

# HEA 2024

Tawa College  
5-7 April 2024

## FRIDAY

7.00pm

Social time and tag singing at The Borough, Main Rd, Tawa  
Sing through 'You and Me' and 'Distant Sun'

## SATURDAY

8.30am

### GENERAL VOCAL PREPARATION AND CRAFT

9.00am

#### EDUCATION CLASS 1

- Vocal Health
- The Basics - diphthongs, vowels, alignment (The Pyramid explained)
- Knowledge Retention
- Get the most out of HarmonySite

**Quartet  
Coaching 1**

10.00am

### MORNING TEA

10.30am

#### EDUCATION CLASS 2

- Inclusivity in Barbershop - taking gender out of the equation
- How to Ring chords
- Performance techniques
- Musicality – getting the most out of the arrangement

**Quartet  
Coaching 2**

11.30am

#### GENERAL SESSION – Matt Barris

What makes a great quartet – what every singer should know

12.30pm

### LUNCH – own arrangements

2.00pm

#### EDUCATION CLASS 3

- Vocal Health
- Sequential learning
- So you want to be a coach?

**Quartet  
Coaching 3**

3.00pm	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CHORUS JUMBLE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mixed</li> <li>• Muddled</li> </ul>	<p><b>Quartet Coaching 4</b></p>
4.00pm	<b>CHORUS JUMBLE SING-OFF</b>	<p><b>Quartet Coaching 5</b></p>
4.15pm	Massed singing - Sing through 'You and Me' and 'Distant Sun'	
5.00pm	<b>DINNER</b> – own arrangements	
6.30pm	<b>HOWAT-NATION CONTEST</b>	
	Afterglow at The Borough	
<b>SUNDAY</b>		
9.00am	<b>GENERAL VOCAL PREPARATION AND CRAFT</b>	
9.30m	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>EDUCATION CLASS 4</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• So you want to be a coach?</li> <li>• The Basics- diphthongs, vowels, alignment (The Pyramid explained)</li> <li>• Musicality – getting the most out of the arrangement</li> <li>• Effective rehearsal techniques</li> </ul>	<p><b>Quartet Coaching 6</b></p>
10.30am	<b>MORNING TEA</b>	
11.00am	<p><b>BIG CHORUS COACHING</b></p> <p>Take part singing in a large chorus while being instructed by top BHNZ coaches</p>	
12.00pm	<b>Wrap up and farewells</b>	
12.30pm	<b>Presidents Forum with Regional Reps – Antony Currington and Johann Du Plessis</b>	