsal.

"Jingle Bells" (joint song with the BT's)
"White Christmas"
"Rudolph, the Red Nosed Reindeer"
"Jingle Bell Rock"
"Dona Nobis Pacem" (joint song with the BT's & audience)
"Lo How a Rose....."
"Angel Medley"
"O Holy Night"
"Silent Night" (joint song with the BT's)

Caroling on December 14th-Update

Barbershoppers Caroling Night,
Tuesday, December 14th
Warmup at 6:30PM.--Sing at 7PM
Place; **Converse Home**, Lower Church
Street, Burlington; 7:45PM: **Country
Park**, 635 Hinesburg Road, South

Burlington 8:45PM: **Allenwood
Residence**, So Burlington (new home of
Fran & Sylvia Sheridan).
Party at Reid and Betty Allen's house
on 30 Arlington Ct., Burlington
afterward. For those attending the party,
please call Betty, 862-8987, and tell her
what you are prepared to bring...chips,
salsa, cocktail franks, finger food of any
type, etc. Drinks and chili will be
provided by Reid and Betty.
Dick Labrecque

Sisters of Providence Singout Next Week-12/7

We will meet next Tuesday as usual for rehearsal and then after warm-up we will meander over to the convent across the street and have a singout at for the Sisters of Providence—a great audience and they usually provide snacks!

Reid Allen

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Dec. 5-Holiday Show with Barre Tones-3PM
Burlington; 6:30PM-Waterbury Ctr.
Dec. 8-BOD Mtg. (place?)
Dec. 12- Holiday Show-Vergennes Opera
House-2PM
Dec. 14-No Rehearsal-Annual Caroling
Dec. 18, 19-U-MALL Holiday Singouts 3-5PM
Dec. 21-No Rehearsal
Dec. 28-REHEARSAL FOR 1ST NIGHT!
Dec. 31- First Night Rutland
Jan. 4-No Rehearsal
Jan. 5- Wed., **Installation Banquet!!**
Jan 7, 8-COTS, N.Conway, NH
Jan. 14-Wild Game Dinner-Berlin
Feb 5-HEP School, Montreal
Feb. 9-Farmers' Night-State House
Feb. 13, 14, Singing Valentines
Feb. 25-27- VACSummit-Burlington

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