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Tucson Arizona Boys Chorus POPS CONCERT

The Tucson Arizona Boys Chorus presents its annual POPS CONCERT on Saturday, May 4 at Catalina Foothills High School Auditorium with performances at 3:00pm and 7:30pm. The concert will open with the lively “80 Years of Song” in celebration of the group’s historic 80th Anniversary. Current members represent a new generation of a Tucson tradition.

Under the direction of Dr. Julian Ackerley, the program will highlight all eight of the Boys Chorus groups performing an entertaining show of lighter music. Boys showcased are between the ages of 6 through 21 who are members of the Touring Chorus, TowneSingers, Training Chorus, Cadet Choir and the Young Men’s Ensemble.

Also appearing will be members of three Neighborhood Choirs from the Northwest, Vail and Sahuarita. Assistant Conductors, Peter Fischer, William Mattison and Sean Gale join Dr. Ackerley in leading the singers. There will also be an appearance by the Alumni Chorus comprised of former choristers from the past 80 years.

A segment of the program will have a magic premise and in a humorous salute of the date May the 4th (be with you) the Young Men’s Ensemble will present a medley of John Williams music with a Star Wars theme. In addition, the choristers will perform their signature western songs with fancy trick rodeo roping. The concert concludes with all the boys and alumni in a grand finale of Jay Taylor’s local anthem “Tucson – Arizona’s Favorite Child.”

Reserved seat tickets for the POPS CONCERT are \$20.00 premium seating, \$15.00 general and \$8.00 for children under 12 and are available at the **Boys Chorus office** located at 5770 E. Pima Street, online at www.boyschorus.org or by calling (520) 296-6277.

Photo Opportunities

Fri May 3 Rehearsal 1pm to 4pm
Catalina Foothills High School Auditorium
Sat May 4 **Pops Concerts** – CFHS Auditorium
3:00pm and 7:30pm

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If you know of a boy age 6-12 who would like to join of the Tucson Arizona Boys Chorus, contact the chorus office (520) 296-6277. Spring registration is now underway. For more information about the chorus visit boyschorus.org, the Boys Chorus office 5770 E. Pima Street, or by calling (520) 296-6277.

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