

Up2Something begins rehearsals each fall with a strong representation of men and women who enjoy eclectic, fun and often-challenging repertoire. This non-auditioned* mixed choir offers those with and without choral experience or the ability to read music a place where they can enjoy the camaraderie of others with similar interests. Costumes, staging, and age and stage-appropriate movement and choreography are used to enhance the music. A year-end finale provides an opportunity for family and friends to share in the fun and join us in celebrating our achievement.

*** The ability to match pitch and a commitment to regular attendance are requirements of membership.**

This Year's Theme (2010-11)

ARCS' season finales have become popular with all ages. From our inaugural "New York! New York!" to "Music, Magic and Mayhem", Up2Something takes fun seriously! Infused into every performance is rich and diverse repertoire, often extravagant costumes, and a healthy dose of humor. The incorporation of choreography and theatrical elements makes for a fun experience for performers and audience alike. In 2010-11, our theme is "Hooray for Hollywood". Repertoire will once again cover a diverse range of styles and afford ample creative opportunities.

The Year-End Show

The year-end show is a highlight of our season. Tickets are sold through Ticketmaster and our members to family and friends. This year's production is tentatively scheduled to take place on June 4th and 5th, 2011 with performances at 7:30pm each night as well as a Sunday Matinee.

Registration Information

Up2Something membership may be limited to a maximum of 75 men and women. While the group is non-auditioned, basic musical aptitude (an ability to match pitch) and a commitment to attend rehearsals regularly is expected. Attendance may be taken into consideration in accepting a Returning Singers' registration. A review of the season schedule is required prior to registering. The membership fee includes the cost of all music and materials required, as well as a contribution to the "Coffee Fund" and a practice CD.

Quick Summary

Rehearsals: Tuesdays 7:00 – 9:30pm
Location: Altadore Baptist Church
4304 - 16 Street SW
Beginning: September 7, 2010
Director: Brian Bowman
Accompanist: Lorne Pankratz
Fee: \$450*
Early Bird Deadline: July 15/10
Other Costs: Costuming and Retreat

* Payment schedules and bursaries are available.
See the 2010-11 Registration Form for details.

Other Costs

Costuming and wardrobe expenses are the responsibility of the singer. Singers should expect to spend approximately \$100/year on such items.

Up2Something Retreat

An annual retreat takes place in November each year. The cost of accommodation (approx. \$90/night) and meals (approx. \$150/person) are the responsibility of the singer.

Membership Fees

ARCS relies on fees, grants, donations, sponsorship and ticket sales to operate. Included in your fee is an amount for music and materials valued at \$100. Remaining fees pay for the staff and operating expenses, including rehearsal space rental.

For the 2010-11 season, fees have been set at \$450 with an early bird discount for returning singers who re-register on or before **July 15th** each year. Payment options are available for those who prefer to spread their payments out. Payment may be made by cash, cheque (payable to "ARCS") or credit card (VISA or MasterCard).

Financial Assistance

Bursary assistance is available upon request to assist with the cost of this program. Please contact the Registrar for application information.

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2010-2011 ARCS CALENDAR (3rd EDITION)

Revised Aug 13, 2010

		AUGUST '10						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
22	Production Committee							1
23	Board Meeting	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		30	31					

		SEPTEMBER '10						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
6	Labor Day			1	2	3	4	5
7	Up2Something 1 st Reh	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
9	Up2Christmas 1 st Reh	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	Board Meeting	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
21	Tire-Kicker Tuesday	27	28	29	30			
23	Tire-Kicker Thursday							
26	Production Committee							
28	Up2Something Sectional							

		OCTOBER '10						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
11	Thanksgiving Monday					1	2	3
17	Production Comm	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
18	Board Meeting	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
23	Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 2:30)	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
26	Up2Something Sectional	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
28	Annual General Mtg							

		NOVEMBER '10						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
9	Up2S Sectional	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
11	Remembrance Day	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	Board Meeting	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
19-21	Up2Something Retreat (Canmore)	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
28	Production Committee	29	30					
30	Up2Something Sectional							

		DECEMBER '10						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
12	Something Christmas River Park Church (7:30)			1	2	3	4	5
13	Board Meeting	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
17-31	Winter Break	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		20	21	22	23	24	25	26
		27	28	29	30	31		

		JANUARY '11						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
1	New Year's Day						1	2
4	Up2Something Rehearsals Resume	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6	She's Up2Something First Rehearsal	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
15	Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 4:30)	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
15	Production Committee	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
17	Board Meeting	31						
18	Up2Something Sec'l							

		FEBRUARY '11						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
12	Talent Show Rehearsals		1	2	3	4	5	6
15	Up2Something Sectional	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
21	Family Day	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
26	ARCS Casino	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
27	ARCS Casino	28						

		MARCH '11						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
5	2010 ARCS Talent Show Gateway, SAIT		1	2	3	4	5	6
6	Production Comm	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
8	Up2Something Sect'l	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
19	Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 4:30)	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
19	She's Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - Noon)	28	29	30	31			
17	Special Part Auditions							
21	Board Meeting							

		APRIL '11						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
9	Calgary Sings!					1	2	3
16	Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 4:30)	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
16	She's Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 12:00)	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
16	Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon (12:00 - 1:00)	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
18	Board Meeting	25	26	27	28	29	30	
22	Good Friday							
26	Up2Something Sec'l							
28	Combined Women							

		MAY '11						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
7	Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 4:30)						1	
16	Board Meeting	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
17	Tire-Kicker Tuesday	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
19	Tire-Kicker Thursday	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	Victoria Day	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
28	Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 4:30)	30	31					
28	She's Up2Something Workshop (9:30 - 4:30)							
28	Production Comm							

		JUNE '11						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
3	Walk-Thru Rehearsal			1	2	3	4	5
4	Tech Rehearsal (1:00 - 5:00)	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Performance (7:30)	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
5	Matinee (2:00)	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
5	Performance (7:30)	27	28	29	30			
20	Rehearsals End							
	Board Meeting							

		JULY '11						
		M	T	W	Th	F	S	S
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		18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	Canada Day							



Rehearsal Venue: Altadore Baptist Church,
4304 – 16 Street SW, Calgary, AB

Personal Information (please PRINT clearly and complete all information including checking of boxes.)							
Name Last		First		Middle Initial		Gender: M F	
Mailing Address				Postal Code		Application Date: yyyy-mm-dd	
Home Phone		Work Phone		Work Fax			
Primary Email				Secondary Email			
Name of Employer							
Occupation							
Voice Part: (check one) Soprano I Soprano II Tenor Alto I Alto II Bass Unknown							

Membership Fees (Check one of the following payment plans and enclose all appropriate fees with registration)	
<p>EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT FOR RETURNING SINGERS ONLY</p> <p>Full Payment \$ 440 with application by July 15 <i>Cash or Cheque ONLY – NO credit card payments.</i></p> <hr/> <p>NEW OR RETURNING SINGERS (Options A-F)</p> <p>OPTION A - 1 Payment: Total \$ 450 Full payment due with application</p> <p>OPTION B - 2 Payments: Total \$ 450</p> <p>\$125 Registration deposit due with application \$325 Balance dated September 15</p>	<p>OPTION C - 3 Installment Payments: Total \$ 480</p> <p>\$100 Registration deposit due with application \$150 First Installment dated September 15 \$230 Second Installment dated January 15</p> <p>OPTION D - 4 Installment Payments: Total \$ 480</p> <p>\$105 Registration deposit due with application \$125 x 3 Installments dated September 15, October 15, November 15</p> <p>OPTION E - 5 Installment Payments: Total \$ 480</p> <p>\$100 Registration deposit due with application \$ 95 x 4 Installments dated September 15, October 15, November 15, December 15</p> <p>OPTION F - Special Arrangements</p> <p>For details, please contact the Registrar at registrar@up2something.org. Assistance may be available.</p>

Applicant's Agreement
<p>I have reviewed the calendar of events for the year included in the Registration Package and by registering, make a commitment to attend regularly to the best of my ability and abide by the attendance and refund policy as posted on www.up2something.org.</p>

Method of Payment
<p>Cheque(s) / Money Order(s) (all post-dated cheques / money orders must be enclosed with application and payable to ARCS)</p> <p>VISA MASTERCARD NAME AS IT APPEARS ON CARD: _____</p> <p>Credit Card Number: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Signature is required if payment by credit card: _____ Expiry Date _____</p>

Additional Costs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Additional fees will be incurred at time of event – see details on www.up2something.org ➤ Costuming for year end performance will be required: approximate cost: \$100 ➤ Retreat Workshop – Out of Town – Recommended: approximate cost: \$230 including accommodation

Your Donation Is Welcome!
<p>Help ARCS continue to offer quality programs for adults! Contributions from our members to our Music Library Fund enable us to expand our repertoire and to use original music. The ARCS Legacy Fund will be used for future needs of the society. Donations may also be made to our General Fund which is unrestricted and will be used as identified by the Board. Donations to these funds are greatly appreciated and are tax deductible. Receipts will be issued for donations of \$20 and larger, unless otherwise requested. Charitable Reg. #86137 0682 RR0001</p> <p>My donation to ARCS in the amount of \$ _____ is to be used for: Music Library Fund Legacy Fund General Fund</p> <p>Cheque / Money Order enclosed. Charge to my credit card: VISA MASTERCARD Reset/Cancel</p> <p>Make all cheques payable to ARCS. Please submit separate cheques for Registration Fees and Donations.</p>

Privacy Policy
<p>The Adult Recreational Choir Society of Calgary ("ARCS") collects the above information for registration purposes only. The information is used to compile a listing of choir members, phone numbers, addresses and e-mail addresses. This listing is provided to each member of the choir in order to allow members to contact one another. Member's names are published in printed programs as well. Registration is express agreement to allow images and recordings of individuals and groups to be broadcast on such media as is appropriate for the promotion of ARCS. Should you wish to be excluded from such publications and media broadcast, please contact the Business Manager.</p>

Mail registration and payment to:
<p>Susan Travis, Registrar, ARCS ■ 5551 – 4 Avenue NE, Calgary AB T2A 3X9, Phone 403.273.3792 Email inquiries to registrar@up2something.org. Registrations paid by credit card may be faxed to 403.273.0137</p>