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The Queens are coming – coming to sing with The Woodlands Show Chorus at their annual show “Music in Motion,” on June 11 at Oak Ridge High School. And, yes, there really are four of them. They are called Speed of Sound, and they are the 2016 Sweet Adelines International Championship Quartet. The Queens will sing with the little princes and princesses, Class Act Stars on Tour, which includes some of the brightest students in this area.

Speed of Sound is a long-distance quartet with over sixty years of combined barbershop experience. Although they’ve been together for about four years, they’ve already achieved major accomplishments as Sweet Adeline barbershop singers. In the spring of 2012, they won their very first regional contest (Region 14!) with a record score. They followed that up by placing 12th in the world at the 2012 Sweet Adelines international competition in Denver, Colorado, and then 9th at the 2013 international competition in Hawaii, then 2nd at the 2014 international competition in Baltimore. Most recently, they placed **FIRST IN THE WORLD** at the Sweet Adelines International competition in Vegas!

Class Act Stars on Tour is a part of Class Act Productions, a non-profit community theatre in The Woodlands, Texas. This organization is made up of some of the brightest and most talented students in the community. The performers are selected not only for their outstanding singing and dancing talent, but also for their stage presence, exceptional attitude and work ethic. **C.A.S.T.** prepares and performs choreographed music around the community, state, and nation. They have performed for various groups in many different venues in the state of Texas and for the past 20 years have represented Class Act in the following locations: New York, Chicago, Los Angeles, Hawaii, San Francisco, Boston, Washington D.C., Walt Disney World and Disneyland.

This show is filled with the additional talents of The Woodlands Show Chorus, almost 80 members, a strong women’s a capella chorus, and their Region 10 Contest medalist quartets, Live It Up and RAVE, who have also made quite a name for themselves singing throughout the community. For

tickets, email tickets@thewoodlandsshowchorus.org or call 713 688-6509 .

Since its beginning in 2012 as the largest and fastest chartering chorus in Sweet Adelines International (SAI), The Woodlands Show Chorus has won its first two regional competitions with exceptionally high scores, and they competed well internationally in Baltimore, MD last fall. TWS now feverishly working toward their next international competition in Las Vegas in October, 2016 you ask any member of this exciting chorus why she sings, she will tell you it is for the JOY – the joy of striving for excellence through consistent education, training and performance. It provides a strong purpose for her life outside of her family, work and daily routine. For more information, visit the website at www.thewoodlandsshowchorus.org or attend one of their open rehearsals at Grace Cross Church atrium just west of I-45 on FM 1488.

Upcoming chorus performances include singing The National Anthem at a June 9th Strykers ball game, and a July 3rd Independence Day performance at Bernhardt Winery. This high achieving chorus also looks forward to several coaching sessions by world renowned coaches, attending regional educational events and a retreat to be held at Moody Gardens.

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