

Children's Chorus Spring Festival May 14

A musical evening by the moonlight will be part of the special treat offered by the Inland Children's Chorus at its 1968 "Spring Festival" edition on Tuesday, May 14, at 8 p.m. at Memorial Hall.

Free tickets for all Inland employees, retirees, their families and friends are available at the Employee Relations Section, Plant 1; the Employment Office, Plant 3, (Vandalia), and at each Medical Department.

The graduation of 13 Chorus members will be featured during the intermission with General Manager T. O. Mathews distributing the diplomas.

The 100-voice Concert Chorus, under the direction of Joseph P. Geiger and the accompaniment of James A. Will, has the following selections on tap during the program's opening portion:

"I Hear A Song," Hyatt; "Look For The Silver Lining,"

Kern; "More"—(Theme from Monde Caine), Oliviero; "Bluebird of Happiness," Harmati; "They Call The Wind Maria," Loewe; "Gonna Ride That Heavenly Train," Young, and "You'll Never Walk Alone," Rodgers.

Following the intermission and the presentation of the graduates, the Junior Chorus will join the Concert Chorus for that "Evening by the Moonlight." Special staging will lend emphasis to these numbers:

"It's Only A Paper Moon," Arlen; "Wagon Wheels," DeRose; "Tammy," Livingston-Evans; "Never On Sunday," Hadjidakis.

Also, "Blowin' In The Wind," Dylan; "Goodbye, My Coney Island Baby," Applegate; "Somewhere, My Love," (Theme from "Doctor Zhivago"), Jarre; "That's Amore," Brooks-Warren; "Love Is Blue," Andre Popp and "Wonderful Copenhagen," Loesser.

Frigidaire Discount Sale Ends May 15

Only a few days remain for Inland employees (and retirees) to take advantage of the Frigidaire Division's annual special purchase program. Final day for ordering major appliances at employee's discount is May 15. Until then, General Motors employees in the Dayton area can save on refrigerators, ranges, food freezers, built in ranges and oven equipment, automatic washers, clothes dryers, room air conditioners and dishwashers.

Discounts vary and depend on the item purchased. A list showing employees special purchase prices and product literature is available at the Employee Relations Section of the Personnel Department, (Plant 1), and at the Employment Office, Plant 3, Vandalia. Special employe purchase authorization forms may be obtained at both places.

Except for room air conditioners, there is a purchase limit of one each Frigidaire appliance per employe.



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LaDonna Beatty White, who graduated from the Children's Chorus 24 years ago, shares her remembrances with daughters Gretchen, (center), a five-year Chorus member, and daughter Marilyn Jean, who'll graduate May 14.

Marilyn's Mom Paved Way

When 16-year-old Marilyn Jean White ends her five years with the Inland Children's Chorus during the May 14 graduation ceremony, she'll follow the footsteps of her mother and set the pace for her 13-year-old sister.

LaDonna Beatty White graduated from the Chorus 24 years ago. Gretchen White, already with five years of Chorus experience, has another three years of singing ahead of her.

Marilyn is one of 13 Children's Chorus graduates this year, representing a total of 73 years of Chorus participation, as follows:

John Black, 1; Dianne Brinkman, 8; Carol Chappe, 4; Mary Beth Condron, 4; Sally Drummer, 4; Rita Hamman, 4; Dolores Kulhanek, 8; Mark Magee, 8; Barry Mancz, 4; Sheila Srode, 7; Carol Stoff, 9, and Patricia Wood, 7.

As a sophomore at Trotwood-Madison, Marilyn considers her Chorus experience as a stepping stone for the future:

"I will continue to participate in high school vocal groups, especially the Varsity Choir," the young soprano said. "I'm going to miss the Chorus, for I learned a lot during my years with it. Singing before a large audience, achieving better poise and reaching higher notes are just a few of the experiences the Chorus gave to me."

Her comments are similar to those made by her mother whose fond memories have weathered the 24-year span since her graduation.

LaDonna Beatty belonged to the Inland Children's Chorus when it was still in its early years. Richard B. Westbrook, the Chorus' founder, was at the helm and his tireless efforts, devotion and constant search for perfection made a lasting im-

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1968 CHORUS GRADUATES: front, left to right: Patricia Wood, Carol Chappe, Sally Drummer, Dianne Brinkman and Dolores Kulhanek. Center, Mary Beth Condron, Rita Hamman, Marilyn White, Sheila Srode and Carol Stoff. Back row, Barry Mancz, John Black and Mark Magee.

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