



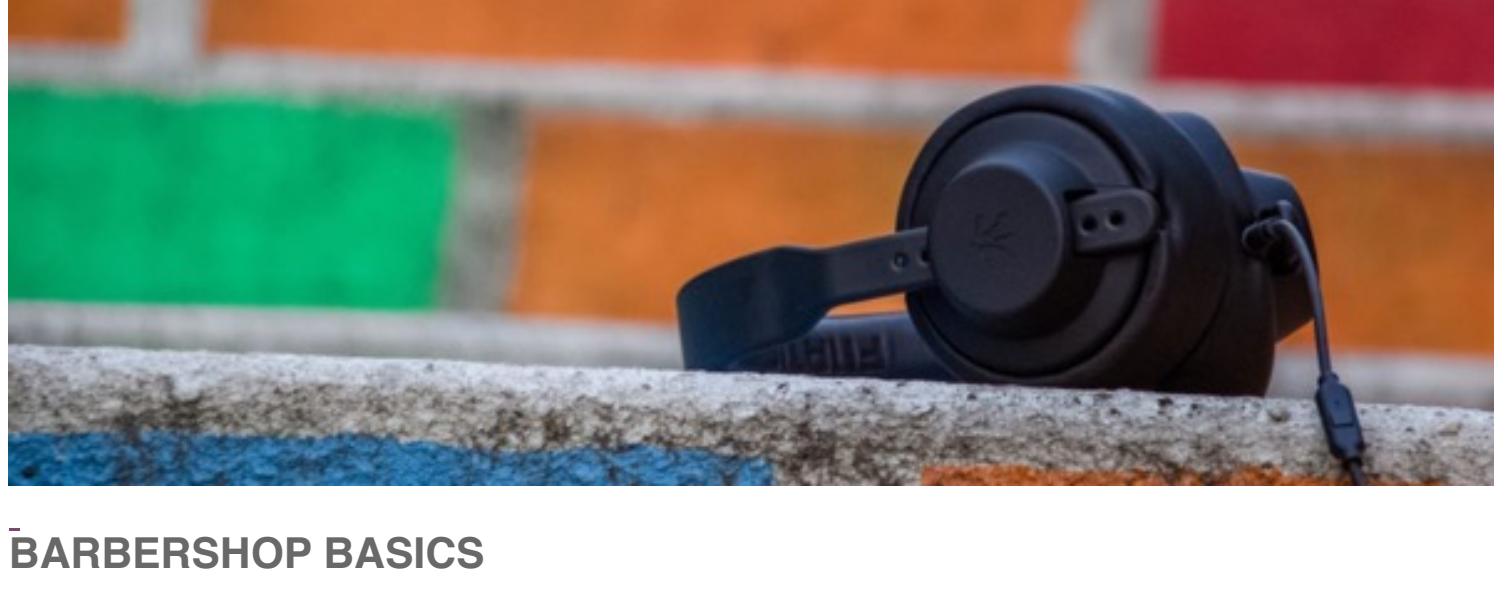
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BARBERSHOP NEWS



BARBERSHOP BASICS

Amaze your director: Learn between rehearsals

Expand your enjoyment of the precious minutes spent together each week by making effective use of the other 164 hours. Rob Mance and Steve Scott offer practical "Tips for Practicing Music at Home" that will prep you for a great meeting every week!

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Society Board seeks applications for Executive Vice President

On behalf of the Board of the Barbershop Harmony Society, the Nominating Committee is accepting applications for the position of Executive Vice President. A slate of candidates selected by the Committee from the pool of applicants will be submitted to the Board for election in December. The elected candidate will serve a one-year term beginning in January, 2024.

Dues-paid members of the Barbershop Harmony Society are welcome to apply for the position by submitting a letter of interest and resume with professional and barbershop-related information by email. The deadline for receipt of applications is Sunday, October 8, 2023 at 11:59pm EDT.

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2024 CLEVELAND ON SALE NOW

Did someone say... comedy?

Barbershop harmony is about music AND fun, and in 2024, both will get their due, in the new [Comedy Quartet Festival](#), a new event at the [2024 International Convention in Cleveland](#).

Combining traditional barbershop contest scoring, audience balloting, and a small dose of pixie dust, the entire crowd will show their appreciation for the twelve quartets who bravely put their funniest bits on the Festival stage.

Why not you? Bust a chord and bust a gut! [MAKE 'EM LAUGH!](#) Here's how.

[GET CONVENTION REGISTRATIONS](#)

SEEKING: FRESH BRAINS

Are you ready to become HU faculty?



[Harmony University](#), the Barbershop Harmony Society's premier annual education event, is always seeking the best instructors from around the world. HU faculty members enjoy an international reputation of excellence. *Might that include you?* Find out [more about the high standards](#) and great rewards of teaching at HU, then apply.

[GET FULL DETAILS](#)

PICK THE BEST SEAT NOW!



Experience the tags, fellowship, and best barbershop performances IN PERSON by [securing your registration](#).

All seating will be reserved, and you get to choose your favorite seat:

- [Premium seating](#) is open to everyone
- [Regular seating](#) is open to everyone and located directly behind Premium seating

[SELECT YOUR SEAT](#)

HARMONIZER HIGHLIGHT

Choose songs for your voices

Have you ever heard an arrangement and thought, "Wow, I would love to sing that!" Chances are the arrangement was tailored to maximize the impact and minimize the risks of four specific voices. But how can you determine if the chart is something your group can sing well? Steve Tramack helps you pick music for the voices you have, not for the voices you wish you had read for singability in the [March 2019 Harmonizer](#).



Did you know? The entire [Harmonizer archive](#) is online in the BHS Member Center ([login required](#).) Skim through decades of history, education, and memories, or [search the online index](#).

MIDWINTER HOUSING NOW OPEN

Stay in the heart of it



The [2024 Midwinter Convention](#) has it all going on — and all under one roof!

[Book your room now at our headquarters hotel](#), the Sheraton New York Times Square—convenient to the famed [Crossroads of the World](#), Broadway theaters, dining, entertainment, and mass transit. The [BHS group hotel rate](#) is a bargain, too, so jump on those rooms right now.



[Registration](#) for the BHS 2024 Midwinter event in New York City is now open! Join us January 9-14 in the city that never sleeps...

[REGISTER NOW FOR A PREMIUM OR REGULAR SEAT](#)

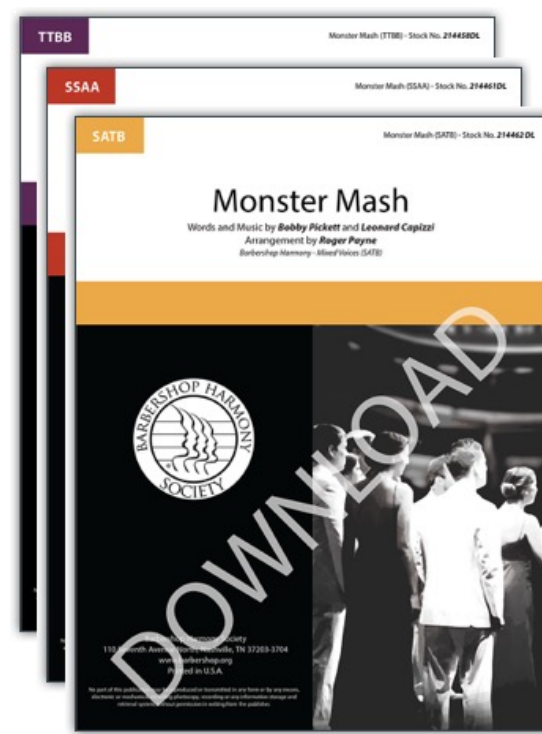
SONG OF THE WEEK

HOWL-O-WEEN HIT

[Monster Mash](#) arr. Roger Payne

Answer the question, "Aren't you four a little... OLD for trick or treat?" by busting out this timeless novelty song from the '60s. Your gang of ghouls will be the toast of the town with Roger Payne's arrangement, available in all voicings.

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