BWS CHOIR and AUDITIONS



The Choir at Bishop's is one of the school's most active clubs. It is made up of pupils from across the whole age range – roughly twelve per academic year.

On **Tuesday 6th September**, from 12:50 to 13:30, new boys will have the opportunity to attend an informal Workshop and Audition session for the School Choir. I hope that all interested boys will attend this event. They should report to the main school yard at 12:45.

Auditions are for approximately 12 places; the Workshop will be fun and the audition painless – please don't be shy! Successful candidates will be notified at **16:00 on the same day.** A list will be posted on the CHOIR noticeboard located outside the Chapel Block

If your son is successful, he should attend Choir practice at 08.25 on **Wednesday 7**th **September.** Unsuccessful boys will kept on a reserve list and may re-audition at a later stage.

Rehearsals take place as follows – attendance is compulsory. Boys must always see me if they have a clash of interests on a particular day.

| Monday | 0830-0920 | Year 7 (Trebles) |
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| | 1600-1700 | Full Choir |
| Wednesday | 0830-0920 | Sectionals and Full Choir |
| Thursday | 0830-0920 | Full choir |

Regular Activities

School concerts: Public concerts: Speech Day: Evensongs: Carol Service and Founder's Day in the Cathedral: Trips in the UK and Europe. In 2023 there will be a choir trip, destination TBC.

Recent Activities

Mozart Requiem (<u>Bishop Wordsworths Choir & friends - Mozart Requiem</u>); Haydn Creation with Gabrieli Roar; Evensongs (Salisbury & Winchester); Jubilee Celebrations, Salisbury; Carol Service in Salisbury Cathedral; regular concerts in St. Martin's and St. Thomas' churches.

If you have any queries, please contact me at school by e-mail at <u>Ide@bishopwordsworths.org.uk</u> or telephone 01722 333851.

Please complete this form by Friday 15th July <u>https://forms.gle/xBFmBL3bhhFtcTCq7</u> if your son would like to attend.

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