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The Conejo Valley Unified School District and the Conejo Recreation & Park District



CHORUS - SECOND SEMESTER CLASSES will begin on **Tuesday, January 17th** for **Kinder Chorus (Gr. K)**, **Thursday, January 19th** for **Senior Chorus (Gr. 3-4-5)**, and **Monday, January 23rd** for **Junior Chorus (Gr. 1 & 2)**. (NO SCHOOL on Monday, January 16th)

CONCERT DATES: **Tuesday, April 17, 2012** for **Kinder and Junior Chorus (Gr. K-1-2)** AND **Wednesday, April 18, 2012** for the **Senior Chorus (Gr. 3-4-5)**. ALL three groups will participate in the District Festival which is scheduled for the Week of April 9, 2012.

- **Kinder Chorus is New** for this Semester and will meet on **Tuesdays from 1:45 to 2:15 pm in the Multipurpose Room**. This change will allow for a smaller group of the same age and grade, and will allow for more individual instruction, variation in performance skills, and fun in learning and performance.
- **Junior Chorus** will consist of students in **Grades 1 & 2**. This Chorus will meet on **Mondays from 2:45 to 3:30 pm in the Multipurpose Room**. The change in grade grouping will allow for a more challenging experience for these students with more attention to technique, choreography, styles and performance, and quality of performance.
- **Senior Chorus** will continue to be students in **Grades 3, 4, and 5**, and will continue to meet on **Thursdays from 2:45 to 3:45 pm**. The focus for this group will continue to be performance skills, challenging repertoire, work in musical theatre, festivals, etc.

Instructor: Mrs. Susanna Newkirk has been a Music Teacher, Director, Choreographer, and Performer for the past 43 years in Southern California. Most recently she has been directing Broadway style musicals, handbell choirs, concert choirs, and general music education classes in the State of Washington.

Fees: To join the Spring Chorus, a **payment of \$90 is due by Tuesday, January 17, 2012**.

Payment Options: ALL payments should be made through the Arts Council of Conejo Valley website. Please go to www.hillcrestarts.com or call the offices of the Arts Council of Conejo Valley @ (805) 381-2747 for assistance. The Sycamore main office will accept CHECKS ONLY with your registration form. **Please make checks payable to ACCV (Arts Council of Conejo Valley)**. For security reasons, we prefer not to accept checks. For financial aid applications, please contact the Arts Council @ (805) 381-2747 or Mrs. Susanna Newkirk @ snewkirk@hillcrestarts.com.

THANK YOU FOR INVOLVING YOUR CHILD IN MUSIC!!!

Please detach registration and return to the school office or register online by **Tuesday, January 17, 2012**

Student : _____ **Parent:** _____

Parent Email: _____ **Grade:** _____

Teacher: Mrs. Susanna Newkirk

School: Sycamore Canyon School Chorus

The undersigned hereby agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Sycamore Canyon School Chorus Program. (including its cooperating agencies: the Conejo Recreation and Park District, the Arts Council of the Conejo Valley, and the Conejo Valley Unified School District) and all officers, employees, and agents of the Young Artists Ensemble and its listed cooperating agencies, against any and all loss, liability charges and expenses (including attorney's fees), and costs whatsoever character which may arise by reason of participation. As parent/Guardian, I hereby consent to emergency treatment of my minor child as a result of accident or injury. I further agree to pay any and all costs incurred as a result of said treatment. I agree to carefully inspect and satisfy for myself that the facilities provide are reasonably safe for their intended use. Once having conducted the inspection I agree to expressly assume the risk of participating of the premises. I agree that my child's photo may be taken during the program and the resulting image may be used in print and electronic media for the purpose of program promotions.

Agreed: _____
Parent and/or Guardian Signature Date Phone/Address

Name of Person Paying if other than Parent: _____