AHS Show Choir Meeting 2019-2020

Welcome!

AGENDA/PURPOSE

- Welcome/About the program
- Meet the staff
- Communication
- Financial Information
- Activities Department Presentation
- Volunteer/Fundraising Opportunities (ACMPO)
- Break out sessions by choir (Individual info/questions)

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM



Show Choir Staff

- Ben Walters (Director of Choral Activities, AHS)
 - Director of VISUAL ADRENALINE
 - ben.walters@ankenyschools.org
- Adam Brown (Assistant Director of Choral Activities, AHS)
 - Director of PERPETUAL MOTION
 - adam.brown@ankenyschools.org
- Nick Oswald (Vocal Music @ SV)
 - Director of INTENSITY
 - nick.oswald@ankenyschools.org (anticipated/not active yet)

ADDITIONAL STAFF/WHO TO CONTACT

- Choreographers: Kevin Chase (VA & PM); Anne Chapman (Intensity)
- Any question about a specific ensemble: Schedule, requirements, payments, call times, events, rehearsals, etc.
 - Contact the director of the ensemble.
- Any broad question about the program or major events:
 - Contact Mr. Walters
- Questions about volunteering or fundraising
 - Contact Margie Marie (ACMPO)

COMMUNICATION

- Website: www.ankenychoralmusic.org
 - Includes Google Calendar
- Remind: Texting (Most frequently used tool)
 - Text these codes to 81010
 - VA: @visualadr
 - PM: @ankenypm20
 - INTENSITY: @ankint20
- CHARMS: For mass emails
- Social Media
 - Twitter: @ahs_vocal_music
- Email:
 - ben.walters@ankenyschools.org
 - adam.brown@ankenyschools.org
 - <u>nick.oswald@ankenyschools.org</u> (Anticipated)

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Show Choir Financial Contributions*

Visual Adrenaline: \$400.00 Perpetual Motion: \$350.00

Intensity: \$250.00

*Show Choir Contributions fund a portion of the expenses for our show choirs. Contributions are used in the following way:

VA PM Intensity

Costume Rental: \$200 \$160 \$85 (Depends on show design)

 Choreography:
 \$100
 \$90
 \$65

 Music:
 \$50
 \$50
 \$50

 Competitions/Travel:
 \$50
 \$50
 \$50

Additional Anticipated Costuming Requirements (To include but not limited to:)

Ladies:

Nylons/Body tights

Bloomers

Makeup

Shoes (ordered through AHS)

Men:

Shoes (ordered through AHS)

Black socks

Compression shorts

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

- InTouch (Online payment system)
- Schedule
 - 1st payment (50%) due by the first day of school
 - Balance due by October 30.
 - System will be ready for payments in early July.
- Questions or concerns
 - Communicate with us; we will work with you!

ACTIVITIES DEPARTMENT INFORMATION: Mr. Brent Buttjer



Activities Department Philosophies

- TRUST FAMILY BELIEVE HAWKS
- Hawk PRIDE

Perseverance, Respect, Intensity, Discipline, Enthusiasm

3 Questions we work hard to answer "YES" to:

Can I trust you?

Are you committed to excellence?

Do you care about me as a person?



How will my child stay eligible?

ACADEMIC RESPONSIBILITY

- Pass all classes
- "F" at the end of the grading period = 30 calendar day suspension beginning with the first day of the next semester
- "I" at the end of the grading period = immediate suspension until "I" is changed to a grade 2 week window
- Double Jeopardy
- GOOD CONDUCT Be responsible and accountable
 - First Offense One third of playing dates, One sixth if student self reports
 - Second Offense Two thirds of playing dates, no self report, possible completion of approved school treatment program
 - Third Offense One calendar year

How will my child stay eligible?

- ATTENDANCE Be in school all day and be on time
 - Coaches and Directors receive daily reports. If the student is UNEXCUSED or SICK they will not practice that day. If this is on a game day or performance day they will not play unless they visit with me about their options.
 - Please give us a heads up on Dr. Appointments before the appointment happens if at all possible.
 - Amy Hill, our attendance clerk and I communicate daily. When calling in your child, tell Amy, Sarah, or Mary what sport or activity your child is involved in so we can get that information to their Coach or Director asap.

ACMPO (Vocal Music Booster Organization)

- ACMPO=Volunteering & Fundraising
- Margie Maire, ACMPO President

BREAKOUT MEETINGS

- Visual Adrenaline (Choir Room)
- Perpetual Motion (Auditorium)
- Intensity (North Band Room)

 THANK YOU FOR COMING! WE'RE LOOKING FORWARD TO A GREAT YEAR!