



Why Support Tapestry Singers?

Tapestry Singers is a local community chorus located in the beautiful midcoast Maine region, with rehearsals and performances in the Newcastle/Damariscotta area. Our organization exists to achieve the following goals:

- To promote the performance and enjoyment of choral music, where community members may rehearse and perform under professional leadership;
- To bring **affordable** live choral music performances to community audiences; (tickets are just \$15, and students attend for free)
- To foster interest in and understanding of choral music in the general public and among students in the community. Local high school students receive scholarships to sing with the adult group.

Director Beth Preston is well-known for her skill in coaching amateur groups to sing at a high level. (See her bio on other side.) The 60+ singers in Tapestry Singers pay a modest dues for the privilege of singing. The group also provides an annual cash prize to several local students who demonstrate outstanding musical talent and potential.

We rely on the support of community members and local businesses to help us achieve our goals. Tapestry Singers is a Maine nonprofit corporation and a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

***Beth Preston** holds a Bachelor of Music Education from Brigham Young University, and a Masters of Music in Vocal Pedagogy from the University of Southern Maine. She was named Distinguished Choral Director of the Year by the membership of Maine ACDA and Teacher of the Year for Maine Music Educator's District III.*

Ms. Preston directs the award-winning Lincolnaires Chamber Choir at Lincoln Academy and teaches private voice lessons in her home studio. She has provided the vocal coaching for Heartwood Regional Theater Company's musical theater productions.

"I aspire to help singers find the clear, resonant sound that is the core of their voice. We work to discover free and healthy ways to hook into breath energy, easy onset of tone, and clear understanding of text for optimal expression. Our Monday night rehearsals are filled with energy and good fun as we work to prepare the music. Tapestry Singers' audiences have come to expect something out of the ordinary, new music to challenge their sensibilities, and familiar tunes that are interestingly arranged. My goal is to inspire both singers and listeners so we can be woven in song."

Tapestry Singers Sponsorship Opportunities 2019-2020

**Winter Concert: December 14 & 15, 2019 at St. Patrick's Church, Newcastle*

**Spring Concert: June 6 & 7, 2020 at St. Patrick's Church, Newcastle*

Full Season Sponsor (December and June), \$1500

Full Season Sponsor Benefits:

- Back page full color ad (\$125 value) in our Tapestry Singers concert programs;
- Recognition and logo as a Season Sponsor on our Tapestry Singers website (<http://www.tapestrysingersmaine.org/>) and Facebook home page;
- Your logo included on our Tapestry Singers concert posters;
- Concert press release including sponsor recognition;
- Two complimentary tickets to each of four concerts (\$60 value);
- Verbal thank you to our season sponsors at the beginnings of concerts;
- Onstage recognition to any sponsor representatives attending the concerts;
- Sponsor-provided promotional material in foyer at concerts.

Concert Sponsor (December or June), \$1000

Concert Sponsor Benefits:

- Full page color ad (\$100 value) inside our Tapestry Singers concert programs;
- Recognition as Concert Sponsor on our Tapestry Singers website (<http://www.tapestrysingersmaine.org/>) and Facebook home page;
- Logo on sponsored concert posters;
- Concert press release including Sponsor recognition;
- Two complimentary tickets to each of two concerts (\$30 value);
- Verbal thank you as Concert Sponsor at the beginnings of concerts;
- Onstage recognition to Concert Sponsor representatives attending the concerts;
- Sponsor-provided promotional material in foyer at sponsored concerts.