

South Dakota Arts Council

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Project Grant Application

Before completing the application, please read pages 133-134 for grant guidelines, pages 8-10 for Artistic Documentation, and pages 11-12 for the Glossary. Make a copy of the entire application packet for your files before submitting.

RAPID CITY RECREATION DEPARTMENT 46-6000-380
Applicant Organization (Please type or print) TIN Number

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RAPID CITY CHILDREN'S CHORUS, LTD
Project Title

Grant Application Codes (see Pages 13-16): Applicant Status _____ Applicant Institution <u>02</u> Applicant Discipline <u>06</u> Project Discipline <u>02</u> Type of Activity <u>C</u> Arts Education <u>05/29</u> Project Descriptors <u>01 A</u> Project Race <u>W/99</u> Grantee Race <u>99</u>	Project Period: _____ Grant Amount requested: <u>\$3,000</u>
	Start Date <u>July 1, 2005</u>
	End Date <u>June 30, 2006</u> Total Budget: <u>\$103,519</u>
	Date(s) of Project Event(s) <u>7/3, 8/20, 11/6, 12/4</u> <u>4/13-15, b 5/9 6/2-5</u>
	Number of Individuals to Benefit: <u>4-5,000</u>
	Number of Children and Youth to Benefit: <u>1500+</u>
	Number of Artists Participating: <u>170</u>

Application Summary: The Rapid City Children's Chorus will begin its 19th Season with a busy summer performing and fund-raising in preparation for a local Choral Festival in 2006 and a Pacific Rim Festival in July, 2006. Some adjustments have been made in this past year...our Artistic Director, Gloria Harrison, stepped down to take on a new position with the Chorus (Education and Development Director) and Ann Deckert assumed the Artistic Director position. Shar Dambowy was employed as a new Assistant Director.

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AGREEMENT: I certify that the application information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand and agree that any funds granted as a result of this application are to be used for the purposes set forth herein. It is agreed that the undersigned is the individual authorized to commit the applicant to abide by the relevant Terms, Conditions and Guidelines as printed in the SDAC Guide To Grants. In addition, the undersigned gives SDAC permission to duplicate submitted documentation for use in the grant review process.

Authorizing Official: _____
Signature & Title Date

Address City/Town Zip Telephone

With increased activities in providing opportunities for members to earn monies toward traveling costs, it became necessary to add Mark Schoenborn to the staff to help keep choral member accounts up-to-date.

We are in the process of setting up a Web site for the Chorus on Choral Net, and we are in the beginning stages of keeping our parents informed through e-mail and re-establishing our news letter.

Recruiting for new members is done through information mailed to area music personnel (as well as complimentary tickets to performances) and concerts presented at 5-6 elementary schools each spring. We are in the planning stages of hosting an area elementary choral day with, possibly, choral conducting classes for elementary music specialists.

Dates have been set, June 1-3, 2006, for an Upper Midwest Choral Festival in Rapid City. We are hoping to attract choirs who may not, financially, be able to travel to distant events for this kind of exposure and experience for their singers.

We look forward to two financial fund-raising events which are becoming more successful each year: "The Taste" has attracted more than 30 food vendors and over 1200 ticket purchasers this past year. We have joined with the Downtown Lions Club in offering a weekend "Pancake Feed" to benefit both groups in providing funds for youth programs.

This past year, we have commissioned Dr. Steven Yarbrough (USD) to write selections for the Chorus to perform on our state-wide concert tour. We continue to search out South Dakota composers and musicians to enhance the repertoire and experience of our choral members.

In August of each year, we hold a music camp for our chorus members. It is a 4 day camping experience which enables the staff to help bond members and intensive instruction in choral behavior, techniques and repertoire.

Description of organization and resumes of staff are recorded in the Program Book included.

BUDGET INFORMATION

RAPID CITY RECREATION DEPARTMENT RAPID CITY CHILDREN'S CHORUS, Ltd.

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Round all amounts to the nearest dollar. (Additional budget information may be submitted on an additional sheet of paper.)

EXPENSES	Cash Expenses	In-Kind Contributions
A. Personnel Administrative (Number of Positions <u>4</u>)	7,000.00	3,000.00
Artistic (Number of Positions <u>4</u>)	10,500.00	
Outside Artistic Fees and Services <u>Musicians</u>	3,500.00	
Other Outside Fees and Services <u>Music/Taping Vendors</u>	5,300	9,000.00
B. Space Rental <u>Dak. ARC, Cano, CC</u>	10,800.00	6,500.00
C. Travel (Mileage <u>Confer, Meals</u>)	9,000.00	2,000.00
D. Marketing <u>Ads, Book, TV 7 Radio</u>	5,900.00	2,500.00
E. Remaining Operating Expenses <u>Insurance-1500, Web 1000, Of. Sup. 1619, Schol. 1400, Con. Exp 4,000, Uniform 5,000 Fund Raising 14,000</u>	28,519.00	
F. Total Cash Expenses (A through E)	80,519.00	
G. Total In-Kind Contributions (A through E)		23,000.00
H. Total Expenses (Total of F and G)	103,519.00	

INCOME	Income
I. Admissions <u>Regis/Concerts</u>	38,000.00
J. Contracted Services Revenue	
K. Other Revenue (Please specify) <u>Fund Rais. 24,175</u> <u>Program Book 2,425.00</u> <u>Taste 12,119.00</u>	38,719.00
L. Cash Support Corporate _____ Foundation _____ Other Private <u>private</u>	500.00
M. Government Support City/County _____ Regional/State _____ Federal _____ Other SDAC Grant(s) _____	
N. Applicant Cash (See page 12) <u>Interest</u>	300.00
O. Total Applicant Cash Income (I through N)	77,519.00
P. Grant Amount Requested from SDAC (No more than 50% of Total Cash Expenses from F above)	3,000.00
Q. Total Cash Income (O and P)	80,519.00
R. Total In-Kind Contributions (Same as G above)	23,000.00
S. Total All Income (Total of Q and R should equal H above)	103,519.00