October 18, 2016 Song **BucksMont Squires of**

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"Ready, Set, Sing!" – Today, Tuesday, October 18, is the first of six sessions of <u>Free Singing Lessons</u> that the chapter is offering to men and boys of all ages. Kenny Hankin will be the instructor. The final evening of **"Ready, Set, Sing!"** is Tuesday Nov 22, when the students get to sing to an audience (us and their friends and family) and enjoy our hospitality. By good fortune, Nov 22nd is also a planned Guest Night for the chapter, so any guests you bring will observe what new singers can bring to the barbershop harmony experience.

Rep. Frank Farry Seniors Expo - Five singers manned the display table at this 4-hour event. They were Marty K, Tom F, Bert, Joe D and retired member Dale Habel. We sang and strolled among the exhibitor's tables and senior citizen attendees, receiving applause, smiles and positive comments along the way. We sang "Nellie" for WBCB 1640AM and they broadcast details of our "Free Lessons" program. At the table, we handed out "Ready, Set, Sing!" flyers, and offered copies of our "OUT WITH THE OLD!" show booklets and older issues of the "Harmonizer" magazine. A great opportunity for community outreach and interaction to show off our hobby.

Program Ads Status – Congratulations!! Ad receipts were 138% of last year's total. Thank you to the eight members that were able to participate this year. The Ad Chairman and the BucksMont Squires of Song gratefully acknowledge the generosity of our advertisers. Please patronize these important supporters of the barbershop experience at the Abington/Levittown Chapter.

Election of Officers – The slate of Officers and Board Members for 2017, offered by the Nominating Committee, was unanimously elected. We welcome *Kenny Hankin* to the office of VP Chapter Development and thank the current officers and board members for continuing their service into 2017.

Happy Birthday for the Month of October to: Tom Hankin (10)

EVENTS CALENDAR

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

PERFORMANCES & OUTINGS	EVENTS OF INTEREST
Oct 18, Tue, First Lesson of "Ready, Set, Sing!"	Oct 17-22, Sweet Adelines 70 th Convention, Las Vegas, NV Oct 30, Rittenhouse Sound Show, Penn's Landing Oct 31, Halloween Nov 8, US General Election
	Nov 11/12, 18/19, Beauty & the Beast, Abington, Willow Manor Players (<i>Linda Gold in cast</i>)

Mark Your Calendar

⇒ "Ready, Set, Sing!" Program, Tuesdays, Oct 18 to Nov 22, Langhorne United Methodist Church. All men and boys are welcome to <u>learn to sing</u> barbershop harmony in a fun and educational atmosphere. On the last night, sing for your friends and family!

⇒K of C Seniors Thanksgiving Dinner (Planned), Nov 20, Sun, Red Outfit

Suest Night, Tue, Nov 22, LUM, 7pm (It is also the last evening of "Ready, Set, Sing!")

Treefest, Dec 10, Sat, Sing 1:30-2:30pm. RedOufit.

⇒BHS Mid-Winter Convention, Jan 17-22, San Antonio, TX

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