



THE PINE BARONS BARBERSHOP CHORUS

Cherry Hill, New Jersey Chapter J-022

Society for the **P**reservation and **E**ncouragement of **B**arber **S**hop **Q**uartet **S**inging in **A**merica

Barbershop **H**armony **S**ociety

Called To Order: 7pm

March 15, 2018

Pres, Bruce Barker

Treasurer, Mike Thornton

VP Music, Mike Weaver

Sect'y, Rich Jones

Bus Mgr, Chris Bush

Membership, Rich Wolff

VP Program, Steve Ritz

MaL, John Celani, Al Evans, Chuck Edgerton

Treasurer Report -- financial review on going, three meetings so far, still working on Gift card, uniform account. Paypal transfer for Singing Valentines, ticket purchase for Division convention, 30. Rooms request sign-up started.

See attached documents. Fees for George Gipp, airfare split with Gotham, half to Rich Gray. District Coaching expense reimbursement up to five per year.

Personal credit card used for airfare. *[Chapter does not have a CC]*

Music, Performance, Show: Mike Weaver reporting, Jim Evans wants a stage visit to Dennis Flyer Theater. Some song not sure for show, chapter performance issues. Jim Evans working props. Society Survey, written evals vs. live, Cherry Hill OK with written.

Marketing: George Neff not attending, written email to Bruce.

Business Mgr: Earth Day performance Cherry Hill, week after show. Gratis. Greentree Senior Living, requested Father's Day performance (HCE), or different weekend. Working the performance fee issue. Haddonfield December caroling and First Night (two shows) possible. Discussion about the gigs in Haddonfield. Cadbury, Brightview, others not reached out to. Discussion about reachout, lists of places

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Programs: Steve first Monday! Game went well. Guest quartets invited. Bowling night, Wednesday following Memorial Day. Picnic? Jeff Hudson? Date?

Show: Steve meeting with Jim Evans. Theater projectors available? (Rich J yes.) Projections of slide show. Rich Gray contacts Mainstage (Ed Fiscella). Theater days? Afterglow planned - yes. Work party? Ticket selling via Goldstar, also to college for \$10 group rate. General seating.

New Business:

1. Ready, Set, Sing! begins July 16, for six weeks. Key is to get the word out. Night school? Fee? Fresh member involvement? local newspapers? BYOB? others? Collingswood chat room? Facebook? Send to chorus to find local bulletin boards, etc., for listing news, programs. Issue with starting in July, vacations, low attendance, resource persons, have RSS in fall post-District convention. Last year's program was not supported sufficient to make useful the expense of the resource person. Jeff Wienand available? Bruce to contact Music Director about date to start, not favorable in July.
2. John Celani challenge: have to not go through chorus. Benefits only that group.
3. Riser sell to Jersey Sound for \$150? **Approved and passed.** Go ahead.
4. Hotspot purchase: more research needed, Monday trial with existing phone plans. Also with JS member video recording. *[Discussed with Joel Schwartz, not a viable option for chorus at this time]*

Adjourned 8:47pm