

Dear Choir Families,

Sept. 2006

This letter is in regard to our costs this year for our choir programs. Please respond to the following: Thank you...Mrs. W

The girls in Advanced Choir have selected a new Malibu look with a black chiffon layered dress with a shaped empire bodice trimmed with Twilight gold sequins. Cost **\$164.00** In December we would like to add a flowing floor length skirt. Cost: **\$84.00** Beige character shoes can be ordered if needed @\$19 per pair

The guys in Advanced Choir have a new fitted look with long laped vests, ( some matching the twilight Malibu theme)

Black patent shoes \$28 **Bow tie \$3.18 White pleated shirt \$12.67= \$15.85 for set**  
Tux slacks: **\$28.10 Tux Jacket: \$62.54 Black Vest: \$45.00 = \_\_\_\_\_**

Gold Vest **\$52.50** Ryan, Jeremy, Dennis & Ross will wear gold

**(It is not necessary to purchase a new tux. Last year's will work fine!)**

To assist with the costs choir members have the following options: Indicate which works best for you.

- \_\_\_ Bruster 2 for 1 Books \$10 each \$5.00 profit, \$5.00 Sept 16<sup>th</sup> Macy's Cards \_\_\_
  - \_\_\_ Find a business sponsor. In return they are listed in our program for the year. Ads must be print ready.
  - \_\_\_ Write a check to BHSN as soon as possible. Full amount is due upon delivery.
  - \_\_\_ Make a down payment deposit of **\$82** right away and **\$82** upon delivery of dress.
  - \_\_\_ **Make a down payment now and combine with chosen sales below**
  - \_\_\_ Abell Holiday Wreath/Swag/candle Ring Sale in November for early Dec. delivery
  - \_\_\_ Candle sale.....High quality, sold last year @ \$7.00 each.... late Oct. delivery
  - \_\_\_ Marsh/Kroger gift cards \_\_\_\_\_ (amount) denominations \_\_\_ How often? 5% profit.
  - \_\_\_ Sell ads for our printed programs. Businesses I can contact \_\_\_\_\_
- This can be any business person you can contact ie. Hairdresser, grocery, business you work for. These ads vary from full page, half page, quarter page and business card \$50-\$250. See separate sheet. It is a great way for them to advertise.
- \_\_\_ Purchase or sell Cougar scrubs or boxers that we have in stock \$10 each

*Our choir program at North has made strong and positive statement to the Bloomington Community over these past several years by our product, our energy and our vocal presence. Our diversity, our music material surely is what we celebrate. I do not want to deny anyone the opportunity to be in our choir program because of financial problems Our current choral costs are @\$45 per student. This pays for Mrs. Schoch's assistance (\$6.00 per hour), varsity letters, awards and recognition at the end of the year, extra postage, printed programs, snacks at extra events, stage special effects and décor, cabaret needs... these are some of the places where we use extra dollars.*

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Choral student's name \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact- e-mail address or phone(best time to call) \_\_\_\_\_