



Massachusetts Chapter

Application

BIG SING EAST 2012

A non-competitive Youth and Children's Choir Festival

CONCERT: Tuesday, March 27, 2012, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Saint Cecilia Parish

18 Belvidere Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02115

Conveniently located near Berklee College of Music

ADJUDICATOR: TBD

CHOIR APPLICATION FEE: \$75

Please confirm your participation by January 30, 2012 by doing two things:

1. Print this application form, fill in the information and mail it to Jane Money, 17 Waldeck St., Dorchester, MA 02124.
2. Mail your \$75 participation fee, payable to "MassACDA" to Michael Driscoll, 142 Kenrick St. #15, Brighton, MA 02135 with your choir's name clearly marked on the memo line.

Name of Choir: _____ Name of Director/Conductor: _____

Name of Accompanist: _____ # of Singers: _____ Age Range of Singers: _____

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

List title, composer/arranger, publisher and octavo # of each piece:

1.

2.

3.

Contact information for Director/Conductor:

Email: _____ Phone: _____

PLEASE KEEP THIS INFORMATION FOR YOUR FILES

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REHEARSAL: staggered times from 3:45 – 5:45 p.m.

Rehearsal of Combined Choirs: 5:45 p.m.

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Choir Application Fee: \$75

Audience Entrance Fee: \$1

- School choirs, church choirs and community choruses from *any location* may apply.
- Singers ages 7 – 18 are welcome to participate.
- Each choir should prepare **2-3 songs lasting no more than 8 minutes TOTAL.**
- Festival closing piece: “This Shall Be For Music” - Text by Robert Louis Stevenson, music by Mark Patterson, unison, optional 2-part, Brilee Music BL363 (Because of time constraints, the closing piece is the same as in 2011.)
- The number of choirs participating will be based on the sizes of choirs and the seating capacity of the performance space.
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- Adjudicator: TBD
- Co-Sponsors: Massachusetts American Choral Directors Association (Mass ACDA) and Organization of American Kodaly Educators – Kodaly Music Institute (OAKE – KMI)
- Contacts: Mary Epstein: mepstein@kodalymusicinstitute.org
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*“And this shall be for music, when no one else is near,
The fine song for singing, the rare song to hear.”*