ALL MID-STATE/FRESHMEN HONOR CHOIRS AUDITIONS – SEPTEMBER 25-27, 2014 DIRECTORS' ASSIGNMENTS AND MEMO

I. Parking/Entrance

Stewarts Creek High School 301 Red Hawk Parkway Smyrna, TN 37167

Please park and enter on the north side of the building. Please distribute map on final page of this document to students/parents as needed.

II. Schedule/Assignments

- A. See schedule on following page for your audition assignments.
- B. ALL DIRECTORS should be in the SCHS Choir Room at 4:30pm.
- C. Please allow for traffic travelling on I-24E away from Nashville it will be slow from 4:00 on between Briley Parkway (mm54) and Lee Victory (mm 70).
- D. ALL PARTICIPATING DIRECTORS ARE REQUIRED TO WORK THE ENTIRE AUDITION EVENT, REGARDLESS OF WHEN YOUR OWN STUDENTS ARE SCHEDULED
- E. Food will be provided Thursday evening, Friday evening, Saturday lunch.
- F. Dinner will be provided between 5-6:30 Saturday while you wait for results and to pick up music. We hope to have results ready 75 minutes after the last room closes.

III. Judging/Warm-up Monitors

- A. Judge 1 is the lead judge.
- B. Judges 2 and 3 need to bring a CD player.
- C. Judges 4 & 5 are encouraged to bring a CD player and leave it in your car as a 'just in case.'
- D. All Warm-Up Monitors should bring a CD player.

IV. Prepared/Audition Process

- A. The tempo for all the sightreading examples will be Q = 82 bpm.
- B. Excerpts will begin by ascending or descending. However, in an effort to keep the excerpts equal in difficulty, excerpts that begin by ascending might begin with a leap or a step and/or with quarters or eighth notes, while excerpts that begin by descending will only begin stepwise and in quarter notes.
- C. The judge that presents the sightreading excerpts should point to the excerpt as the CD track announces it, then step back to give 2-3 steps distance between you and the student.
- D. The order for the prepared (grades) will be gender (Handl/Farmer) then mixed (Parry). Freshmen will sing only the Arcadelt.
- E. Cuts will be announced Monday at 5pm for 10-12 Altos; 5pm on Tuesday for all other 10-12 parts. Freshmen will sing the entire Arcadelt.
- V. Contact Brian Russell's Cell is 615.945.1825. DIRECTORS ONLY SHOULD CALL/TEXT IN EMERGENCY – DO NOT DISTRIBUTE TO PARENTS/STUDENTS!

<u>Director Assignments – 2014 Mid-State/Freshmen Honor Choir Auditions</u> <u>Revised 9/22/2014 at 7:34am</u>

SOPRANO 1 (Fri-Sat)

- 1. Brenda Jewell
- 2. Elise Dumser
- 3. Michael O'Neill
- 4. Matthew Clark
- 5. Katie Baker
- Door Monitor: Candace Adams

SOPRANO 2 (Fri-Sat)

- 1. Stella McKnight
- 2. David Winton
- 3. Angela Beale
- 4. Alan Clark
- 5. Shelley Harris

Door Monitor: Lisa Zimdars

ALTO 1 (Thurs-Sat)

- 1. Gerald Patton
- 2. Lauren Ramey
- 3. T.J. McLaughlin
- 4. Kimberly McLemore
- 5. Angela Hahn

Door Monitor: Brenda Gregory

ALTO 2 (Thurs-Sat)

- 1. Wendy Payne
- 2. Shawn Frazier
- 3. Grant Farmer
- 4. Missy Cook
- 5. Matthew Smyth

Door Monitor: Judy Yeaworth

WARM-UP ROOM MONITORS

- 1. Stephanie Nolan (Thurs only)
- 2. Julie Cox (Thurs & Sat)
- 3. Cindy Fehrman (Thurs & Sat)
- 4. Debbie Wilson (Fri & Sat)
- 5. Scott Corley (Sat only)
- 6. Nancy Turner (Fri & Sat)
- 7. Cameron Frazier (Fri & Sat)

TABULATION (Thurs-Sat)

- 1. Lewis Walling
- 2. Brian Russell
- 3. Alexis Derryberry
- 4. Sandy Elliott (Thurs & Sat)

TENOR 1/BASS 1 (Fri-Sat)

- 1. Robert King
- 2. Elizabeth Evans
- 3. David Collins
- 4. Kristina Waugh
- 5. Mary Lee Atenham
- Door Monitor: Grace Guill

TENOR 2/BASS 2 (Fri-Sat)

- 1. Gilbert Aldridge
- 2. Jeff Myrick
- 3. Renee Chapman
- 4. Melissa Hinds
- 5. Joshua Gulley

Door Monitor: Blake Saldana

FRESHMEN SOPRANO/BASS (Fri-Sat)

- 1. Michael Choate
- 2. Anna Caldwell
- 3. Brittany Sluder
- 4. Debbie Hollis
- 5. Jennifer Ledbetter

Door Monitor: Maggie Mason

FRESHMEN ALTO/TENOR (Fri-Sat)

- 1. Cindy Freeman
- 2. Joseph Warren
- 3. Lydia Schoonover
- 4. John Hylton
- 5. Greg Herring

Door Monitor: Matthew Johnson

REGISTRATION

- 1. Adam Womack (Thurs-Sat)
- 2. Natalie Pratt (Thurs & Sat)
- 3. Brenda Williams (Fri & Sat)
- 4. Georgette Seay (Fri & Sat)
- 5. Jenna Elsberry (Fri & Sat)
- 6. Jeff Rice (Fri & Sat)
- 7. Lauren Sims (Fri & Sat)

RUNNERS (Fri-Sat)

1) Jason Witt

