



THE CHORAL GROUPS OF JOYFUL NOISE, INC.

Chorus Angelicus

Gaudamus

A CONNECTICUT NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

Our Mission Statement:

“Instilling a lifelong appreciation of musical excellence through choral music education and inspiring performances.”

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Although this is not how we envisioned the 2019/2020 season ending, it is near its end! While no one really knows what September will be like, we are planning for all scenarios and are open for enrollment! We are anticipating virtual instruction at the start of the 2020/2021 season, and as soon as it is possible for us to gather in groups again, we will! Our Choir Directors, Gabriel Löfvall, Andrew Skinner, and Karen Sovak are in the process of planning for a virtual semester. They have been hard at work, actually putting in more hours than they are used to. They will be working diligently in the summer, in preparation for the likelihood of virtual teaching in September. We will follow up with more information from each director with specific plans and curriculum during June.

We encourage you to **ENROLL** your chorister for our **30th Anniversary Season**. It is a possibility that class sizes may be limited. We hope to navigate this uncharted territory and give the choristers a semblance of normality and superb musical education in accordance with our mission statement.

Enrollment Details for 2020-2021

- Existing families can access the parent portal through Jackrabbitclass.com. Here is the link to the portal: <https://app.jackrabbitclass.com/jr3.0/ParentPortal/Login?orgID=521010>
- New families can access the registration through our website or follow this link to register: <https://app.jackrabbitclass.com/regv2.asp?id=521010>
- Once in the parent portal you may enroll in the 2020/2021 season and pay your enrollment fee. If you enroll before July 15th you will save money.
- The Parent Portal will be a great resource for you, we will have zoom links and material links posted there (pdf files, etc).
- Please update your chorister's information and sign the legalese waivers.
- You may also fill out the included registration form (or check your email for a digital version) and preferably email or snail mail it to the office.
- If you have any questions, please contact Bethany by email at bethany@chorusangelicus.com or leave a message at the office, (860) 496-8841.

Tuition/Fees Details for 2020-2021

- There is a \$50 ENROLLMENT Fee for each child, due upon enrollment. \$10 for each additional child. If you ENROLL before July 15th, the enrollment fee is reduced to \$35 for the first child and \$5 for each additional child. Any enrollment after September 15th is subject to a \$25 late fee per family (excludes new families). Family discount levels are 15% off the 2nd child's tuition, 30% off the 3rd child's tuition, and 45% off the 4th child's tuition.
- We appreciate and depend upon the enthusiasm and support of parents who are able to pay tuition. We also realize times are especially difficult. No child will be turned away due to financial hardship. Do not hesitate to contact Bethany for a **FINANCIAL AID** application. Please be aware that the deadline for financial aid requests is **October 1st**.
- Tuition for Chorus Angelicus Senior and Junior Choirs will be \$1,050 in full or \$131.25 per month, based on an 8-month cycle from September to April. However, you may elect to **pre-pay tuition** in full (before September 1st) to receive a **\$50 credit** per chorister.
- There is a Robe Fee for all Junior and Senior choristers. The Robe Fee is a \$50 deposit, by check, due when your student receives their robe. At the end of the season, when the robe has been dry-cleaned and returned, your deposit will be returned to you. If we are not holding physical concerts due to safety concerns, you will not need to pay a Robe Fee. If you need a new binder, we have them available for purchase.
- Tuition for Advanced Angels and Angels in Training will remain at \$600 in full or \$75 per month, based on an 8-month cycle from September to April. However, you may elect to **pre-pay tuition** in full (before September 1st) to receive a **\$50 credit** per chorister.
- Historically, choristers in Junior and Senior Choirs are expected to attend Fall Camp and Winter Camp and Advanced Angels are encouraged to attend. We have reserved the dates of October 2-4, 2020 for Fall Camp; however, we will carefully assess whether or not it is safe to hold camp this year. The fee for both Summer and Winter Camp is \$150, which can be broken down and added to your monthly tuition fee (\$37.50 per month) or paid in advance of each camp. Camp is a great bonding experience filled with Singing, Nature, Friendly Competition, and Skits which the choristers look forward to each year!

We're excited to offer your chorister the opportunity to sing with our renowned choir; we anticipate a year of amazing unprecedented experiences and connections for your talented choristers! This will be a year of **FIRSTS!**

Thank You!

Chorus Angelicus Board and Staff