

A Highly Effective Director Makes Rehearsal Fun!!!

- 1. Laugh a lot!!**
- 2. Always give positive feedback directly to the member when she opens herself for criticism, ex: MC, soloist, new costume designer, a positive emotional outburst, first timer with anything.**
- 3. Resist dwelling on any one technique for more than 10 minutes. (Contest excluded!)**
- 4. Resist talking more than 30 seconds at any time while rehearsing songs.**
- 5. Insist and praise and take half the blame.**
- 6. Remember Rule #6!**
- 7. Be satisfied with 90% perfection; laugh at the other 10%!**

EVEN THOUGH IT'S TEMPTING...

....NEVER SAY:

I've told you 100 times.

Beat _____ chorus!

Why can't you remember from week to the next?

Curse!

That judge doesn't know what she's talking about.

You're flat!

I'm not going over that again!

So what if your back hurts.

Tough if you cannot see.

You're late.

I've got PMS.

You must be at the performance, no excuses.

You let me down.

.... add your own!