

Sing

News Nov. 1/2010

Dear Singers and Parents,

I hope that you all had a happy Halloween. Here are some important details to make a note of for the upcoming few weeks.

Upcoming Events

November 24 – ALL CHOIRS – Feel the Beat with the LSO

Rehearsal

Rehearsal Schedule
Wednesday, November 24, 2010
Southminster United Church
(1011-4 Avenue South)

Time	School	Location
11:00 – 11:20	Coalhurst Elementary Combined Choirs	Coalhurst
11:20 – 11:25	Moving choirs on/off stage	
11:25 - 11:45	Conservatory of Music Children's Choir	Lethbridge
11:45 – 11:50	Moving choirs on/off stage	
11:50-12:10	"Carol of the Bells" ⁺⁺ - ALL SCHOOLS ⁺	
12:10-12:30	Moving kids on/off stage (Break for orchestra)	
12:30-12:50	Conservatory of Music Youth Singers	Lethbridge
12:50 – 12:55	Moving kids on/off stage	
12:55– 1:15	Conservatory of Music Senior Youth Singers	Lethbridge

*All choirs in the morning and afternoon must participate in the Carol of the Bells rehearsal (e.g. – if your rehearsal is at 11am, you must stay until 11:50am, and if your rehearsal is at 12:55pm, you must arrive at 11:50).

Note: parents, this schedule is out of my control and I apologize for the inconvenience I know it will cause for many of you. I will put up a note on our bulletin board about car-pooling. If you think you can help out with pick-up drop-off on this day, please let me know.

Performance

Time: 7:00 p.m.
Location: Southminster United Church
Tickets: no charge; silver collection will be taken

December 8 Dress Rehearsal

Choir will be held at Immanuel Lutheran Church (20 Rocky Mountain Blvd. W.) as follows:

Youth Singers	5:30 (to 7:30)
Children's Choir	6:30 (to 7:30)
Senior Choir	7:00 (to 8:45)

December 10th Concert

This concert of all three of our choirs will be held at Immanuel Lutheran Church at 7 pm. There will be no admission charge, but we will have a silver collection during the concert.

Uniforms (*please note which choir your child is in and read the related details below*)

Children's Choir

Singers in the Children's Choir new to our groups will need to purchase a t-shirt. That shirt, plus black bottoms (skirts for girls, pants for boys) and black shoes is our uniform. The order form is on the bulletin board outside our door. You can also email me your order at matkka@uleth.ca.

The cost is \$15.

Youth Singers

This year the Youth Singers will wear:

- White shirt (preferably a button-down blouse/shirt)
- Black bottoms (skirts for girls/pants for boys)
- Black shoes
- Red scarves

I have sent a separate email about the scarves. Thanks to those of you who have volunteered to help with sewing.

Senior Choir

This year the Senior Choir will wear:

- White shirt (preferably a button-down blouse/shirt with full or $\frac{3}{4}$ length sleeves)
- Black bottoms (skirts for girls/pants for boys)
- Black shoes
- Red vests

Parents/singers, I will be ordering these online from Old Navy. The cost will be \$20 per singer.

Practice CDs and our Website

If you haven't done so yet, please go to www.musicalive.ca to:

- Sign up for newsletters
- Access to our calendar
- Listen to/download rehearsal music (youth and children's choirs)

Registration

If you have not already registered for choir through the University, please call Recreation Services at 329-2706. The cost for the year is \$200.00.

If you are not able to register at this time, please speak with me privately and we can make confidential arrangements to suit you.

That's it for now. Please [let me know](#) if you have any questions.

Musically yours,

Kathy Matkin-Clapton