



3rd Quarter 2022

Hello Again Au Supporters

Summer has zipped by and after taking off July to regenerate, Au jumped back into regular rehearsals, new music, performances and fundraising. Here are the highlights...



Au OPENS AT THE ROUND ROCK EXPRESS

On July 20, Au kicked off the Round Rock Express baseball game with the singing of the National Anthem. It's always fun to sing before a huge appreciative crowd and the immediate standing ovation filled us up! We stayed for hot dogs, great conversation and to watch the Express win the game.

Au and "Spike" the Round Rock Express mascot prepare to take the field...and kick off the game!

SUPPORTING SAVING GRACE

Au instituted a "Go Fund Me" to help our favorite ladies in Saving Grace quartet defray the costs of



competing on the International stage. Our efforts raised more than \$1500 to help them on their journey where they finished 22nd out of 47 competitors in their first appearance on the International stage. They also received the Novice Quartet Award! We're extremely proud of them.

THE LADIES WIN IN PHOENIX

An exciting International quartet competition wrapped up 9/16 with *The Ladies*, representing Great Gulf Coast Region 10, walking away with the crowns! The Ladies, you may recall, were part of Au's 2019 International chorus. Their journey to Queens of Harmony began in 2016 when they won the Rising Star contest. This year...they took top honors in the world. It was well deserved. Their two sets were flawless. They have always been Queens in our book!

AU APPLAUDS ALL OUR FORMER MEMBERS WHO CROSSED THE INTERNATIONAL STAGE

From Rising Star to the International stage! We have been so lucky to have numerous former members that sang this weekend at the SAI International Quartet Competition; *The Ladies*, *Saving Grace* and *Endeavor*.

Saving Grace accepts the Novice Quartet award! They did an awesome job for their first time on the International stage.



The Sweet Adelines International's newest Queens of Harmony, *The Ladies*. It's been so great to watch their progress.



Endeavour Quartet featuring former Au member Serena Davis (2nd from left)

COMING UP!!

Mermaid Capital of Texas Fest

Every September Merfolk take over San Marcos for the Mermaid Capital of Texas Fest. This annual event celebrates the unique San Marcos culture and features local art and heritage. The event includes a parade and faire. If you love the quirky and colorful, you don't want to miss this!

AND you won't want to miss Au's performance on



the main stage 9/24 from 4 to 4:45 p.m. Please stop by our table and say Hi!



CHEYENNE GONZALEZ Is Au's newest member! After zipping through the audition process, she was welcomed into the fold in September. Cheyenne is a former student of Katy's having sung in the ICCA nationally-ranked a cappella group, *Lark*. We are delighted to welcome her to our baritone section.

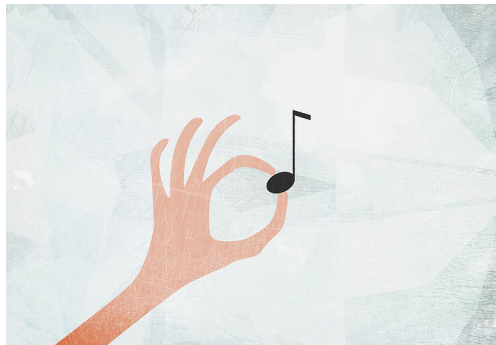
BEFORE WE SIGN OFF.....

Au is back to a regular rehearsal schedule....each Monday, 7 to 10 pm at Texas State University's Music Building, Room 214/222 (Entrance on Pleasant Street--across from the Pleasant Street garage) We'd love to introduce all you singers who are looking for an exciting hobby. Paid parking is available in the garage...use the AMPark app.

If you have questions, please Contact us at www.acappellaunlimitechorus@gmail.com

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