



The West Valley Chorale

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The West Valley Chorale's Fifth Annual Young Singers Competition

The West Valley Chorale, under the direction of Ken Goodenberger, is pleased to announce the Fifth Annual Young Singers Competition during their upcoming 40th performance season. Scholarships totaling up to \$2,000 will be awarded.

High School Juniors and Seniors who reside in and attend high school in the Phoenix Metropolitan Area during the 2023-24 school year are eligible and encouraged to apply.

The application will consist of the following:

1. A video that showcases their talent.
 - a. Applicants may select a Classical or Broadway piece to perform.
2. An Application of Intent, with parental consent where applicants are under 18 signed by a parent/guardian, and a publicity head shot in .JPG format.
3. The video, head shot, and Application of Intent will be submitted by email to YSCEntries@westvalleychoraleaz.org. Submission Deadline is **Saturday, October 28, 2023**.

The selection will proceed as follows:

1. After the Videos are juried, Semifinalists will be notified by email by **Saturday, November 4th**, and will be invited to sing in the Final competition at Shepherd of the Hills United Methodist Church, 13658 W Meeker Blvd, Sun City West, AZ on **Saturday, November 11th from 10-2 pm**. A professional accompanist is provided. A semifinalist must perform in person in the finals to be considered.
2. Winners of the finals will be notified shortly thereafter and will be invited to sing a solo with the Chorale in their Winter Concerts on December 5th and 7th, 2023 or Spring Concerts scheduled for April 2nd and April 4th, 2024.

Full information will be available on the Chorale's website at www.westvalleychoraleaz.org and updated throughout the competition period.

The West Valley Chorale is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) performing arts organization based in Surprise, Az. Charitable donations are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law.