Grand River Rainbow Historical Project

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celebrating the lives and times of rainbow folk in Grand River country

Raindrops

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Welcome to Term 2 of the 14th Season of the **Waterloo Wellington Rainbow Chorus** of Gays, Lesbians, Bisexuals and Friends

Important Dates

Workshop with Brainer Blyden Taylor conductor of Nathaniel Dett Chorale at Harcout United

Friday March 6 7 pm-8 pm Brainer to speak about origins of African American music 8-830 pm Rehearsal for mass choir

Saturday March 7
TBA Workshop with Brainer,

315-415 pm Mass choir rehearsal

8-930 pmConcert

All Day Rehearsals Saturday March 21 Saturday April 18

Tech Rehearsal Friday May 29

Concert Saturday May 30

Fundraising Dance Friday March 27 8 pm Guelph Place Banquet Hall

Year End Party June

Annual General Meeting

Song List

- -Bridge Over Troubled Water
- -Don't Stop
- -Dream a Little Dream
- -Four Strong Winds
- -Good Vibrations
- -Harriet Tubman
- -Hymn to Freedom
- -I Got a Name
- -In my Life .
- -Jersey Boys
- -One Tin Soldier
- -People
- -Scarborough Fair/ Sound of
- -Unchained Melody
- -Walk on By
- -Where Have All the Flowers
- -With Love from Motown

Mission Statement

Rainbow Chorus is composed of mutually supportive people who have joined together for the purpose of the



performance of the choral arts including a diverse repertoire.

About the Music

The Rainbow Chorus buys and owns our music. Please only use pencil when making notes. Please then erase these notes and replace staples if necessary before you hand in your music at the end of the term. Music is copyrighted material; please do not make any photocopies.

Music for each member is valued at approximately \$61 per member for the two terms.

Music Deposit

Each chorus member pays a one-time music deposit of \$25 (separate from your membership dues). This deposit is to help the Chorus defray the cost of music in the event of loss or damage. If music is lost, the cost will be recouped from the member's music deposit and then the music deposit will need to be "topped up" to \$25 if required.

If a member decides to leave the Chorus, their deposit will be refunded as long as all music is returned and in good condition.

Membership Dues

The cost of membership is \$80 per term (or \$160 per year). There is a sliding scale available with a minimum payment of \$25 per term (speak to Treasurer Brenda Eckhardt).

Music expresses that which cannot be said and on which it is impossible to be silent.

Victor Hugo