



WELCOME TO STATES!

Dear Directors,

Let me be the first to welcome you to the 2027 West Virginia State Show Choir Festival, hosted at Robert C. Byrd High School in Clarksburg! We are already beginning preparations for a great festival with top-notch adjudicators from around the country.

The paperwork has been revamped with hopes of an easier registration process for you! The **Director's Packet** is paperwork that is absolutely REQUIRED. It includes group information, riser configuration, instrumental ensemble, copyright release agreement, and student verification forms.

Other forms include:

- Featured Vocal Soloist Form*
- Instrumental Soloist Form*
- 2027 Honor Show Choir Application
- 2027 WV State Show Choir Festival Ad Form*

*NOTE: The Featured Vocal Soloist and Instrumental Soloist Forms are now on a Google Form. You can input any and all soloists from your show that you would like considered for an award. The ad form for the State Festival program will also be in a Google Form format. Both are available on the WVVMA website.

Important Dates to Remember:

- November 15, 2026 - Registration Form DUE along with \$300 registration fee per ensemble and a copy of your NAFME membership.
- February 5, 2027 - Director's Packet and Soloist Entries DUE
- February 19, 2027 - Honor Show Choir Application DUE
- February 20, 2027 - Deadline to withdraw without penalty
- February 26, 2027 - All program ads submitted via Google form and payment postmarked by this date.
- March 19, 2027 - Groups wishing to unload early may do so after 5:30 PM.
- March 20, 2027 - The 2027 WV State Show Choir Festival

I am so honored to serve as your chairperson, and I encourage you to reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns. I want you and your students to have an enjoyable experience!

Sincerely,

Mady McNemar-Rhodes, WV State Show Choir Festival Chair 26'-27'