

Winter Park-Ski-Music Festival presents

Festival di Voce



A premier Choral Festival for High School Mixed, Women, and Men's varsity choirs held within the beautiful Pilgrim Chapel on the campus of Dallas Baptist University.

Arrive early or remain after your performance to hear other varsity level choirs throughout the entire day. Adjudication provided by a panel of three distinguished adjudicators. Your performance in this acoustically superior space will be recorded by a professional and experienced choral recording engineer. Your digital copy could be your ensembles final and finest recording for honor choir submission or musical achievement. Professional recordings of Festival di Voce performances in this venue have been included in the application of selected TMEA & SWACDA Invited Performing Choirs in 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019, 2022, 2023, 2024 & 2025.

A concluding and celebrated evening awards ceremony will be preceded by a performance from the 2025 Grand Champion, Midway Varsity Treble Choir under the direction of Jannifer Rice and the Dallas Baptist University Chorale. Awarded champion of this festival event will be asked to return the following year to perform as the showcased 2026 title holder.

April 23, 2026

**Pilgrim Chapel @
Dallas Baptist University**

\$800

Ensemble Charge

*Recording Engineer with 30+ years of choral
recording experience*

2026 Adjudicators TBD



Please read the following- it's simple & easy with us!

Really *EASY* Ensemble Charge

Just one \$800 charge for each performing choir! This means NO ever-changing student attendance numbers to adjust, NO attendance adjustments deadlines to follow, and NO student reduction penalties! All you need to provide is the number of choirs your school will have. Easy!

Please compare our "Ensemble Charge" against other festivals' "*entry fee + per student*" cost to see how this could be a price savings for your group. The more members in your choir- the less each student needs to contribute if that's how you do it.

One Full Payment when you register, and you're done!

Here's how we do it: Pay the full \$800 ensemble charge amount when you register, for each registered choir. NO percentage payments and multiple payment deadlines that begin immediately after you register. The festival receiving your completed Registration Form + ensemble charge(s) guarantees your performance slot(s) when we are filling the FDV schedule with other choirs. See below if you need to cancel your registration with any choir you registered.

Our Staff

We only operate music festivals: Winter Park Ski-Music Festival & Festival di Voce. No overlapping festivals or travel tours to split our staff. Every member of our staff is on site! This means the very same staff member you work with in the months prior will be present at your festival to serve you. Experience the level of customer service and personal attention that music directors compliment us on time and again!

Scheduling ensembles, Registration, and Payments

Scheduling

Contact the festival office with the performance time that would best fit your choir(s) on April 23, 2026. We will temporarily schedule your choir(s) for a performance slot you choose. This scheduling will become effective once your choir(s) is registered. If the complete registration is not received within 3 weeks after the temporary scheduling, your selected performance slot(s) will become available for other inquiring choirs to receive.

Registration

Registration consists of the festival office receiving the following two items:

- 1) Your properly completed and signed 2026 Festival di Voce Entry Form
- 2) Your full \$800 ensemble charge payment for any number of choirs we temporarily scheduled with you.

We do NOT have a late registration fee for choirs that want and can be scheduled to join us at a late date. Please keep in mind that wanting to join later, may not allow for any, or a desired performance time slot.

Payments and Cancellations

The full ensemble charge payment for each choir you register with is non-refundable unless you cancel your registration(s) with the festival on or before **November 15, 2025**. This gives us time to find or accommodate other choirs wishing to attend. If you cancel by November 15, 2025, we will 100% refund your payment. If you do not cancel by November 15, 2025 and/or do not attend, we do not refund your payment.

Performance Information

Performance Site

Ensembles will perform in the beautiful Pilgrim Chapel located within the Dallas Baptist University campus.

Warm-up and Performance Times

Choral ensembles will receive **20** minutes for each scheduled performance time slot. All ensembles are provided a warm-up area at the performance site for the same amount of time as allowed with performance. The schedule will have built in travel times to the warm-up area as well as to the performance area. The performance time slot includes all stage setup, stage entry, performance, and stage exit.

Classifications

School size classifications are not utilized for the Festival Di Voce event.

Performing Ensemble Categories

The only ensemble types permitted to register for this event are high school varsity level **Mixed Choirs, Tenor/Bass Choirs** and/or **Treble Choirs**. A school may not register more than one choir in each of these three categories. **Each attending school is limited to registering no more than two choirs.** All registered choirs will be recognized as the school's top level/varsity ensemble.

Adjudication

POSITIVE and CONSTRUCTIVE comments are provided by 3 experienced choral music adjudicators. All 3 adjudicators will provide written comments on your ensemble's performance.

Digital Recording

Your performance in this acoustically superior space will be recorded by a professional and experienced choral recording engineer. Your digital recording could be your choir(s)' final and finest recording for honor choir submission, usually due a few days following the festival event.

Performance Attire

Concert attire is suggested for this event's performances and award ceremony.

Award Ceremony

Admission into Dallas Baptist University's Pilgrim Chapel will be allowed at 7:05pm for the festival awards ceremony. The 2026 ceremony will begin with an organ prelude followed by two featured choir performances.

- **Dallas Baptist University Chorale**
- **Midway HS Varsity Treble Choir** (the 2025 Festival di Voce Overall Grand Champion Choir)

Choir Recognition

All performing choirs will be recognized.

Category Recognition

Trophies will be awarded to the Best in Category winners for Mixed Choirs, Tenor/Bass Choirs, and Treble Choirs as selected by the adjudication panel. However- a Best in Category winner will not be selected, and a trophy will not be awarded if less than three choirs are registered within any category. Choirs registered in any category with less than three ensembles, will be eligible for the adjudicators' selection of Overall Recognition winners.

Overall Recognition

Trophies will be awarded to the overall top five choirs as selected by the adjudication panel. Three of these choirs will be awarded an unranked Honorable Mention. One choir will be awarded Overall Reserve Grand Champion. One choir will be awarded Overall Grand Champion.

Legal Notice

Performance date, times and site are subject to change.

Festival di Voce, referred hereafter as "FDV", shall not be held liable for any damages, injuries or harm to persons or property- whether caused by the negligence of any persons, companies, local authorities, FDV providers, and/or FDV leased facilities- unless caused by the proven gross negligence of FDV, its employees, staff or owners. All registered and attending groups, their members, or persons traveling with a group, accept responsibility, when proven responsible, toward property or monetary damages to FDV's equipment, FDV's leased performance facilities and equipment. FDV shall not be held liable for the actions of persons or companies not controlled by the FDV (such as- without limitation- attending music groups, air carriers, bus companies, railways, travel coordinators, along with food, lodging, recreation, performance site and adjudication providers). FDV shall not be liable for any failure or delay in performing its music festival service obligation due to any of the following causes (which events and/or circumstances are hereinafter referred to as "Force Majeure"), to the extent beyond its reasonable control: acts of God, accident, riots, war, terrorist act, epidemic, pandemic, quarantine, civil commotion, breakdown of communication facilities, breakdown of webhost, breakdown of internet service provider, natural catastrophes, governmental acts or omissions, changes in laws or regulations, national strikes, fire, explosion, and generalized lack of availability of raw materials, energy or labor force. FDV shall not be held liable for monetary losses or damages to persons due to Force Majeure. If a dispute arises from or relates to the agreement between parties or the breach thereof, and if the dispute cannot be settled through direct discussions, the parties agree to endeavor first to settle the dispute by mediation administered by the American Arbitration Association under its Commercial Mediation Procedures before resorting to arbitration. The parties further agree that any unresolved controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this contract, or breach thereof, shall be settled by arbitration administered by the American Arbitration Association in accordance with its Commercial Arbitration Rules and judgment on the award rendered by the arbitrator(s) may be entered in any court having jurisdiction thereof. Except as may be required by law, neither a party nor an arbitrator may disclose the existence, content, or results of any arbitration hereunder without the prior written consent of both parties. A group, and/or any individuals authorized to represent a group, can accept, negotiate, or reject specific, or all terms, policies, information, and conditions as published within this Notice, and the 2026 Festival di Voce information, as agreed by both parties, prior to registering a group. All individuals executing the 2026 Festival di Voce Registration Form, for and/or on behalf of a group, are duly appointed and authorized representatives of the registering group, and have read, understand, and willfully accept, and agree to all terms, policies, information, and conditions as published within the 2026 Festival di Voce information, as this Notice is embodied within.

Thank you for your interest!

Festival di Voce

We would appreciate the opportunity to earn your business this year or anytime in the future!

If you have any questions please contact us **(866)625-6821** or at

info@winterparkskimusicfestival.com

www.winterparkskimusicfestival.com



Festival di Voce

2026 Registration Form

Before completing this Registration Form, please contact the festival office at 866-625-6821 to determine if performance slots are available, and to have FDV tentatively schedule performance time(s) for your choir(s). Registration must be received within 3 weeks after tentative scheduling, or performance slots may be released to other interested choirs.

Contact Information

School Name: _____

Director Name(s): _____

School Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Director's Office Phone Number: _____ ext. _____

Director's Cell Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Best Contact Time(s): _____ am _____ pm

Please select the choir(s) and list the performance time(s) you have already scheduled with festival office, to confirm our records match your festival planning. **Only two ensembles per attending school.**

Mixed Choir ____: ____am/pm

Men's Choir ____: ____am/pm

Women's Choir : ____ am/pm

\$800 is the total charge for each choir

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Festival Site & Date

April 23, 2026

Festival di Voce
Dallas Baptist University
Dallas, Texas

Festival di Voce Agreement

The below signed is authorized to register the above school choir in the 2026 Festival di Voce and understands and agrees to all the terms, policies, penalties, and information as provided within the attached 2026 Festival di Voce Information document.

Director's Signature _____

Register

Mail this signed registration form, and a \$800 ensemble charge for *each* scheduled choir, within 3 weeks after scheduling choirs and times, to:

Festival di Voce
P.O. Box 369
Grandview, Texas 76050