



Ballard High School Choir 2018 American Choral Festival – Schedule

The **2018 American Choral Festival** has almost arrived! Your schedule of festival events is set forth below. If you have any questions prior to the event, please contact our office at (800) 284-2177. During the event, COA's Executive Director, Geoffrey McQueen (970.443.2222), and COA's Artistic Director, Christopher Scott Olin (925.451.4784) will be present to answer any questions. Here is your Festival Schedule:

Friday, April 20, 2018

08:00 am Arrive **CHECK-IN AT ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

600 St. Andrews Road, Newport Beach, CA 92663

*When you arrive, please come to the COA Registration Desk located in the Main Lobby in front of the Sanctuary. Please bring 3 copies of your sheet music (**with measures numbered**) for the adjudicators.*

08:10 am Warm-Up **SANCTUARY – ENSEMBLE 1**

08:30 am Enjoy **ADJUDICATED PERFORMANCE IN SANCTUARY – ENSEMBLE 1**

Your Ensemble 1 may perform up to 20 minutes of repertoire for the adjudicators in the Sanctuary.

08:55 am Depart **SANCTUARY**

09:00 am Enjoy **CHORAL CLINIC FOR ENSEMBLE 1 – BASEMENT ROOM 1**

09:50 am Depart **BASEMENT ROOM 1**

10:00 am Attend **OBSERVATIONAL OPPORTUNITY - PERFORMANCE BY ROCKLIN HS CHOIR (CALIFORNIA) – SANCTUARY**

10:25 am **BREAK**

11:00 am Attend **VIVACE xCHANGE + MASSED CHOIR REHEARSAL – DIERENFIELD HALL**

Ballard will join the choirs of Rogers HS (Arkansas), Crescenta Valley HS (California), San Luis Obispo HS (California), and Twentynine Palms HS (California) for this choral exchange and massed choir rehearsal.

01:00 pm **BREAK FOR LUNCH ON YOUR OWN**

02:00 pm Warm-Up **CHOIR ROOM – SANCTUARY BASEMENT – ENSEMBLE 2**

02:30 pm Enjoy **ADJUDICATED PERFORMANCE IN SANCTUARY – ENSEMBLE 2**

Your Ensemble 2 may perform up to 20 minutes of repertoire for the adjudicators in the Sanctuary.

02:55 pm Depart **SANCTUARY**

03:00 pm Enjoy **CHORAL CLINIC FOR ENSEMBLE 2 – CHOIR ROOM – BASEMENT**

04:00 pm **BREAK**

06:00 pm Arrive **CONVERGE! A MASSED CHOIR CONCERT – SANCTUARY**

Led by co-Conductors Joshua Habermann and Deke Sharon, and featuring a mix of massed and solo choir performances of both traditional choral and contemporary A Capella music, this bonus concert should run from 7pm to 9pm. Your Choir is scheduled to perform as part of the Vivace Choir (Part II of the Concert), and you also qualify to perform a piece of your own (with you conducting) during the concert.