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Fitzgerald Announces 50th Annual Holiday Choral Program Schedule

PITTSBURGH – County Executive Rich Fitzgerald announced today that the 50th Annual Holiday Music Program will kick off on Thursday, November 30, 2017 with a performance by the Quaker Valley High School Concert Choir at 11:30 a.m. This, and all concerts for the program, will be held on the Grand Staircase of the County Courthouse, located at 436 Grant Street in downtown Pittsburgh.

Performances will be held each weekday through Thursday, December 21st. Thirty-four local choirs, orchestras and bands will participate in this year's program. While each performance will be broadcast on the Grant Street side of the Courthouse so that downtown shoppers and workers may enjoy the concert, we invite you to come inside, take a seat and enjoy the holiday music provided by our local students.

A special thanks to Turner Dairy and Sarris Candies for providing refreshments and snacks for the school groups on the performance day.

Participating schools are asked to consider making donations of filled stockings or an unwrapped gift to The Holiday Project, a program that has provided holiday gifts to children and youth who receive services through the county's human services system since the late 1960s. Concert-goers are also invited to participate in the program. More information about the The Holiday Project, including suggested gifts, is available at <http://alleghenycounty.us/human-services/news-events/events/holiday-project.aspx>.

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2017 Allegheny County Holiday Music Program



All performances in the Courthouse Grand Staircase

11:30am-12:10pm

12:20pm-1:00pm

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| November 30 | Quaker Valley High School Concert Choir | Seneca Valley Intermediate High School |
| December 1 | Gateway High School Orchestra | Gateway High School Jazz Band |
| December 4 | | Keystone Oaks High School Symphonic Band and Chorus |
| December 5 | Ingomar Middle School 8th Grade Orchestra | |
| December 6 | Ingomar Middle School 7th Grade Orchestra | Bishop Canevin Concert Choir |
| December 7 | Carson Middle School Orchestra | Pittsburgh Concord Chorus & Western PA School for the Deaf Mini Sign Shine |
| December 8 | Marshall Middle School Chamber Orchestra | Northgate Sizzlers Jazz Band |
| December 11 | Shaler Area High School Choirs | Shaler Area High School Jazz 1 |
| December 12 | | Jefferson & Mellon Middle Schools |
| December 13 | Shaler Area High School String Orchestra | Falk Middle School Chorus |
| December 14 | Sto-Rox High School Band | Sto-Rox Sr. High Chorus |
| December 15 | Pine-Richland Middle School Chamber Orchestra | Montour High School Concert Choir |
| December 18 | Penn Hills High School Show Choir and Cantabile | Steel Valley High School Choir |
| December 19 | Deer Lakes High School Concert Choir | Harrison Middle School 7th Grade Band and Chorus |
| December 20 | Pittsburgh Brookline Chorus | Upper St. Clair High School Pantheon Choir |
| December 21 | Fort Couch Con Brio Orchestra | Chartiers Valley High School Chorus |