

The Columbus Männerchor

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Application for Membership

Date: _____

To the Membership Committee:

I hereby apply for admission as a (check one) Social, Affinity Social, Junior, Senior, Life, Active (Singer), Legacy, Corporate, Life, Non-Resident Member of the Columbus Maennerchor. If accepted, I agree to abide by the provisions of the Club's constitution and By-Laws.

Please provide the following information:

Name (print in full): _____ Children's Name(s): _____
If Married, Spouse's Name: _____
Residence Address: _____ Phone and Area Code: _____
City/State/Zip: _____ Fax and Area Code: _____
Email: _____ Mobile Phone: _____
Employer: _____ Business Phone: _____
Business Address: _____
Are you a US Citizen? Yes No Where Born? _____ Date of Birth _____ (mo/day/yr)
Title or Position or Occupation (If retired, please describe previous occupation) _____
Club affiliations, Societies, Lodges, Fraternities, etc. _____
Name of Affinity Organization (if applicable) _____

Signed _____ Date _____

Two Members in good standing must personally sign this application to complete the application. Your sponsor may request endorsement by the Membership Committee.

Sponsor:	Endorser:
Name: _____	Name: _____
Phone: _____	Phone: _____
Membership # (from card): _____	Membership # (from card): _____
Signature: _____	Signature: _____

Membership Dues and Application Fee

Membership Category (Check One):	Calculate Dues:
<input type="checkbox"/> Social <input type="checkbox"/> Affinity Social <input type="checkbox"/> Senior <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Legacy <input type="checkbox"/> Active	Annual Dues _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Corporate (First Member, <input type="checkbox"/> Second Member, <input type="checkbox"/> Additional Member)	(see reverse for amount)
<input type="checkbox"/> Life, <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Resident	Optional Prepaid Meal Card _____
	\$120.00 ea.
	Total _____

Check Enclosed: Payable to The Columbus Maennerchor
Credit Card: Visa MasterCard
Credit Card Number: _____ Expires: _____ Signature: _____

To the Board of Directors:

The undersigned Membership Committee members have reviewed the above subject application and by signatures below attest to his or her qualification for membership:

Member: _____ Chairman: _____

Member: _____

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Information for Applicants

PURPOSE

The Columbus Maennerchor was founded in 1848 and dedicated to the preservation and enjoyment of the best in German song and culture. New members who enjoy cultural activities and support these goals, whether or not of German descent, are welcome. The Maennerchor enjoys a diverse membership of men and women.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Your application must be sponsored by two members in good standing. You or a sponsor may forward the application to the Maennerchor, to the attention of the Membership Committee, with at least two sponsor signatures. Upon request, a member of the Membership Committee may serve as a second sponsor. Applications are promptly considered by the Board of Directors at their next meeting.

Dues for Membership depend on the category of membership for which you qualify, as set forth below. An optional, prepaid meal card is available to all categories of membership. Affinity Social memberships are available for members of selected organizations on terms approved by the Board of Directors. Dues and fees are payable annually on a calendar year basis. Restaurant bills are payable by cash or credit card.

SOCIAL	- New	\$150	ACTIVE (Current Singers)	\$100
	- Renewal	\$125		
AFFINITY SOCIAL (typical)		\$150	CORPORATE - 1 st Member	\$250
			-2 nd Member	\$200
			- Additional Members	\$150
SENIOR (age 65 + 25 years as a member)		\$120		
JUNIOR (Ages 21-31)		\$90	LIFE	\$3000
LEGACY (first year dues only) (New members who are children or grand-children of deceased or current members)		\$50	NON-RESIDENT (outside Franklin County and its adjacent counties)	\$125

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

The Maennerchor offers many activities for its membership and family members of all ages. The Maennerchor and Damenchor rehearse on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, respectively, throughout the year. The Kinderchor/Jugendchor, for children 3 – 18, rehearses every Tuesday evening, August through June. All three choruses participate in singing festivals throughout the year. Interested members are welcome to come, listen or participate as a member. The Damen Sektion of the Maennerchor spouses supports many club activities.

Members also enjoy access to the beautiful Maennerchor club facility, its restaurant and a variety of venues and room sizes for family, social and business occasions. The restaurant is open for lunch and dinner throughout the week, with banquet facilities and private rooms available without charge to members. Private, high quality dining on a mixture of German ethnic food and traditional favorites is available at reasonable prices. From the intimate Rathskeller, the seasonal Biergarten, to the large Concert Hall, meeting seating is available up to 500+ persons, and dining seating up to 300+ persons. Ample free parking is available.

The monthly Neuigkeiten newsletter keeps members informed of the many other activities throughout the year that can involve the whole family. Special functions throughout the year include New Years, Valentine's Day, Fasching (Mardi Gras), Easter, St. Patrick's Day, Mother's Day, Father's Day, Strawberry Festival, Hawaiian Luau, Oktoberfest, concerts, dinner theaters, pancake breakfasts, spaghetti dinners. The Columbus Maennerchor is a great place for new members to enjoy themselves and become involved as they wish.