

Iowa Choral Directors Association, Inc. North Central District

Congratulations! Your son or daughter has been selected to participate in an outstanding vocal music tradition. Each year the North Central District of the Iowa Choral Directors Association sponsors an honor choir festival for which singers of high musical ability are chosen. It is a great pleasure to announce the acceptance of your child to this fine event!

On Monday, November 9th, the students will arrive at NIACC at 12:15 p.m. All students will eat lunch before the rehearsal. Students will rehearse with various directors throughout the afternoon. All middle school students will have an evening supper for \$6.00. All high school students will eat at a local restaurant with their director or at the provided evening supper. There will also be a small registration fee to help cover the cost of the event.

The highlight of the festival will be a performance of the North Central District Honor Choirs which include the 7th/8th Grade Boys, 7th/8th Grade Girls, 9th Grade Mixed, and 10th-12th Grade Mixed Choruses. This grand concert is held at Mason City in the NIACC gym on the campus of NIACC at 7:00 p.m. There is an admission fee to the concert of \$5 for adults and \$2 for children grades K-12. These fees help support future programming to continue these fine educational festivals for our students.

Please have your child wear his/her concert attire throughout the day. Concert attire includes very nice clothing that would be appropriate for this formal concert. The 10th-12th Grade Mixed Choir will wear robes and the 7th - 9th grade choirs will dress formally. Ask your local director if you have questions regarding appropriate clothing for the concert for the students.

Again, it is a privilege to congratulate your child for being selected to participate in this Honor Choir Festival. The choral directors of North Iowa hope you can attend this outstanding musical experience on November 9th!

Sincerely,

Deb Hild
North Central District Representative
Iowa Choral Directors Association, Inc.