

BROMLEY BARBERSHOP HARMONY CLUB

History – Events of the Year 1997

Membership 49 (50 in the year)

Joiners- Keith Challis; Simon Hillier; Bob Gilbert; Andrew Sentinella

Leavers – John Lawson; Keith Challis

Competitions

Convention, 3rd May, - Brighton I.C.C; 14th place with 53.6% (40 on stage)

Song 1 Let Me Call You Sweetheart

Song 2 Who's Sorry Now

Select Company mikewarmed

Prelims, Dec, Brean Sands; 18th place overall with 57.1%

Song 1

Song 2

(Major breakdown en route and delayed start !)

Select Company placed 16th in Quartet contest

Bromley Music Festival - Kentones placed 2nd

Sing-outs - Year to 31st August 1997. Kentones and Cordon Bleu - 60 Singouts raising £465 + £916 Collections and Donations

New Songs There's a Meetin' Here Tonight; Paper Doll; Oh You Beautiful Doll; When I'm 64:

Other Events – *Cordon Bleu* Group of retired members founded January under direction of John Vaughan. Organising Secretary, David Tindall. First Sing-out July. Ron Mesure inaugurated a cup for Youth Barbershop at Bromley Music Festival "Kentonian" 2nd in BABS Magazine Contest.[Editor- Chris Sydee]

New Blue walk-out blazers introduced

Andrew Sentinella joined from Guildford; appointed Chorus Director from October.

Select Company quartet visit twin town Neuwied on the Rhine

Trophies-

Most Improved Singer	- John Ray
Most Improved Stage Presence	- Geoff Mountney
Barbershopper of the Year	- John Vaughan

Financial Results

Deficit for the year ended 31.8.1997 of £1,595

Charity of the Year – South Bromley Hospice £607; Leukemia Society £100; Music Therapy charity £100

Chorus Director Frank Taylor and Andrew Sentinella

Asst CD's Paul Palmer;

Chairman Barrie Newman, followed by John Rayfield

Committee John Rayfield; Les Moore; David Tindall; John Vaughan
Arthur Jermin; Chris Sydee; Mike Corr

Mayoral Visit to Club, April 1997



Robin Rigby; Wallace Nichol; Maurice Harvey; Chris Sydee; Bill Holyday; Ron Butcher; John Brooks; John Weeks; Steve Beaney; Paul Palmer
Geoff Mounthey; Peter Aylett; Stewart Lawson; George Vandenberg; Geoff Quinn; John Ray; Paul Gardner
Arthur Jermin; Geoff Beardall; Frank Bostock; Brian Scothern; John O'Connor; Ernie Beaney; Alan Lamprell; George Bradshaw
David Tindall; Don Bodker; Jack Willoughby; Les Moore; Charlie Gates; Ian Quinn; Colin Couves; Del James; Mike Corr; Frank Taylor
Ron Mesure (President); Mayor and Mayoress; Peggy Bensaid (Supporters Chairman); Barrie Newman (BBHC Chairman)

Cordon Bleu Group - First Official photo, taken at Convention 1997.



CORDON BLEU

