

## **Disneyland® Park Candlelight Ceremony and Processional Choir Audition Requirements and Instructions**

### **\*\*\*\*Important\*\*\*\***

- Any advanced mixed ensemble with 15 or more vocalists who are 14 years or older are eligible to audition.
- Each organization may submit audition materials for no more than **TWO** choirs.
- Any ensemble comprised of all females will not be considered.
- If your group is accepted to perform at the ceremony, no additional singers may be added after the audition process. The number of performers represented in your audition material must be the same as the performance day.
- Please indicate if any directors will be singing as part of the choir for the ceremony.
- If auditioning with two choirs, in the notes section of the audition form, please indicate on both forms the total number of crossover performers who are in both choirs  
-Example: Also auditioning with Walt Honor Choir, 20 members from that choir crossover in this choir.

**Please Note:** If you have multiple choral organizations who wish to apply, please submit separate auditions for each, including all voices who wish to participate in that particular group.

### **Audition Process**

Each audition submission will be reviewed by Disney Entertainment staff. Recordings will be evaluated based on diction and clarity of words, balance of parts, intonation, and overall choral sound. We strongly recommend you listen to your recording before sending it to us to be sure it represents your ensemble's performance well.

**Step 1: Prepare your audition submission. Each choir is required to submit a digital audio recording containing two pieces as follows:**

1) Record your choir singing "O Little Town of Bethlehem" a cappella.

You may use the included sheet music when preparing your piece:

- "O Little Town of Bethlehem" (included on following pages)

Record your choir as follows:

-First verse: SATB harmony

-Second verse: Men sing unison melody for the first two phrases and women sing unison melody for the last two phrases.

**Note:** for groups comprised of all males, any version of "O Little Town of Bethlehem" will be acceptable; we request to hear both unison and harmony (SA or TB).

2) Record a musical selection of your choice with or without accompaniment.

Please submit audio only – please do not submit video.

**Step 2: Use [www.Relayit.net](http://www.Relayit.net) to digitally submit your audition materials to *Candlelight*.**

Once you've ensured that your audition submission files are ready to go, navigate to [www.relayit.net](http://www.relayit.net), and follow the on-screen instructions, as follows:

**TO:** [dlr.candlelight@disney.com](mailto:dlr.candlelight@disney.com)

**FROM:** Enter your email address.

**SUBJECT:** Enter Organization Name and Group Name in the subject line.

For example: "Premiere High School Concert Choir"

**NOTE:** Include any notes that are important regarding your submission.

**EXPIRES:** Be sure to select **7 DAYS**

**CLICK:** "Next Go to Step 2"

**CHECK:** Review your entries on page 2.

**BROWSE:** Select your VIDEO OR IMAGE SUBMISSION. You may do this multiple times for multiple files.

**SEND:** Clicking "Send Files" will begin the upload process.

**UPLOAD:** You will receive a message, "Your files are uploading, please wait".

**SUCCESS:** "Your files were successfully sent".

**EMAIL:** You should receive an email confirming the submission.

Use of the Relayit system is the preferred method. If a digital audition is not an option for you and you are sending a CD, the CD case should be clearly labeled with the name of your group.

**Step 3: Go to [www.disneylandevents.com](http://www.disneylandevents.com) beginning Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup> click on the Candlelight link and the "Apply Now" button, and complete an application for each choir that you represent.**

**Deadlines and Notification**

The application and audition deadline is Monday, September 26, 2016. Choirs selected to participate in this year's *Candlelight Ceremony and Processional* will be notified by Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>.

***Candlelight Ceremony and Processional* Contacts**

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions:

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Anaheim, CA 92803-3232  
714.781.3417

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# O Little Town of Bethlehem

Candlelight 2016 Audition

A Capella  
Gently  $\text{♩} = 50$

Arranged by Leann Hsueh

1

Sop  
Alto

O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, how still we see thee lie; a -

Tenor  
Bass

5

S  
A

bove thy deep and dream - less sleep the si - lent stars — by. Yet

T  
B

9

S  
A

in thy dark streets shin - eth the ev - er - last - ing light; — the

T  
B

13

S  
A

hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee to - night.

T  
B

## O Little Town of Bethlehem

S  
A

**Men in unison**

T  
B

O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem, de - scend to us, we pray; cast

<sup>21</sup>  
S  
A

**Women in unison**

T  
B

We  
out our sin and en - ter in, be born in us to - day.

<sup>25</sup>  
S  
A

T  
B

hear the Christ - mas ang - els the great glad tid - ings tell; O

<sup>29</sup>  
S  
A

T  
B

come to us, a - bide with us, our Lord Em - man - u - el!