



Riverina Central Choir 2021

Senior Division

For the Attention of: Secondary School Principals
Arts Head Teachers and Music Teachers

2021 Riverina Central Choir Senior Division

Riverina Central Choir Senior Division is available to secondary students in years 7 - 12, who enjoy singing, are able to consistently hold a given part in vocal music and demonstrate exemplary rehearsal and performance behaviour.

While participating in rehearsals and performances the choir will be supervised by Department of Education staff. Parents and carers are expected to supervise their own children prior to and following all rehearsals and performances. Students are required to comply with the Core Rules of the Riverina Central Choir.

Names of students wishing to participate are to be given to the school's Arts Head Teacher who will email to Judy Gollasch. Students attend the choir session at South Wagga Public School, on Wednesday 21 April, 4:00pm – 6:00pm. A fee of \$15 per student is to be paid prior to the audition session through South Wagga Public School website 'Make a Payment' tab listing RCC 2021 Audition on the online form.

Choir fees for students accepted after auditioning are \$135 per student covering terms 2, 3 and 4 rehearsals. Fees are to be paid through South Wagga Public School website 'Make a Payment' tab listing RCC 2021 Fees on the online form. Payment of fees must be completed by 19 May 2021.

All students who audition successfully will require the signed approval of their principal to be eligible to participate in the choir. Students who were previously members of the Riverina Central Choir will require the current endorsement of their principal.

Audition results will be sent to students' schools. Students who audition successfully will be required to attend choir sessions from 4:00pm – 6:00pm on each of the following days:

| Term 2, 2021 | Term 3, 2021 | Term 4, 2021 |
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| 21 April (Week 1) Auditions 5 May (Week 3) 19 May (Week 5) 9 June (Week 8) | 21 July (Week 2) 18 August (Week 6) 8 September (Week 9) | 21 October (Week 2) 18 November (Week 6) 9 December (Week 9) |

All choir sessions will be held at South Wagga Public School unless a change is notified in writing by the choir director.

Please ensure this information is made available in your school and a copy of the Parent / Carer Information is provided to any students who may be interested.

School nominations should be emailed to Judy Gollasch by Monday 19 April 2021.

Thank you for your assistance.

Judy Gollasch

Riverina Central Choir Director

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School Nomination Form

2021 Riverina Central Choir Senior Division

Please return form by Monday 19 April 2021 to:

Judy Gollasch

Email: judith.gollasch@det.nsw.edu.au

School: _____ School Phone: _____

School Email: _____

Principal: _____

Contact Teacher (if different to above): _____

Contact Phone: _____ Contact Email: _____

The following students are nominated from our school:

| | Student Name | M/ F | School Year | Age |
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Details regarding any student with a medical condition of which we should be aware: _____

Other comment

2021 Riverina Central Choir Parent / Carer Information

The senior division of Riverina Central Choir is available to students from Years 7 to 12 who enjoy singing, are able to consistently hold a given part in vocal music and demonstrate exemplary rehearsal and performance behaviour. Students attend an audition session and upon selection, at least three rehearsals per term, working on specific vocal and choral techniques and performance repertoire.

Riverina Central Choir participates in various performances within their local area throughout the year. In addition, there is the possibility of selection for participation in state level events which may be taking place during the year.

Names of students wishing to participate are to be given to the school's Arts Head Teacher who will email to Judy Gollasch. Students attend the audition session at South Wagga Public School, on Wednesday 21 March, 4:00pm – 6:00pm where they will be auditioned in small groups. A fee of \$15 per student is to be paid prior to the audition session through South Wagga Public School website 'Make a Payment' tab listing RCC 2021 Audition on the online form.

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Students who audition successfully will need the signed approval of their principal to be eligible to participate in the choir. Students who were previously members of the Riverina Central Choir will require the current endorsement of their principal.

Students will be required to abide by the Core Rules of Riverina Central Choir and attend choir sessions at from 4:00pm – 6:00pm on the following days:

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Riverina Central Choir Core Rules

Members will:

- Comply with instructions given by teachers at all times.
- Attend scheduled rehearsals every day required and be at the program, event or activity on time and prepared to actively participate and learn. Students unable to attend require permission from the choir director.
- Maintain a neat appearance, including adhering to the requirements of the program, event or activities uniform, dress or costume requirements.
- Behave safely, considerately and responsibly, including when travelling to and from the program, event or activity.
- Show respect at all times for program, event or activity coordinators, teachers, other school staff, tutors, and helpers, including following rules specific to the program, event or activity, speaking courteously and cooperating with instructions and learning activities.
- Treat other students and adults involved in the activity with dignity and respect.
- Care for property belonging to themselves, the venue and others.

Consequences for student breaches of the 2021 Riverina Central Choir Core Rules

The directors of the 2021 Riverina Central Choir, in consultation with the relevant school Principal, will deal with any breaches of the rules by imposing appropriate consequences which may include exclusion from the program, event or activities associated with the choir.

Judy Gollasch

Riverina Central Choir Director

School Newsletter Insert:

Riverina Central Choir
2021 Senior Division

Auditions Wednesday
21 April, 4pm – 6pm,
South Wagga Public
School hall.

3 sessions per term.
Forms available from
the school office.