Alto Notes
September 15, 2025

Welcome new Alto members!! So glad to have you join the Mastervoices family.

Today was our first rehearsal of *Sweet Smell of Success (SSoS)*.
NO rehearsal next week (9/22)
Ticket sales have begun! And they're going quickly–get 'em while you can! Or tell your friends–6 tickets min.(not for Side by Siders)

Few things from Ted:

- We will start rehearsals on time, please plan accordingly
- This rehearsal space is small and our chorus is large(!) Kindly stay on the quieter side as you enter and take your seats
- Much of the score is subject to change as Ted makes decisions.
- Good news! We won't have to worry much about seeing or holding our music onstage, because Ted wants ***music to be memorized!!!*** It's repetitive and rhymes–we can do it!
- There will be a schedule of memorization so don't even worry about getting a head start.
- Stay Tuned for chorus fun playing different roles etc!!!

The Rumor–Special attention to all cut-offs!

- m. 9 Dotted 8th rhythm is swung.
- m.13 Observe the rest
- Whisper/breathy but with crisp consonants–to show the juicy gossip…
- m. 15 watch intonation with half steps
- p. 3 Harmonize on "Oooo" then unison
- m.33–A1–G# A2 on E with a swell
- m.37–A1—A and A2—E with a swell
- Cut from m. 57

The Column

- p. 18 m.252–sing D then C# (the lowest note in the top chord)

Welcome to the Night

- P. 3 clean–we may have harmony
- p.4 m32 "Sniffing at the Bait"