

The Black Music Caucus of New York

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 THE ASSOCIATION BLACK EDUCATORS OF NEW YORK

APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION IN 2008 INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL GOSPEL CHOIR OLYMPICS

A Weekend of Gospel Choir Competitions For Elementary Schools, Middle Schools, High Schools and Colleges
 February 14, 2008 [Valentines Day] - Elementary/ Middle School Divisions
 Mt. Vernon High School – 100 California Road – Mt. Vernon, NY [Westchester County]
 February 15th and 16th 2008 – High School and College Divisions
 River Bank Cultural Theater
 145th Street & Riverside Drive
 New York, NY

1. Name of School	Phone
2. School Address	City State Zip
3. Name of Principal	
4. Name of Choir	# of Members 7. # of Chaperones
5. Choir Director	Phone
6. Faculty Advisor	Phone
8. Will you choir need a hotel?	How Many Rooms? Number of Days
9. Will your choir be available for additional performances?	_____

Please send with this application a 300 word statement about your school, community, choir and the \$40.00 application fee. Applications will be evaluated in the order in which they are received. The deadline for all applications in January 15th.

Name and position of person submitting this application _____ Date _____

Most Outstanding Categories		Most Outstanding Categories	
1.	Gospel Selection with Accompaniment	9.	Student Keyboardist
2.	A Cappella Gospel Selection	10.	Student Percussionist
3.	Gospel Selection with Choreography	11.	Accompaniment Section
4.	Original Gospel Composition by Student	12.	Participation In the Grand Processional
5.	Student Director	13.	Individual Choir Processional/Recessional
6.	Soprano Soloist	14.	Mime Presentation
7.	Alto Soloist	15.	Musically Inspired Dance Ensemble
8.	Male Soloist	16.	Choral Attire

GRAND TOTAL OF CASH AWARDS\$ 9,650.00

PLUS:

- **One complimentary DVD of the Competition for each choir**
- **Two complimentary formal group photographs of your choir**
- **Trophies for all winners in all categories and all divisions**
- **Opportunities for additional performances in the New York area**
- **Professional guided tours of popular landmarks in New York City**