



Dear Parent(s) & Guardian(s),

I am pleased to nominate your child, _____, to participate in the 2023 Ohio Choral Directors Association (OCDA) Treble Honor Choir on Monday June 26, 2023. If accepted, they will join other excellent singers in grades 4-8 on the campus of Capital University in Bexley, Ohio for a day of rehearsal that will culminate in a memorable final concert. This is an extraordinary opportunity and honor for your child!

OCDA is proud to announce our 2023 guest conductor, Robyn Lana, Artistic Director of the Cincinnati Youth Choir. Mrs. Lana is a master teacher whose choirs are consistently praised for artistry and precision. Mrs. Lana has served as conductor and clinician across the United States and at internationally acclaimed venues such as The Forbidden City Concert Hall (Beijing), The World Expo (Milan), St. Peter's Basilica (Vatican City), Minatomirai Hall (Yokohama). Internationally she has served as a clinician in Malacca, Malaysia; Singapore; Italy; Ireland; and China. Closer to home, she has been a featured guest conductor at Carnegie Hall, the Kennedy Center and Cincinnati's Music Hall. She has served as clinician or guest conducted state and regional choral events in over 25 states. Lana has served on the choral faculty at Xavier University, has been a guest professor in the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music's choral department, and is currently a visiting professor on the choral faculty at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio .

By completing the bottom portion of this letter, you will enable me to complete the nomination of your singer for this honor.

PLEASE RETURN THIS INFORMATION TO ME BY: _____

OCDA will email a private link to register for the choir in April. Once registered, you will receive all necessary additional information via email and music will be distributed at the first satellite rehearsal.

Congratulations on the great work your child has demonstrated. I am very excited to nominate them for this honor!

Sincerely,

CHILDREN'S HONOR CHOIR - NOMINATION INFORMATION

Student Name: _____

School Name: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Parent Phone _____

Primary Contact Email: _____

Secondary Email: _____

Please print clearly – this is the address used to send your acceptance letter.

Add ocdachc@gmail.com to your contacts to ensure delivery of Honor Choir materials.

2023 OCDA TREBLE HONOR CHOIR DETAILS AT A GLANCE

WHO: 150 students currently in grades 4-8

WHAT: **2023 OCDA Treble** Honor Choir

WHERE: **Capital University, Bexley, Ohio**

WHY: To participate in a highly artistic choral group with other young singers from Ohio

WHERE: **Monday June 26, 2023 (rehearsal all day, concert in the evening in Mees Hall)**

REHEARSAL DATES: Singers must attend 2 satellite rehearsals, dates and locations TBA

COST: \$85.00 per student (includes tshirt, meals, expert instruction)

REGISTRATION: An online registration link will be sent via email after your nomination has been accepted. Please make sure contact information is correct so that you will receive the link in your email. Registration must be submitted by April 15, 2023. Be sure to add ocdachc@gmail.com to ensure delivery of Honor Choir materials.

CONCERT TICKETS: Concert tickets may be purchased online at the time of registration or at the door the day of the event (June 26). All tickets are \$10, and seating is general admission.

QUESTIONS? You may visit <https://www.ohiocda.org> or email ocdachc@gmail.com for more information.