

Attendance Policy Clarifications August 28, 2017

A message from Sarah and Meg regarding attendance questions.

Missing Dress Rehearsals:

When a dress rehearsal is missed due to illness or other unforeseen circumstances, the members' participation in the concert will be handled on a case by case basis which may include a readiness audition. Please do not plan to sing in the concert if you know that you will or may miss a dress rehearsal. Fellow members and the Music Director depend on the continuity of sound from one dress rehearsal to the next and then to the concert.

Missing a Concert:

Members are expected to sing in both concerts. If you cannot sing in both concerts, please do not plan to sing in either.

Cannot sing in October, but can sing in December, however both are required:

The reason that participation in both concerts is required this fall is because of the large amount of music that must be learned for the respective concerts. Sarah is not able to predict when time and preparation level will allow for December music to be rehearsed before the October concert. She offers the following option for those who cannot sing in October, but would like to sing in December:

"You may sing in the December concert if you attend all rehearsals (8/28 – 10/2 + 10/16 - 11/30) and are thus present for any December rehearsal that may occur."

Thanks to everyone for your hard work,

Sarah and Meg