

PERFORMING ARTS

Music groups give holiday n

The Woodlands Chorale presents its fall concert Saturday, Nov. 14, in The Woodlands Community Presbyterian Church, 4881 W. Panther Creek Drive.

The singers have been preparing this songfest since August and it promises to be a delightful tribute to Bach, Verdi, some beloved American composers in the pop field, more favorites, even some lesser known compositions.

Dr. J. David Faber, artistic director, chose to name the show "Choral Chestnuts," and selections will pull together gems of choral music guaranteed to contain some audience favorites.

Adult tickets cost \$10 each, with children six and under admitted free. Purchase at www.thewoodlandsshowchorus.org or at the door prior to the concert.

Several members of The Woodlands Chorale joined The Woodlands Symphony members last week to show support for Dr. David Gottlieb as he presented positive reinforcement for constructing a regional arts center in The Woodlands.

Dr. Gottlieb spoke at The Woodlands Township Board of Directors meeting, where the chorale members performed the national anthem for those present.

These included arts supporters who filled the room to show their backing for Dr. Gottlieb's proposal, according to chorale member Valerie Waller, a longtime enthusiast of Montgomery County arts entities and chorale member.

Another fall happening in The Woodlands is a performance from The Woodlands Show Chorus Nov.



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21 in McCullough Junior High School, 3800 S. Panther Creek Drive.

This energetic cadre of lady barber shoppers provides heavenly four-part harmony while executing some catchy dance steps with dazzling costumes. It's a marvel of energy, vocals, and synchronization.

Master Director Betty Clipman, with worldwide accolades from Sweet Adelines International, directs the chorus. Star appearance from Live It Up, the 2015 SAL Region 10 champs from an international competition in Las Vegas during October, provides an extraordinary experience.

The Nov. 21 show is titled "Take a Ride on The Woodlands Express, and touted as a "performance that will set the musical tone for your holiday season," according to member Brenda Anderson and others.

Two performances are scheduled in Nancy Bock Center at the school, with doors opening at 1:30 and 6:30 in the evening. Besides photo opts with Santa Claus, a holiday themed silent auction, bake sale and more will be available 30 minutes before show time.

Of particular interest is a Christmas quilt raffle.

Matinee tickets cost

from \$10 to \$15 according to age, while all reserved seats cost \$25. Evening prices are \$15 to \$25, depending on age, while reserved seats go at \$40 each. For tickets call 713-688-6509 or 713-542-8889. The website is www.thewoodlandsshowchorus.org.

The lady singers rehearse from 7 to 10 p.m. Mondays in the atrium of Grace Crossing Church at 105 FM 1488 and welcome all lady enthusiasts to join.

With so many well-deserved tributes to veterans this week, Lone Star Lyric's Cabaret is putting a fine shine to it all. However, LSL stretches its accolades through Nov. 21, and include a threesome of venues.

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The first shows are Nov. 13, Friday, at 7:30 p.m. and

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