**WACCAMAW CHORUS CALENDAR 2017-18**

TBC = to be confirmed.

GRADED REQUIRED EVENT MANDATORY REHEARSALS MUST BE MET TO PARTICIPATE IN CONCERT EVENT

OPPORTUNITY TO RECEIVE EXTRA CREDIT POINTS

FUNDRAISER SPONSORED BY PARENT BOOSTERS

**AUGUST**

* 25 FRIDAY FINAL AUDITIONS FOR INCOMING STUDENTS CHORALAIRES 2017
* 29 TUESDAY CHORALAIRES 2017-18 POSTED
* 30 WEDNESDAY - CHORALAIRE REHEARSAL BEGINS, EVERY WED. 3:15-4:15 P.M.
* – 6:00 P.M. CHORAL BOOSTER MEETING – NEW PARENTS WELCOME.
* **30 3:15 – 4:30 P.M. CHORALAIRE REHEARSALS BEGIN**
* **30 5:30 P.M. PARENT BOOSTER KICK-OFF PRIZES GIVEN. WE NEED ALL PARENTS. INFORMATION AND PLANNING**

**SEPTEMBER**

* 1 FRIDAY ALL SYLLABUS FORMS WITH SIGNATURES DUE
* 4 LABOR DAY NO SCHOOL
* 7 5:00-7:00 P.M. OPEN HOUSE ALL STUDENTS REPORT BY 4:30 FOR SIGN IN. STUDENTS SING IN CAFETERIA BEGINNING AT 5 P.M. CHORALAIRES REPORT AT 4:30 P.M.
* 7 BUTTER BRAID SALES AND PERLO LUNCH TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE (PERLO $8)
* 15 FORM AND PAYMENT FOR FORMAL WEAR DUE
* 19 ACDA STUDENTS REHEARSE (EVERY TUES 3:15 P.M. UNTIL EVENT)
* 22 BUTTER BRAID ORDERS DUE
* 28 6:00 P.M. THURSDAY – CHORALAIRES PERFORM @ DOCKSIDE RESTAURANT IN MURRELLS INLET
* 29 ALL STUDENTS AND PARENTS INVITED TO MOE’S BARBEQUE FOR BACK TO SCHOOL EAT & GREET \*\* % OF PROCEEDS GOES TO WACCAMAW CHORUS.

**OCTOBER**

* 2 PRE-REGISTRATION FOR ATLANTA SPRING TRIP ($200 DEPOSIT TO SECURE SEAT, FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE)
* 3 5:30 P.M. BOOSTER MEETING
* 4 BUTTER BRAIDS DELIVERED 2:30-4:30 P.M.
* 5 7:15 A.M. ALL STATE PARTICIPANTS MEET EVERY THURSDAY AUDITION PREP, MANDATORY FOR AUDITION IN NOVEMBER
* 6 ALL CHICKEN PILEAU LUNCH TICKET MONEY DUE
* 11 ANNUAL PILEAU LUNCH FUNDRAISER (TICKETS $8, SERVING LUNCH 1-1:30 P.M.)
* 13-14 ACDA HONOR CHOIR WEEKEND SOUTHERN WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY (4 STUDENTS)
* 17 3:15 P.M. ALL STATE AUDITIONEES MEET EVERY TUES TO PREPARE FOR AUDITIONS UNTIL EVENT
* 18 FALL CHORAL CLINIC – DURING SCHOOL DAY
* 24 TUES 6:00 P.M. WACCAMAW AREA SCHOOLS FALL CHORAL PREMIERE – PUNCH AND COOKIES TO FOLLOW

**NOVEMBER**

* 3 FRIDAY THANKSGIVING PIE SALE BEGINS
* 6-8 TBC ALL STATE AUDITIONS CAYCE UNITED METHODIST, COLUMBIA SC
* 10 NO SCHOOL VETERAN’S DAY
* 17 ALL THANKSGIVING PIE ORDERS AND $ DUE
* 20 MONDAY CHORALAIRES ON STAGE AFTER SCHOOL TILL 4:00 P.M.
* 21 – THANKSGIVING PIE PICKUP 2:30 – 4:00P.M.
* 22 – 24 THANKSGIVING BREAK
* 27-28 CHORALAIRES SERVE AND PERFORM FOR INDIGO CHRISTMAS SOIREE
* 29 3:30 – 5:00 P.M. CHORALAIRES REHEARSE ON STAGE FOR WINTER CONCERT

**DECEMBER**

* 5 TUESDAY 3:15 – 5:00 P.M. ALL CHORUS **DRESS REHEARSAL MANDATORY TO PARTICIPATE IN CONCERT**
* 6 WEDNESDAY CHORALAIRES DRESS REHEARSAL ON STAGE 3:30 - 5:00 P.M.
* 7 THURSDAY 6:30 P.M. WINTER CONCERT WITH WMS (CALL TIME 5:00 P.M. DRESSED ON RISERS)
* 14 DEPART 4 P.M. RETURN 9:30 P.M. CAROLINA OPRY PERFORMANCE AND SHOW (1ST COME, 1ST SERVE. ONLY 57 STUDENT TICKETS ALLOWED) SEE HANDOUT FOR ADULT AND YOUTH TICKET PRICE
* 18 MONDAY SOLO & ENSEMBLE REGISTRATION
* 15 – JAN 1 WINTER BREAK

**JANUARY 2017**

* 11 BREAKFAST AT APPLEWOODS TICKETS $10 (FUNDRAISER FOR STUDENT ACCOUNTS)
* 15 NO SCHOOL MARTIN LUTHER KING HOLIDAY
* 24 CHORALAIRE REHEARSAL WINTER SESSION STARTS

**FEBRUARY**

* 8-9 ALL COUNTY – CARVERS BAY (10TH – 12TH GRADE ONLY)
* 15-16 SCMEA PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT
* 17 SATURDAY SOLO & ENSEMBLE CHARLESTON, S.C.

**MARCH**

* 1-3 ALLSTATE WEEKEND, WINTHROP UNIVERSITY
* 6 TUESDAY 3:05 P.M. UNTIL 6:00 P.M. ON STAGE TALENT SHOW AUDITIONS
* 22 3:15-4:30 P.M. ON STAGE STATE FESTIVAL **MANDATORY REHEARSE** ON STAGE
* 15-18 THURSDAY-SUNDAY
* 25-26 TBC STATE CHORAL FESTIVAL – COLUMBIA, S.C. ALL STUDENTS ALL DAY (DAY & TIME TBD)
* 28 WEDNESDAY TALENT SHOW DRESS REHEARSAL
* 29 THURSDAY 6:00 P.M. TALENT SHOW

**APRIL**

* 2-6 SPRING BREAK

**MAY**

* 1 TUESDAY CHORALAIRE DRESS REHEARSAL 2:30 – 4:30 P.M.
* 2 WEDNESDAY 3:15-5:30 P.M. SPRING CONCERT DRESS REHEARSAL MANDATORY FOR ALL CHORUS STUDENTS IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SPRING CONCERT. STUDENTS MUST BE PRESENT FOR THE ENTIRE REHEARSAL
* 3 THURSDAY 6:30 P.M. SPRING CONCERT
* 20 SUNDAY BACCALAUREATE \* ALL STUDENTS

**JUNE**

* GRADUATION