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Northwest Sound Men's Chorus



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#### **Northwest Sound Men's Chorus**

Northwest Sound Men's Chorus is the Bellevue, Washington chapter of the Barbershop Harmony Society, an organization which brings men together in harmony and fellowship to enrich lives through song.

Northwest Sound is also the way 60 members express themselves in song, with a group of men who delight in musical artistry, one another, and community. And hey, if we happen to consistently be among the top 20 barbershop choruses in the world under Kenny Potter's direction, all the better.



Know someone who should be on stage with us? Point him to NWS@NorthwestSound.org.



#### Our Holiday Headliners: Pacific Ring!

Tenor Jake Yoakum attends George Fox University in Oregon. He's really gifted but, regrettably, you won't hear him sing a note today. The role of Jake Yoakum will be played at this performance by Joseph Livesey. It's the best we could do on short notice.

Lead Dean Waters has graced the International stage in quartets and choruses. We're lucky to have him. His ability to tell a story contributed to his many District wins. Plus, we put him in charge of most of quartet shenanigans, so blame him.

You know Tyson Jensen, the bass from past District champs 4.0? Well, we stole him. Then we forced him to sing baritone. It's okay with Bethany, his roommate, who graciously gives us the coaching we so desperately need. We basically got a 2 for 1.

Bass Adrian Leontovich has been haunting the Northwest for 25 years now, picking up a District title or two along the way. A man of simple pleasures, he likes sunsets and walks on the beach. And well-prepared cuisine. And a nice malt liquor.

Say nice things to them after the show. They need groupies.

## sing! Sing! SING!

Northwest Sound Men's Chorus completed its 10th "sing! Sing! SING!" program, a free six-week course teaching a cappella singing and joy of locking chords in harmony to all as part of its service to Bellevue and the surrounding community.

Fine men and women(!) graduated with flying colors, here to share the holiday songs they learned with you today. It's a great way to welcome them to the fold!

Join us for our next program! Ask us how at NWS@Northwest Sound.org.



#### Director Ken Potter

Northwest Sound is blessed to have Ken Potter as its director.

Kenny got much of his musical education at the University of Colorado in Boulder.

Kenny is a professional pianist, organist, arranger, singer, and director. A 35-year member of the Barbershop Harmony Society, he travels the country as a sought-after music judge.

Ken is skilled at tuning and repairing pianos (hire him!). He greatly enjoys the Seattle/Tacoma music community, and lives his lifelong passion of sharing and teaching music each day.

Buy him a Scotch at tonight's afterglow and he'll be your best friend forever.

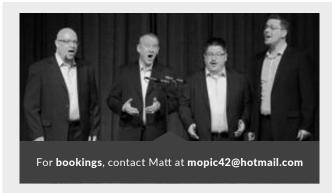


#### Renewal

February of 2018. In their first public appearance, they won the Evergreen District's Division 2 Seniors Quartet Championship.

Boasting 170+ years of musicality, these seasoned pros are relishing their new-found fame, delighting audiences of all ages with their relaxed, skillful style, and unmistakable joy of song.

Listen, and you too will be renewed!



#### **Amplitude**

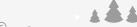
Meet freshman quartet Amplitude, featuring Ken Potter on lead, James Jones on tenor, George Nowik on baritone, and Matt Picioccio on bass.

They're all experienced quartet singers, and they're excited to bring their sound together behind songs both old and new.

#### **Envoy!**

Making their stage debut today, a couple of Williams brothers (Tenor James and Baritone Tommy), a real-life airline pilot (Lead Doug Hutson) and, well, Larz on bass! Give Envoy a warm welcome!

### Home for the Holidays



Northwest Sound Men's Chorus It Feels Like Christmas Ave Maria

#### **Envoy Quartet**

What Are You Doing New Year's Eve?

#### **Renewal Quartet**

Ocho Kandelikas Have Yourself a Merry Christmas Still, Still, Still Gloria



O TODAY'S SECOND HALF FEATURES

#### Pacific Ring

Veni, Veni, Emanuel

#### **Amplitude Quartet**

I Saw Three Ships Do You Hear What I Hear?

#### **Amplitude Quartet**

Let It Snow Auld Lang Syne

#### **Our Foreign Language Songs, Translated**

#### **Ave Maria**

The angel of God visited Maria and she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus. Maria said: See the servant of the Lord. May it happen to me according to your word.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us, sinners. Holy Mary, pray for us now and in the hour of our death.

Amen.

#### Ocho Kandalikas

Beautiful Hanukkah is here Eight candles for me

One little candle, two little candles Three little candles, four little candles Five little candles, six little candles Seven little candles, eight candles for me

There will be a lot of parties With joy and happiness

We're going to eat little pastries With small almonds and honey



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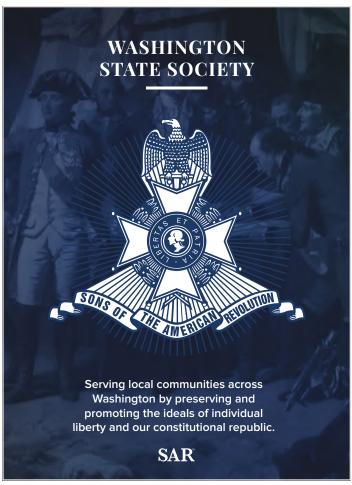
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