



South Ribble
Borough Council

RULES OF PRESTON BARBERSHOP HARMONY CLUB 18 January 1985

1. The name of the club shall be 'PRESTON BARBERSHOP HARMONY CLUB'. The chorus shall be known as the 'RED ROSE CHORUS'.
2. The object of the club shall be to encourage the singing of barbershop harmony in all its forms, and to encourage within the club friendliness and enjoyment.
3. The club, after deducting expenses, shall support charitable causes.
4. All affairs of the club shall be administered by a committee elected and appointed at the A.G.M. which will be held in January each year. The committee shall consist of a Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer, PRO, Sing-out Secretary, Membership Secretary and Musical Director.
5. Membership can be male or female but SINGING MEMBERS SHALL BE MALE.
6. The committee shall have the power to suspend any member whose conduct is detrimental to the running of the club.
7. The A.G.M. shall be held in January to appoint the new committee and to receive reports from the Chairman and Treasurer and to deal with any other business.
8. An extraordinary general meeting shall be held at any time during the year, provided that the meeting is requested by at least two thirds of the majority of the members present at the time, and are entitled to vote. Twenty one days notice must be given to the Secretary in writing and the meeting will be restricted to the business requested.
9. All male members shall members of BABS and pay the current fee.
10. When a club member qualifies to sing with the chorus, he will be expected to contribute towards the purchase of his chorus uniform. Uniforms shall remain the property of the club. Ex gratia payment may be made in the event of a member leaving the club, at the discretion of the committee.
11. Alterations to these rules shall be made at the A.G.M. or at the request as outlined in rule 8.
12. The committee shall meet quarterly to discuss club business, but shall also have the option to meet at any other time during their term of office. All matters discussed shall be made known to the members of the club.
13. In the event of a decision to close the club, the Treasurer shall realise all assets of the club and after paying off all the debts, transfer the monies to a charity, as agreed by the club members.

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Charlie was 73, we would have been married 47 years this year. We had both been ill with this flu virus but Charlie did not respond to the antibiotics and he died very peacefully at home, I was with him. His funeral was last Friday we had a full church he was also secretary of the Mens Fellowship, and had just taken on our monthly news letter. I am naturally very sad, but I know he would want me to carry on my church work I have had my daughter with me. He goes back to S on ea next Tuesday. I shall keep my interest in B.S.H.C. and help whenever I can. So as Charlie would say. "Keep the whole World Singing all Day Long."
Yours Sincerely Edith Grayson