

VILLAGE HARMONY 2007 APPLICATION FORM

Please enclose a \$15 application fee (checks made out to **Village Harmony**). We can also accept a UK check (please make this out to **Northern Harmony** in the amount of £10). Send completed application, fee, and other forms to:

**Village Harmony • 5748 Hollister Hill Road
Marshfield, VT 05658 • USA**

The preferred application deadline is **January 20, 2007**. Applications received before January 20th will be given equal consideration. After January 20th, applications will be accepted on a rolling basis as spaces remain. For some camps, enrollment decisions will also be made based on the musical needs of the session. **If you are applying to the Winter Singing Weekend, please submit your tuition along with this application.**

NAME AND CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____
Address : _____ City: _____
State: _____ Zip _____ Country: _____ Email: _____
Date of Birth: _____ Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Grade in School (if applicable): _____
Name of custodial parents/guardians: _____
Parent's email: _____ Parent's work phone: _____
How would you like to receive mail from us? email postal service

MUSICAL BACKGROUND

What voice part do you usually sing?

You can circle more than one.

soprano • alto • tenor • bass

How would you classify your singing ability?

Circle one, taking into account quality of voice, experience with different styles, ease of learning.

beginner • intermediate • advanced

How well do you read music?

1 = learn entirely by ear, 10 = fluent sight reader.

1 • 2 • 3 • 4 • 5 • 6 • 7 • 8 • 9 • 10

Do you play any instruments?

If yes, list them below, indicating your approximate ability

What other musical ensembles/projects have you participated in?

A BIT MORE ABOUT YOURSELF

If you are a teenager applying to one of our camps for the first time, **or an adult applying to one of our overseas camps**, please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. (Adults applying to residential sessions in the USA do not need to address these questions - although if you want, you are welcome to!) 1. **Why do you want to come to Village Harmony Camp?** 2. **What have been your most exciting and memorable musical experiences?** 3. **What makes you a good candidate for Village Harmony Camp?** (This might include not only your musical skills, but other things such as outdoor skills, cooking ability, sense of humor, wit and wisdom, or anything else you care to mention.) Teens applying to Village Harmony for the first time are also required to send in a **Reference Form**.

WHICH WORKSHOP(S) DO YOU WANT TO ATTEND?

Please indicate second/third choice if you are applying to one of the international summer sessions (eg: 1-2-3) as we expect space in all of them to be in high demand this year.

WINTER SINGING WEEKEND

___ February 23-25: ___\$200 or ___\$220 (pick one).

Price is housing-dependent. **Be sure to submit full tuition for this workshop when you send in your application.**

TEEN SESSIONS

___ New England I: June 22-July 11: \$1,175

___ New England II: July 12-August 1: \$1,175

___ New England III: August 4-25: \$1,175

___ Teen Residential: June 29-July 8: \$650

ADULT SESSIONS

___ New England Adult I: July 13-22. \$675

___ New England Adult II: August 10-19. \$675

___ Oregon Adult III: August 31-September 9: \$675

INTERNATIONAL SESSIONS (teens & adults)

___ Bulgaria: June 24-July 10: \$1,100

Check here if interested in additional travel afterwards: ___

___ Caucasus Georgia: July 13-August 3: \$1,400

___ South Africa: August 4-25. \$1,400.

TUITION AND FINANCIAL AID

Full tuition for the Winter Singing Weekend due with application. For all of our summer music camps, a deposit of 25% of tuition is due three weeks after we send you an acceptance letter. The balance of tuition for all camps is due on **May 15, 2007**. If you need to make special arrangements, such as an extended payment plan, please let us know.

ADULT RESIDENTIAL CAMPS

We offer the option of a self-chosen reduced fee to the Adult Residential camps for those who can't afford full tuition, in lieu of requiring financial aid applications. Check one of the options below:

I am paying full tuition: ___ \$675
I need to pay the following reduced fee: ___\$600 _____\$575

TEEN AND OVERSEAS CAMPS

A limited amount of financial aid is available to applicants to the teen residential camp, and the teen and mixed-age traveling camps. Please check one of the following:

___ I am paying full tuition.
___ I will need financial assistance and am submitting the application below.

We don't like to turn any applicant away on financial grounds, and hope to make our camps accessible for everyone. That said, Village Harmony is self-supporting, and we need campers to pay as much towards their expenses as is reasonable so that we can afford to continue to do what we do. Please keep in mind that less aid is available for overseas camps, and that transportation costs to and from camp are the responsibility of the participant. In some cases we may recommend that an applicant attend a less expensive camp, if we cannot meet his/her needs.

When awarding scholarships, we consider your financial need relative to other applicants, and the needs of camp session to which you are applying.

APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL AID (To be filled out by adult applicant or parent/guardian)

Occupation (parent/s, or self if adult applicant): _____

Gross household income for 2006: _____ Number of people in household: _____

Major unusual family expenses: _____

What amount of tuition do you feel that you (as parent/s or adult applicant) can afford? _____

In addition, what amount can the student be expected to raise towards her/his tuition? _____

Other relevant information: _____

Signature/date (parent or adult applicant): _____