

CHORAL

Adjudicator: Elizabeth Stafford

Elizabeth Stafford was born and educated in Birmingham. She studied Music at Durham University, following this with a PhD in Performance Studies at Sheffield University, a PGDip in Vocal Studies at Trinity College of Music and a PGCE in Primary Music at Birmingham City University. She also holds an LTCL in Vocal Teaching from Trinity College London. As a soloist Elizabeth has won several awards, and has appeared as a soloist with numerous ensembles in many prestigious venues across the world. She has broadcast as a soloist on BBC Radio 4 and the BBC World Service and in 2011, was invited to perform for Princess Michael of Kent. Elizabeth is an experienced choral conductor. In 2009 she was selected for a choral conducting Masterclass with the BBC Singers, and in 2010 she was invited to conduct a massed choir at the Music for Youth Family Prom. Elizabeth is director of Music Education Solutions Ltd, Programme Leader for the Level 4 Certificate for Music Educators at CPD Centre West Midlands, and Senior Lecturer in Music Tuition at Leeds College of Music. Elizabeth is an Adjudicator Member of The British and International Federation of Festivals.

PLEASE NOTE: Choral conductors are permitted to assist their singers by mouthing the words but may not give any kind of actual vocal support to their choir.

Head of Section: Jackie Mumford

YOUNG CHOIRS

Saturday 10th March

Oaklands Catholic School, Stakes Hill Road, Waterloo, PO7 7BW.

The Bertram Bradshaw Trophy will be awarded to the young choir which makes the greatest impression on the adjudicator.

3:30	Class Ch3	Time limits 5 mins <i>K.S.1 Own Choice</i>	Wendy Kingsbury Cup
	Class Ch6	Time limits 8 mins <i>K.S.2 Own Choice</i>	T. E. Plater Cup
	Class Ch7	Time limits 6 mins <i>K.S.2 Assembly Song and Carol Class</i>	George Ryan Cup
	Class Ch9	Time limits 8 mins <i>K.S.2 Soloist with Choir Backing</i>	Garrett Cup
	Class Ch16	Time limits 8 mins <i>Soloist with Choir Backing</i>	Bullin Rose Bowl
	Class Ch18	Time limits 8 mins <i>Mixed Age Own Choice</i>	Courtney and Walker Cup
	Class Ch15	Time limits 8 mins <i>Songs From The Shows</i>	Sivyer Cup

Presentation of The Bertram Bradshaw Trophy

5:00

End of the day

ADULT CHOIRS

Sunday 11th March

Oaklands Catholic School, Stakes Hill Road, Waterloo, PO7 7BW.

The Pitchpiper Scroll will be awarded to the group which makes the greatest impression on the adjudicator in Class 23 today. This does not preclude them from also winning The Florence Cassidy Memorial Trophy.

10:00	Class Ch22	Time limits 8 mins <i>Songs from the Shows</i>	The Rowlands Cup
	Class Ch19	Time limits 8 mins <i>Hymn, Gospel, Spiritual or Sacred Song</i>	Barbara Goodridge Memorial Cup
	Class Ch20	Time limits 8 mins <i>Opportunity Knocks</i>	The Ruth Grant Memorial Choral Trophy

11:35

Break

11:20 **Class Ch23.2** *Time limits 6 mins*
Barbershop Female Chorus CHORAL
W. T. Sayer Cup

Class Ch23.4 *Time limits 6 mins*
Barbershop Female Quartet Sterling MacKinley Cup

Class Ch25 *Time limits 8 mins*
Ensembles 3-9 voices Leo Minstrel Cup

Presentation of the Pitchpiper Scroll

1:30 Lunch

2:30 **Class Ch23** *Time limits 8 mins*
Own Choice The Weedon Bowl

Class Ch24 *Time limits 8 mins*
Single Sex Choir Stella Halcro Trophy

4:00 **Break**

4:20 **Class Ch30** Florence Cassidy Memorial Trophy
Group of the Day:
The winner from each of the above classes singing one song from their winning class and one other not sung by them today. A Group cannot qualify for this class twice, so, any group doing so will be asked to select which class they wish to sing in and the group coming second in the class not selected will be asked unless they have already won a class in which case it will be offered to the next group.

Presentation of Florence Cassidy Memorial Trophy

5:30 End of the Choral Section

New Trophy
The Ruth Grant Memorial Choral Trophy