

**Eastern Shore Choral Director's Association  
Junior All-Shore 2013**

Dear Directors,

This year, we are cutting back on unnecessary paperwork by posting all forms and information on the ESCDA website, [www.escda.org](http://www.escda.org). Below, you will find all deadlines and responsibilities of directors.

1. Fill out the CHORAL DIRECTOR'S CONTACT INFORMATION FORM and send it to Amy Martin at [amartin@tcps.k12.md.us](mailto:amartin@tcps.k12.md.us) or do it online at \_\_\_\_.
2. Access the audition piece with recordings, a capella piece (The Water is Wide) with recordings on the website. You are responsible for helping your potential nominees learn the music. You are also responsible for effectively teaching sight-reading strategies, as that is an integral portion of the audition.
3. PRE-AUDITION YOUR STUDENTS. Do not allow students to attend auditions if he/she is unprepared.
4. Fill out the All-Shore Choral Audition Nomination Form and send to Amy via email.
5. Send a SCHOOL CHECK for \$50 to Amy Martin at:  
SMMHS  
200 Seymour Road  
St. Michael's, Maryland 21663
6. PRINT the All-Shore Choral Agreement form. Have everyone necessary sign it. Send it to Amy prior to auditions (preferred) or have the student take it to auditions. Students will not be permitted to audition without it.
7. You will be an audition judge unless otherwise notified. YOU MUST BE AT AUDITIONS.
8. When notified of audition results, collect \$35 from each student who made it. If using a check, have the parent make it out to YOUR school then ask for ONE SCHOOL CHECK made out to ESCDA. Send it to Amy at SMMHS.
9. Once you receive the rest of the music, work with your students to learn it and MEMORIZE it.
10. Make sure your students are award of the concert attire. Make sure they are prepared for All-Shore.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

Oct. 11<sup>th</sup>- Director's Info due

Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>- Audition Nominations and \$25 school check due

February 8<sup>th</sup> at North Dorchester Middle School: Auditions

April 10<sup>th</sup> at Easton High School: All-Shore Event

Hopefully, this letter clarifies what is expected of you in order to make All-Shore 2013 successful.

Thank You,  
Amy L. Martin  
All-Shore Chair