

Dear 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Chorus Parents,

Welcome to the Steck 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade chorus! I am so excited to work with all of your singers in this extra-curricular group. We have a wonderful year planned with great tunes, performances, and educational music opportunities.

Rehearsals will be every Tuesday morning from **7:50-8:50 on the stage**. Please drop-off your student at door #12 (YMCA entrance) at the front of the building between 7:45-7:50am (not any earlier, please).

I do expect singers who join chorus to attend each rehearsal and performance. My rule of thumb is that if your singer is well enough to attend school, they are well enough to attend rehearsal, even if he/she is simply following along in the music while resting his/her voice. A parent email must be sent if a student needs to miss a rehearsal. **Please make chorus rehearsals and performances a priority and remember that this is a year-long commitment.**

The chorus will be singing at five different events this year including:

- Wolves Chicago Hockey Game Performance at the Allstate Arena on November 10<sup>th</sup>
- Winter Chorus Invitational Concert at Waubonsie Valley High School on December 10<sup>th</sup>
- Spring Chorus Concert at Steck on March 11th
- Kane County Cougars Game Baseball Performance on April 24th
- District 204 Fine Arts Festival at Waubonsie Valley High School on May 16<sup>th</sup>

All NEW chorus members will need to purchase a chorus shirt. Students returning to chorus are encourage to use their shirt from last year. All orders are due by September 27<sup>th</sup>. You may order the shirt by typing in this link:

<https://www.customink.com/g/afc0-00bx-wk7w>

I look forward to a year filled with wonderful musical moments with your singer!

Musically yours,

Mrs. Pieczynski

