



EAST BAY SUMMER YOUTH ENSEMBLE



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Announcements

1. Welcome to our new members and Welcome Back to our returning members! I hope that everything has been well with all of you since last August. We have an exciting season of music and concerts planned for this season. I hope you continue to find our new practice facility here on the Somerset High School Stage to be a comfortable and welcoming setting for us to develop in.
2. Please be sure to sign-in to each rehearsal on the **sign-in sheet** located at the entrance to the auditorium.
3. Please visit our web-site (www.ebswe.org) for current news, updated information, concert performance calendars, driving directions, pictures and our question forum.
4. Our performances this year will be at the **Warren Band Shell** at a date to be announced, another on **Thursday, August 12th** for the **Bristol "Concerts on the Common" Concert Series** and the last for our new **"Night at the Pops" Concert (Tentatively on Friday August, 13th)** at the **Our Lady of Light Band Club Hall in Fall River, MA** that will feature our adult wind ensemble and chorus as well. (More information will be disseminated in the weeks to come). Please remember to bring a wire music stand and clothespins to each concert.
5. **Section Leaders will be given the parts for each section when music is distributed.** (Section Leaders are designated members of the adult ensemble) It is at their discretion who receives what part, but they will be sure to be fair about allowing everyone a chance at 1st parts that wish and are able to play them. This will ensure that our instrumentation is well balanced! Please be patient with this process.
6. This season we will once again be printing out a **program booklet** to be distributed at all concerts. This worked out very well last year and did make us a small profit. We will be selling business and patron advertisements in the program as a fundraiser. Information regarding that fundraiser will be distributed this evening!
7. We are now selling **advertisement placards to be displayed on our equipment trailer.** Each advertising placard is 12"-18" wide x 24"-36" long in size with up to 4 colors and is displayed for 3 years on the trailer for an initial cost of \$300 (renewable for subsequent 3 year periods for \$225). Please see me or visit the web site for Trailer Advertisement Placard Flyers which include purchase information.
8. Finally, I am also very happy to announce that once again the **THE EAST BAY SUMMER CHORUS** will be rehearsing here at Somerset High School! Last year the group had a fabulous first season and is currently looking for more members to join them for their second season. Once again, **Mr. Richard Sylvia sylvia@somerset.k12.ma.us** will be directing the ensemble. I believe that a large following of high school and community singers will be interested in the group. Rehearsals for the EBSC will also take place on the stage/auditorium at **Somerset High School**, but on **Friday evenings from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.** and have already begun as of last week. We hope to have the same diversity in the chorus that we boast with EBSWE in that its membership will consist of vocalists of all ages and backgrounds! The registration fee for the group is \$35, but will be reduced to \$20 for active EBSWE members that are interested in performing with both groups!
9. **Tonight's Rehearsal Order:**
 1. The Planets
 2. Journey Medley
 3. Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull
 4. Fall River Overture



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Mission Statement: *To provide community musicians (amateur, student and professional) with a quality summer music experience while providing first-rate traditional and contemporary band music performances to neighboring communities.*