



ChildrenSong of New Jersey, Inc.

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Registration Form

Chorister Name(s): _____ DOB: _____ Choir(s): _____
 _____ DOB: _____ _____
 _____ DOB: _____ _____

Parent Names: _____

Mailing Address: _____ Parent Email for contact: _____
 Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Any serious medical conditions of chorister? Please specify: _____

Parent Special Talents that might benefit the Chorus: _____

Tuition payments and other fees are due in two installments:

- August 18, 2008 at least ½ of tuition fee and all of concert attire fees, as applicable
- September 8, 2008 Remaining tuition payment (unless application pending for scholarship or payment plan)

Checks are to be made payable to: *ChildrenSong of New Jersey, Inc.*, and sent to: *ChildrenSong of New Jersey, PO Box 134, Haddonfield, New Jersey, 08033.*

I am attaching a completed Application for Scholarship or Extended Payment Plan.

Choir	Fee (per chorister)	Due (per chorister)	Enclosed
Prelude Choir	Tuition/year	\$275	
	Polo Shirt	Included in tuition	
Allegro Choir	Tuition/year	\$300	
	Polo Shirt	Included in tuition	
	ChildrenSong Tie (girls and boys)	\$ 5.00	
	Tuxedo Shirt (girls and boys)	\$ 20.00	
	Palazzo Pants (girls only)	\$ 38.00	
	Garment Bag	\$ 6.00	
Concert Choir	Tuition/year	\$350	
	Polo Shirt and formal vest	Included in tuition	
	ChildrenSong Tie (girls and boys)	\$ 5.00	
	Tuxedo Shirt (girls and boys)	\$ 20.00	
	Palazzo Pants (girls only)	\$ 38.00	
	Blue Garment Bag (one-time purchase)	\$ 6.00	
	<i>Replacement Polo Shirt (if needed)</i>	\$ 17.00	
Subtotal			\$
Multiple Sibling Discount	\$25.00/additional sibling after first chorister	Less	()
Total Amount Enclosed			\$

Tuition includes ChildrenSong polo shirt (for first time registrants), vocal music instruction, and use of music and folio. If music and/or folio are lost, a replacement fee of \$10 for the music and/or \$10 for the folio must be paid in order to receive replacements. Tuition is non-refundable after September 30th. Concert Choir singers are responsible for DRY CLEANING before the major winter and spring concerts. The Choir will take care of the final cleaning after the Spring Concert or CC Tour. Replacement fee for polo shirt is \$17 if child outgrows issued shirt or it gets lost.

Code of Conduct and Commitment Agreement

Please return this form with payment by September 8, 2008

Name of Chorister(s): _____ Age: _____

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Parent Names: _____

- We have read the packet and fully understand the strong commitment to ChildrenSong and the need to commit to at least the first full semester, for which we are registered. After that, we must notify Mrs. Murray before the end of the semester if we wish to discontinue membership, so the space can be offered to a new chorister for the following semester.
- We understand the importance for my child(ren) to attend all mandatory rehearsals and performances to ensure the success of the organization as outlined in the calendar: Major Winter/Spring Concerts, Recording Sessions, Fundraising Concert, and Songfest.
- We understand that behavioral problems will not be tolerated. A warning will be given to the chorister for the first offense. Parents will be contacted on the second offense. If the behavior is not improved after a consultation between the Director and the parents, dismissal from the Chorus will result.
- We grant ChildrenSong of New Jersey, Inc., permission to record the image, likeness, and voice of my child(ren) via film, video, and audio recordings. I understand that these recordings will be used for publicity of ChildrenSong of New Jersey, Inc. Further, I grant permission for those recordings to be made and used without compensation.

Parent Signature: _____

Application for Scholarship and Extended Payment Plan

ChildrenSong of New Jersey is very pleased to be able to assist needy students in financing their music education. We currently offer full and partial tuition scholarships based on need and special circumstances. The scholarship applies to tuition only. Lower cost, used formal performance attire may also be purchased, depending upon availability.

ChildrenSong also offers an Extended Payment Plan for families who do not qualify for financial aid or chose not to apply for a scholarship, but need assistance in meeting the Chorus costs.

Below is the ChildrenSong General Scholarship Application for the 2008-2009 year. If you wish to be considered for the scholarship or wish to use our Extended Payment Plan, please complete and return this application form. In order to be considered for a scholarship, please also include page 1 of your 2007 U.S. Federal Income Tax Return (Form 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ) and this application page to:

ChildrenSong of New Jersey, PO Box 134, Haddonfield, NJ 08033 ATTN: Scholarship Committee

All applications and supporting documentation must be received by September 8, 2008. Forms received after the due date will only be considered if funds are still available. Incomplete forms will not be considered. **All those seeking aid MUST fill out this scholarship form to be considered.**

All applications and any associated supporting material will be used by the Scholarship Committee of the ChildrenSong Board of Trustees solely for the purpose of determining financial need, and will be kept strictly confidential.

Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Child(ren)'s Name(s)/choirs: _____

_____ I am applying for a scholarship based on financial need (most recent Income Tax form to be attached).

_____ I am applying for a scholarship based on a special circumstance (temporary unemployment, medical emergency, etc.). Please explain in writing.

_____ I am applying for an Extended Payment Plan - monthly payments Sept-Nov, payments are due the 1st of the month, balance due no later than Nov. 15th.

Did you receive a scholarship last year? (2007-2008) yes no

What special circumstances would qualify you for a 2008-2009 ChildrenSong Scholarship?
(optional for financial need, required for special circumstances)

If my child receives a scholarship from ChildrenSong of New Jersey, I am willing to do volunteer work such as assist at a meaningful level with various ChildrenSong activities such as rehearsals, concerts and other events or fundraising activities. In addition, my child will sing in all mandatory rehearsals and concerts assigned to his/her choir and make a full-year commitment to ChildrenSong.

Parent Signature

Date

ChildrenSong Calendar 2008-09

GUIDE: PC- Prelude Choir; AC-Allegro Choir; CC-Concert Choir. Check the "Event" carefully as not all singers perform on each concert. Most are either PC/AC or CC alone.

Date	Event	Location	Time	Attire/items to bring
Mon-Fri 8/18-22	SUMMER CAMP Mandatory (email Mrs. M if conflict)	TATEM	CC 8:30am-11am AC 10:30-12 PC 11-12	Bring pencil/water
<i>Thurs, Aug 21</i>	<i>Swim Club Outing</i>	<i>Wedgwood Swim Club: 635 Centre Ave, Hdfd</i>	<i>12-4pm</i>	<i>Bathing suit/towel/</i>
Sat, Sept 6	MAKEUP DAY \$10 makeup fee	FOR CAMP At Tatem	CC: 8:30am-10:30 AC: 10-12 PC: 11-12	Bring pencil/water
Mon, Sept 8	First Rehearsal/ Parent Meeting	Tatem School	5:30-6:30 PC 5:30-7 AC 6:30-8:30 CC	Bring pencil/water
Sat, Sept 13	<i>Saturday Rehearsal</i>	Tatem	CC 8:30am-11 AC 10:30-12 PC 11-12	same
Mon, Sept 15	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	same
Mon, Sept 22	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	same
Mon, Sept 29	Regular Rehearsal/ Parent Meeting	Tatem	Mon Schedule	same
Tues, Sept 30	MAKEUP DAY \$10 makeup fee	Tatem	PC/AC 5:30-6:30 AC: 5:30-6:45 CC 6:30-8pm	Same
Sat, Oct 4	<i>Saturday Rehearsal</i>	Tatem	Sat Schedule	same
<i>Sun, Oct 5 tentative</i>	<i>PC/AC sing at Zoo Tentative, waiting for confirmation.</i>	<i>Phila Zoo</i>	<i>Arrive by 1:30, Sing at 2 and 3pm</i>	<i>Polo and jeans, sneakers</i>
Mon, Oct 6	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	No spec. attire
Mon, Oct 13	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	No spec. attire
<i>Fri, Oct 17</i>	<i>CC: CHOP Rehearsal</i>	<i>Incarnation Church, Mantua</i>	<i>6pm-8pm</i>	<i>No spec. attire.</i>
<i>Sat, Oct 18</i>	<i>PC/AC to Lantern Lane for Haddonfield Fall Festival</i>	<i>Lantern Lane on Kings Hwy (across from Chestnut St.)</i>	<i>Meet at 12:15 Lantern Lane Sing 12:30-1pm</i>	<i>Polo and jeans, sneakers (sweatshirts)</i>
Mon, Oct 20	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	No spec.attire
<i>Wed, Oct 22</i>	<i>CC: Dress Rehearsal for CHOP Concert</i>	<i>Incarnation Church, Mantua</i>	<i>5:30-8:00pm</i>	<i>No special attire. Eat dinner beforehand.</i>
<i>Friday, Oct 24</i>	<i>CC: CHOP Concert</i>	<i>Incarnation Church, Mantua</i>	<i>5:30-9:00 (we will take a formal picture for PR)</i>	<i>Formal attire Bring bag dinner.</i>
Mon, Oct 27	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	No spec. attire.
Sat, Nov 1	<i>Saturday Rehearsal</i>	Tatem	Sat Schedule	same
Mon, Nov 3	Regular Rehearsal and	Tatem	Mon Schedule	same

	Parent Meeting			
Wed, Nov 5	PC/AC: Workshop at Rowan University	Rowan University – Music Bldg	8:30am-1:30pm	Polo and jeans
Sat, Nov 8	CC: Wedding at Boathouse	Cooper River boathouse	Report Time: 4:15	FORMAL
Mon, Nov 10	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	Nothing spec.
Tues, Nov 11 Last Makeup	MAKEUP DAY \$10 makeup fee	Tatem	PC/AC 5:30-6:30 AC: 5:30-6:45 CC 6:30-8pm	
Mon, Nov 17	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	same
Mon, Nov 24	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Mon Schedule	same
Mon, Dec 1	Regular Rehearsal Parent Meeting 6:30	Tatem	Mon Schedule	same
Sat, Dec 6 No Sat. Rehearsal	PC/AC: Discovery Museum Concert	Discovery Museum CH	PC/AC: meet at 11:45/ 12-12:30pm	FORMAL
Sat, Dec 6	CC: Concert w/Garden State Chorale	Haddonfield Middle School	CC: 2:30-4pm 7:30-9pm 2 concerts/pick 1	FORMAL
Mon, Dec 8	Final Rehearsal ALL CHOIRS	Haddonfield HS 401 Kings Hwy E	Mon Schedule	Nothing special
Sat, Dec 13	MANDATORY CONCERT ALL CHOIRS	Haddonfield HS	Report 6:00pm Concert at 7:00pm	FORMAL
Sun, Dec 14	MANDATORY CONCERT ALL CHOIRS	St. Stephen's Woodbury	Report 2pm Concert 3pm	FORMAL
Mon, Dec 15/22	No Rehearsal Auditions only	Tatem	5:30-8pm	---
Mon, Dec 22	CC: Longwood Gardens	Meet at Tatem for bus, don't be late!! Traffic is terrible!	Meet bus at 4:30, bring bag dinner. Concert at 7 and 8pm	FORMAL
Winter Recess	Until Jan 6			
Mon, Jan 5	Regular Rehearsal/ Parent Meeting	Tatem	Same	No spec. attire
Sat, Jan 10	<i>Saturday Rehearsal</i>	Tatem		
Mon, Jan 12	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	same
Mon, Jan 19	NO REHEARSAL	MLK DAY		
Mon, Jan 26	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Mon, Feb 2	Regular Rehearsal/ Parent Meeting	Tatem	Mon Schedule	
Sat, Feb 7	<i>Saturday Rehearsal</i>	Tatem	Sat Schedule	
Mon, Feb 9	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Mon, Feb 16	No Rehearsal	PRESIDENTS DAY	Same	
Tues, Feb 17	MAKEUP DAY if missed 3+ (\$10 cost)	Tatem	PC/AC 5:30-6:30 AC: 5:30-6:45 CC 6:30-8pm	
Mon, Feb 23	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Sat, Feb 28	FUNDRAISER CONCERT -tentative	TBD	5pm-9pm	FORMAL
Mon, Mar 2	Regular Rehearsal/ Parent Meeting	Tatem	Mon Schedule	
Sat, Mar 7	<i>Saturday Rehearsal</i>	Tatem	Sat Schedule	

Mon, Mar 9	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Thurs Mar 12-14	OAKE National Choir	Washington DC	By advance audition	
Mon, Mar 16	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Tues, Mar 17	MAKEUP DAY if missed 3+ (\$10 cost)	Tatem	PC/AC 5:30-6:30 AC: 5:30-6:45 CC 6:30-8pm	
Mon, Mar 23	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Sat, Mar 28	SONGFEST 2008 ALL CHOIRS	Haddonfield HS	8:45-4pm	Polo and jeans
Mon, Mar 30	Regular Rehearsal Parent Meeting	Tatem	Same	
<i>Sat, Apr 4</i>	<i>Saturday Rehearsal</i>	<i>Tatem</i>	<i>Sat Schedule</i>	
Mon, Apr 6	No Rehearsal – Haddonfield closed	Tatem	Mon Schedule	
Mon, Apr 13	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Mon, Apr 20	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Tues, Apr 21	MAKEUP DAY if missed 3+ (\$10 cost)	Tatem	PC/AC 5:30-6:30 AC: 5:30-6:45 CC 6:30-8pm	
Sat, Apr 25	<i>NJ Honor Choir</i>	For those	accepted by	audition
Mon, Apr 27	Regular Rehearsal	Tatem	Same	
Sat, May 2 No Sat. rehearsal	<i>NJ Honor Choir</i>	For those	accepted by	audition
Mon, May 4	Recording Session/ Parent Meeting	Tatem	Mon Schedule	
<i>Sat, May 9</i>	<i>Saturday Rehearsal and PC/AC to Children's Garden</i>	<i>Tatem: Reh.Schedule: CC: 8:30-10:30 AC 10:00-11:30 PC: 10:30-11:30</i>	<i>Sat Schedule+ Children's Garden Concert at 12:30pm Report at 12:15pm</i>	<i>Polo and jeans or shorts</i>
Mon, May 11	MANDATORY Recording Session	TBD	Mon Schedule	
Mon, May 18	Recording Session	Tatem	Mon Schedule	
Mon, May 25	NO REHEARSAL			
Mon, June 1	FINAL REHEARSAL	ST. STEPHENS 230 N. Evergreen Woodbury	Regular times	No spec. attire
Sat, June 6	MANDATORY SPRING CONCERT ALL CHOIRS	Haddonfield HS	Report time 6pm Concert at 7pm	FORMAL
Sun, June 7	MANDATORY SPRING CONCERT ALL CHOIRS	St. Stephen's Woodbury	Report time 2pm Concert at 3pm	FORMAL
Mon, June 8	Auditions			
July 13-19	CC to San Francisco	Waiting for confirmation		
Aug 24-28	Choir Summer Camp	Mornings at Tatem		

TIME SCHEDULES AND ATTIRE

SUMMER CAMP 2008 (included in tuition)

Date: August 18-22

Concert Choir	8:30am-11am
Allegro Choir	10am-noon
Prelude Choir	10:30-noon

REGULAR MONDAY REHEARSALS

Prelude Choir	5:30-6:30pm
Allegro Choir	5:30-7pm
Concert Choir	6:30-8:30pm
Cantate Choir	8:30-9 for girls/8-9 for changed boys voices

SATURDAY REHEARSALS

Cantate Choir	8-8:30am/8-9 for changed boys voices
Concert Choir	8:30am-11am
Allegro Choir	10:30-noon
Prelude Choir	11-noon

FUNDRAISER ITEMS FOR SALE ON SATURDAYS AND DURING CAMP

Pretzels	50 cents each
Water	50 cents each
Wawa Hoagie coupons	\$35 for 10 pack

Absences are limited to 3 per semester: Sept-Dec; Jan-June. There are three make up sessions in the Fall and three in the Spring. Must finish each semester with no more than 3 absences to stay in good standing with ChildrenSong.

Formal Concert Attire:

Prelude Choir girls and boys Purchase all but the polo on your own.	ChildrenSong polo shirt, black pants, black socks, black shoes (black belt if needed)
Allegro Choir Purchase through the chorus	Tuxedo shirt, tie, palazzo pants (girls) Trouser pants/black belt on own (boys) Both wear black shoes and socks.
Concert Choir	Same as Allegro Choir + vest through Chorus

Informal attire: Polo shirt, jeans, sneakers. Sometimes we wear shorts if the weather is hot.