

3rd RESOVIA SINGS CHORAL FESTIVAL STATUTE



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The 3rd RESOVIA SINGS Choral Festival
is an International Festival of Choral Music,
in the form of a fixed competition

Organizer

Polski Związek Chórów i Orkiestr oddział w Rzeszowie

Event partner

Gminne Centrum Kultury, Sportu i Rekreacji w Świlczy z/s w Trzcianie

Date

October 26, 2024

Audition venue

GCKSiR auditorium in Trzciana near Rzeszów, 36-071 Trzciana 353 c

Festival goals

- to improve the quality of the performance of amateur choral groups
- to disseminate artistically valuable works of choral music
- to present and compare the achievements of the groups participating in the competition
- to provide an exchange of experiences, establishing contact between choirs
- to promote Rzeszów and the Podkarpackie Voivodeship in both the national and international arena

Entry conditions

Participants in the Festival must be amateur choirs or vocal ensembles from Poland and abroad, performing in at least one of 6 categories:

A Children's and Youth choirs

- children's (participants up to age 15)
- youth (participants up to age 19)

B Choirs of equal voices (participants over age 19)

C Academic Choirs

D Mixed Choirs (Greater than 18 participants)

- Choirs of associations, cultural centers, singing societies, etc.
- Parish choirs

E Senior Choirs (average age of participants - over 55 years old)

F Chamber Choirs (Less than 18 participants)



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The basis for participation in RESOVIA SINGS is:

- correctly and legibly filling out the REGISTRATION CARD and RODO CLAUSE available at www.pzchiorzeszow.pl and sending a scan of them to chory.pzchio.rzeszow@gmail.com
- sending in a short paragraph of information (in the "editable" version) about the choir
- sending in a current photo of the choir (in jpg format, good quality)
- sending in an electronic version of the sheet music of the repertoire to be performed

The deadline for submitting applications is September 15, 2024

Conditions of participation

- the competition repertoire should include a maximum of four diverse a cappella pieces
- the performance of one piece with instrumental accompaniment will be allowed
- the total duration of the presentation should be from 10 to 15 minutes including the choir's entry onto and exit from the stage (a prolonged performance may be interrupted by the Jury)
- any possible changes in the repertoire not reported to the organizers prior to the competition may result in disqualification.

Competition criteria

- each choir's performance will be judged by a jury composed of specialists - musicians and choirmasters
- the Jury will evaluate technical and interpretative aspects, such as: vocal emission, intonation, rhythm, diction, tonal qualities, style of performance, choice of repertoire, performance expression, and overall artistic expression
- each member of the Jury will award individual performances a score on a point scale for each factor to be evaluated
- the decisions of the Jury are final and cannot be disputed.

- the announcement of the competition results will take place on October 26, 2024 at approximately 18:00, during the RESOVIA SINGS Gala at the venue where the auditions for the competition were held. Information about the scores will be posted on the website www.pzchiorzeszow.pl after the end of the festival.



Competition qualification

- the Artistic Council appointed by the organizers decides on the qualification of the ensembles for the Festival
- applicants will receive the decision on qualification by September 26, 2024
- within 7 days of receiving the decision, choirs qualified to participate in the Festival will pay the accreditation fee to the organizer's account RESOVIA SINGS:

Polski Związek Chórów i Orkiestry oddział w Rzeszowie

Bank PKO S.A. 63 1240 2614 1111 0000 3958 5930

payment title:

name of the choir/band, city, III Festiwal Chóralny RESOVIA SINGS

- accreditation amount:
 - PLN 350 for choirs not affiliated with the Polish Association of Choirs and Orchestras
 - PLN 250 choirs associated with the Polish Association of Choirs and Orchestras (along with the application, please send confirmation of the PZChiO branch to which the choir belongs)
- the entry fee is non-refundable
- failure to pay this fee may result in being removed from the list of festival participants

Awards

- all teams participating in the competition will receive participation diplomas and commemorative statuettes
- medals:
 - Gold: 90 - 100 points
 - Silver: 80 - 89.9 points
 - Bronze: 70 - 79.9 points
- GRAND PRIX main prize (PLN 3,000) for the best RESOVIA SINGS choir
- financial prize for 2nd and 3rd places in the competition will depend on the amount of funds that have been raised

- the Jury has the right to divide the prizes differently than stipulated in the regulations
- the organizer has the right to award prizes outside the regulations



Additional information

- all costs related to arrival and stay are covered by the choirs themselves, the organizers do not provide reimbursement of travel or accommodation costs
- the organizers will provide a meal on the day of the festival (its form will depend on the funds raised)
- educational care for minor members of choirs and groups participating in RESOVIA SINGS is provided by delegating institutions
- changes to the competition repertoire and the order of performance may be made no later than October 12, 2024
- choir presentations are open
- detailed information is provided by the artistic director of the festival:
Kornelia Ignas tel.: 693 057 794, e-mail: chory.pzchio.rzeszow@gmail.com

Submitting the Application Form is tantamount to accepting the terms and conditions of these regulations