

CONDUCTOR-IN-RESIDENCE CONCERT

Featuring Trey Jacobs

DATE / TIME

The 2019 Oxford High School Choirs Conductor-In-Residence concert will take place at 7:00 PM Friday February 22 in the Performing Arts Center. An all day workshop with Trey Jacobs will take place during the school day on the same day.

THE EXPERIENCE

Each year auditioned groups from around the country come together at Carnegie Hall in NYC to perform concerts under the direction of a renowned conductor. Our choirs have an ongoing invitation to perform at Carnegie Hall, but the large cost involved of taking all of our vocalists to New York is prohibitive. So, we are bringing the Carnegie Hall experience here to Oxford. This concert is an exact replica of Octavo series concerts going on at Carnegie Hall.

OUR GUEST CONDUCTOR

Oxford High School Choirs have hired Trey Jacobs to serve as the Oxford High School Conductor-In-Residence February 21-22. Trey Jacobs is currently Director of Choral Studies at the Nashville School of the Arts. Jacobs has completed coursework on a Doctor of Musical Arts in Choral Conducting from Michigan State University, a Master of Music degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, and a Bachelor of Music Education degree from East Carolina University. Prior to moving to Nashville, Jacobs served as the Artistic Director for the Turtle Creek Chorale. Trey Jacobs is widely sought after around the country as an All State choral director.

THE COST

The cost of hiring Trey, purchasing music and rights and providing lunch for all of our students during the rehearsal day comes to over \$5,000. These costs are covered completely through ticket charges for the concert. These funds prevent us from having to charge our students for their meal and the experience.

REQUIRED REHEARSALS

An all day rehearsal on February 22 will take place from 7:49a-2:58p. A dress rehearsal will take place from 5:30p-6:30p. The rehearsals and concert are a graded requirement of choir.

AUDIENCE

Please note that this performance is not appropriate for infants and young children. We will be creating an audio recording of this concert and wish to only hear the sounds coming from the stage, not noises from the audience. We really need an attentive and respectful audience so as to not take away from the beauty of the performance and so we can create a lifelong memory through the audio recording.

CONCERT TICKETS

We are offering two tiers of tickets for this concert. Reserved Main Floor seating tickets are \$10 each, Reserved Mezzanine level tickets are \$6 each. The balcony will be closed off for this performance. All seats are reserved seating, preventing the need to arrive early to find a seat.

Tickets are now on sale and can be purchased in advance by order form or online at OxfordChoirs.com. Online you are able to select your own seats and pay by credit card. Please note there is a fee to purchase tickets online. On the order form you are able to request your seating area and best seats available will be assigned to you. We will also be selling tickets at the door before concert time.

If you and your family are unable to pay for tickets please let Mr. Card know and complimentary tickets will be provided for you.

CONCERT DAY SCHEDULE - FRIDAY FEBRUARY 22

7:45a	Students report to the Auditorium
7:50a-10:00a	Rehearsal Session 1
10:00a-10:20a	Break
10:20a-11:45a	Rehearsal Session 2
11:45-12:15p	Lunch (provided)
12:15p-1:30p	Rehearsal Session 3
1:30p-2:00p	Break / Set up Risers
2:00p-2:45p	Rehearsal Session 4 on Risers
2:58p	Dismissal end of school day

5:30p-6:30p	Dress Rehearsal (arrive in uniform)
7:00p	Concert