Alexandria
1970 CHORAL SOCIETY 2020

50TH ANNIVERSARY SEASON

Dear ACS community,

It is with heavy hearts that the Board of Directors has made the difficult decision to cancel the remainder of the 50th Anniversary Season of The Alexandria Choral Society. This includes all rehearsals and the May ACS concert. Considering the respiratory nature of our artform, how infectious COVID-19 is, and our duty to protect our musicians and patrons to the best of our ability, we believe this is the best decision for our community.

Please stay tuned for further information regarding our April Pro Coro Alexandria concerts.

During this time of need, please consider supporting our local and arts non-profit communities in the following ways:

- ACT for Alexandria: ACT and the City of Alexandria established the ACT Now COVID-19 Response Fund to provide emergency funding to nonprofits that are delivering the critical services and programs that are needed by Alexandrians right now. Now is the time for all of us to come together to support those in need and to contribute to the vitality and health of our community. Please contribute generously.

- Performing Arts Alliance Advocacy Campaign: As Congress and the Administration consider new forms of economic assistance, artists and performing arts groups can join with others in the arts and nonprofit sectors to speak up to ensure that relief will meet all community needs. As opportunities for federal relief do become available, your elected officials will likely be key partners in helping our arts community in gaining access. Click here to write or submit a pre-written letter to your elected officials.

Please know the ACS Board of Directors and Staff will be working hard to plan future events such as our annual Spring2ACTion online fundraiser, prepare for our Annual Meeting, planning opportunities for our community to get together and sing over the summer, developing supplemental rehearsal materials for members and prospective singers, as well as a handful of other ongoing projects. If you would like to take this opportunity to become more engage in the management of the Society, please let us know.

Please direct all questions to alexandriachoralsociety@gmail.com.

We wish you and yours well as we all face this time of uncertainty together.

Musically,

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