



Gordon Sinclair, Artistic Director

If you were part of the audience at the Kingston Chamber Choir's May 2008 concert, you may have overheard the patron who commented, "This choir has been excellent since it was established, but with every performance it gets better and better. The concert with Andrew Tees was stunning!" The Kingston Chamber Choir has made a significant contribution to Kingston's musical scene in its past four seasons through its presentation of difficult and stirring repertoire and its polished performances.

Funds from the choir's 2006 Trillium grant have helped it mount challenging works and attract thrilling guest performers, but those funds will run out at the end of the 2008-2009 season. Reliance on revenue generated by ticket sales alone will not allow the choir to continue its outreach in the community.

You can help the choir to build on its successes. This letter invites you to become a Patron of the Kingston Chamber Choir as we celebrate the fifth season. With the help of your tax-deductible support, the choir can continue its growth by

- bringing to Kingston exciting and talented solo performers, many of whom will be the musical names of the future,
- encouraging young musicians to develop their talent through involving them in KCC performances,
- purchasing new and challenging music to expand performance repertoire,
- commissioning Canadian musical compositions that make the most of the choir's unique sound,
- recording performances for the choir's archives, and
- extending the choir's musical outreach by supporting performances outside of Kingston.

Patrons who contribute at the Bronze level (\$100) will receive 1 season ticket and a \$50 charitable receipt; patrons at the Silver level (\$200) will receive 2 season tickets and a \$100 charitable receipt; and patrons at the Gold level (\$300) will receive 2 season tickets and a \$200 charitable receipt. All patrons will be recognized in each concert's program. All season ticket holders enjoy a \$3.00 discount on any individual tickets purchased, including tickets to the Christmas concert.

I have an exceptional season planned to mark the choir's Fifth Season, as you will see from the enclosed Chamber Choir program for 2008-2009. It's a concert series you won't want to miss!

I look forward to hearing from you and to seeing you at the first concert on November 9.

Sincerely,

Gordon Sinclair
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music to move you