



# The Chorus Line

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Summer 2014

## Congratulations to the 2014 Chorus Scholarship Recipients



♪ Juliana Lee ♪ Nathan Whitley ♪ Mimi Walker ♪ Julia Phillips ♪

### Parent Meeting

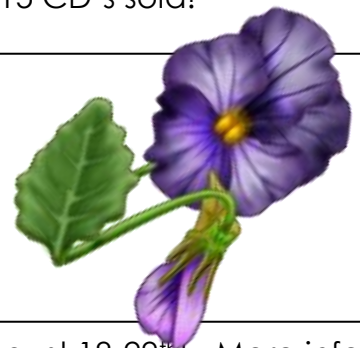
Monday, August 18<sup>th</sup>  
DHS Cafeteria  
7 p.m.

Find out about next year's  
fundraisers!

Pansy Sales **SCRIP** ~~CANDY~~ **RADA**  
**ALL NEW\*\*Brochure sales:**  
**CANDY**  
**& TURVIS TUMBLERS**

**WANT TO SEE  
PICS OF CHOIRS  
IN ACTION (OR  
SILLINESS?)  
ACCESS THE  
SHUTTERFLY  
ACCOUNT  
DECATURHIGHCHOR  
US.SHUTTERFLY.COM  
PW: sing**

CD/DVD pre-order was  
a success! 42 DVD's &  
15 CD's sold!



Pansy Sales will be August 18-29<sup>th</sup>! More info  
available at the Aug. 18<sup>th</sup> meeting.

# GREECE!!

## SPRING TRIP PAYMENT POLICY FOR GREECE MARCH 19 -28, 2015

- Initial Deposit of \$300 is Due on or before September 1, 2014
- Initial Deposit is Non-refundable and Non Transferrable after September 1, 2014
- All Cancellations must be received in writing prior to September 1, 2014 deadline.
- December 16, 2014 is a "use it or lose it" date. Any student with a balance of less than \$1500 on December 16, 2014 forfeits all monies. However, the funds may be transferred to a "new" student. New Student is defined as someone not already having made any payment on the trip.
- As of December 16, 2014 all monies paid on each student account becomes non-refundable
- Full payment must be received by February 1, 2015. Failure to have all monies paid by this date will result in cancellation of your student's space and any money already paid will not be refunded and cannot be transferred to another student.
- If a student must cancel after December 16, 2014 (having greater than \$1500 balance), that student may transfer any money paid to a "new" student. This cannot be a student already booked on the trip. In other words, this "new" student must be a student who will take the place of the student who is cancelling. This request must be submitted in writing. NO transfers of funds will be allowed after February 1, 2015.
- Regardless of when a student cancels, all fundraising money is nonrefundable but can and is transferable subject to the terms and conditions above.
- If the director removes a student from the trip, for any reason, then all funds will be refunded (except funds generated through fundraising.)
- To receive a refund for any overpayment you must submit a request for refunds in writing to the treasurer before the end of the school year in which the trip was taken. You may find a link to the forms under the "forms" tab on the chorus website.

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### Greece Payment Schedule

May 1, 2014	\$300	October 1, 2014	\$300
June 1, 2014	\$300	November 1, 2014	\$300
July 1, 2014	\$300	December 1, 2014	\$300
August 1, 2014	\$300	January 1, 2015	\$300
Sept. 1, 2014	\$300	February 1, 2015	REMAINING BAL.

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**GREECE TRIP!!!!**  
**TOUR INCLUDED FEATURES**

- ROUNDTRIP AIR FROM HUNTSVILLE TO ATHENS
- 4 NIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS IN ATHENS
- BREAKFAST DAILY AND MOST DINNERS WHILE IN ATHENS
- ALL SIGHTSEEING WHILE IN ATHENS
  - CONCERT IN ATHENS
- 5 DAY/4 NIGHT CRUISE TO THE GREEK ISLANDS AND TURKEY INCLUDING ALL MEALS AND SHORE EXCURSIONS
  - TRIP INSURANCE

## 2014-15 Calendar

### August 2014

- 7 First Day for Students (Thursday)
- 18 Pansy Sale Begins
- 18 Chorus Parents Meeting @ 7 p.m. in Cafeteria
- 29 Pansy Sale ends (no late orders)

### September 2014

- 2 All State money due .
- 2 Tervis Tumbler/Candy Brochure Sale Begins
- 4 Chorus Fee/Field Trip Permission/Drug Testing Consent Form/Online Biographical Info Due
- 18 Talent Show Auditions
- 23 Tervis Tumbler/Candy Brochure Money/Orders Due

### October 2014

- 1 Belk Charity Fundraiser Ticket Sale (100% profit)
- 1 Candy Sale Begins
- 1 - RADA Knife Sale
- 3 Talent Show During School Day
- 3 Pansy Sale pickup at Delano Park TBA Time if you've ordered
- 25 Ole Miss Chorus Contest - Chamber Chorus Only Oxford Mississippi

### November 2014

- TBA All City Music Festival (Chamber Chorus Only and selected Concert Chorus) Decatur Baptist Church Rehearsal All Day Concert @ 6:00 p.m.
- 20 All State Auditions, Mayfair Church of Christ Church, Huntsville during school day

### December 2014

- 2 Oak Park Christmas Concert (Chamber Chorus Only) 6:00 p.m.
- 10 Civitan Performance Concert and Chamber Choruses, 12 p.m., First Methodist Church
- 11 & 12 Christmas Concert Dress Rehearsal (During School Day) (All Choirs)
- 14 Christmas Concert (All Choirs) 2:30 p.m. First Baptist Church
- 18 Lights of Love Tree Lighting Decatur General (Chamber Choir Only) 5:00 p.m. Arrive Decatur General
- 19 Last Day for Students before Christmas Break

### January 2015

- 7 First Day for Students
- 19 Schools closed

### February 2015

- 16 Schools Closed President's Day

### March 2015

- TBA State Choral Festival TBA Location
- 19 - 28 Greece Trip
- 23-27 Spring Break Schools Closed

### April 2015

- 9-11 All State Chorus Samford University, Birmingham

### May 2015

- 3 Spring Concert, All Choruses, First Baptist Church, 123 Church Street, Decatur 2:30 p.m.
- 14 Chamber Chorus Auditions Beginning @ 3:30 p.m. in Chorus Room
- 17 Baccalaureate - Volunteer to Sing
- 19 Developmental Center Graduation - Volunteer to Sing -- During 2nd exam of the day

### Greece Trip Participants

After September 1, 2014, all payments are nonrefundable and nontransferable

You still have time to sign up to go!

Please check your

CHARMSoffice.com account (school code is DecaturHSChoir – this is cAsE SenSitiVe!) to see your balance.

Email for your password!

**Greece participants are required to log on and update their info**

### Thank You Spring Volunteers!

Leslie Whitley 🎵 Missi Cranston  
Sara Henderson 🎵 Susan Neil  
Ellen Davis 🎵 Sue Powell  
Leigh Ann Underwood  
Tony Bell 🎵 Farris Bell  
Angie Cushing 🎵 Kim Joiner  
Leigh Ann Blankenship  
Debbie Smith 🎵 Sherry Abadie  
Tonya Jackson 🎵 Diana Clemons  
Melinda Baker 🎵 Tammy Locklear  
Julie Cochran 🎵 Lainie Hall  
Susan Bedsole 🎵 Sharon Cater  
Bonnie Hurst 🎵 Karen Moore  
Jonna Owens-Lee  
Lucinda Burchel 🎵 Kati Davis  
Lynn Ray 🎵 John Henderson  
Tom Hall 🎵 Chad Burns  
Robin Limbaugh 🎵 George Brown  
Andrea Baker 🎵 Tonya Herda  
Nancy Petersen 🎵 Bill Whitley

**We couldn't do it without you!!**