

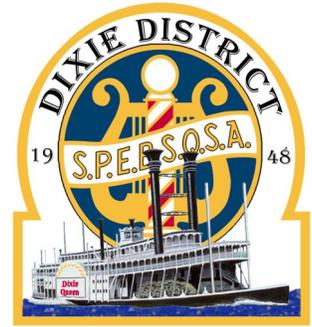


# Dixie Town Crier

Dixie's monthly chapter newsletter  
dedicated to the original town crier,

Chuck Witherspoon

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## Male and Female Campers Welcome

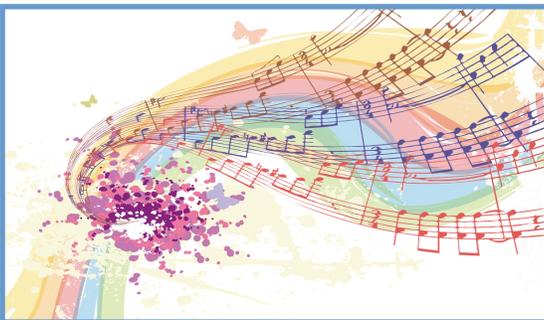
# The Future of Barbershop Is Developing Now!

Online registration should be up May 1 for this summer's Dixie District Harmony Explosion Camp, to be held July 10-13 at the University of Tennessee, Chattanooga. Spread the word about this awesome Youth in Harmony event! Clinicians will once again be the dynamic duo of Clay and Becki Hine, and teaching quartets will be reigning SAI Rising Star Champs Hot Pursuit and DIX's own Varsity Youth Quartet Bronze Medalists Wildfire. The camp will be jam packed with male, female, and mixed chorus tunes, master classes, quartet singing, and lots and lots and lots and lots of tag singing! Final concert will be Saturday, July 13, at Girls Preparatory School in Chattanooga.

HXC will be a half-day longer this year, but registration for all high school students will remain at just \$175! Music educators may still attend for FREE!

If you know high schoolers who sing, let them know! If you know high school choral teachers, let them know! Let me know if I can help!

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THE DIXIE DISTRICT  
 OF THE BARBERSHOP HARMONY SOCIETY PRESENTS  
**2019 HARMONY  
 EXPLOSION CAMP**



A CO-ED, FUN-FILLED WEEKEND OF FOUR-PART HARMONY! OPEN TO MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL SINGERS AND THEIR MUSIC EDUCATORS!

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 10 - SATURDAY, JULY 13**  
**UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE, CHATTANOOGA**



**CLINICIANS**

CLAY HINE, MUSIC DIRECTOR, ATLANTA VOCAL PROJECT, BHS  
 BECKI HINE, MUSIC DIRECTOR, SONG OF ATLANTA SHOW CHORUS, SAI

**WITH TEACHING QUARTETS**



**HOT PURSUIT**  
 2018 SAI RISING STAR CHAMPIONS



**WILDFIRE**  
 2018 BHS NEXT  
 GENERATION  
 VARSITY DIVISION  
 BRONZE MEDALISTS

**FEES:**  
 MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL PARTICIPANTS -- \$175  
 MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL MUSIC EDUCATORS -- FREE

**REGISTRATION INCLUDES:**  
 THREE DAYS/NIGHTS IN UT-CHATTANOOGA HOUSING,  
 ALL MEALS, SHEET MUSIC AND LEARNING TRACKS, WORKSHOPS  
 ON VOCAL TECHNIQUES AND SONG PRESENTATION, REHEARSAL  
 OF SIX SONGS (MALE, FEMALE, MIXED) FOR SATURDAY NIGHT  
 PUBLIC SHOW PERFORMANCE, AND CAMP T-SHIRT.

**MORE INFORMATION AND  
 REGISTRATION AT  
 DIXIEDISTRICT.ORG**  
 OR BY CONTACTING  
 LEE.FRANKS@CHARTER.NET

This activity is made possible by the Barbershop Harmony Society,  
 underwritten by Harmony Foundation International and its generous donors.

The Memphis Men of Harmony Present  
**"Attic Memories"**  
**Saturday, May 25 - 2:00 pm.**

St. Benedict at Auburndale High School  
8250 Varnavas Dr. Cordova, TN 38016

**RESERVED SEATING**

Regular \$15.00

Seniors, Students, Military \$12.00

Groups in blocks of 10 or more \$10.00

**For Information & Tickets**

Call 901-870-8629 or

Email: [jamclane1682@gmail.com](mailto:jamclane1682@gmail.com)



**Special Guest Quartet**  
**"ENTOURAGE"**

The Big Chicken Chorus is proud to present

*Celebrating*



A tribute show honoring  
**Gentlemen's Agreement**  
the 1971 BHS champion quartet

*featuring 200 performers*  
in 4 choruses, 4 quartets

**AND YOU!**

*June 22, 2019 - 3:00 pm - Byers Theatre, Sandy Springs, GA*

# THE GREATEST SHOW TOWN



Featuring **ATLANTA VOCAL PROJECT** with **BOARDWALK Quartet** and **CATEGORY 4 Quartet**



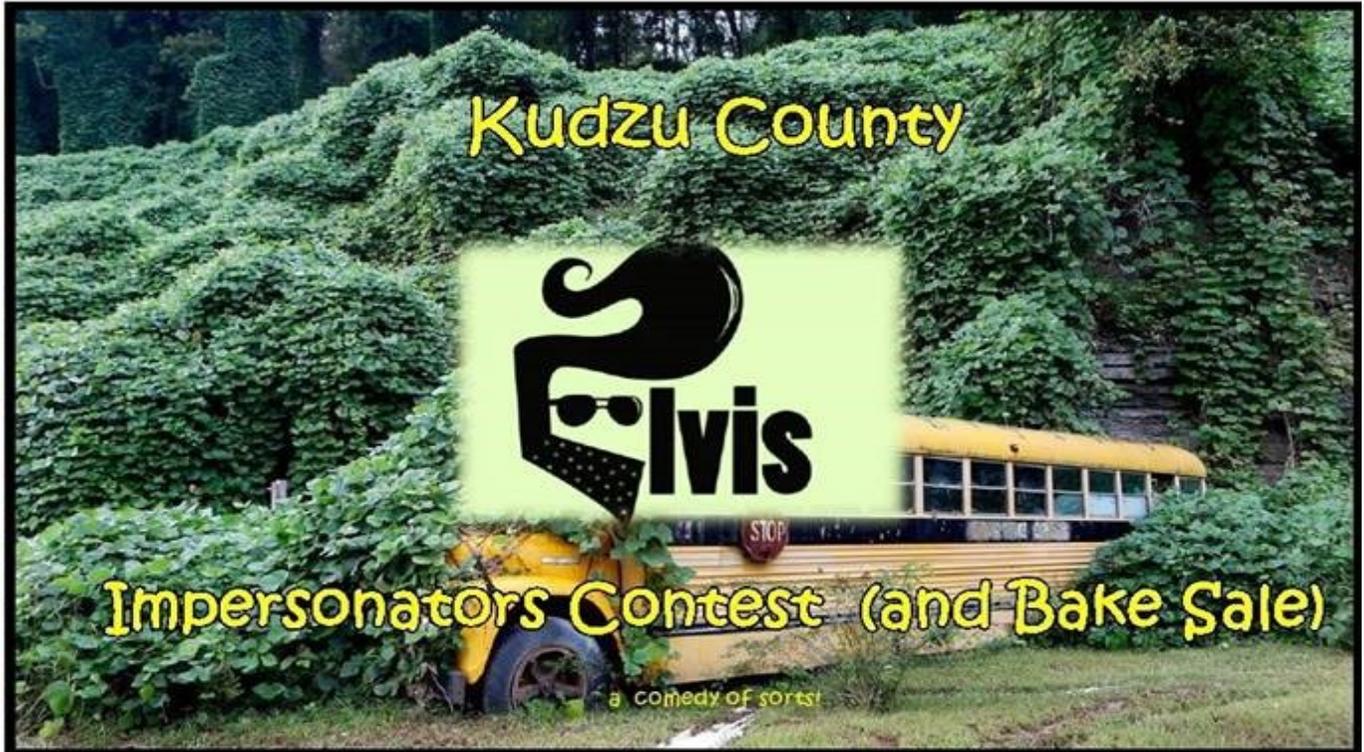
**Sunday, June 9, at 3:00 pm**  
**Roswell Cultural Arts Center**  
**950 Forrest Street, Roswell, GA 30075**

TICKETS AND MORE INFORMATION AT:

[www.AtlantaVocalProject.com](http://www.AtlantaVocalProject.com)

404-919-SING (7464)

[Tickets@AtlantaVocalProject.com](mailto:Tickets@AtlantaVocalProject.com)



Featuring

# RSVP Chorus

With special guests

## Boardwalk Quartet

**May 18, 2019, 7pm**

Bartlett Performing Arts Center  
3663 Appling Road, Bartlett, TN

Tickets \$20/ Groups 10+ receive a 10% discount

Tickets are available at  
[www.rsvpchorus.com](http://www.rsvpchorus.com) or from any  
member of RSVP Chorus



**Group Discounts Available!**



Rural Kudzu County has long hosted its annual *Elvis Impersonators* contest, and has grown so popular that the small community is the last stop in the state of Mississippi for contestants hoping to make it to Memphis for the world championships! Enjoy the shenanigans as the Kudzu County Mayor and four contestants vie for the top spot, in what may be, the most highly contested contest ever seen in these parts!

The Heart of Georgia Barbershop Chorus is inviting all BHS and SAI-members to join us for a *Leisure Time-An Evening of Barbershop Harmony*. The Southern Brigade will join us on Saturday, September 7, 2019 at 7:00pm, at Southside Baptist Church, 1040 South Houston Lake Road, Warner Robins, GA 30188. Just show your Current BHS or SAI card at the door for free entrance, all others \$15 (\$10 for seniors and military). For more information email us at [hogchorus@gmail.com](mailto:hogchorus@gmail.com), or call us (478) 345-SING (7464).



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## Leisure Time

An Evening of Barbershop Harmony

Presented by Heart of Georgia Barbershop Chorus



**State Farm**  
Andy Thomas, Agent  
478-975-0069  
[www.andythomas.us](http://www.andythomas.us)



The Southern Harmony Brigade, an invitation-only a Capella chorus will join us singing many old-time songs in barbershop harmony.

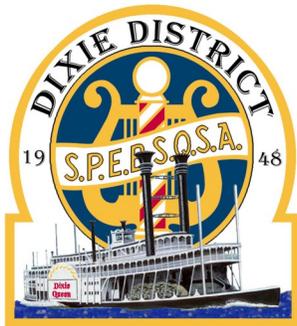
Tickets \$15 (\$10 for groups (10 or more), students, military, and seniors)

September 7th, 2019, 7:00p.m.

Southside Baptist Church, 1040 S Houston Lake Rd,  
Warner Robins, GA 31088



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DEMPSEY JEWELERS



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# UPCOMING *Mark Your Calendars* EVENTS



**June 30-July 7: BHS International Convention,  
Salt Lake City, UT**



**July 10-13: Dixie District Harmony Explosion Camp  
University of Tennessee—Chattanooga**

**July 21-28: BHS Harmony University, Nashville, TN**



**October 4-6: Dixie District Fall Convention, Oxford, AL**