



# SHS Choirs Newsletter

# October

by Sierra Shuford



Thank you to everyone who came out to Club Allegro and our Extravaganza Concert! We appreciate your support for our students and the choir program as a whole!

This year, Club Allegro fundraised a total of \$1248 for senior scholarships and our program! \$850 was from the silent auction, with the highest bid at \$200 for the Family Fun Night basket. The bake sale also made \$100.

## College Opportunitites

Whether you're a senior starting college applications, a junior starting to look at schools, a sophomore exploring career options, or a freshman still getting used to high school, several colleges and universities in the area have opportunities for high school students to get a sneak peek of the college experience, especially for music and voice students, each being completely free to register.

A few of these include:

- Furman Voice Day, Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9am-4pm @ Furman University
- Voice Student for a Day — Oct 5<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4:30pm @ USC Columbia (juniors and seniors only)
- Music Major for a Day, Oct 15<sup>th</sup>, 8:15am-1:15pm @ Newberry College

## Upcoming Dates

Here are some dates coming up to be aware of. You can always access this information on the Choir calendar on our website!

- Oct 1 – NO SCHOOL
- Oct 15/16 – Fall Break
- Oct 24 – Chorale only: GVL Chorale dress rehearsal
- Oct 25 – Chorale only: GVL Chorale performance, 3:00 pm
- Nov 3-7 – Allstate audition window
- Nov 17 – Winter Concert (ALL SHS Choirs)
- Dec 7 – Winter Collaborative Concert (Chorale only)

## NC/TN Trip

Due to lack of interest, the NC/TN trip has been canceled. Anyone who was enrolled should get a full refund, including your deposit. Contact Mrs. Colón if you have any issues or questions.

Instead, we are switching to putting on a larger trip every two years for members of the honors classes (Choristers/Chorale). We look forward to giving our students more great memories!

## Greenville Chorale Concert

This year, our highest honor choir, the SHS Chorale, has been invited to sing with the Greenville Chorale for their "In Time of Silver Rain" Concert.

As one of the largest community choirs in Greenville, they aim to begin fostering connections with choirs in the area, launching their new education outreach program with our SHS Chorale and singers from Eastside High School. In their words, "Inspired by the words 'in time of silver rain, the earth puts forth new life again,' the program celebrates renewal, connection, and belonging through the power of music."

Greenville First Baptist, 847 Cleveland St, Greenville, 29601

Tickets for the concert on Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> at 3pm are \$40.

Each Viking Chorale singer will receive two FREE tickets

You can visit the Greenville Chorale website at [greenvillechorale.org](http://greenvillechorale.org) for more details.



## Winter Concert

Our Winter concert is on November 17<sup>th</sup>!  
Come out to support each choir and the Corporation!



last year's winter concert!

## Collabrative Concert

This year, we are joining with the Symphony Orchestra, Symphonic Band and Viking Theater to put on a Winter Collaborative Concert for the community. The concert will be on December 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm and feature both festive and holiday tunes!

There will be hot chocolate refreshments in the lobby for anyone who attends. We hope to see you there!

## Concert Photos



# Student of the Month

by Charlotte Moore

## Chorale - David Millinor (12)

David was chosen for his hard work in choir rehearsals. Specifically when he has been helping run lights, sound and more for Club Allegro and the Extravaganza Concert!

**You were chosen for your hard work juggling choir, schoolwork and for being very helpful during our September performances! Was it hard having to run back and forth between classes just to make sure everyone had a good performance?**

"Yes, at times it was challenging to make time for everything and make sure everything was set up and ready to go. But it is such an amazing experience; it is so worth it."

**David loves the uniqueness of the song Baba Yetu!**



*David Millinor*

## Choristers - Asiyah Janah (9)

Asiyah was chosen for her kindness and positive attitude towards her peers! One of her fellow classmates was very grateful when she received help on an assignment from Asiyah in class.

**What's been your favorite part of being in choir at the high school so far?**

"My favorite part about being in choir at the high school is probably the amount of teamwork that's been put into our concerts and songs."

**Asiyah's favorite song we are doing is Light Of A Clear Blue Morning.**



*Asiyah Janah*

## Viking Voices - Penelope Torres (9)

Penelope was chosen for her good work ethic and her passionate attitude for choir!

**What's been your favorite part of being in choir at the high school so far?**

"Being able to do what I love every day and having the privilege to learn ways to improve my singing."

**Penelope's favorite song so far has been Baba Yetu!**



*Penelope Torres*

# CLUB ALLEGRO



**TOTAL RAISED:  
\$1248**