### **Calling all Murphy Canyon Military Spouses:**

Do you sing or have an interest in learning?
The Murphy Canyon Choir will start meeting in mid April
No experience is necessary
Free Childcare will be available
Free Vocal Coaching will be provided
Fluency in English not required
Don't miss this unique opportunity!
Call or email for more information

## Llamado a todas las esposas de militares en Murphy Canyon:

Cantas o tienes interés en aprender a cantar?
El Coro de Murphy Canyon comenzará a reunirse a mediados de Abril
Ninguna experiencia requerida
Guardería infaltil gratuita
Entrenamiento vocal gratuito
Fluidez del idioma Inglés no requerido
No te pierdas esta oportunidad!
Para más información llama o escribe



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# Murphy Canyon Choir seeks members

# **Calling all Murphy Canyon Spouses:**

Do you sing in the shower or in the car?

Do you sing along with the radio or hum lullabies?

Do you write music or have an interest in learning?

Previous experience is not necessary

Free vocal coaching
Free child care



**inSite**, a San Diego-based community arts organization, and **Althea Thauberger**, a Vancouver-based artist, in collaboration with Lincoln Management and other military and local support organizations, are pleased to announce an exciting new community project:

The Murphy Canyon Choir will be comprised of 30+ military spouses. Under the musical guidance of choir director and educator **Terry Russell**, the group will meet weekly starting in mid April. Initial rehearsals will focus on group vocal coaching and repertoire development. The project will culminate in October with an innovative local performance and recording, which will be part of **inSite**'s 2005 programming.

The Murphy Canyon Choir is open to all military spouses in the area who are able to commit creative energy and two hours per week for a period of six months.

Spouses from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to get involved!

Babies too young for childcare are welcome to come to rehearsals with Mom!

Please help spread the word!

Established in 1992, **inSite** is a bi-national arts organization based in San Diego. Working in collaboration with public and private organizations, **inSite** sponsors international artists and directors to develop community-based projects in San Diego and Tijuana. From August through November of 2005, **inSite** will bring international attention to the region with an intense, three-month schedule of community projects, museum exhibitions, performances, and outreach programs.

Althea Thauberger is a Canadian artist who has been commissioned to produce a project for **inSite**'s 2005 programming. She studied art at Concordia University in Montreal and the University of Victoria. Her collaborative film and performance projects often incorporate music and draw on popular culture and local histories. Althea has shown her work in galleries and public locations in North America and Europe. She is a visual art instructor at the Emily Carr Institute of Art in Vancouver.

Terry Russell studied Choral Conducting at the University of Miami and the University of Wisconsin. She has directed a broad range of classical and popular community choirs, performing in locations from Carnegie Hall in New York City to the deck of the Midway Carrier in San Diego Harbor. Terry was named by San Diego Magazine as one of "Fifty People to Watch in 2003," and she is currently chair of performance studies at Southwestern College.

# The Murphy Canyon Choir will offer:

- · Free certified childcare at every rehearsal
- · A fun, encouraging, and supportive atmosphere for experienced and inexperienced singers
- · Expert guidance and vocal-coaching
- · An opportunity to write music
- · A stronger connection to your community
- · An opportunity for self-expression
- Increased appreciation of musical styles that may include pop, gospel, R&B, country, and classical
- · An opportunity to share the unique aspects of military life with civilian audiences



# **Interested? Have questions?**

Please contact us for more information at:

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