



AWAKE

Association of Wisconsin Area Kodaly Educators
22nd Annual Choral Festival
February 4, 2023 9:00am-3:30pm
Lakeland University, W3718 South Dr, Plymouth, WI 53073

AWAKE is excited to announce that Heidi Wylie will be our guest clinician and conductor for the festival this year. Mrs. Wylie is a singer, vocal instructor and music educator in the Milwaukee area. She holds a bachelor of Music Education degree from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh with an emphasis in Choral Music. Mrs. Wylie taught high school choir in the Milwaukee Public Schools for five years, where she found a passion for teaching beginning singers. Mrs. Wylie began teaching private voice after seeing a large need for private instruction among urban students desiring to major in music who were not afforded the opportunity for a K-12 music education. Wylie Voice Studio has secured funding for over \$7,000 in scholarships since its inception to help students acquire voice training on par with their suburban peers. Her deep love of choral music helps her to understand the unique challenges adolescent students face as choral and solo singers.

Mrs. Wylie is currently a section leader in the Bel Canto Chorus and serves the National Association of Teachers of Singing on two national level committees. She was recently awarded the NATS Emerging Leader Award and named in the top 9 Voice Teachers in Milwaukee by Expertise.com.

Choral music packets will be mailed out in November, along with directions to our website to access rehearsal recordings and director's notes. The 4th-8th grade students you select should represent your most talented and cooperative singers. Please be sure to balance your group with an equal number of students per part. ***Your prompt registration is crucial! We will be able to accommodate a maximum number of 125 students due to space and safety issues. To ensure your students' inclusion and to receive the music in a timely manner all registration materials must be mailed by the October 21st deadline.**

Please see the tentative schedule for the day listed on the registration form. The concert is open to the public and tickets will be available for purchase at the door, \$5 for adult tickets and \$3 for children's tickets. Teachers should plan to have at least one other chaperone/adult in addition to yourself available at all times during the rehearsal that day. Please fill out the registration form and return it with **one check payable to AWAKE** to arrive no later than **October 21st** to:

Brittany Ward
Westlawn Elementary School
W64N319 Madison Ave.
Cedarburg, WI 53012

Health and permission forms must be signed and sent with the registration form.

You can download additional forms and find more information on our website: <https://www.wisconsinkodaly.org> If you have any questions please contact Brittany Ward (awaketreasurer@gmail.com) . You will not regret signing your students up for this exceptional opportunity! We look forward to seeing you in February!

Sincerely,
Brittany Ward
AWAKE treasurer

AWAKE CHILDREN'S CHOIR FESTIVAL

Saturday, February 4, 2023

Lakeland University

REGISTRATION FORM

Due October 21, 2022

Include one check payable to AWAKE with this registration form. To facilitate prompt delivery of music, please register as soon as possible. Please divide your students equally into parts I and II.
(Use as many lines as needed--copy as needed; print or type, this info will be used for the program)

Voice (Part I, Part II)

Student: _____ Grade: _____ Voice: _____
Student: _____ Grade: _____ Voice: _____
Student: _____ Grade: _____ Voice: _____
Student: _____ Grade: _____ Voice: _____
Student: _____ Grade: _____ Voice: _____
Student: _____ Grade: _____ Voice: _____
Student: _____ Grade: _____ Voice: _____

Director's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (H): _____ (W): _____

Email: _____

School Name: _____

Number of **kids** t-shirts: size s _____ size m _____ size l _____

Number of **adult** t-shirts: size s _____ size m _____ size l _____ size xl _____ size xxl _____

Director's shirt: size s _____ size m _____ size l _____ size xl _____ size xxl _____

Number of Adult Lunches: _____ (X \$5) = \$ _____

Number of Director's Music Packets: _____ (X \$15) = \$ _____

Number of Children Attending: _____ (X \$35- AWAKE members or \$45- non-AWAKE members)
= \$ _____

Total enclosed = \$ _____

Mail Registration, Permission and Health forms to:

Brittany Ward

Westlawn Elementary School

W64N319 Madison Ave.

Cedarburg, WI 53012

by October 21, 2022

Tentative Schedule for February 4, 2023

8:30 Registration

9:00 Rehearsal

12:00 Lunch

1:00 Rehearsal for students

2:30 Doors open for concert

3:00 Concert (open to public)

HEALTH FORM

Student: _____ Age: _____ M ___ F ___

Parent(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Insurance Provider: _____

Group #: _____ Subscriber #: _____

Please list below any known allergies or other health conditions:

Contact in case of an emergency (if different from above)

I/We hereby give permission for our son/daughter to be given treatment by a medical professional under advice from a member of AWAKE during the Children's Choir Festival on February 4, 2023.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

STUDENT PERMISSION FORM

AWAKE CHILDREN'S CHOIR FESTIVAL
February 4, 2023
Lakeland University

Student Participation Permission Form:

I hereby give permission for _____ (Student's name, PLEASE PRINT) to participate in the AWAKE Children's Choir Festival to be held at Silver Lake College on February 4, 2023.

I understand the fee of \$35.00 (\$45.00 for students of non-members) will cover lunch, music and other costs incurred by the festival. Students will also receive a t-shirt to wear in our performance on February 4.

Please check the correct size for your child.

My child will need a **kid** size shirt: size s _____ size m _____ size l _____

My child will need an **adult** size shirt: size s _____ size m _____ size l _____ size xl _____ size xxl _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

AWAKE is not responsible for travel arrangements to and from Manitowoc.

Student Release Form

I, _____ (Parent/Guardian name, PLEASE PRINT) agree not to hold The Association of Wisconsin Area Kodaly Educators (AWAKE) or the hosting school district responsible for any injury sustained by my son/daughter during his/her participation in the Choral Festival. I understand that my child may be photographed, audio or videotaped while participating in the Choral Festival. These photographs and recordings may be used in programs or publications for educational and promotional purposes. I therefore release all claims against AWAKE with respect to privacy issues pursuant to Wis. Stat. 895.50, copyright ownership and publication, and any claim for compensation related to the use of these materials.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Scholarship Nomination
2023 AWAKE Choral Festival
AWAKE

An Affiliate Organization of OAKE

The AWAKE Choral Festival Scholarship is for students of AWAKE members who wish to participate in the AWAKE Choral Festival. The scholarship amount will be a maximum of \$35 and awarded on recommendation of the student's music teacher and need of the student.

Choral Event _____ Date of Event _____

Student Name _____

Grade 4 5 6 7 8

Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone _____

E-mail _____

School/Choir name _____

Teacher Name _____

Teacher Address _____

Teacher Phone Number _____

Teacher e-mail _____

OAKE member number _____

Why are you nominating this student for an AWAKE Scholarship? _____

On a separate piece of paper the nominated student needs to answer the following question: **Why do you want to be in the AWAKE Choral Festival?**

Nominating Teacher Signature _____

Mail to: Brittany Ward
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Deadline date: October 21, 2022

Recipients of scholarship awards will be notified: December 2022