

2008 Florida ACDA High School Honor Choir

Directors: This letter contains important information regarding the 2008 Florida ACDA Honor Choir. Please read thoroughly.

PREPARATION

1) Each singer must have an original copy of music. No photocopies or sharing allowed.

Jubilate Deo by Giovanni Gabrieli (G. Schirmer, Inc. HL50324580)

To St. Cecilia by Norman Dello Joio (Carl Fischer 04119)

*Music can be purchased from Head's House of Music

2) All singers must arrive to the first rehearsal with their assigned parts completely learned, including foreign language pronunciation.

3) Each singer must have a pencil at each rehearsal and bring a black folder for the performance.

PERFORMANCE ATTIRE

Performance attire for the Honor Choir is formal. **Women** should wear black or black and white. Hemlines on skirts and dresses must be below the knee. Dressy pantsuits are also acceptable. Please wear low heels. **Men** should wear a black tuxedo with black cummerbund or vest, bow tie, and dress shoes. Hair and makeup of all singers must present a neat, natural appearance. A black folder is required of all singers for the performance.

CHAPERONAGE

The High School Honor Choir rehearsals overlap ACDA conference events and activities. I strongly urge you to secure enough chaperones to handle the transportation and supervision of your students. Otherwise you may end up sacrificing a great deal of your conference time.

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

Thursday, November 6

6:00 pm- 6:30 pm

REGISTRATION @ Markham Woods Presbyterian Church

Money for Friday's lunch will be collected at registration- \$7.75 cash (exact change) or check to ACDA

6:30 pm- 9:00 pm

REHEARSAL/ SOLO AUDITIONS

Friday, November 7

9:00 am- Noon

REHEARSAL @ Markham Woods Presbyterian Church

Noon- 1:00 pm

LUNCH: Provided on site; students are not permitted to leave for lunch.

1:00 pm- 4:00 pm

REHEARSAL @ Markham Woods Presbyterian Church

Saturday, November 8

8:00 am- 10:00 am

REHEARSAL @ Markham Woods Presbyterian Church

10:00 am- 10:45 am

Change into performance attire and go to SCC.

10:45 pm- 12:00 pm

REHEARSAL @ Seminole Community College

12:15 pm- 12:45 pm

PERFORMANCE @ Seminole Community College (Open to the public- no

charge)

Singers must be in performance attire at 10:45 am

If you have any questions please contact:

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Hotel information and directions to Seminole Community College can be found at <http://www.flacda.org/> by clicking on “conference”. The hotels have a reservation deadline of October 20 or 23 to get the conference group rates so don’t delay!