

# LAKESHORE CHORALE CHAMBER ACCOMPANIST Part Time

#### **About Lakeshore Chorale**

Lakeshore Chorale, Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that consists of one adult choir and three youth choirs that perform a wide variety of choral literature throughout each five-concert season that runs from September through May each year. Lakeshore Chorale offers the opportunity for continuing musical education and enjoyment for performers, audience, and the community. Quality music for the whole family – music for life!

The mission of Lakeshore Chorale is to establish and maintain a tradition of choral excellence through the performance of significant choral literature and offer people the opportunity for artistic growth within choral ensembles.

### **Position Overview**

Under the direction of the Lakeshore Youth Chorale (LYC) Chamber Conductor, this position accompanies LYC Chamber Choir, made up mostly of high school students. This position reports directly to the Chamber Conductor and also to the Lakeshore Chorale Board of Directors (BOD). This position is expected to attend all rehearsals (typically Tuesday nights), dress rehearsals and concerts. Lakeshore Chroale's season runs September to May. The concerts involving LYC are in October, December and April.

### **Position Responsibilities**

- Accompany all LYC Chamber rehearsals, both regular and special as scheduled
- Accompany all LYC Chamber concerts, both regular and special as scheduled
- Commitment to regular practice to enhance playing skills and proficiency
- Be accountable directly to LYC Chamber Conductor as immediate supervisor and then to the Lakeshore Chorale BOD
- Be accountable for personnel matters to the President of the Lakeshore Chorale BOD
- Participate in meetings for planning and other matters as requested
- Participate in visioning for the future of the LYC in partnership with others as requested

# Qualifications

Required: Relevant degree or equivalent combination of education and experience

# Preferred:

- Experience and education necessary to be proficient and skilled in playing the accompaniments on the instruments provided
- Willingness to work with students with various ages and abilities
- Proficient sight reading skills
- Well versed in many musical styles
- Excellent organizational skills

- Ability to stand or sit for long periods of time
- Evident love and appreciation of music

#### Interview/Audition

During interview candidate will present prepared piano repertoire (memorization not required) and sight read an open score choral octavo. Candidate will work with Chamber Conductor to demonstrate ability to follow conductor while playing.

### Compensation

The position of Lakeshore Youth Chorale Chamber Accompanist is part-time, paid as an independent contractor. The position is paid for the job, not by the hours worked. Compensation is based on skills and qualifications for the positions, length of service, and salary range deemed appropriate for the position.

# **HOW TO APPLY**

Please apply by submitting the following materials via mail or email:

- Resume
- Cover Letter
- Either 2 letters of recommendation or 3 references

The deadline to apply is Friday, April 19th

#### Email:

lakeshorechoraleboard@gmail.com

## Mail:

Lakeshore Chorale PO Box 36 Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085

# Join us for a Concert!

If you're interested in hearing what we're all about, please consider joining us for one of our upcoming concerts. The Lakeshore Youth Chorale is celebrating their 30th Anniversary with their concert in April and the adult singers have a concert the first Saturday in May. Tickets are available at the door or online: <a href="https://lakeshorechorale.org/tickets.html">https://lakeshorechorale.org/tickets.html</a>

### All Things Bright and Beautiful

Sunday, April 7th, 2024 at 3:00 p.m.
Trinity Lutheran Church, Downtown Sheboygan

Music of our Time Saturday, May 4th, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. First Congregational Church, Sheboygan