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the MID-PACIFIC INSTITUTE *Choir*

DEDICATED TO EXCELLENCE IN CHORAL SINGING SINCE 2004.



Learn to . . .

. . . sing with healthy vocal production through quality choral literature.

. . . read musical notation.

. . . develop your musical ear.

. . . sing in different languages.

. . . perform jazz, classical, contemporary, & multi-cultural music.



✕ Elementary, Middle & High School Students ✕

The MPI Choir invites elementary, middle & high school students in grades 1 through 12 with treble or unchanged voices to join in the fun of singing!

JOIN NOW!!!

The Mid-Pacific Institute Choir, founded in 2004, is dedicated to excellence in music education and choral singing, offering students the opportunity to train and perform to some of the highest artistic standards locally and nationally.

MPIC's goal is to nurture children to become well-rounded, compassionate, global citizens in a "flattening" world, through the

medium of the Arts, in particular, Choral Music. Exposure to various cultures at a young age fosters understanding, respect, and tolerance. It also allows children

the opportunity to develop a broader perspective of their world. Our goals also include instilling a sense of pride, confidence, and identity in the singers about the cultures they represent and working at the highest artistic levels.



Highlights for the Year

Here are some activities & performances planned for this year:

Moon Over Manoa
Mission House Museums
Mayor's Sister City Luncheon
Winter Concert
E Mele Kakou Choral Festival
H.O.T.'s Opera For Everyone
Spring Concert

PERFORMANCE TOURS:

Maui Tour (grades 1-4)
Pacific Rim Choral Festival
(grades 5-12)
Fundraising - to defray travel costs



2007 Spring Season

Spring season: January 23, 2007 through May 11, 2007

Eligibility: MPI students in grades 1 through 12 with treble or unchanged voices

Schedule: Tuesday & Fridays 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. Elementary Ensemble (Grades 1 – 4)
Tuesday & Fridays 3:45 – 4:45 p.m. Upper School Ensemble (Grades 5 – 12)

Rehearsal Location: Wilcox Dining Hall, MPI Elementary Campus

Fee: \$300.00 per semester (purchase of choir uniforms, activity fees & travel costs additional)

Please make checks payable to **MID-PACIFIC INSTITUTE.**

Registration deadline: Friday, January 19, 2007

General Membership Dinner Meeting: *Parent attendance is mandatory.*

Wednesday, January 31, 2007 • 5:30 pm • Wilcox Dining Hall • Cost: \$4/child; \$7/adult

E-mail: dkoshi@midpac.edu **Voicemail:** 441-3812 **Webpage:** p5.midpac.edu/elementary/music/



Diane Koshi,

founder and director of the Mid-Pacific Institute Choir and Elementary Music Specialist, has been in the music industry and music education of Hawaii for over twenty-five years. Mrs. Koshi is in her sixteenth season as a Director with Hawaii Youth Opera Chorus where she has prepared children's choruses for Hawaii Opera Theater's mainstage productions. Mrs. Koshi was the director of choirs and chairman of the Music Department of St. Andrew's Priory School for Girls. She has served as a State Repertoire & Standards Committee chairperson on Women's Choirs and co-chaired All-State High School Honor Choir Festivals for the Hawaii Chapter of the American Choral Directors Association. She maintains her performing career with Hawaii Opera Theater's Opera Chorus, Kawaiolaonapukanileo (Hawaiian a cappella vocal ensemble), and the dance company of Halau Hula Ka Noeau. In addition to teaching and performing, Mrs. Koshi is a Na Hoku Hanohano (Hawaiian Grammy Awards) award-winning producer of Hawaiian music.

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Registration Form

Please complete the information below and send or deliver this form to Mrs. Koshi in Wilcox Hall.



Student's name _____

Grade/Homeroom _____

Student's e-mail _____

Student's cell phone _____

Mother _____

Day phone _____

Mother's E-mail _____

Cell phone _____

Mother's occupation _____

Father _____

Day phone _____

Father's E-mail _____

Cell phone _____

Father's occupation _____

Street Address _____

Home phone _____

City, State ZIP _____

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