NOBLESVILLE CHOIR

NHS Choir Parent Meeting

2026-27

Sept. 8th, 2026

Director Welcome and Introductions

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NHS CPO Board Members

Stephen Hunt- President

Liz Williams- Vice President

Adam Scholl- Treasurer

Shannon O- Vice Treasurer

Melinda Reeves- Secretary

Heather Bennett- Member at Large

Kelly Davisson - Member at Large

Brandy Bright- Volunteer Chair

- Roadies Chair

Lauren Bodkin - Musical & Publicity Chair

Melinda Wiggins & Andrea Siktberg - Costume Co-Chairs

Sarah Scholl - Spirit Chair

Stephen Hunt - ISCC Chair

Liz Williams - Fundraising

Communication

Please make it a habit to check these resources - we want to be sure you have the info you need!

Website /Calendar : www.noblesvillechoirs.org

Noblesville High School Choir Parent Organization on Facebook – Public page where the posts are shareable but only admins can post.

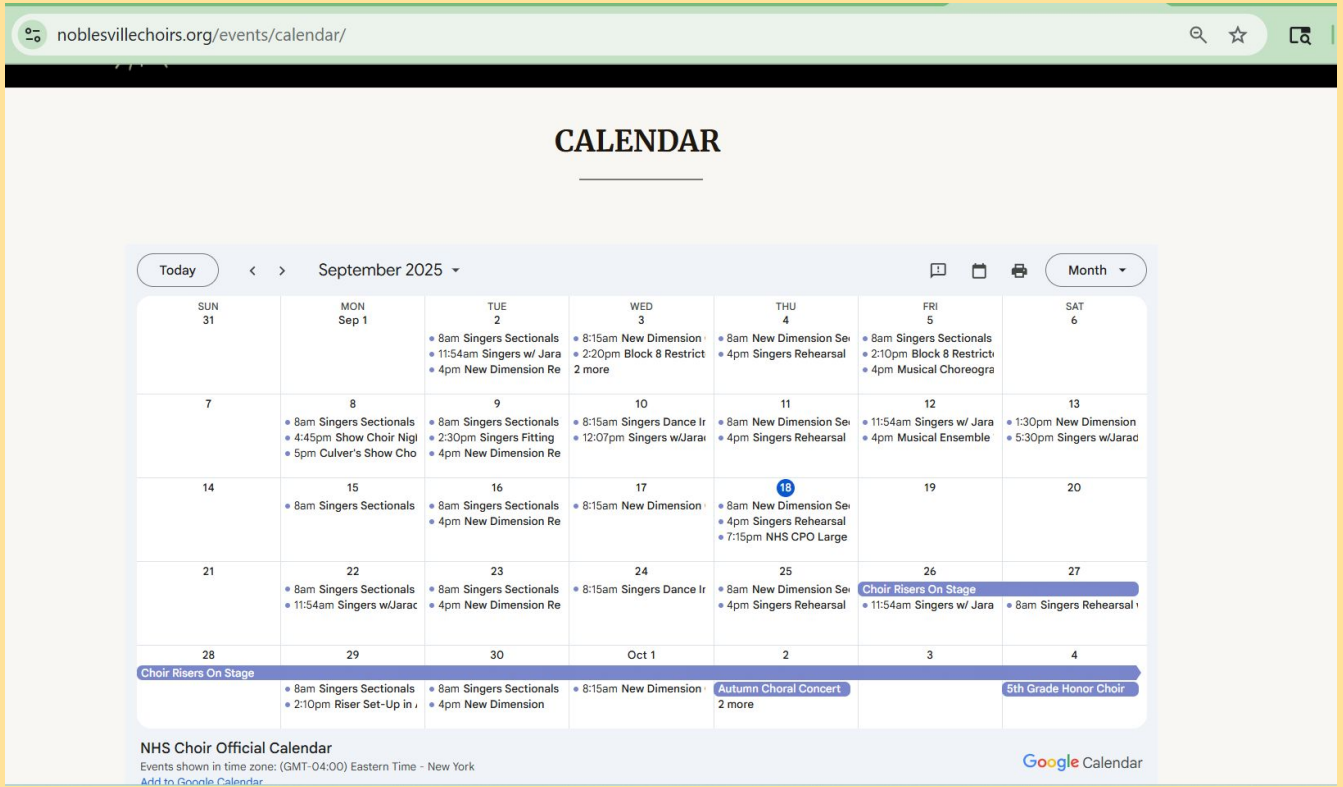
Noblesville High School Choirs Official on Facebook – This page is private. You must answer questions to join. We communicate frequently with parents here.

My Music Office – Online management system of your student's financial account

Parent Communication App – Band

Directors also connect through ParentSquare

CALENDAR


noblesvillechoirs.org/events/calendar/
CALENDAR
Today
September 2025
Month
SUN
MON
TUE
WED
THU
FRI
SAT
Choir Risers On Stage
Autumn Choral Concert
5th Grade Honor Choir
NHS Choir Official Calendar
Events shown in time zone: (GMT-04:00) Eastern Time - New York
Add to Google Calendar
Google Calendar

2026 - 27 Concert Choir Dates

- **Fall Concert**
  - Performance: 10/1 (All)
- **Holiday Concerts**
  - Dress Rehearsal: 12/11 (All)
  - Performances: 12/11, 12/12 (All)
- **Spring Concert**
  - Performance: 3/25 (All)
- **MadJazz Dessert**
  - Performance: 5/7 (MadJazz)
- **Finale**
  - Performance: 5/11 (All excl. MadJazz), 5/14 (MadJazz)

2026 - 27 Sensation Performance Dates

- **Fall Concert**
  - Performance: 10/1
- **Holiday Concerts**
  - Dress Rehearsal: 12/11
  - Performances: 12/11, 12/12
- **Community Show Choir Night**
  - Performance: 1/28
- **District Show Choir Night**
  - Performance: 3/18
- **Finale**
  - Performances: 5/11, 5/14

Competitions

- *Plainfield - 2/6*
- *TBD - 2/20*
- *Brownsburg* - 3/13
- *Noblesville ISCC* - 3/19, 3/20

2026 - 27 Sensation Rehearsal Dates

Rehearsals:

- Starting 11/24,
  - Tuesday's from 4-6pm
- 1/16: Rehearsal Retreat

*MLK and Presidents Day exceptions:

1/19, 2/16

2026 - 27 ND/Singers Performance Dates

- **Fall Concert**
  - Performance: 10/1
- **Holiday Concerts**
  - Dress Rehearsal: 12/11
  - Performances: 12/11, 12/12
- **Community Show Choir Night**
  - Performance: 1/28
- **District Show Choir Night**
  - Performance: 3/18
- **Finale**
  - Performances: 5/11, 5/14

Competitions

- *Northrop* - 1/30
- *Plainfield* - 2/6
- *Chesterton - 2/13*
- *Ross* - 2/27
- *Brownsburg - 3/13*
- *Noblesville ISCC* - 3/19, 3/20

2026 - 27 Other ND/Singers Dates

Rehearsals: ***More on Calendar***

- *Fall*: Mondays 4-6 for ND; 6-8:30 for Singers
- *Spring*: Mondays & Thursday: 4-6 for ND; 6-8:30 for Singers

*** Special Dates**

- Choreo Week:
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- Clinicians:
  - TBD! Will be added to the google calendar in the coming weeks!

Volunteering

Link to Sign-up for Volunteering

Concert Choir families are encouraged to volunteer for Concert Choir performances.

Show Choir family commitments will be discussed later in this meeting

Note: Must have a Level 3 background check for all volunteer roles involves interaction with students

Background Check Link

Homecoming

https://noblesvillechoirs.org/get-involved/volunteering/

Homecoming: Sept 26th

Add homecoming decoration times to John’s calendar by choir

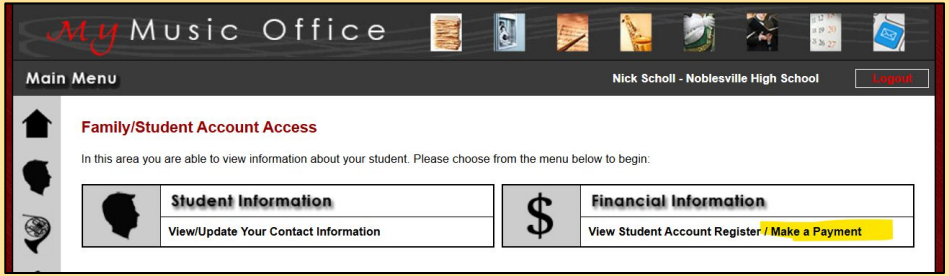
Create some kind of slide that explains who gets a float

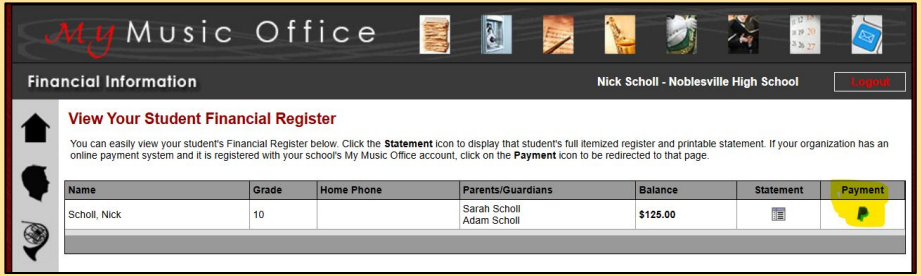
My Music Office

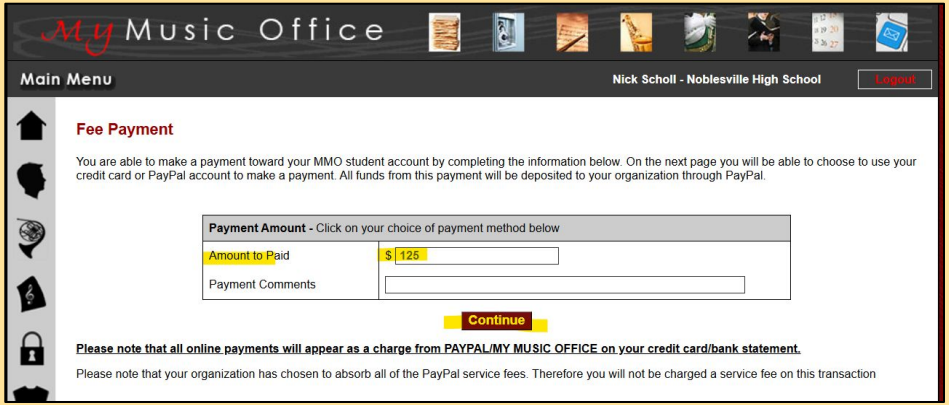
- School music dept management program
- Parent portal to view fees, payments, fundraising credits
- Families can manage contact info
- Directors & CPO can send direct communication to each group
- Payments can be processed directly inside MMO via PayPal

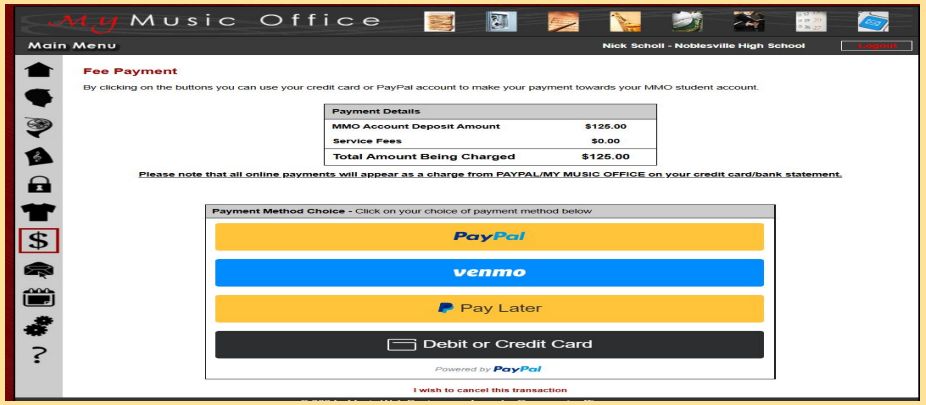


My Music Office - Make a Payment









Family Sponsorships

- Program recognition
- Includes tickets to all concerts
  - Only 1 show for concerts with multiple performances
  - Does not include the Musical
- Autumn Concert 10/2
- Holiday Concert 12/12-12/13
- Community Night 1/29
- District Show Choir Concert 3/19
- Sprint Concert 3/26
- Concert Choir Finale 5/12
- Show Choir Finale 5/15



Fundraising & Financial Aid

- Fundraising Opportunities
  - Several opportunities during the year - watch announcements
    - Popcorn, Wrapping Paper, ButterBraid (subject to change)
  - RaiseRight - Gift card purchases earn rebates to apply towards fees
    - Download the RaiseRight App to get started
    - Examples: 4.5% Starbucks, 4% Speedway, 14% Old Navy, 1.6% Amazon, 2.5% Target, 3% Disney
    - New - Shop Online
      - Use RaiseRight to shop online for additional earning opportunities
- Financial Aid
  - Available upon request
  - Reach out to nhscpotreasurer@gmail.com

RaiseRight

RaiseRight Registration
Enrollment Code
1D9493C75646L

Fundraising & Financial Aid

- Group Fundraising
  - October’s Donation Calendar Fundraiser!

Pick Your I
to Dona

Sunday	Monday	Tues
100% OF ALL PRO GO TO NOBLESVILLE		
$4	$5	$6
$11	$12	$1
$18	$19	$2
$25	$26	$2

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https://noblesvillechoirs.org/ officialnoblesvillechoirs

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ANNUAL CALENDAR FUNDRAISER INSTRUCTIONS

- Money must be turned in via cash or check (made out to NHSCPO). You are responsible for any missing money not turned in.

- **We will be doing gift card drawings at the end of each week in October. This is only for students that have completed and turned in a full calendar. Winners select the card they would like from our options!**

- **All money and calendars are due to the NHSCPO or Mr. Sutton and Ms. Rancourt by Monday, November 2nd at the start of the school day to be eligible for the last gift card giveaway**

- **If you have questions, please reach out via the Choir Parent Band App, or by email to our NHSCPO Vice President Liz Williams: nhscpovicepresident@gmail.com**

Upcoming Fundraisers

September 19th-23rd	Double Good Popcorn
September 22nd - October 3rd	Charleston Wrapping Paper
November	Double Good Popcorn
December	TBD
January 24th	Trivia Night
Ongoing	BEST

FUNDRAISER TO DOs

BEST Fundraiser
25-26 interest form

Double Good Popcorn
—Download app from app store
—Use Event Code XHJ FWK
—Set up your Pop Up Shop
—SHARE YOUR LINK!

Double Good

REGISTER. SHARE. SHOP.

SUPPORT OUR FUNDRAISER

Check-off your holiday gift list today and help our important cause. From holiday to hostess to corporate gifts and more, our online store has something for every occasion - even if it's just for you!

Our Organization ID:
29912

Charleston Wrap

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Thank You Concert Choir Families for Attending!

VOLUNTEERING WITH CHOIR

*Requirements

*Getting registered

*Background Level 3

*NHSCPO website

*GroupMe ---------->

*Sign Up Genius links (coming soon)

*Immediate needs

*Cheering for our choirs! (Starting at the parade!)



VOLUNTEER QR CODES



GroupMe

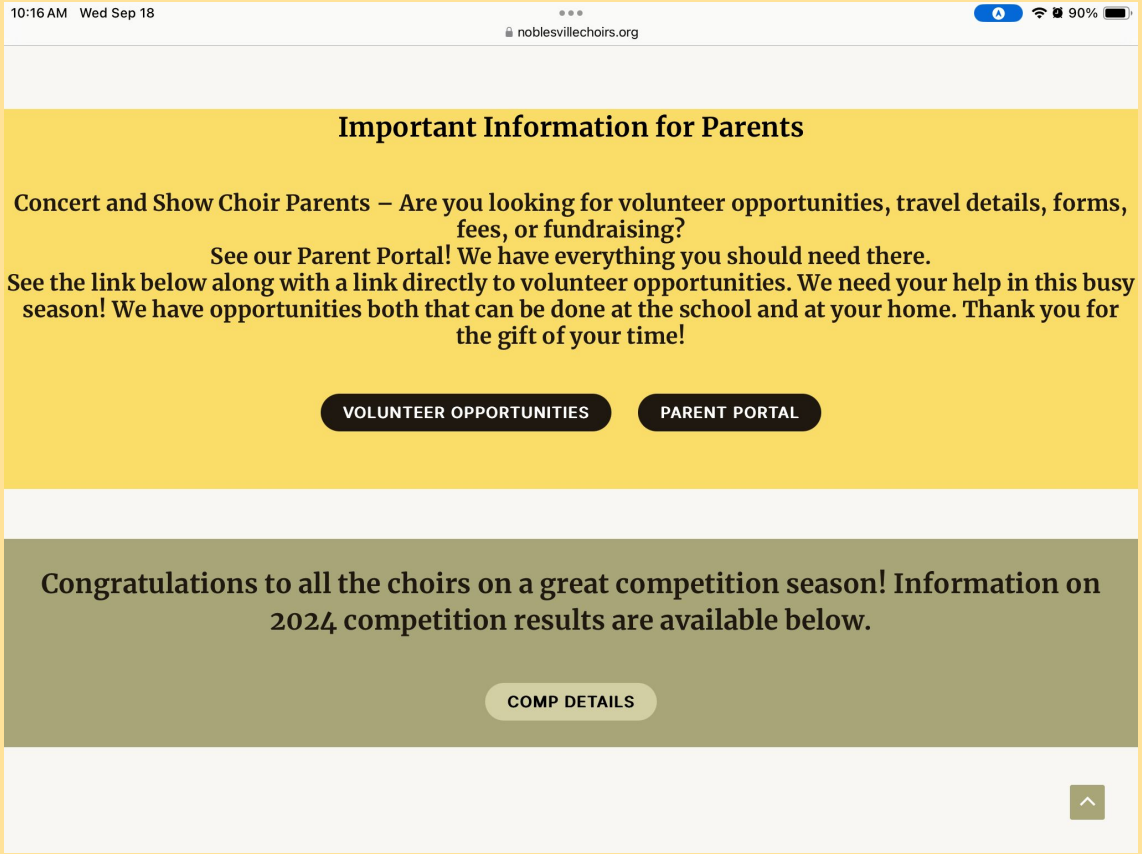
LinkTree with all current opportunities

SignUpGenius links for Fall, Spring, ISCC, and other events coming soon!

Volunteer Requirement

- All families must complete 2 volunteer shifts over the course of the year or pay a $300 fee
- All show choir families must also work the competition in March. This is a separate and mandatory event or pay an additional $500 fee
- There are many ways to fulfill your obligation during the regular year-Roadies, Chaperones, Concert helpers, Spirit Committee, Costume help, Food Committee… the list of possibilities is nearly endless
- Questions - check the website and/or reach out to us
- It takes a LOT of volunteers and a huge amount of volunteer hours to keep our choirs competing. We appreciate every single minute of your time and support!

Volunteer Background Check



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- Each person volunteering must fill out the registration link
- Each person volunteering must fill out their own individual background check form
- To be eligible to volunteer with the music department, you must receive a Level 3 Background Clearance from SafeVisitor or be employed by Noblesville Schools.
- There is a SafeVisitor link included below.
- Please be aware that there is a $18.95 fee to apply for the Level 3 clearance.
- Clearance is good for 3 years and good for ALL Noblesville Schools.
- https://secure.safevisitor.io/Safe/Volunteer/SV357V/Level3aw

Immediate Volunteer Needs

- **5th Grade Honor Choir Oct 4th**
  - We have 75 5th Graders registered for the event
  - We will need a parent or two to be help with the mid morning snack as well as a lunch
  - We also need help clearing the auditorium of equipment after the concert (around 2:30 pm)
  - Watch for a sign up!

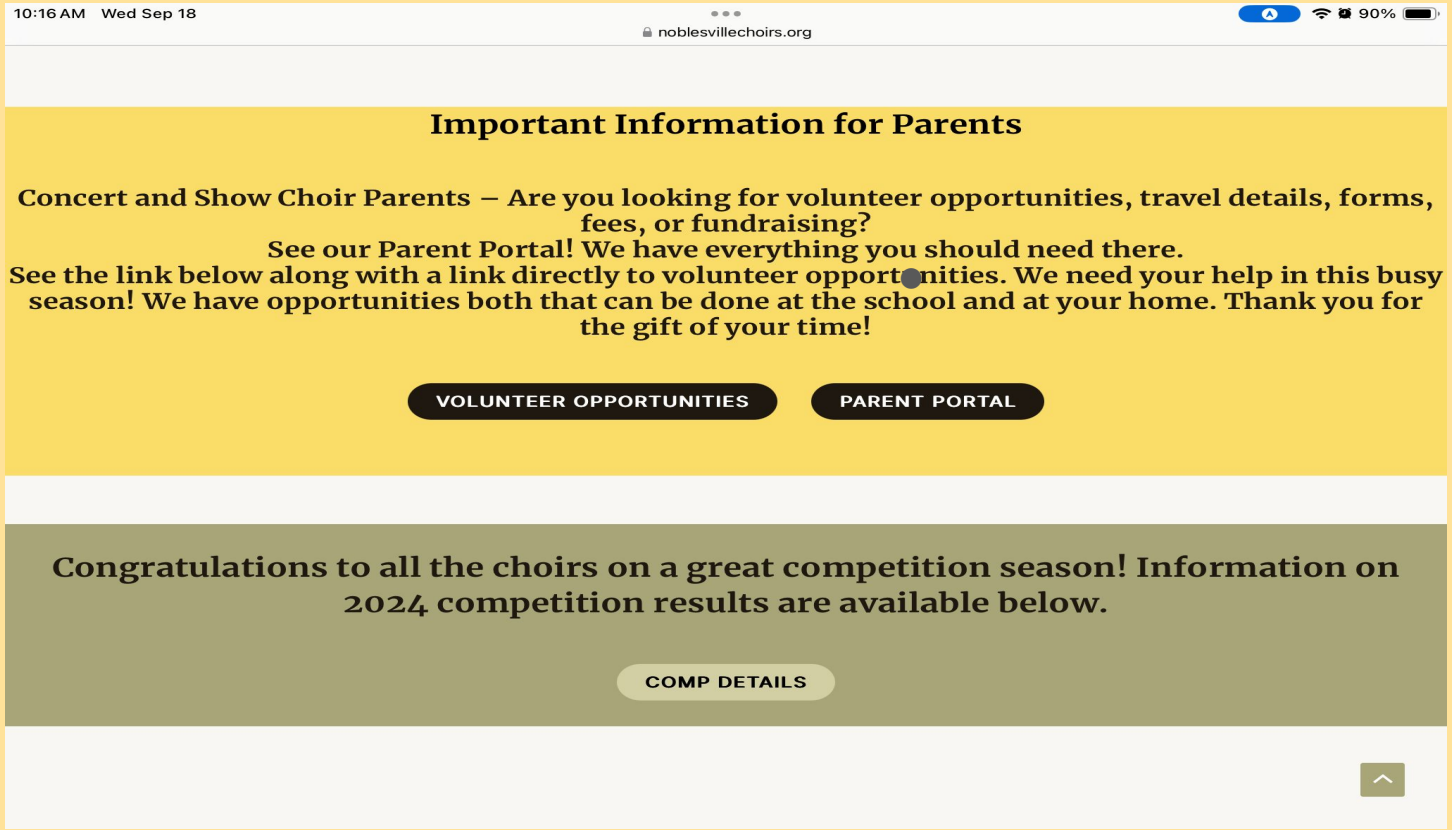
- **Fundraising Chair/Team Members**
  - Leads fundraising efforts, but doesn't have to be the one DOING the fundraising
  - Popcorn fundraiser starts tomorrow! Already has a chair person!
  - Charleston Wrap is 9/22-10/3! Already has a chair person!
  - Dine to Donate-we've completed nights at Panera and Culver-who is planning the next one?!
  - Sponsorships

Immediate Volunteer Needs, part two

- **Homecoming parade *candy donations***
  - We need a LOT of candy!
  - Drop off locations: NHS front office, attention: Choir Directors or NWMS front office, attention: Stacy Costa

- **Roadies for this season**
  - We need help from parents from all 3 show choirs
  - We will have non-comp day needs as well, TBA

Volunteer Info-Where Can I find more?



COSTUMES

Sensation

- Skin-tone dance tights - NO pantyhose!

- Black dance/underskirt shorts with 3-5"inseam (no dance briefs!)

- Supportive bra with criss cross back straps in black, skin-tone, or clear straps. NO colorful bras, NO sports bras, NO strapless bras and NO push up bras, please!

Optional Sensation will not have a costume change this year, but they may wear a bodysuit if they would like, but straps must be convertible where they can criss cross.

COSTUMES

New Dimension

- Skin-tone dance tights - NO pantyhose!

- Black dance/underskirt shorts with 3-5"inseam (no dance briefs!)

- Supportive bra with criss cross back straps in skin-tone or clear straps (NO black or any other color). NO sports bras, NO strapless bras and NO push up bras, please!

- REQUIRED - Bodysuit/leotard with clear, convertible straps that criss cross in back.

*If student is comfortable in a leotard with a built-in bra, it is fine to go with no bra BUT please keep in mind the level of dancing movement required and plan accordingly for ample support!

*Students that are *choosing* to wear sonatas from last year may do so. IF they are doing that (which we are not requiring or even recommending) they do not need a special bra or leotard.

COSTUMES

Singers Ladies

- Skin-toned dance tights - NO pantyhose!

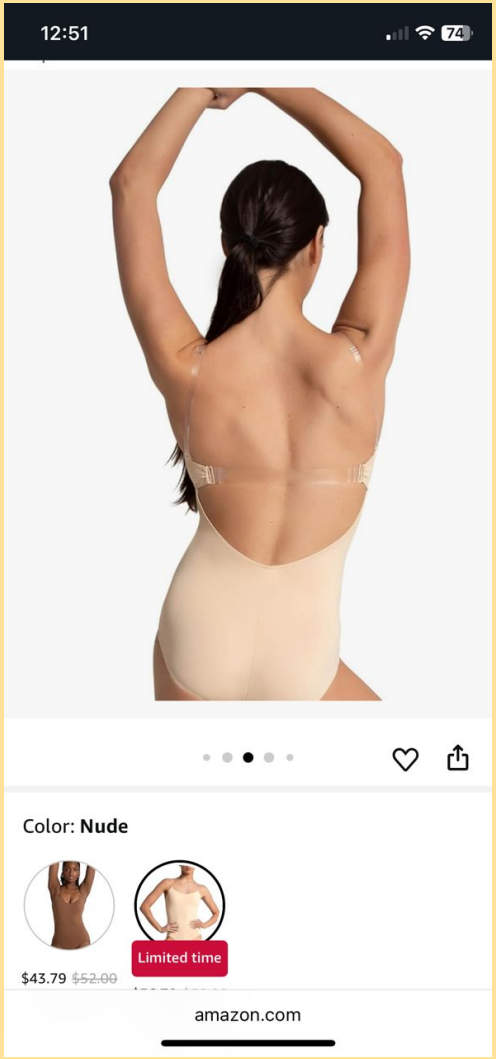
- Black dance/underskirt shorts with 3-5"inseam (no dance briefs!)

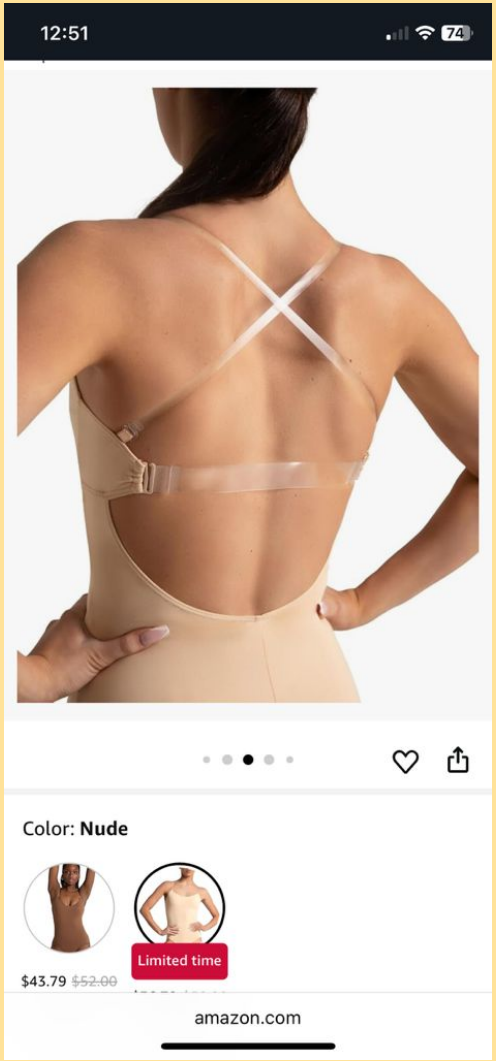
- Supportive black bra with regular, NOT criss crossed straps! NO colorful bras, NO sports bras, NO strapless bras and NO push up bras, please!
*For ladies that need more support - we are trying to avoid too wide of a black strap. Please let Melinda or Andrea know if you need help choosing an undergarment.

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Color: Nude
Limited time
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COSTUMES

Singers Men

- Please no non-fitted boxers. Boys must wear a fitted boxer brief due to their shirts having attached fitted shorts!

- Black crew cut socks (no bare ankles!)

- Pant Guarders

- DEODORANT



Indiana Show Choir Championships

March 20, 2027

https://noblesvillechoirs.org/events/show-choir-champions-of-indiana/

Seven Primary Committees

Food / Concessions

Coordinating / estimating counts

Front of House

Ticketing

Seating coordination

Transit timing / flow

Back of House

Stage Crew load / unload / management (20 choirs)

Stage Management / queueing / timing

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Volunteer

Coordinate and manage all volunteers / staffing

Logistics

Coordinate and manage all facility needs

Friday Set Up/Clean Up Mgr.

Coordinate and manage all volunteers / staffing

Photos of rooms (before and after)

Hospitality

Coordinate meals and snacks for Judges, Directors, and Bus Drivers

Volunteers

Last year we had over 1000 volunteer hours in one calendar day!

Each family required for 2 shifts

- Shifts are set to be 2 - 4 hours, sign up for the shifts that fit your schedule
  - (sign up available in late December)

- All volunteers must be Level 3 background checked
  - https://secure.safevisitor.io/Safe/Volunteer/SV357V/Level3aw

- Mandatory for all parents / family (kids will be volunteering as well)

Schedule

Friday 4pm - Midnight

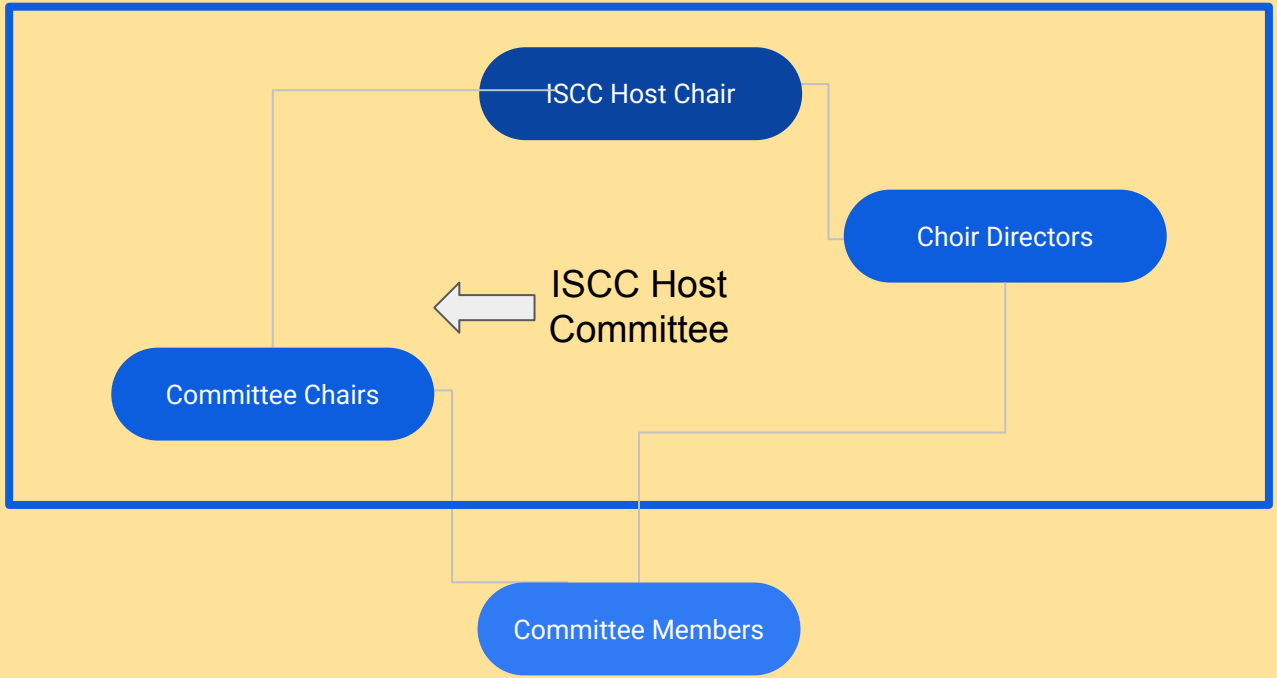
- load in
- prep / setup / decorate

Saturday 6am - 10pm

- Choirs perform 8am - 7pm
- Dinner 7pm
- Awards 8pm

Saturday night 10pm - ???

- Clean up
- Strike stage
- Reset all rooms and common areas (“like it never happened”)

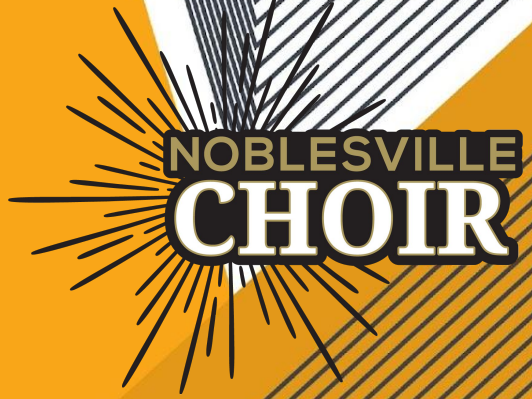

ISCC Host Chair
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Director’s Final Remarks

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Questions?



Thank You For Attending!