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BARBERSHOP NEWS



Midwinter is PACKED with talent!

Not only will there be talented youth and senior groups gracing the Midwinter stage... But the nightly shows are also PACKED with talent! Remember when we mentioned the Thursday night show with [Alexandria Harmonizers](#), [Madhattan](#), and [Secret Best Friends](#) (just to name a few)? Well, hold on to your boater hats, because the Friday night show with [Quorum](#), [GOTHAM](#), [Let's Sing!](#), and [YTBN](#) (again- just to name a few) will awe and amaze! Don't miss these [spectacular shows](#), that are included in your Midwinter registration!

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RECORD-BREAKING YEAR FOR DISTRICTS?

District events provide entertainment, scores, and broken records... In a good way!



As [district events](#) come to a close this weekend, we are hearing about the new friendships, amazing tags, and new District records being established! From [Seneca Land's](#) oldest District Quartet Champions Anything Goes that we mentioned a few weeks ago, to [Illinois District](#) having Lincoln B. of Linc 182 break the record for the youngest District Quartet Champion at 11 years old! Not to mention Three and a Half Men's record at the [Sunshine District](#) of 93.5% average over four songs- which is the highest-ever district quartet score. Not to mention the attendance and performance numbers that broke records. [The Evergreen District](#) had 35 quartet competitors. Surely that is a record, right?

Although district events are winding down, [check your district's calendar](#) to see other events that are taking place soon near you!

HARMONIZER HIGHLIGHT:

Delegation is SWEET!

Halloween is next week, which means that the holidays are right around the corner! Groups are gearing up to wow their community with fundraising shows and events. Now is the time to delegate tasks, as long as you follow [Rob Macdonald's 'Six Contracts of Delegation'](#), featured in the [March/April 2022 Harmonizer](#). Follow these steps, and watch the phrase "Teamwork makes the dream work" live in action!

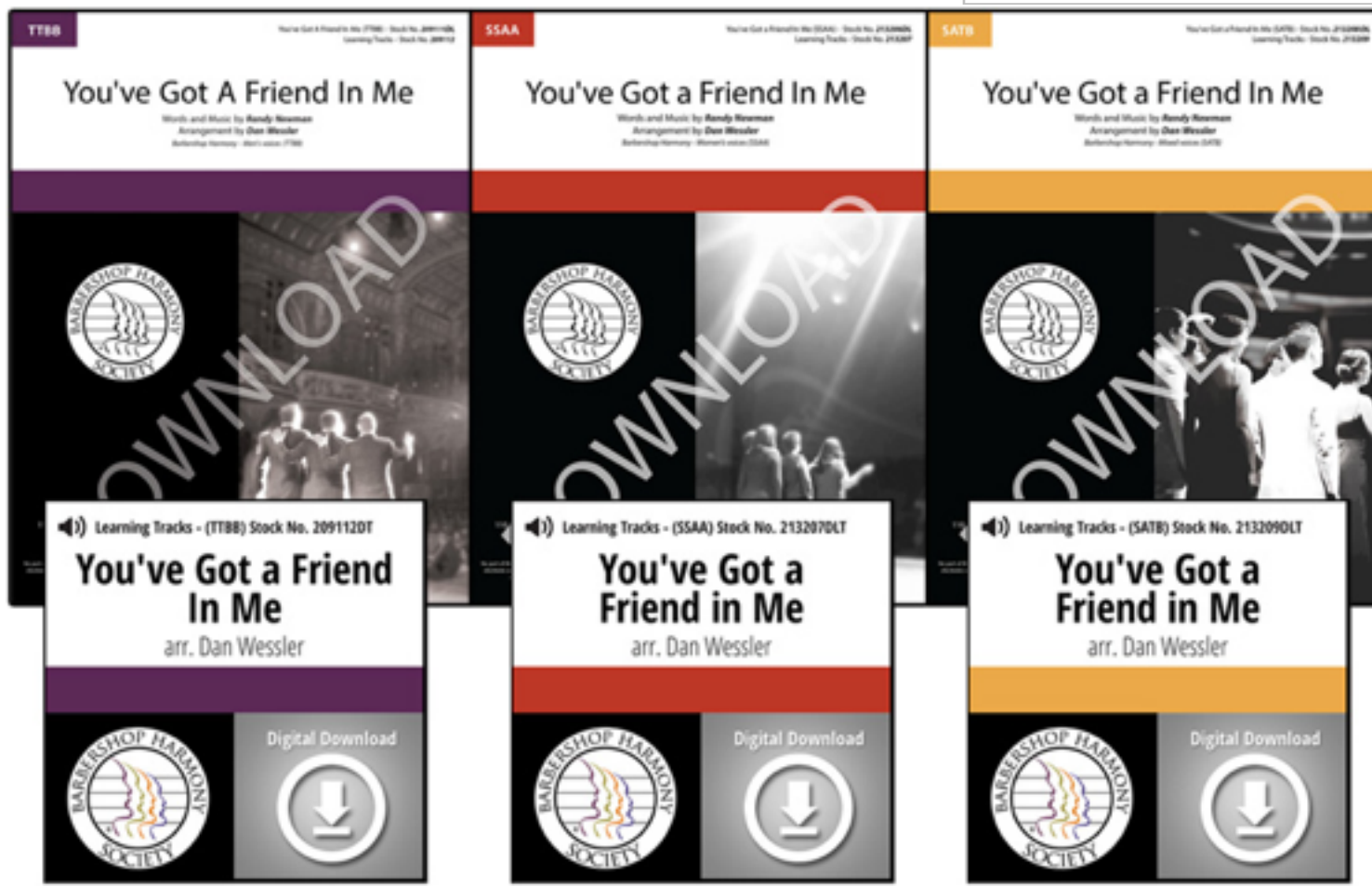


SONG OF THE WEEK

You've Got a Friend In Me

arr. Dan Wessler

One of our best sellers, this timeless classic from the Disney/Pixar film Toy Story is guaranteed to make audience members of any age smile. Arranged by Dan Wessler, it's fun, easy, toe-tapping barbershop, with downloadable charts and learning tracks available for [TTBB](#), [SSAA](#), and [SATB](#) voicings.



FEATURED PERFORMANCE

Our newly-crowned 2023 BHS Quartet Champion Midtown is at it again with a medley of fun childhood favorites arranged by Rasmus Krigström and performed by the quartet in this self-produced video just released on their Facebook page. Click the video thumbnail below to watch the medley and experience the unexpected synergy between classic barbershop bowties and the Addams Family aesthetic.



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