



***M_x** Vocal Matrix Chorus*

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** is a women's show chorus and comprised of more than 40 members that sing and perform a cappella four-part harmony.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** draws its membership from several counties in the Anderson, Greenville, Spartanburg and Upstate areas. Members range from age 16 to seniors and come from all socioeconomic levels and educational backgrounds.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** performed in many venues across the Upstate community, including The Greenville Drive, United States Air Force Retired Nurses Association, Biltmore House, Artisphere, Upstate Women's Show, Furman University and local retirement communities, veteran's organizations, and nursing homes.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** competes annually in regional competitions, and over the years has competed in several Sweet Adelines International Chorus competitions.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** is one of more than 500 choruses of Sweet Adelines International, an organization promoting music and performance education for women throughout the world. With more than 22,000 members worldwide, Sweet Adelines International (SAI) is the world's largest singing organization for women. SAI sponsors an annual International Education Symposium. In the past Furman University was selected as the site of this event for three years, drawing over 6,000 singers to the local area.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** was directed by Nancy Field these last 10 years. Ms Field brought her talent, knowledge and experience gained through years as a director, teacher, coach and international certified judge. The chorus is currently conducting a search for a new director.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** produces an annual show, which often includes a production sponsoring "Sing for Scholarships"- a talent contest for high school-age students as well as several smaller shows.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** rehearses at Eastminster Presbyterian Church in Simpsonville, SC, Monday evenings from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** is members of the Greenville and Mauldin Chambers of Commerce.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** is supported through grants by the Metropolitan Arts Council and the South Carolina Arts Council.

The **VOCAL MATRIX CHORUS** is an educational, nonprofit organization exempt under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.