

## **The Pan Pacific-Aires Mic Testing Chorus Needs You**

Feeling glum about no chance to be on the contest stage at Pan Pacific Harmony 2008? Here's your opportunity to fix that. Become one of the singers in this much needed mic testing chorus.

The chorus will be directed by Gary Bolles, music educator, Music judge and lead of Vintage Gold quartet, 2006 & 2007 International Seniors Silver Medalists, who has selected two popular, well known songs, Hello Mary Lou and Sweet and Lovely. The chorus will perform on Thursday October 30, Hawaii Theatre setup day, and on Saturday November 1 at the Chorus Finals contest. No special uniform is required.

There will be a 30 minute rehearsal, Wednesday October 29 at 4PM in the hotel lobby and a 30 minute run through on Thursday October 30, at 9:30AM in the hotel. The chorus and mic testing quartet will be transported to the Hawaii Theatre at 10AM, and finish rehearsing for 30 minutes from 10:30 to 11:00. At 11-11:30, the chorus will perform onstage for the setting of the sound system by the sound judge and sound operator. The mic testing quartet will work with the judge and sound operator from 11:30 -12.

The chorus and quartet will be transported back to the hotel at 12:00 noon.

On contest day, the Pan Pacific-Aires will warm-up at the hotel and be transported to the theatre and be the first chorus on stage for the sound check.

If you would like to take advantage of this opportunity to be onstage with the Pan Pacific-Aires, please brush-up on the songs at chapter breaks and sign up, by sending an email to [contestchair@panpacificharmony.org](mailto:contestchair@panpacificharmony.org), indicating which rehearsals you can make, Wednesday, Thursday or both and your voice part.

In Harmony,

Zig Palagyi  
Contest Chair