



**REGION XV  
MIDDLE SCHOOL  
Appendix**

# REGION XV JR HIGH VOCAL DIVISION 2018-2019 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**\*\*Students must be academically eligible to participate in these events!\*\***

September 22, 2018 - HS District/Region Auditions – Rowe High School - McAllen, TX **(JUDGE)**

October 13, 2018 - HS Region Treble Auditions –La Joya High School- La Joya, TX **(JUDGE)**

November 10, 2018 - Pre-Area Auditions – Rowe High School - McAllen, TX **(JUDGE)**

November 16 & 17, 2018- HS District-Region Clinic & Concert - UTRGV - Edinburg, TX

January 3, 2019 - Pre-Area Clinic – Edinburg North High School – Edinburg, TX

January 12, 2019 - HS Area Auditions – Rowe High School

January 26, 2019 – HS Solo & Ensemble Contest- Economedes High School – Edinburg, Texas

**January 26, 2019 - Postmark Deadline - MS UIL Concert & SR Contest  
Make checks payable to UIL Region XV Music and MAIL TO:**

**RUBEN ADAME  
1608 E. 24<sup>th</sup> St  
Mission, TX 78574**

**Fees: \$380/choir (includes recording)**

February 13-16, 2019 - TMEA Convention - Henry B. Gonzales Convention Center - San Antonio, TX

**February 26, Feb. 27, Feb. 28, 2019 - MS UIL Concert & Sight Reading Contest - PSJA Southwest HS-  
Pharr, TX**

**April 13, 2019 - Postmark Deadline - MS Region Choir Auditions**

**Registration Fee (per student): \$10.00/student**

**Recording Fee (per campus): \$50.00/campus**

April 2-4, 2019 - HS UIL Concert & Sight Reading – UTRGV - Edinburg, TX

**April 27, 2019 - MS All-Region Auditions – De Leon Middle School - McAllen, TX (EVERYONE JUDGE)**

**May 4, 2019 - Region Choir Clinic & Concert – McAllen High School Auditorium- McAllen, Texas**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

**ALL ENTRIES & FEES FOR TMEA REGION ACTIVITIES are to be postmarked by the  
deadline and mailed to:**

**Lauren Albright  
3309 Dianthus Ave  
McAllen, Tx 78501**

Cell: 610-509-0228

Work: 956-632-8826

**ALL CHECKS FOR TMEA REGION ACTIVITIES are to be made payable to:  
TMEA Region XV Jr. High Vocal Division**

# **UIL CONCERT & SIGHT READING INFORMATION**

January 26, 2019      Postmark deadline for entries & fees --\$380.00/choir

Mail all **ENTRIES & FEES** to:            **Ruben Adame**  
  **1608 E. 24<sup>th</sup> St**  
  **Mission, TX 78574**  
  **Cell phone: 956-458-9114**  
  **Fax number:956-424-0255**  
  **Email: uilmusic15@gmail.com**

**Make checks payable to: UIL Region XV, Music Executive Committee**

**Questions? Check the website UILMusic15.com**

**February 26 - 28, 2019: Concert & Sight Reading Contest**

Location: PSJA Southwest HS – Pharr, TX

Preparation:

Before you decide on your music, check your school conference (class). See the current **UIL C & CR** to see if you are **C**, **CC**, or **CCC**. This information should be on file at your school superintendent's office. Ruben can tell you your conference if you do not know it. Remember that no matter what the name of your school is, every school here in the Valley is classified as a middle school for **UIL** purposes.

Please make sure that you read from the U I L Constitution & Contest Rules handbook. Read the rules on sight-reading!! Most disqualifications are due to the director talking or making some audible contribution after the allotted 6 minutes. Watch the inflection of your voice when reading syllables (or whatever) during the instruction time --- some of us get pretty close to singing intervals when we are supposed to be speaking. **NOTE: Students must be academically eligible to participate in this event.** Watch eligibility! If you have any questions with eligibility Ruben Adame may also be able to help you or else refer you to the appropriate person.

Please make sure you have logged onto UILFORMS.COM to complete entries and judges forms.

**Contest Judges 2019: Will be posted to the Region 15 U.I.L. Website**

**\*\*REMEMBER--The recording fees are included with the UIL fees for a total of \$380 per choir\*\***

## **REGION CHOIR INFORMATION**

**April 13, 2019** **Deadline** for MS Region Online Entry & Postmark deadline for JH Region Choir Auditions Entries & Fees must be Postmarked by this date! SEND to Lauren Albright's HOME ADDRESS!!

**Lauren Albright**  
**3309 Dianthus Ave**  
**McAllen, Texas 78501**

**April 25, 2019** Region cuts **e-mailed** to directors at home (8 pm).

**April 26, 2019** Please contact M.S. Region Chairman if you did not receive the cuts.

**April 27, 2019** **Region Auditions**  
Location: DeLeon Middle School (McAllen ISD)  
Host: Lauren Albright & Chloe Ayala

\*\*\*Please see the Region XV Handbook for all contest rules and procedures\*\*\*

**\*\* WE STRONGLY SUGGEST THAT YOUR ALTERNATES COME TO THE CLINIC\*\***

**May 4, 2019** **Region Clinic & Concert**  
Location: McAllen High School Auditorium  
Host: Rigo Reyes

**Clinicians:** **Tammy Benton - Tenor/Bass Choir**  
**Dawn Sheridan – Reinhuber- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Treble Choir**  
**Toni Ugolini - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Treble Choir**

# JR. HIGH REGION CHOIR ENTRY FORM

PLEASE TYPE or PRINT LEGIBLY!!!

*Have your TMEA ID number ready when logging on to TMEA for online entries!!!!!!*

DOUBLE CHECK YOUR ENTRIES AND MAKE A COPY FOR YOURSELF. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ALLOWED AFTER THE DEADLINE DATE—April 13th. Please do not ask for exceptions, as this significantly delays the computer room process and results in the delay of the audition procedure. Be responsible and double-check your entries so your students don't suffer because of a DIRECTOR'S mistake!!!

SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL FAX: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
DIRECTOR'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF ENTRIES \_\_\_\_\_  
AMOUNT OF ENTRY FEES (\$10.00 X Entry) \_\_\_\_\_  
FEE OF \$50.00 FOR REGION RECORDINGS (PER SCHOOL) \_\_\_\_\_ +\$50.00  
Grand Total \_\_\_\_\_

Total Entries:  
7<sup>th</sup> Grade Soprano I: \_\_\_\_\_ 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Soprano I: \_\_\_\_\_ Tenor I: \_\_\_\_\_  
7<sup>th</sup> Grade Soprano II: \_\_\_\_\_ 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Soprano II: \_\_\_\_\_ Tenor II: \_\_\_\_\_  
7<sup>th</sup> Grade Alto: \_\_\_\_\_ 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Alto: \_\_\_\_\_ Bass: \_\_\_\_\_

**Make check payable to: TMEA Region XV, Jr. High Vocal Div. Mail to Region Secretary/Treasurer.**

ENTRIES & FEES must be postmarked on or before April 13th, NO EXCEPTIONS!

Read and follow the TMEA Auditions Process Online Entry Instructions, which are found on the next page.

**ALL ENTRIES MUST BE MADE ONLINE NO LATER THAN APRIL 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

**MAKE SURE YOU MAIL THIS FORM, OFFICAL TMEA ONLINE FORM (WHICH CONTAINS YOUR TMEA MEMBERSHIP CARD, AND PAYMENT TO THE SECRETARY/TREASURER. IT MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE APRIL 13<sup>TH</sup>**



**T.M.E.A. REGION XV  
ALL-REGION MIDDLE SCHOOL CHOIRS**

**CHOIR MEMBER CONTRACT**

AS A MEMBER OF THE REGION XV ALL-REGION MIDDLE SCHOOL CHOIRS, I REALIZE MY RESPONSIBILITY TO **ATTEND ALL REHEARSALS** AND **PERFORM IN THE REGION CONCERT ON MAY 4, 2019 at McAllen High School (McAllen, Texas)**

***I AGREE TO ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING RESPONSIBILITIES:***

**\*Preparation:**

- ❖ I WILL LEARN THE MUSIC **BEFORE** THE REGION REHEARSALS AND CONCERT.
- ❖ I WILL OBTAIN A SCHEDULE FROM MY TEACHER AND GIVE TO MY PARENTS/GUARDIAN.

**\*Transportation:**

- I WILL PLAN MY TRANSPORTATION SO THAT I AM PICKED-UP IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE CONCERT.
- I WILL COMMUNICATE MY TRANSPORTATION PLANS (***FOR AFTER THE CLINIC & CONCERT***) TO MY TEACHER.

**\*Clinic & Concert on May 4, 2019:**

- ✓ I WILL BRING ALL MUSIC AND A PENCIL TO REHEARSALS.
- ✓ I WILL WORK AND COOPERATE TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY WITH ALL STUDENTS AND DIRECTORS PARTICIPATING IN THE EVENT.
- ✓ I MUST BE RESPECTFUL, ATTENTIVE AND COOPERATIVE THROUGHOUT THE REHEARSALS AND CONCERT.

**I REALIZE THAT MY FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THE RESPONSIBILITIES OUTLINED \*ABOVE COULD RESULT IN MY DISMISSAL FROM THE T.M.E.A. ALL-REGION MIDDLE SCHOOL CHOIRS.**

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Phone Number

## REGION 15 VOCAL MS OFFICERS

### **David H. Soliz, Coodinator / M.S. Chairman**

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### **Sally Vasquez, Chair-Elect**

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### **Lauren Albright, Secretary/Treasurer**

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**MAILING ADDRESS:** (Registration/Payment Mail Drop Off ONLY)

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