

# The Squires Wire

March 28, 2017

BucksMont Squires of Song

**Scott Petri Senior Expo** – Ten singers (joined by Dale Habel) attended the Expo and manned our display table at the Spring Mill Manor in Ivyland on Friday, March 24. We took this opportunity to handout an “Invitation to Male and Female Singers” flyers. We strolled and sang in the main exhibitor rooms and in the open areas (Septa Transit signup and Lunchroom) of the Manor. We also sang for WBCB, 1490 kHz AM radiobroadcast in Bucks, Burlington and Mercer Counties.

**Dinner and Show** – The March 25<sup>th</sup> Dinner/Show at Davisville Church in Southampton was a great success. Almost 100 guests enjoyed the buffet dinner and the bountiful dessert table. The “Chinese Auction” table featured a Super-Size Music Pillow (“Made in the USA” by our very own member associate, *Pat Steckowich*) and four donated baskets (*Brown’s Shoprite, Miller’s Ale House, Bloomingdale’s and New York and Company*).

Sixteen Squires presented the barbershop program, which included three chapter quartets (“Vintage 4”, “Under Construction” and “Four Tunes”) plus accordion music by *Marty Kuhn*. *Tom Hankin* directed the chorus and *Aaron Fox* was the Emcee. We were especially pleased to present the feature quartet, “*In The Mood*,” with their entertaining and eclectic mix of ballads and novelty songs.

One highlight of the evening was the recognition of the 85<sup>th</sup> birthday of *Madeline*,

the mother of new member *John Steckowich* and, it was also the 16<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of members *John and Pat Steckowich*! Congratulations to all.

More highlights: Dual member *Ed Eichner*, now residing in Lancaster, joined us to sing with the chorus and the quartet “Vintage 4.” For the new members *Sylvan Kesilman*, and *John and Pat Steckowich*, it was their debut performance in a chapter Dinner and Show. *JoAnn D’Andrea* was the chairlady (chairwoman?) of the gift baskets table. *Linda Gold* assisted in seating our guests and also was a server on the buffet line.

Congrats to all and, from the Dinner/Show Chairpersons, *Aaron and Eleanor Fox*, a grateful thanks to all who assisted with the planning and final preparations for the Dinner and Show. We especially recognize the help of the many guests (and Squires) who generously helped with the cleanup and removal of the tables, chairs and sound system, etc. (Photography by *Eleanor Fox*)



VINTAGE 4

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



FOUR TUNES



IN THE MOOD



MARTY KUHN



THE GRAND FINALE



Seen on Senior Coffee Mugs: "I'm on a nut-free diet. I avoid people that drive me nuts."

EVENTS CALENDAR

(Events are also listed at website: bms.harmonize.com)

PERFORMANCES & OUTINGS	EVENTS OF INTEREST
April 11, Tue, McIlhinney Sr. Expo April 25, Tue, Guest Night April 26, Wed, Veterans Home	April 17, Tax Day May 14, Mother's Day March 31-April 1, M-AD Prelims April 28-29, Central Div. Convention June 15-18, M-AD HCE & Youth Harmony Camp July 2-9, BHS International, Las Vegas, NV

Remember - Membership begins with ME

Seen on Senior Coffee Mugs - "I've taken up photography because it's the only hobby where I can shoot people and cut off their heads without going to jail."

Mark Your Calendar

- ⇒M-AD Spring Prelims, March 31 – April 1, Reading, PA
- ⇒Sen. Chuck McIlhinney (10<sup>th</sup> District) Senior Expo, April 11, Tuesday, 10am-1pm, Colonial Hall of the Levittown Fire Co. No. 1, 701 Fallsingtown-Tullytown Rd., Levittown 19054. Table setup 8:45-9:45am.
- ⇒Guest Night, April 25, Blue outfit with Name Tag
- ⇒Veterans Home, April 26, Wednesday, Black outfit, White tie, Gold vest
- ⇒M-AD Central Division Convention, April 28-29, Reading, PA (Hotel Double Tree)
- ⇒Newtown Welcome Days, May 7, Sunday
- ⇒M-AD HCE & Youth Harmony Camp, June 15-18, McDaniel College, Westminster, MD
- ⇒5<sup>th</sup> Middletown Independence Day Parade, July 4, Tuesday
- ⇒BHS International Convention, July 2-9, Las Vegas, NV (HQ Hotel – Planet Hollywood)

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