



Application for

BIG SING – WEST 2010

A non-competitive Youth and Children's Choir Festival

Saturday, April 10th

CONCERT 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

LOCATION: St Mark's School,

25 Marlboro Road, Southborough, MA 01772-1299

ADJUDICATOR: Tom Berryman, Music Director, St. Mark's School

Choir Application Fee: \$50

Please confirm your participation by contacting Jane Money at jmoney@bostoncingsingers.org by February 27th. Completed applications and your \$50 participation fee are due by March 20th. Please send a check to Jane at 17 Waldeck Street, Dorchester, MA 02124, **made payable to American Choral Directors Association.**

Name of Choir:

Name of Director/Conductor:

Name of Accompanist:

Name of soloists, if any:

Names of pieces to be performed (title, composer, publisher)

*Please select 2 or 3 pieces only, which combined **must not exceed 8 minutes.***

Number of singers:

Contact information for Director/Conductor:

Email:

Phone:

PLEASE KEEP THIS INFORMATION FOR YOUR FILES

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REHEARSAL: staggered times from noon – 2:00 p.m.

Combined choirs rehearse at 2:00 p.m.

Festival 3: 00 – 4:30 p.m.

LOCATION: St Mark's School, Southborough, MA

Choir Application Fee: \$50

Audience Entrance Fee: \$1

Choirs from urban, after-school, community, school, and churches may apply.

Singers aged 7 – 18 are welcome to participate.

Each choir should prepare 2-3 songs lasting **no more than 8 minutes TOTAL**.

Festival closing piece: "The Artist Teaches Us All," Mark Patterson, Brilee Music.
(Sound file available on J.W. Pepper's website.)

Adjudicator: Tom Berryman, Music Director, St Mark's School (will supply written comments to all choirs after the Festival, noting each choir's strengths and areas to work on)

Sponsors: Kodály Music Institute & American Choral Directors Association

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"To dance, to leap, to sing, to find the song within our soul and let it ring..."