Knight Club Information

Choosing a Song

- To find a list of songs that have been done in the past, go to the choir website, click on "Knight Club", scroll down to "Browse the Archives", and click "Browse." Songs are in alphabetical order.
- You cannot perform a song that was released AFTER 2021 (includes 2022, 2023, 2024, etc.).
- Your song cannot have been performed at Knight Club show AFTER 2017 (includes '18, '19, '20, '21, etc.)
- The song must be family-friendly!
- Songs that charted on the US Billboard chart are preferred.
- Select songs that are high-energy, that feature lots of people on stage, that matches your voice and your personality.
- Choose songs that our audience would love!
- If it is solo, it must be performed as a solo. If it is a group song, we want all members of the group to audition.
- Be aware of instrumental background of your songs. Does it have significant band parts that allow our Knight Club band to be featured? Is it EDM or techno that requires a track? Be prepared to answer this if your song is chosen.
- Don't just sing songs from the same genre. Consider a variety of genres (pop, R & B, country, oldies, rock, etc.). Our #1 job is to produce a show that EVERYONE will enjoy.

Auditions

- Auditions will be on Tuesday, 10/7, Wednesday, 10/8, and Thursday, 10/9 at the following times:
  - Tues, 10/7: 8:45 AM – 6:00 PM
  - Wed, 10/8: 8:45 AM – 6:00 PM
  - Thurs, 10/9: 8:45 AM – 6:00 PM
- You will fill out an audition form before you audition
- You will have a mic and a sound system available to you. On a school laptop, you will find the track you're using for your audition (on YouTube, etc.) and have it cued up to where you want to start the song.
- We would like for the song to be memorized and performed completely; however, points will not be deducted for the song not being memorized.
- The **goal is** that you sound and perform like the original artist.
- Movement/performance is expected, but choreography is not.
- If you are planning on doing a song that requires backup singers, they do not necessarily need to audition with you.
- If you do a duet, you may be asked to sing with multiple partners.
- You cannot redo a song after you've auditioned on it.
- Only choir members are allowed to listen/watch auditions; directors reserve the right to ask spectators to leave.
- Be expected to do certain parts of the song several times. Be ready to perform "the money note."
- You can audition for as many songs are you want, but you must adhere to following *minimum* requirement: 1st/2nd period = 10 songs; 3rd period = 5 songs; 4th, 5th, 6th period = 1 song.

If You Make the Show

- You are responsible for having rehearsals and polishing your act.
- You must purchase your own costumes. YOU MUST LOOK LIKE THE ORIGINAL PERFORMER! If you have any questions about costumes, talk to directors before you leave for Winter Break.
- You can only be in 6 acts (not including PB, IM, or senior song)
- If you have any questions about your act, contact the directors via Remind or by email.
- You must be academically eligible to perform. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- You must be at dress rehearsal 2/3 & 2/4 and the performance on 2/6 & 2/7.
- You and your parents must sign a commitment contract outlining the acts you are in, your role, rehearsal checks, eligibility requirements, and general expectations.

Volunteer Positions (seniority encouraged)

- Tech crew (helping with sound, lighting, mic positioning)
- Backstage runners (making sure performers are ready, cues to performers, keeping the show organized)
- Quick change crew (help performers with quick changes)
- Stage manager (keeps everybody organized)
- Booster helpers (runners, lobby, programs, anything else they need)
- Hair & make-up