2019 CHOIR REGISTRATION FORM

Registration fees along with a completed registration form and tax-exempt certificate are required to confirm your reservation. Times are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.

DIRECTOR’S NAME(S): ________________________________________________

SCHOOL NAME: _____________________________________________________

ADDRESS: _________________________________________________________

CITY/STATE/ZIP: ____________________________________________________

DAY PHONE: ___________________________ MOBILE: ______________________

FAX NUMBER: ___________________________ EMAIL: ______________________

CHOICE OF SATURDAY COMPETITION DATE (check one):

☐ April 27  ☐ May 4  ☐ May 11  ☐ May 18

☐ Please check here if you plan to stay in the New Braunfels area on Friday night.

☐ Please check here if you plan to stay in the New Braunfels area on Saturday night.

☐ Please check here if you would like a quote to stay at Schlitterbahn. *(Sound Waves groups staying in The Resort at Schlitterbahn qualify for two days in the park and resort amenities with no additional fees.)*

SCHEDULING PREFERENCE (for schools bringing more than one group):

☐ Back-to-Back Times  ☐ Space Between Groups
  (overlapping warm-up and performance times)  (for groups with only one director)

TIME PREFERENCE*:

☐ Early Morning  ☐ Late Morning  ☐ Afternoon
  (8 a.m. - 10 a.m.)  (10 a.m. - 12 p.m.)  (12 p.m. - 2 p.m.)

*Times are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. We will do our best to accommodate your preference.
SCHOOL CLASSIFICATION (check one):

☐ ELEM Groups representing Elementary Schools (Grades K – 5)
☐ COMP (ELEM/MS) Groups representing combined Elementary Schools and Junior High/Middle Schools
☐ C Groups representing Junior High/Middle Schools of 0 - 499 students
☐ CC Groups representing Junior High/Middle Schools of 500 - 999 students
☐ CCC Groups representing Junior High/Middle Schools of 1000+ students
☐ COMP (MS/HS) Groups representing combined Junior High/Middle Schools and High Schools
☐ A Groups representing High Schools of 0 - 499 students
☐ AA Groups representing High Schools of 500 - 999 students
☐ AAA Groups representing High Schools of 1000+ students

PERFORMING GROUPS (listed in the order you would like them to perform):

Group Types are: Mixed Choir, Treble Choir, Boys’ Choir (Soprano/Alto Music), Men’s Choir (Treble/Bass Music) and Jazz/Show Choir

Group Levels are: Elementary, Beginning (6th Grade), II (Non-Varsity) or I (Varsity)

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If you have questions regarding your group type or level, contact Group Sales for clarification.

SOUND WAVES ORDER:

1 registration fee  @  $250.00 = $ 250.00
_____ additional registrations  @  $150.00 = $ _______
_____ Sound Waves packages*  @  $51.99 = $ _______
_____ additional one-day admissions  @  $40.99 = $ _______
_____ deluxe combo meals  @  $12.00 = $ _______
_____ unlimited fountain drink packages  @  $9.99 = $ _______
_____ deluxe combo meal + drink packages  @  $18.99 = $ _______
_____ discounted cabanas**  @  $varies = $ _______
_____ bus driver rooms (if available)  @  $117.70 = $ _______

ESTIMATED GRAND TOTAL = $ _______
AMOUNT PAID = $ _______

* Each performing student must purchase a Sound Waves Package. Packages include waterpark admission and a catered meal in the park. To provide admission and a catered meal for chaperones, a Sound Waves package should be purchased for them. Groups whose orders are paid in full three weeks (21 days) prior to your visit will also receive a Schlitterbahn beach towel as part of their package.

** Sound Waves groups receive a 25% discount on cabanas. Rates vary based upon cabana type and location. Visit www.schlitterbahn.com/new-braunfels/cabanas for details, and call Group Sales to reserve.
Before you sign on the dotted line, REMEMBER...

шение of your completed registration form, signed tax-exemption certificate and registration fees will confirm your reservation.

- Registration fees are nonrefundable.
- Tentative reservations will be held for a maximum of 14 days pending receipt of deposit as long as a completed registration form and signed tax-exemption form have been submitted.
- Competition confirmation packets with specific performance details will be emailed in February after the TMEA Convention.

Final Payments are due three weeks prior to your contest date.

- Groups whose final payments are received three weeks (21 days) prior to your visit will receive a Schlitterbahn beach towel as part of every Sound Waves package, as well as one free Sound Waves package with every 20 packages purchased.
- Contest times and site locations are subject to change as a result of late payments.
- Final payments for contest will be accepted up to 4 days prior to contest if contest site space allows. If space is not available, a park visit may be substituted for contest or a refund may be requested. See Refund Requests below for details.

Order Revisions must be submitted in writing and are subject to the following conditions.

- Orders may be adjusted through the Wednesday before contest; however, all balances must also be paid in full by that time.
- Sound Waves packages reduced with fewer than 21 days before contest are not fully refundable. For details, see Refund Requests below.

Refund Requests

- Unused admission bands, basic meal package bands and drink bands that are returned in reusable condition are fully refundable. With fewer than 21 days to contest, Sound Waves Packages are not fully refundable. Up to 8 days prior to contest, a credit of $43.99 will apply to reductions in Sound Waves Packages. With 7 or fewer days, a credit of $30.99 will apply. Drink cups are not refundable.
- Refund and exchange requests must be submitted in writing within 30 days of your visit.

I understand and agree to comply with the terms and deadlines as stated in this agreement.

DIRECTOR'S NAME DATE

Mail completed registration paperwork, tax-exempt certificate and registration fees Group Sales at the address listed below.
CHOIR CONTEST RULES AND REGULATIONS

SCHLITTERBAHN PRESENTS SOUND WAVES!

SOUND WAVES was created to provide a supportive contest environment which allows the director to establish the level of difficulty of music and the intensity of performance. It is our goal to provide a rewarding first contest experience for young choirs, as well as more challenging opportunities for experienced ensembles. SOUND WAVES is open to beginning choirs, junior high/middle school choirs and high school choirs.

CATEGORIES:

- Mixed Choir – Elementary, Beginning (6th Grade), II (Non Varsity), I (Varsity)
- Treble Choir – Elementary, Beginning (6th Grade), II (Non Varsity), I (Varsity)
- Men’s Choir – Elementary, Beginning (6th Grade), II (Non Varsity), I (Varsity)
- Jazz/Show Choir – Elementary, Beginning (6th Grade), II (Non Varsity), I (Varsity)

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ADJUDICATION:

Groups may perform for COMMENTS ONLY or for RATINGS. All groups will receive written comments from our adjudication panel of three judges. Groups performing for ratings will receive a rating from the judges and will compete with other groups of like classification and category. Trophies will be awarded based upon ratings received. In addition, groups receiving a SUPERIOR rating will be considered for BEST IN CLASS awards.

Duplication of students in performance groups of the same category is not allowed for groups competing for ratings.
RATINGS:
Division I - Superior
Division II - Excellent
Division III - Good

TIME ALLOTMENT:
Each performing group will be allowed fifteen (15) minutes in the warm-up room and five (5) minutes to move to the stage. On-stage time should not exceed twenty (20) minutes.

MUSIC REQUIREMENTS:
There are no specific requirements for performance. Groups may perform any suitable music. Please perform no fewer than two (2) selections and no more than three (3) and limit your on-stage time to twenty (20) minutes. Music should be of contrasting styles.

Directors must furnish three (3) numbered scores of each selection for the adjudication panel. These will be returned with the written comments. Original scores must be used. Duplicated scores are unacceptable unless accompanied by a purchase order for the music. Without the proper scores, groups will be limited to performing for COMMENTS ONLY.

EQUIPMENT:
The following equipment will be provided: four (4) sections of risers, director's podium, electric keyboard and/or acoustic piano and electric receptacles. For all other facility or equipment questions, please email Group Sales. Groups will need to provide equipment not listed.

AWARDS:
Each group will receive written critiques of their performance. Groups performing for RATINGS will receive either a SUPERIOR (Division I), EXCELLENT (Division II), or GOOD (Division III) trophy based upon their performance. After reviewing SUPERIOR performances at each contest site, the judges will select a BEST IN CLASS recipient in each category by classification. BEST IN CLASS trophies will be awarded at the Sound Waves Awards Ceremony on Saturday evening. JUDGE'S CHOICE trophies will be awarded to one group per site as specified by the judges as the most outstanding group of the day regardless of class and type. All performing groups that have received a SUPERIOR rating and are unable to attend the Awards Ceremony should contact the Group Sales Department or visit the Surfenburg Admissions Booth prior to leaving the park for BEST IN CLASS results. Unclaimed trophies will not be shipped.
CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

Complete and return this form via fax or mail. Please do not return this form via email.

Cardholder’s Name

Group Name

Billing Address

City / State / Zip

Day Phone

Evening Phone

Email Address

Credit Card Number

Expiration Date

Card Type

I authorize Schlitterbahn New Braunfels Waterpark to charge the amount of $ ______________________

to the account above to be used for ________________________________________________

Cardholder’s Signature

Date
Texas Sales and Use Tax Exemption Certification

This certificate does not require a number to be valid.

Name of purchaser, firm or agency

Address (Street & number, P. O. Box or Route number)  
City, State, ZIP code

Phone (Area code and number)

I, the purchaser named above, claim an exemption from payment of sales and use taxes (for the purchase of taxable items described below or on the attached order or invoice) from:

Seller: Schlitterbahn New Braunfels Waterpark

Street address: 381 E. Austin St.  
City, State, ZIP code: New Braunfels, TX 78130

Description of items to be purchased or on the attached order or invoice:

Purchaser claims this exemption for the following reason:

__________________________________________________________________________________________

__________________________________________________________________________________________

__________________________________________________________________________________________

I understand that I will be liable for payment of all state and local sales or use taxes which may become due for failure to comply with the provisions of the Tax Code and/or all applicable law.

I understand that it is a criminal offense to give an exemption certificate to the seller for taxable items that I know, at the time of purchase, will be used in a manner other than that expressed in this certificate, and depending on the amount of tax evaded, the offense may range from a Class C misdemeanor to a felony of the second degree.

Purchaser Title Date

NOTE: This certificate cannot be issued for the purchase, lease, or rental of a motor vehicle. 

THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT REQUIRE A NUMBER TO BE VALID. 

Sales and Use Tax “Exemption Numbers” or “Tax Exempt” Numbers do not exist.

This certificate should be furnished to the supplier. 

Do not send the completed certificate to the Comptroller of Public Accounts.