SOUNDS "right" QUARTET DAY — JUNE 1, 2019

IT'S NOT JUST FOR QUARTETS! DIRECTORS, MUSICAL LEADERS, ANYONE INTERESTED IN QUARTETING AND EVERYONE INTERESTED IN BARBERSHOP SOUND MAY ATTEND

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Location: Our Lady of the Assumption Church

Bingo Hall - 471 Main Avenue, Wood Ridge NJ

Date / Time: June 1, 2019 • 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

(We hope to offer morning coffee and lunch - salad, gluten-free wraps, and pizza)

Clinician: Joan Boutilier*

Tenor of 2008 International Quartet Champion 4 Bettys, Approved SOUND Judge,

Master Director, International Faculty, and Sweet Adelines President-Elect

Classes:

1. "Taking a Pledge" - Warmups

Warm-ups that quartets can do for personal use before rehearsal and group warm-ups to do together in order to promote quartet unity.

2. "A B C s" – Accuracy, Breathing, Blend Clarity and Cone

This class will use demonstration quartets and group discussion / participation

3. "RECESS" - Having fun

How to have fun AND productive rehearsals using coaching within the quartet, coaches from the outside, and the "5th ear." Demo quartets will be created.

4. "Homework" - Individual Commitment

How each quartet member can/should work between rehearsal; music selection, individual and ensemble preparation for performances; individual and ensemble mental preparation.

5. "X, Y, Z, and Me!" - Expressive singing - YOU and ME!

How to sing expressively within our quartet's capabilities and skill levels. Demo quartets

6. Public Coaching (if time permits)

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Advance Registration Deadline is April 25 • Click here to RSVP!

Pre-registration Fee: \$80.00 for registered quartets (all four members)

or \$25 per person

Registration will be \$30 per person at door

Payment: Mail check (payable to Greater NY NJ Region 15) by April 25, 2019 to

Sharon Vitkovsky, 180 Hillcrest Avenue, Wood Ridge, NJ 07075.

Be sure to list full names for all attendees, quartet name (if applicable), and contact phone number on your correspondence.

To request a one-hour session, the entire quartet must be registered for the workshop. Send written request to Sharon Vitkovsky at above address and list preferred days and times for coaching. Sessions will be assigned on a "first-come first-served" basis and may be expanded to 2 hours if time is available.

Registrants will receive information regarding local eateries and hotels prior to the event.

^{*}Joan will be available to do private coaching on Friday night (1-2 sessions) and Saturday night (2-3 sessions) as well as one (1) session Sunday morning at 9:30at \$50.00/ hour.