

Steel City Sound

Youth Ensemble

NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2004

PHONE NUMBERS:

Info Line: 38-STEEL (387-8335)

Please call this number before any practice or performance in case of last minute changes in schedule. Also, if you cannot come to a practice please call and leave a message.

Cell Phone: 928-0782

This is the phone number that we carry with us whenever we travel. If you are looking for us just call this number.

Russ Hunter's:

Business: 549-8330

Home Phone: 549-1247

Web Site: www.steelcitysound.com

REMEMBER:

Please support the following who help this organization:

Upper Hamilton Bingo Centre
1119 Fennel Avenue East

We are still looking for a good location for our Nevada tickets. If you know someone who has a Bar, Roadhouse or Variety store and would be willing to sell our tickets for us let me

know. The selling location also makes money with Nevada Tickets. We used to sell our tickets at the **Gladstone Tavern** on Main Street East at Kenilworth. Please continue to support them as they helped us raise thousands of dollars in the past.

BIRTHDAYS:

Naisa Atherton – December 12

Amanda Baker – December 12

Kaya Bridge – December 16

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER:

Our monthly newsletter is available online. If you forget to pick one up at practice you can download it from our web site. Now there is no excuse for not knowing what is going on.

REGISTRATION:

Make sure you bring in your sign up sheets and post dated checks. Save by paying \$100 per member for the year.

IT'S A GIRL:

Guard Instructor Lindsay Van Nynatten gave birth to a baby girl on Saturday, November 27 at 4:18 am. Weighing 6 lbs, 15 ounces is new junior guard member Jamilyn Emily Van Nynatten.



More Pictures online at: www.jamilyn.ca

LAST PRACTICE THIS YEAR:

Our final practice for 2004 will be on Saturday, December 18. We start back up on January 8.

FREE TO GOOD HOME:

Member Topaz Gould has 2 cute (born in August) young "Degus". They are rodents and cousins of the chinchilla. They look like a gerbil. They eat peanuts, guinea pig pellets and chinchilla food. Call Margie Gould at 905-540-9460.

COFFEE:

Parents are invited to join us for coffee,

tea or hot chocolate in the kitchen during practice.

FUNDRAISER:

Many families have not brought back their charm orders. We have extended the deadline by one week. December 3 is the last day to bring in your orders if you want delivery by Christmas.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE:

Kitchener – February 19
Brantford – March 5
Hamilton – March 19
Hamilton – April 16

The above schedule will change but so far this is what we have. The show on April 16 is our contest at Sherwood High School and it is the Canadian championships. We need help in selling ad space for our program. The cost of putting on a show is \$3500. The Kitchener group offsets this cost by selling \$6000 worth of ads. We usually sell \$300 worth of ads and it would be nice if we could increase that figure.

PRACTICE:

Remember practice starts at 9:30 am sharp and ends at 12:30 pm. Some of the senior members of the percussion will be starting at 9:00 am.

Merry Christmas:

The staff and volunteers of Steel City Sound would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season.