



THE HUMMINGBIRD

"The Daly Review":

We had a blast on Saturday, March 26th rehearsing for our concert and playing rhythms with Steve Bloom! The students seemed to enjoy learning some history about the Samba and Rumba rhythms and then played them within the ensembles. Mr. Bloom said that he was "thoroughly impressed" with how talented our chorus members were at playing the rhythms and how quickly they pick up the beat.

Starting Tuesday, April 5, 2022, we will be "Mask Optional". The schools systems (including choirs in the school systems) have had success with this and so have many community groups who bring the children together across the county without a wide spread keeping the numbers in a downward direction. Those who choose to remain masked during the April 9 or April 24th concert, we ask that you please wear the provided black mask with our logo printed on it for the performances so that we remain somewhat in uniform. This is allergy season and it is hard to decipher between a cold and allergies. If a chorus member feels as though they are under the weather than they are to remain at home. If a chorus member feels fine but believes they are suffering from allergies than they are welcome to throw on their mask just in case. We will remain 3' apart and do our best to remain socially distant.

Also, there are no tickets nor will there be limited seating for our April Concert! The balconies will be open and everyone is invited to join our free concert on Sunday, April 24th!

Auditions for our 2022-2023 Season is scheduled for May 3! If you know of any friends or family that would want to join our chorus, please spread the word! It would be wonderful to get our numbers up closer to what they were before Covid-19!

Strawberry Festival, Olney, MD:

The man who ran our percussion lesson, Steve Bloom, will be performing in the Strawberry Festival with "The Bahkini Drummers of Havana Select". This is a free concert at the Sandy Spring Museum off of Georgia Avenue on Sunday, June 12, from 2:00 to 2:45pm. Be sure to say "Hi" to Steve if you attend!
<https://www.sandyspringmuseum.org/strawberryfestival/>

Dynamic Dates:

(O): Optional; (M): Mandatory

April 9: McDaniel Inauguration of the 10th President Gather in Gymnasium at 2p, Sound Check at 2:10p, Ceremony Begins at 3:30p (O)

April 12: Art Flier Contest Due (O)

April 22: Wear your Red Chorus POLO to School to advertise our Concert Weekend! (O)

April 23: Final Rehearsal at PPC (M)

BC1s:9a-10a; BC2s:10:05a-11:05a;

DBs:11:10a-12:10p; LPVs:12:15p-1:15p

April 24: April Concert at PPC at 3pm;

Chorus Members arrive at 2:30pm (M)

April 26: Current BC1s: BC2 Auditions (O)

April 26: Materials Collection Night during regular Tuesday night rehearsal time at GL (M)

May 3: New Chorus Member Auditions

Key: (M): Mandatory; (O): Optional; **GL:** Grace Lutheran Church; **PPC:** Panther Performance Center, formerly known as NCHS

Location Details about McDaniel 10th Inauguration:

