



# SMS CHOIRS

## Upcoming Dates

**Fall Concert- 8th Grade Choir & Chamber Orchestra**, 10/12/21, SHS Aud., 7PM

**MIM Presents An Evening of Showchoir**- SHS Music in Motion members and SMS/OMS MIM Campers, Saturday, October 16, 2021, 7PM. Ticketed event. [CLICK HERE](#) for tickets.

**Holiday Choral Concert**- All Choirs & Ensembles, 12/7/21, SHS Aud., 7PM

**OMEA District Honor Choir** (auditioned)- 1/7/22 & 1/8/22 (Hosted by Chamber Ensemble)

**Winter Choral Concert**- All Choirs & Ensembles, 3/1/22, SHS Aud., 7PM

**OMEA District Choral Contest**- Mixed & Boys Ensemble, FRIDAY, 3/11/22, 4-8PM **OR** SATURDAY, 3/11/22, 7:30AM-11:20AM; Exact date/time TBA

**OMEA Solo & Ensemble**- Interested students, 4/9/22; Exact time TBD

**Spring Choral Concert**- All Choirs & Ensembles, 5/12/22, SHS Aud., 7PM

**Parents & Students: Please make sure to read through the "Welcome to Choir" online handbook and complete the "Choir Participation Form" at the end. We have many students who have not submitted this form. [CLICK HERE](#) to link directly to the Handbook**

*October 2021*

**Eighth Grade Choir & Chamber Orchestra**

**Fall Concert**

**Tuesday, October 12, 2021**

**7 PM**

**Solon High School Auditorium**

Attention all Choir Parents!

**Solon Music Parents** is a non-profit organization that supports the music programs at Solon High School, Solon Middle School, and Orchard Middle School. Membership is automatic for all parents of music students, and meetings are open to all who are interested. Funds raised through concession operations, Tag Day, the pasta dinner, and other events support the bands, orchestras, choirs and Starlettes dance team with uniform and equipment purchases, trip subsidies, and other activities. Please click the link below to learn more about SMP and how you can help support your child's music endeavors!

[CLICK HERE](#) to learn more!



[www.solonmusicparents.org](http://www.solonmusicparents.org)

# 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir & Chamber Orchestra Fall Concert

Solon Middle School 8th Grade Choir & Chamber Orchestra will present a Fall Concert on Tuesday, October 12, 2021, 7 PM at Solon High School Auditorium. For many of our students, this will be their first live performance since December of 2019! Our 8th Grade Choir and Chamber Orchestra students have been working hard and are excited to perform for you!

All 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir members will take the bus to Solon High School during their 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> period classes on the day of the concert where we will rehearse with the Chamber Orchestra on stage.

Masks will be required when students are performing on stage for the rehearsal and concert.

On the evening of the concert choir students will need report to the Solon High School choir room no later than 6:45 PM. All Chamber Orchestra will go directly to the stage.

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir can [CLICK HERE](#) for the Fall Concert Dress Code.

**Please note that this concert is for  
8th Grade Choir and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Chamber Orchestra Only.**

## Concert Pandemic Protocols

Our goal for the upcoming 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Chamber Orchestra concert is to provide an in-person performance opportunity in as safe a manner as possible. Toward that end, families will be able to decide if they would like to attend in person or watch a live stream on Solon Education TV.

- Doors for those attending in-person with the free family tickets will open at 6:30 p.m.
- Families should sit in the center section of the auditorium and allow at least two seats between them and the next family.
- Masks are required for all attendees.

To provide distancing for the concerts in the auditorium, seating will be limited to 50-percent capacity and families of the students in the performance will need to obtain FREE TICKETS. \_

**Obtaining the in-person free tickets is easy.** Just click on the Solon Schools show ticket portal link at <https://www.solonschools.org/showticketportal> and select the “Get Tickets” button under the concert you would like to attend. Click on the link below if you want to see an instruction video:

[CLICK HERE](#) HOW TO: How do I get tickets for the concert?

A link to the live feed will be on my teacher webpage the day of the concert as well as a digital copy of our program you can download.