



One Human Family 10th Anniversary Celebration

Friday - Sunday, June 27th - 29th, 2008

With a pre-Anniversary Celebration

Thursday, June 26th, 2008

“IT’S TIME TO CELEBRATE, IT’S TIME FOR REJOICING”

Bring your family and come sing, celebrate, and fellowship with other OHFians from around North America.

General Program

The weekend’s activities will start off simmering with a dinner and jazz performance on Thursday evening, featuring some of our best jazz talent in OHF. On Friday, the anniversary officially kicks off with registration, followed by rehearsal. Our first official day together ends with an evening social so that you can catch up with folk you haven’t seen in a long time or make new friends. On Saturday, start your day off with yoga or meditation, followed by breakout sessions. We will rehearse after lunch and then get ready for the evening OHF Banquet where some well deserving individuals will be honored with OHFian awards. On Sunday, once again get your spirits in tune with yoga and meditation and your heart prepared with the Praise and Worship program so that you can be ready for our final jammin’ rehearsal. We will end the Anniversary Celebration on a high note with the Live Recorded Concert Performance.

Children’s Program

There will be a separate children/youth program throughout the weekend. On Friday, children ages 0-4 will have a separate program during the rehearsal. Children ages 5 and up are asked to attend the rehearsal on Friday. On Saturday, there will be separate children’s program from 8:45am-11:55am for children and youth ages 0-14. The afternoon will consist of a mix of rehearsal and supervised sports activities (swimming, basketball, volleyball, jump rope). On Sunday, children too young to participate in the performance will be supervised during the rehearsal and the concert. Snacks will be provided during supervised activities.



Preliminary Schedule

(Subject to Change)

Thursday, June 26th

Jazz Event (off site) 7:30pm

Friday, June 27th, 2008

Registration 10:00am – 3:00pm
Choir Rehearsal 1:00pm – 5:30pm
Dinner (on your own) 6:00pm – 8:00pm
Evening Social 8:00pm – 10:00pm

Saturday, June 28th, 2008

Yoga and Meditation 7:00am – 9:00am
Breakfast 7:00am – 9:00am
Plenary Session 9:00am – 9:45am
Breakout Sessions 10:00am – 11:55am
Buffet Lunch 12:00pm – 1:00pm
Rehearsal 1:30pm – 5:30pm
OHF Banquet (semi-formal) 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Sunday, June 29th, 2008

Yoga and Meditation 7:00am – 8:00am
Praise and Worship 8:00am – 8:45am
Rehearsal 9:00am – 11:45am
Move to Concert Venue 12:00pm
Lunch 12:30pm
Sound Check 1:30pm – 3:00pm
Break 3:00pm – 4:00pm
Concert 4:00pm
Reception 6:00pm
Return to Hotel 7:30pm

Monday, June 30th, 2008

Return Home



HOTEL

Conference Site:

Embassy Suites Hotel
201 Harrison Oaks Blvd
Cary, NC 27513
(919) 677-1840
www.embassysuitesraleighdurham.com

Hotel Accommodations

The Embassy Suites Hotel is situated in Cary, NC which is conveniently located close to the Raleigh Durham International Airport. Each of the two-room guest suites includes a private bedroom (choice of 2 doubles or king) and a spacious living room. The living room includes a queen-size sleeper sofa, refrigerator and microwave.

If you are in need of a vacation or rejuvenating experience, then you should definitely come (*we promise that this won't be OHF bootcamp*). During your stay, you and/or your family can take also take advantage of the hotel's indoor pool (open 24 hours), whirlpool, sauna, fitness center and lighted tennis, basketball and volleyball courts.

Rates

The Embassy Suite Hotel rates are \$119 per night plus taxes. Included in this rate is a complimentary cooked-to-order hot breakfast for all guests staying in the room.

Hotel Reservations

You can contact the hotel directly and ask for the One Human Family Choir Rate. Rooms can be reserved for Thursday through Sunday night.

Suggestion

If you need assistance in locating others to share a room, you can state this on your registration form and we will assist you in pairing with others. Four adults can more than comfortably sleep in a suite. A family of six with small children will also be able to stay comfortably.

Reservations must be made by **June 1st, 2008**.

Transportation to hotel

The hotel will provide free shuttle service to and from the airport.



Registration

Registration Fee:

\$145 for adults/youth (15 and up)

\$80 for children/youth (ages 5 – 14)

\$40 for children (without Saturday Banquet)

\$15 for children 0-4 (for babysitting and arts and crafts)

The registration fee includes the cost of lunch and dinner on Saturday and Sunday, a social reception on Friday night, transportation to concert, and rental and space fees. Excluded from the price are the Thursday jazz performance (price of dinner), lunch and dinner on Friday. Transportation to the Thursday jazz performance and to area restaurants on Friday evening will be provided. A restaurant is also located within the hotel and fast food restaurants are within walking distance.

As you can see above, there is the option for parents to exclude children from the Saturday Banquet at a reduced cost. Rooms are equipped with refrigerators and microwaves so you may provide an alternate meal for them. (If you need babysitting during the banquet, please remember to indicate it on your registration form).

Scholarships

A limited number of partial and full scholarships are available, particularly for those with more than one family member attending or those experiencing hardship.

Deposit

A deposit of **\$45 dollars** is required by **April 30th** for all adult attendees. The remaining balance must be received by June 13th or paid on site.

Merchandise

Anniversary T-shirts and other items will be available for purchase throughout the weekend.

Volunteers

A few volunteers are needed to staff the registration table on Friday (2 hour shift)

Music

More information regarding the music selection for the concert will be sent out in May.

Attire

To Be Determined, but more than likely it will be black bottoms and solid colored bright long sleeve tops.

Contact Information

For additional questions or information, please email Marsha Brooks at mbrooks@duke.edu or call Dilsey Davis at (919)598-7818.

Registration Form

You can either print the form out and then fill it out or fill it out and then print it. Please snail mail completed forms.