

OKLAHOMA FLUTE SOCIETY
HONOR FLUTE CHOIR

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Dear Band Directors and Private Flute Teachers,

The Oklahoma Flute Society is very excited to announce the addition of **Honor Flute Choirs for the Tulsa area**, The Tulsa area Honor Flute Choirs will be under the direction of **Emily McPherson**. The Oklahoma City area Honor Flute Choirs, which are beginning their 7th year, will be under the direction of **Natalie Syring**.

Nominations are now being accepted for the Fall 2011 Honor Flute Choirs in both the OKC and Tulsa locations. Please nominate your qualified students for this opportunity:

Playing Requirements:

7-8-9 Grade Honor Flute Choir: Students should be able to play a chromatic scale from low C up to third octave Bb, and 2-octave major scales up to 3 sharps and flats. (C, G, D, A, F, Bb, Eb)

10-11-12 Grade Honor Flute Choir: Students should be able to play a 3 octave chromatic scale (low C up to high C), and 2-octave major scales up to 4 sharps and flats. (C, G, D, A, E, F, Bb, Eb, Ab)

Nominations are due as soon as possible! Rehearsals begin in late October.

- All you have to do is **nominate deserving students**. You don't have to tell them or check their availability. After nominations are received, the students are personally invited to perform with one of the Honor Flute Choirs, usually by a formal letter. After they RSVP their commitment, they will receive their music.
- You can nominate by e-mail, phone, or by mail (form enclosed). **Include your name, your school's name, the student's name, grade level, address, phone, parent's name, and the student or parent's E-MAIL.** Please include all of these items if possible.

A rehearsal schedule is included for your convenience. The Fall 2011 Honor Flute Choirs will perform at the **Flute Fair**, which will be held Saturday, Nov. 19, 2011, at Oklahoma Christian University. Guest artists will Christina Jennings and Ann Fairbanks. Educational classes, concerts, and exhibits will also be part of the Flute Fair. Check the OFS website for the schedule of events. More information about the OFS can be found at: www.oklahomaflutesociety.org. All information and forms are posted there. The Oklahoma Flute Society is eager to enrich young flutists with this wonderful opportunity.

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