

# Join the BHMS Choirs for a *Great 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Year!*



Dear Future BHMS Bobcat:

You are invited to take an exciting elective in 6<sup>th</sup> Grade at Bernardo Heights Middle School! Whether you love to sing or have always wanted to learn, **CHOIR is the place for you!**

## Why take choir?

Choir is Fun! We spend our classes singing, learning how to read music, making friends, and playing musical games.

Go Cool Places: The BHMS Choirs go on awesome field trips – to festivals, workshops, to sing at a Padres game, and even amusement parks!

Sing Great Music: You will learn to sing a wide variety of music – from classical and jazz to pop and world music, even songs from Broadway shows or movies you love!

You Become A Member of Our Team: Over 300 kids take choir each year at BHMS – some have been singing their whole lives, others are learning for the first time! There's a place for everyone in the choir!

Make Friends: Choir is a great way to meet kids from other schools and make new friends.

Be A Part Of Excellence: The BHMS Choirs are award-winning groups. It feels awesome to be a part of something great, and we know how to have fun doing it!



## How do I sign up?

When your 5<sup>th</sup> grade teacher gives you your Course Request Form for 6<sup>th</sup> Grade, mark "Chorus" as your first choice! No audition necessary.

**Visit [www.bhmschoirs.org](http://www.bhmschoirs.org) for more information or  
to see videos of the BHMS Choirs!**

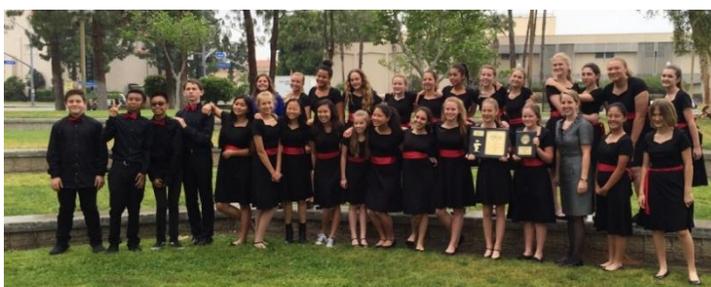
*“Choir is a really special elective because you need absolutely no talent or prior musical experience to be successful and have fun. We all learn together, build our own talents, and leave as a much-improved team. If you enjoy any type of singing or music at all, you should definitely consider joining choir. It’s a chance to be part of something amazing.” – Olive B, 7<sup>th</sup> Grader*

(member of ASB/Best Buddies/Musical Theater Club, CYT, NYA award recipient, member of Advanced Choir)



*“I love choir because it's like a big family. You get to know people while doing one of my favorite things. It's amazing to go to concerts after you've learned all your songs and see how much you've progressed since when you first got your music.” – Jade T, 8<sup>th</sup> Grader*

(volleyball player, member of CJSF/Leadership, voice student, guitar player, member of Advanced Choir)



*“Speaking from personal experience, [chorus] is an extremely fun class! The teacher, Mrs. Miles, is very nice and makes learning music fun and easy! In choir, you learn to sing together as one, and make strong friendships with classmates. Choir has made me a more confident person, and it's a must-have class at BHMS.”*

*– Taylor Y, 7<sup>th</sup> Grader (Musical Theater Club, straight-A student, member of Advanced Choir)*



*“Choir is one of the best experiences I’ve had in middle school.” – Ryan B, 8<sup>th</sup> Grader*

*“Choir is **non-stop fun** in a good learning environment with an amazing teacher!” – Benjamin B, 7<sup>th</sup> Grader*  
(soccer player, piano student, choir member)