

**The San Diego County
Young Men In Harmony Program
Presents the Inaugural
Young Men's Vocal Ensemble Festival**



Featuring the Ringmasters

2008 International Collegiate Barbershop Quartet Champions
from Sweden

and the San Diego County Youth Barbershop Chorus



AND OTHER YOUNG MALE ENSEMBLES FROM SAN DIEGO COUNTY
including Frequency, a men's a cappella group from UCSD

Saturday, January 24, 2009, 6:00 PM

Lewis Middle School

5170 Greenbrier Avenue

San Diego, CA 92120

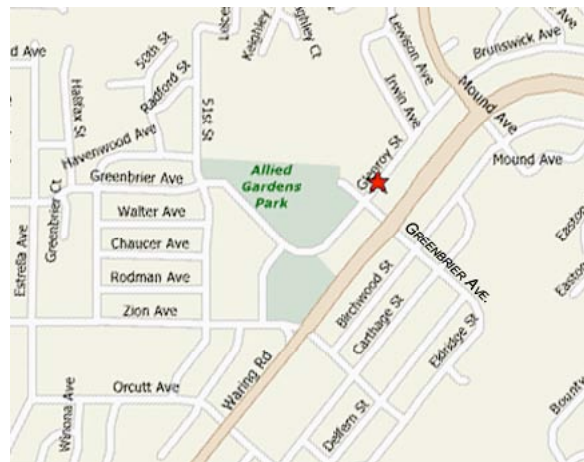
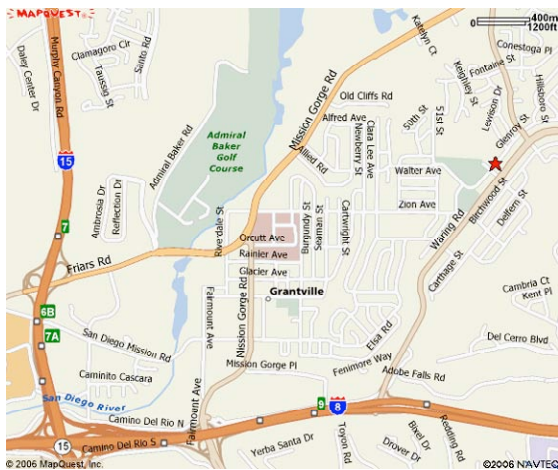
All tickets \$5 (students free), open seating.
Pay at the door.

THE RINGMASTERS

**Jacob Stenberg (tenor), Rasmus Krigström (lead),
Emanuel Roll (baritone) and Martin Wahlgren (bass),**

Ringmasters is a barbershop quartet that was founded the fall of 2006. They all studied at Adolf Fredrik's school of music and graduated from Stockholm's Music High School. It was through the school choir the four members got to know each other and realized their shared passion for barbershop music. Today they are all singing in the barbershop choir Zero 8 and many other choral groups. On top of all this, all four members practice different kinds of instruments. The Ringmasters find inspiration in other quartets such as Vocal Spectrum, Take 6, Cadence, Four Voices and Second Edition. They are also inspired by bands such as the Beatles. Ringmasters stress the point that practicing all different genres of music is highly important. This is clearly audible in their repertoire. In less than two years together, they became the second non-American group to win an International first place title in any men's category, by winning the [International Collegiate Barbershop Quartet Contest \(ICBQC\)](#), following the college quartet, Musical Island Boys, from New Zealand, who won in 2006.

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