

LASSITER CHORAL BOOSTER ASSOCIATION

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Dear Lassiter Chorus Parents,

The Lassiter Choral Booster Association (LCBA) would like to extend a special welcome to all students and families who have decided to be a part of the Lassiter Chorus. We are very delighted that you all have chosen to be a part of this wonderful organization. The Lassiter Chorus program continues to grow in numbers each year, and our students will be able to take advantage of numerous opportunities this year due in large part to the tremendous level of support from LCBA.

LCBA would like for you to consider providing your financial support in order to make a difference in your child's chorus experience. **When a family joins LCBA, each family receives a round chorus magnet and one free uniform t-shirt (for memberships turned in before August 16)**. Each chorus student in the family also receives a certain number of letter points, depending on the membership level joined, which go toward earning a varsity letter in chorus. In addition to these gifts, each family joining at the **Gold or Platinum level** receives 4 – 6 reserved seats at chorus concerts, depending on the level joined. As an added celebration of our seniors, each senior of an LCBA membership family receives a free Lassiter Chorus symbol painted on their driveway, per their family's permission. Otherwise, there is a \$25 fee for this honored driveway art.

Why should your family join LCBA? Even though Cobb County does provide the very basic funds to run a chorus program, our largest funding source for the Lassiter Chorus each year is YOUR annual LCBA Membership Donation. During this 2019-2020 school year, the financial support of the LCBA will enable our students to:

- Have free transportation to a Braves game
- Enjoy paid accompanist support and recording services at all performances
- Have new choral sheet music for training and rehearsals
- Enjoy professional and keepsake quality programs for every concert
- Participate in recruitment with local middle schools
- Defray travel and hotel costs for our All State honorees in Athens
- Receive a free lunch at Large Group Performance Evaluations
- Enjoy reduced price tickets for the Year End Banquet
- Compete for two \$500 senior scholarships
- Receive end of the year student awards for achievement (trophies, certificates, plaques)

The vast majority of choral students find that singing with the Lassiter Chorus is the highlight of their day. Please join today by completing the attached **annual membership form** or by going to the website and join with the added convenience of PAYPAL. Also make sure to check whether your company will match your gift. Your donation will make a direct impact on the success of your child and the success of the entire Lassiter Chorus. Our goal is to have all **annual membership forms and dues turned in by August 16, 2019**.

Please feel free to email me if you have any questions. Don't forget to visit our chorus website at www.lassiterchorus.com. Thank you in advance for your continued support!

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