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THE LONG JOURNEY: from the 1973 singers in rehearsal to the 2007 Russia group at the end of their tour.

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UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA CHAMBER SINGERS

# Alumni Newsletter #5

# Come One, Come All!

## Saturday, April 26 - St. Aidans' United Church

1 block north of Richmond/Cedar Hill X Rd. Please let us know you're coming (so we can plan food) - Bruce at bmore@uvic.ca

#### I. Memorabilia displays from 11:00 Registration \$30: from 11:00 II. Distinguished alumni: 12:30 noon until 5pm

Film and video excerpts 12:30 "Shoes Off" - Don MacDonald "Propeller Guy" - Daniel Hogg "The Operator" - Victor Zupanc Selected clips from Colin McCarlie

#### Solo performances 1:30 - 3:00

Including Barbara Ebbeson (performing Rodney Sharman), Barbara Livingston, Christie Meyer, Jackie Fay, Carmen Gorgichuk, Kristen Birley, Daniel Lapp, Cairan Ryan, Corrine Borgford, Alex MacArthur, Kim Cousineau and others

Opera 3:00 - 3:30

Possible excerpt from an Isaiah Bell opera. Charles Barber '84, introduces his new "City Opera Vancouver" at the Pantages Theatre. -----Break to see the displays, visit old friends, get some food from nearby outlets -----Fiddle interlude with Dan Lapp: 4:15 - 4:30

Reading session - Alumni composers 4:30 - 5:00 "Ave Maria" - Don MacDonald "Namu" - Rod Mont "A Cloud Moves Through the Sky" - Ryan Noakes "Ave Maria" - Tobin Stokes

### Singalong 5:00 - 6:00

 Bruce's Spiritual and Gospel settings: Well, well well, don' worry 'bout me; Somethin' Got a Hol' on Me; My Father's House; Schweelo eelee; Vela Vele; Lord I Know; Bumba meu boi bumba & others....
Fun-stuff'- PDQ Bach Canons, Fawlty Towers and Mr. Bean Themes, Scripture reading and hymn from "Meaning of Life"; My Bonnie Lass She Smelleth; Mulligan's Musketeers; Insalata Italiana....

#### Massed Choir rehearsal 6:00

"Soir sur la plaine", "Navajo Prayer" and "Lord I Know". Download and bring music from: http://people.finearts.uvic.ca/~bmore/alumni/Reuniontour/Repertoire.html

**Reunion Concert 7:30** (\$15 guest tickets available at the door.) including a performance by the 2007/08 Chamber Singers and the massed alumni choir.

#### Buffet Dinner 9:00

After Dinner Speeches etc. 9:30 (including an auction of 10 huge Asian tour banners: '93, '99, '05

#### Web addresses: Chamber Singers Main:

http://people.finearts.uvic.ca/~bmore/ <u>Grand Tour Information</u> http://people.finearts.uvic.ca/~bmore/alumni/ <u>grandtour.html</u>

<u>Chamber Singers list by year:</u> http://people.finearts.uvic.ca/~bmore/alumni/csvear.html

### Want to help out?

 After dinner speakers, storytellers, roasters. Daniel Hogg at: danhogg@uvic.ca
Potluck contributions to the dinner Wade Noble at: wadenoble@shaw.ca
Afternoon performances Barbara Livingston at b\_livingston@shaw.ca.
Do you have a CD you'd like displayed & played? Bruce at bmore@uvic.ca









