



Livingston Parish Chorale

January 27, 2020

Updates will be emailed & posted on our website: www.LPCCsing.org

Please read this handout carefully and mark your calendars. **You MUST fill out a registration form EACH semester!** Make sure **MELANIE RUSHING** has **EVERY** email address you want included in our mailings. **Melanie: 225-921-2128 MelanieRushing@gmail.com.** Remember, tuition is due at the beginning of each semester. A \$25 late fee will be added to any tuition not paid by February 1st **unless** you have made **PRIOR** arrangements for payments with Amanda Luneau, our Membership Chairman. For financial assistance, you **MUST** fill out a **NEW** form **EACH** semester. Tuition can be paid by cash or check or you can pay via paypal on our website. If payment is an issue, Shelly Strobel can help you set up a payment plan. **Amanda Luneau: 225-933-0765 Amandaluneau@gmail.com**

Some of the Chorale dresses were **VERY** short at Christmas. If you cannot make the dress you have now meet requirements, you must order a new one **ASAP**. Chorale wears our uniforms for District Festival on March 5th. Chorale Uniform Chairman **BRITNEY KNIGHT 225-931-2989 Britney.Knight@LPSB.org**

HOLIDAYS, EXTRA REHEARSALS & SPECIAL EVENTS

February 1 – March 20th Ads, Bragbites & Sponsorship Fundraiser Campaign

February 3rd – **CHORALE PARENT MEETING 6:00pm LOTS TO DISCUSS** – including uniforms, district festival & tour

February 24th – **No Chorale (Mardi Gras)**

February 29th, **SATURDAY** - Chorale special rehearsal for ALL who have NOT completed Master Musicians Level 1 and/or the required Theory books. Times TBA Location – Ms. Barbara’s house.

March 5th, **THURSDAY** - Chorale District Festival. SEE BACK OF THIS SHEET – **NEW BEFORE SCHOOL TIMES!**

April 5th, **Sunday** - **LPCC Awards Day Ceremony** (All choirs) 2:00 – 3:30 pm. Location: New Covenant

April 13th, **Monday** - **No choir** – Easter Holidays

MAY 1st, Friday - **LPCC Spring Concert!**

MAY 4th, MONDAY - **Chorale Recording Concert!** Arrival time: 6:00pm Concert 6:30-7:45pm

June 20 – 25, **Saturday – Thursday** **Chorale Tour** (Tour Meeting TBA)

July TBA – **Choir Camp**. We will perform on the Thursday night concert. **NOT optional!**

SPRING CONCERT REHEARSAL WEEK

All rehearsals the week of April 27 – May 1, 2020 will be held at our concert location: **Live Oak United Methodist Church. 34890 La. 16, Watson, LA** Please make sure your child is there for both of these very important rehearsals.

CHORALE: Monday, April 27th 6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
Thursday, April 30th 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

APPRENTICE: Tuesday, April 28th 4:30 – 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, April 30th 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

CHORUS: Tuesday, April 28th 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, April 30th 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

29th Annual Spring Concert – Friday, May 3rd

LPCC’s 29th Annual Spring Concert 7:00 p.m. Live Oak United Methodist Church
Tickets \$5 **FREE NURSERY** provided by LPCC – Infant to 4 years old

DISTRICT IV CHORAL FESTIVAL! THURSDAY, MARCH 5TH

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, BATON ROUGE

529 Convention Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802

UPDATED 1-17-2020

Chorale members must provide their OWN transportation.

Take Convention Street Exit. (Exit is on the left)

FBC is bordered by Convention & Florida Blvd.

Parking will be an issue!

There are coin meters on Convention & the side streets.

There is also a pre-paid parking lot catty-cornered across from the church.

You can NOT park in the FBC church parking lot.

You can park on the street and use a meter if you can find one.

PLEASE drop the kids off at FBC before you find a place to park.



Chorale Arrival Time: 7:10am THURSDAY 5th

Come into the church by the covered walkway.

Meet in the SANCTUARY. We will take roll there.

Official Warm-up Room: 7:20am **DO NOT ARRIVE LATE!**

Performance & Sightreading will follow. We should be through by 8:25am.

WEAR: Formal Black Uniforms

Chorale, when you arrive, check in with ME in the Sanctuary between 7:00 – 7:10. Go to the BATHROOM before 7:15. We go upstairs to the official warm-up room at 7:20. We are the FIRST choir of the day.

Parents can go into the sanctuary to hear our performance. Parents may **not** go to the warm-up or sight-reading areas. SENIORS – we'll take an official senior picture AFTER festival in the lobby.

FROM THE FESTIVAL DIRECTORS: PLEASE PRINT THIS CHECK-LIST for Students/Parents

1. **PARKING:** EVERYONE will need to park in the PAID lot on the LEFT of Convention street across from the FBC Parking lot. **THIS IS A CASH LOT= \$10.00.** The FBC parking lot is OFF LIMITS due to church daily functions/luncheons/bible studies throughout the festival days.
2. **CHECKING IN:** Choirs are certainly invited to sit in the sanctuary to listen to other choirs HOWEVER, the director and parents should chaperone their choirs and NOT LEAVE THEM alone in the sanctuary. The sanctuary is not a HOLDING AREA.
3. **ETIQUETTE:** Please remind your choirs of proper ETIQUETTE while listening in the sanctuary or moving throughout the church. **NO EATING and DRINKING allowed in the church.**
4. **CHOIR SUPERVISION:** CHOIRS must stay together AT ALL TIMES. Please DO NOT allow your choir members to "roam" the church. Buddy system for bathroom is best.
5. **CHOIR RECORDINGS:** PROFESSIONAL recordings of your concert performance: These will be made available to you as in years past on CD's.
6. **Professional Photographer:** If you want a picture of your choir, you will be able to order one. NO ONE IS ALLOWED in the balcony (due to judges area) please.