



# Plano West Choir

Plano West Choir Booster Club Newsletter

Blue Nation

Wolf Pack

December 10, 2018

## Home of the Howling Wolf Choir Calendar

**12/10** Combined Concert  
Rehearsal 4:30 - 6:30

**12/12** Combined Concert  
Rehearsal 4:30 - 6:30

**12/13** Winter Concert 7:00,  
Call time 6:00 \*

**12/15** Area Choir Workshop \*

**12/17** Area Rehearsal 4:30

**12/18-12/21** Final Exams \*

**12/24-1/7** Winter Break

**1/7** Area Rehearsal 1:00

**1/8-1/10** Area Rehearsal 4:30

**1/12** Area Contest - UT  
Arlington \*

\*See Article – More Calendar  
Details

**\*\* Students, if you haven't  
picked up your poinsettia  
order, please do that  
tomorrow. All orders not  
picked up will be sold at the  
concert on Thursday.**



## More Calendar Details ...

\*Thursday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>: Winter Concert, Plano West Theatre, 7:00 pm, Call time for all choirs...6:00 pm...Formal Choir uniforms .... No charge for admission. Please invite all parents and friends to attend the concert.

\*Saturday, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>: Area Choir Workshop (Those auditioning for State); Richland College. Dallas (optional) Read hand out for registration and times.

\*Tuesday, Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>: 9:00 2<sup>nd</sup> period final  
11:10: 1<sup>st</sup> period final  
**1:30: Area rehearsal**

\*Wednesday, Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>: 9:00 3<sup>rd</sup> period final  
11:10 4<sup>th</sup> period final

\*Thursday, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>: 9:00 5<sup>th</sup> period final  
11:10: 6<sup>th</sup> period final

\*Friday, Dec. 21<sup>st</sup>: 9:00 zero and 7<sup>th</sup> period finals

\*Saturday, Jan. 12<sup>th</sup>: Area Contest, UT Arlington (You will receive your information hand-outs prior to the holidays).

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## A Note from the Boosters ...

What a wonderful semester this has been! Our students have been involved in All Region Competition, Clinics, Concerts and Community Events! Thank you to all of our families who have done their part in supporting the Plano West Choir with a special 'thanks' to our parent volunteers! Wishing all of you a healthy and peaceful holiday season!!! Please note that the Board is going through some changes with the role of Treasurer. Welcome to Seema Malhotra who will now transition into this position. If you have any financially-related questions, please contact: [pwchoirbooster@gmail.com](mailto:pwchoirbooster@gmail.com).

Tax Write Off Fundraiser:

**\*\* Calling out to all families, if you know someone who can benefit from making a TAX WRITE OFF DONATION, please consider asking them to support the Plano West Choir by December 31, 2018!!! It's simple and a great way to support your Choir. Please have them go to: [pwshchoir.membershiptoolkit.com](http://pwshchoir.membershiptoolkit.com) and click on 'Donate.' We will provide them with a tax donation receipt with a note of thanks.**

## Stay Informed!

Facebook:

[facebook.com/PlanoWestChoir](https://www.facebook.com/PlanoWestChoir)

Twitter:

[@PlanoWestChoir](https://twitter.com/PlanoWestChoir)

Website:

<http://www.pwshchoir.com>

### Remind 101

**Rhapsody:**

TEXT @b4egfc to 81010

**Syncoption:**

TEXT @synco2 to 81010

**3<sup>rd</sup> Period:**

TEXT @6b28b2 to 81010

**TMEA Choir:**

TEXT @tmeachoir to 81010

**4<sup>th</sup> Period:**

TEXT @cg399g to 81010

### Student-led Social Media

Twitter:

[PWestChoirStudents](https://twitter.com/PWestChoirStudents) [@PWestChoir](https://twitter.com/PWestChoir)

Instagram:

PlanoWestChoir [@PWSHChoir](https://www.instagram.com/PWSHChoir)

Snapchat:

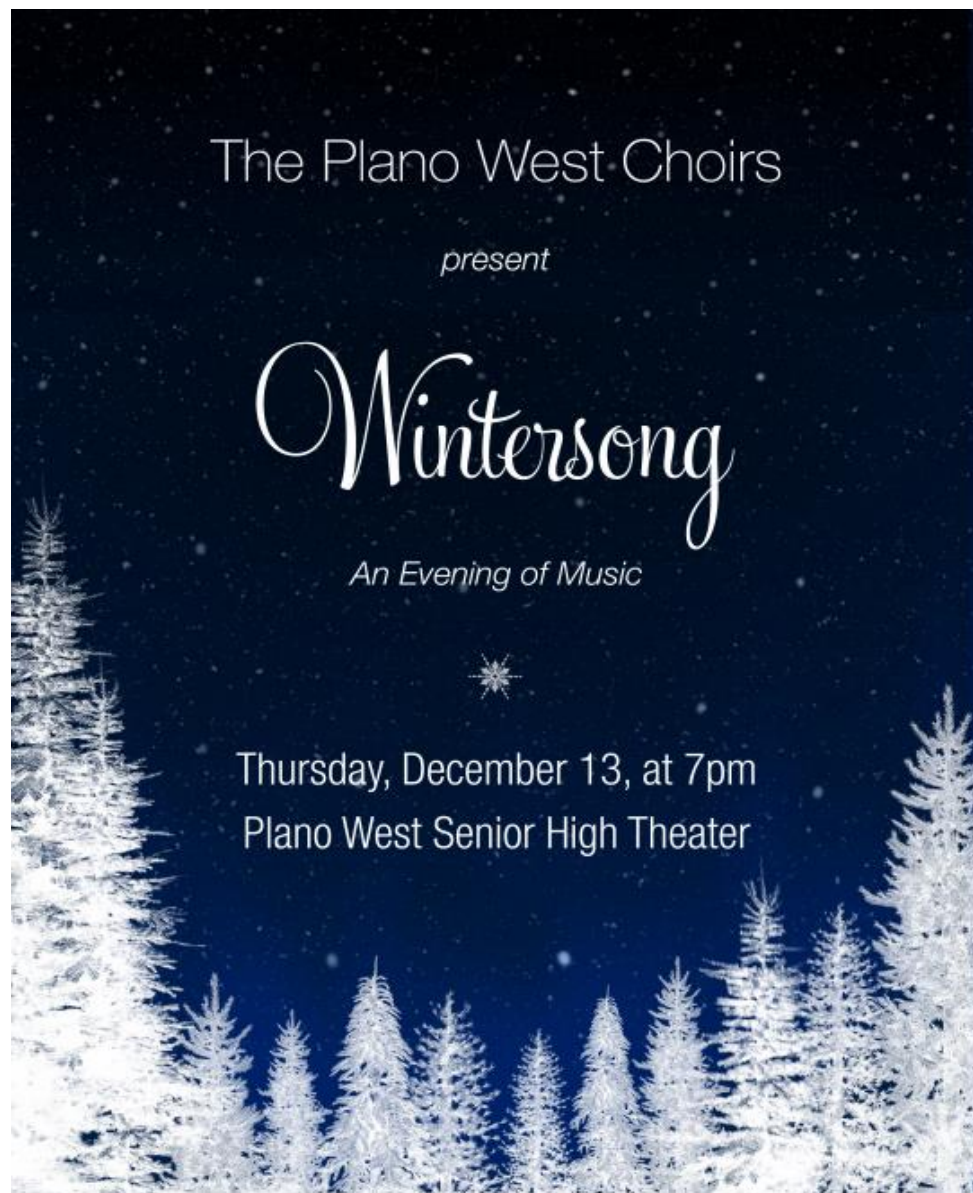
PlanoWestChoir [@PlanoWestChoir](https://www.snapchat.com/add/PlanoWestChoir)

## Winter Concert Photo Booth ...

Students AND families, please note that we will have a photo booth at the upcoming Winter Concert on Thursday, December 13, 2018. Please plan to arrive early - photos will be taken from 6:15-6:50 and then will be open for 15 minutes after the concert! You can use this for your Holiday cards or just for fun or to use in your email campaign fundraiser in January! This is can funny or serious, a solo shot or a group shot, friends or family, you name it! There will be props for you to use or you can be more formal in your concert attire. Talk to your friends and family and come early and get a photo! It's just \$5 per photo and you are emailed the copy to share with whoever you want and/or share on social media. \$100% of money raised goes to Plano West Choirs!

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## Winter Concert ...



*Save the Date!*  
*February 14th*  
*Plano West Choral*  
*TMEA Concert*  
*In San Antonio*



*Book your hotel now.*  
*Students are staying at*  
*Doubletree San Antonio Downtown -*  
*502 W. Cesar E. Chavez, San Antonio*

*Concert in Hemisphere Ballroom at*  
*San Antonio Convention Center*



## TMEA Choir Trip News ...

**February 14-15, 2019**

We are needing up to 3 more chaperones for the TMEA concert. If your student is an All-State performer, this will not work for you as All-State performs on Saturday also. Please contact Patty Cline [patty@clinegroup.net](mailto:patty@clinegroup.net) if you are interested in an expense paid trip to San Antonio as a chaperone. Leaving Plano West on Thursday, February 14th at 7am and returning to Plano West on Friday, February 14th at 7pm. \*You must be an approved PISD volunteer to chaperone Parents, please join us in San Antonio on the 14th for the TMEA concert at the San Antonio Convention Center. Concert time will be announced as we get closer. Also, there will be a celebratory dinner on Friday night following the concert (venue TBD). If you want to join your student at the dinner, please let Patty Cline [patty@clinegroup.net](mailto:patty@clinegroup.net) know so she can add you to the reservation. The students meals are paid for but parents will be responsible for the cost of their meal.

Seeking 3 Chaperones  
for the San Antonio  
TMEA trip - 1 Night  
February 14-15

HELLO  
MY NAME IS

Chaperone

For details:  
Contact Patty Cline  
469-835-8484  
[patty@clinegroup.net](mailto:patty@clinegroup.net)  
\*Hotel & Meal  
Expenses are Paid\*

## NYC Trip News ...



**March 6-9, 2019**

Thank you for getting your trip payments turned in! Only 2 trip payments left and we are ready to go to New York City! The next payment is due January 15th and the final trip payment is due on February 8th. It is imperative that payments are made on time as the travel agent is purchasing hotel, airfare, show tickets, prepaid meals, and many fun activities.

\*\*If you have not paid your Activity Fee and/or TMEA Fee, your reservation is at risk of cancellation without a refund. Get your payments in BEFORE winter break.\*\*