

## **CELEBRATING 20 YEARS**

- January 12, 1999—First concert for Chamber of Commerce event at York Expo Center to celebrate York County's 250th anniversary
- Performed at the Washington National Cathedral in 2001 and 2010
- Performed at St. Patricks Cathedral, Cathedral of St. John, and United Nations in NYC
- Received Superior Rating at North American Music Festival in Washington DC
- Junior Honors Choir formed in 2002 under direction of Mrs. Donna Knott
- Sang National Anthem at Camden Yards in 2003 and 2004
- First "Celebrate York" concert performed at the Strand, "Carmina Burana" - became the first collaboration among Honors Choir, York Youth Symphony, and Greater York Youth Ballet
- Both choirs attended choral workshop and performed with Penn State's "Essence of Joy"
- JR Choir participated in their first choral exchange program in Pittsburgh, Moon Township
- JR Choir invited to sing for Penn State University Music Education Department and a choral exchange program with State College High School
- JR Choir sang for PA-ACDA State Conference in State College, PA
- SR Choir invited to sing for Pennsylvania Society Dinner at Waldorf Astoria Hotel in NYC honoring Louis J. Appell Jr. as Distinguished Citizen of the Commonwealth
- One Voice Choral Camp pilot tested in June 2006
- JR Choir selected to perform at PMEA Conference in Hershey in 2007
- Traveling choir spent 9 days touring and singing in England, culminating in a concert at York Minster to celebrate our 10th anniversary
- First ever Elementary Choral Festival in 2009, hosted by Central York
- Collaboration with York Symphony and Symphony Chorus; JR Choir performed the first 3 movements of Rutter's "Mass of the Children"
- JR Choir to ACDA Eastern Division Conference in Philadelphia in 2010
- SR Choir enjoys six collaborations with YYSO
- Concorde to Carnegie Hall for National High School Choral Festival, one of two high school choirs to perform Berlioz' "Requiem"
- JR Choir sings in Naval Academy Chapel
- Concorde performed at the ACDA Eastern Division Conference in Providence, RI in 2012
- SR Choir with River City Brass Christmas Concert at Strand
- Synergy with David Benoit Jazz Quartet, "A Charlie Brown Christmas"
- JR Choir trip to Pittsburgh to sing with Heinz Chapel Choir
- Concorde in concert with Canadian Brass and Deer Creek Chorale
- First ever Holiday Concert, "Here We Come A-Caroling," snowed out, then rescheduled
- Alumni and friends traveled to Paris, performing in the Church of the Madeleine
- Incorporated – York County Honors Choirs, Inc. – our own 501(c)(3) as of 7/27/2015
- SR Choir performs in Carnegie Hall, participating in the Choirs of America Choral Festival