

W.T. Woodson Chorus

Where every singer has a voice.

Agenda for Tonight

- ★ Choral Boosters
- ★ Communications Methods
- ★ My School Bucks
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- ★ Dessert on Broadway (DOB)
- ★ Spring Trip
- ★ Additional Opportunities
- ★ Music and Merit Points



“ALONE, WE
CAN DO SO
LITTLE;
TOGETHER,
WE CAN DO
SO MUCH”

HELEN KELLER

Choral Boosters

- ★ Everyone is a member!
- ★ There are no dues
- ★ Mission: Support students and directors
- ★ Meet monthly:
1st meeting - Sep 4th at 7:30 pm in Chorus Room

- ★ Fundraisers
 - Car Wash - Sep 14
 - Tag Day - Oct 19
 - Dessert Sales - Fall
 - Restaurant Nights
 - Raffles at meetings

Executive Board & Committee Chairs

President: Kristi Pohland

Vice President: Ted Donat

Treasurer: Amy Tysarczyk

Secretary: Jennifer McClelland

Communications: Dawn Keene

Web Curator: Scott Gosser

Scrip: Michele Bach-Hansen

Member-at-Large: OPEN

Dessert on Broadway: OPEN

Dessert Fundraiser: Stacy Bromberg

Flowers: Nanci Pedulla

Hospitality: Susan Burger

Program Design: Christy Rollins

Raffles: OPEN

Restaurant Nights: OPEN

Spirit Wear: OPEN

Tag Day: Ted Donat, Jill Burrer

Uniforms: Sarah Jones

Committee Chairs Needed

- ★ Booster Raffle Chair
- ★ DOB Chair & Co-Chair
- ★ Restaurant Nights
- ★ Spirit Wear
- ★ Uniform Co-Chair



Directors

- ★ Amy Moir
- ★ Education
 - BA in music from JMU
 - MME, FSU
- ★ Year 19 - over halfway to retirement!

- ★ Natasha Montgomery
- ★ Working with Basso Chorus & Advanced Basso Chorus
- ★ Teaches Guitar and Music Sampler as well
- ★ Working on a BA in Special Education!

Choral Intern

- Mr. Daniel Cabrejos
 - George Mason University
- Here at Woodson through October
 - Earning a BA in Music Education

Communication Methods

★ Chorus Website

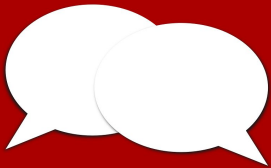
★ Blackboard

★ Google Classroom

★ Google gmail - no longer using Charms

★ Youtube Channel

★ Monthly Newsletter & WeMail



Website:
www.woodsonchorus.org

Youtube Channel
Being created - you will be emailed when
it is up and running.

Blackboard and Google Classroom

- ★ Blackboard - basic course information
 - Syllabus
 - Forms
- ★ Google Classroom
 - Student assignments
 - Student documents



My School Bucks

★ Most funds collected through this, account, including:

- Course fees
- Uniform fees
- District/All-state, etc.

★ Boosters fundraisers NOT collected through this account



Uniforms

- Tuxedo Rental is through the course fee for Basso and Advanced Basso Chorus
- All other choirs, purchase items that are needed
- Fill out google form
- Uniform fitting on Sat. September 14
 - Sign up for a time
 - At same time as car wash
- All this information in the Handbook

Scrip

Chair: Michele Bach-Hansen

- Rebate program - purchase gift cards
- Credits your rebate to family's fundraising account
- Order at monthly Booster Meetings or online
- Presto Pay

Dessert On Broadway (DOB)

- ★ Broadway Review Show with cake, tea, coffee
- ★ Every student who auditions is placed in the show
- ★ 4 performances at the end of January
- ★ Every family helps - a true community event
- ★ Not a fundraiser - we aim to break even
- ★ Cast and Crew party after the last show in Cafeteria A

Spring Trip - Nashville, TN

- ★ Depart evening April 15 - return home noon April 19
- ★ Parent chaperones needed
- ★ Not required, but highly encouraged
- ★ Clinic at Vanderbilt University
- ★ Visits specific sites determined in advance
- ★ Itinerary and payment info sent home in October
- ★ So much fun!!! Good community building activity.

Additional Opportunities

- ★ District Chorus
- ★ All-State Chorus
- ★ Southern Region Honor Chorus
- ★ Senior Honor Choir - seniors only
- ★ Community chorus participation
- ★ Other opportunities around the state
- ★ Extensions of the curriculum and not graded



Music and Merit Points

★ Students earn points for various things

- Tag day
- Dessert fundraiser
- Extra auditions/choirs/performances
- Musical
- Service hours helping choir teachers
- Taking private lessons

★ Students earn a varsity letter/pin/medal

★ Awards are presented at our Awards Banquet on June 1



Need Help? Please ask!!!

- ★ Amy Moir almoir@fcps.edu
- ★ Natasha Montgomery nmontgomery@fcps.edu
- ★ Booster Board
- ★ Need financial help?
 - Email, call, contact your choir teacher
 - Information confidential
 - We are here to help every child!!!



**SMALL ACTS,
WHEN MULTIPLIED BY
MILLIONS OF PEOPLE,
CAN TRANSFORM
THE WORLD.**

-Howard Zinn

**IF WE AS A
COMMUNITY DON'T
STEP UP TO HELP
EACH OTHER, THEN
WHO WILL?**