

NEW YORK/AMERICAN CHORAL DIRECTORS ASSOCIATION
2nd ANNUAL MIDDLE SCHOOL HONOR CHOIR

COME SING WITH THE FINEST!

Saturday, August 7 & Sunday, August 8, 2010
Part of the NYSSMA New York State Summer Music Conference

- **CONDUCTOR:** NY/ACDA is honored to have Diane Warner as the guest conductor. Ms. Warner is the Director of Vocal Studies at Shenendehowa High School. She is also the current ACDA Repertoire and Standards Chairperson for Senior High Choirs. She has selected a challenging program of varied chorus literature for the NY/ACDA Middle School Honor Choir to perform.
- **REHEARSALS:** All rehearsals and the concert will be held on the University of Albany campus and the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Albany, New York as part of the New York State Summer Music Conference. The **tentative** schedule for Saturday, August 7, 2010 includes:
 - 11:30AM - 1:00PM Registration (Lunch before on your own.) – Univ. Albany
 - 1:00PM - 5:00PM Rehearsal (There will be a snack break.) – Univ. Albany
 - 5:00PM - 6:30PM Dinner on your own
 - 6:30PM - 8:30PM Rehearsal – Univ. AlbanyThe **tentative** schedule for Sunday, August 8, 2010 includes:
 - 8:30 – 9:45 Rehearsal – Albany Crowne Plaza
 - 9:45 - 10:00 Break
 - 10:00-11:00 Open rehearsal – Albany Crowne Plaza (conference attendees & parents may attend)
 - 11:00 - 12:00 Lunch on your own
 - 12:00 – 1:00 Concert – Albany Crowne Plaza
- **REQUIREMENTS:**
Recommending teachers must be active members of either NY/ACDA or NYSSMA.
We are looking for your finest singers who:
 - are current 7th or 8th Graders in your choral program.
 - can easily match pitch with a pleasant head tone.
 - can handle singing challenging music in multiple voicings and languages.
 - display the discipline and interest to do well in a structured rehearsal situation.
 - love to sing!

DEADLINE: SATURDAY, MAY 15, 2010 POSTMARK

Please send the attached **application form** with your non-refundable application fee to the address below.

ACDA Members: \$15 per recommended singer

NYSSMA members who are not members of ACDA: \$20 per recommended singer.

Please send **no** cash. Checks may be made out to **NY/ACDA**.

Notification of acceptance will be sent out by May 22, 2010 or shortly thereafter. It is our hope to have the singers registered and music distributed to participating teachers as soon as possible. Housing information in Albany as well as information regarding participation fee (\$125.00), expectations and procedures will be forthcoming.

- **CONTACT:** Please send completed application forms and fees to:

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