

New for 2009...

# *Come Solo Festival Choir*



with guest conductor

## **Fred Sjöberg**

Born in Sweden, Fred studied voice and choral conducting at the Royal Academy of Music in Stockholm and Örebro. He has studied with renowned choral leaders such as Eric Ericson and Helmuth Rilling. In 2000, he was awarded "Conductor of the Year" in Sweden. He is vice president of Europa Cantat and president of Europa Cantat Music Commission.

Come Solo participants have the opportunity to sing in the Grande Finale Massed Projects, attend all workshops and select concerts and perform as part of the "Come Solo Festival Choir". In 2009, Come Solo participants are invited to be a part of a "Come Solo Festival Choir" under the direction of internationally distinguished conductor, Fred Sjöberg! Those who choose to be in this ensemble will prepare a performance as one of the featured choirs in an evening World of Music concert.

- Participation is optional. Please indicate whether or not you wish to participate in this project on the accompanying application form.
- Once repertoire has been chosen, all interested participants will be notified.
- Music is to be purchased by the participant.
- Voicing will be SATB.
- Rehearsals will take place on Monday, July 6, Tuesday, July 7, Thursday, July 9 and Friday, July 10, 2009 for one hour (12:45pm—1:45pm).
- The "Come Solo Festival Choir" will perform at a World of Music concert on Friday, July 10, 2009.
- Concert dress is TBA.
- Following the performance, the choir will be seated in the venue as a group for the remainder of the World of Music concert (assigned seating).
- The "Come Solo Festival Choir" will be one of three featured groups on the World of Music concert, however it will not participate in the *Sharing the Voices* (massed choir) component.
- Come Solo participants who choose NOT to be a part of the "Come Solo Festival Choir" will receive a ticket to the World of Music concert of their choice on the Friday evening.

\* information subject to change.

**Come Solo Registration**



**Festival 500**  
*Sharing the Voices*

**July 5-12, 2009**

**Submit this form with full payment to:**

Festival 500 *Sharing the Voices*  
PO Box 2333, Station C  
St. John's, NL A1C 6E6  
CANADA  
Or by fax: (709) 738-6014

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**How did you learn about Festival 500 *Sharing the Voices*? Check all that apply:**

Advertising:   
Direct Mailing:   
Conference Exhibit  Personal Contact:   
Professional Contact:  Choir director:   
Word of Mouth:   
Internet /website:   
Return visit:   
Other (please indicate): \_\_\_\_\_

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**Come Solo Festival Choir**

I wish to participate

I DO NOT wish to participate

Name:		
Name preferred on nametag:		
Mailing Address:		
City, State/Province		
Country:	Zip/Postal Code:	
Daytime Phone:	Home Phone:	
Fax:	Mobile Phone:	
Email:		
<b>Registration Fee:</b>	Regular	\$395.00 CDN
	Senior (65+)	\$355.00 CDN
	Student	\$255.00 CDN
Included in your registration fee is:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One ticket to the Opening Ceremonies</li> <li>• Admission to afternoon workshops</li> <li>• One ticket to each of the four World of Music concerts (Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri)</li> <li>• Ground transportation for Festival 500 activities</li> <li>• Come Solo Reception</li> <li>• Massed Choir performance opportunity in Grande Finale Concert OR a ticket to attend Grande Finale</li> <li>• Registration kit</li> </ul>		
<b>Massed Adult Project</b>		
Please note: participation requires the purchase of the selected music. Participants must come to the Festival with music already learned.		
<b>Voicing:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Soprano <input type="checkbox"/> Alto <input type="checkbox"/> Tenor <input type="checkbox"/> Bass		
<b>Registration Payment</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular \$395.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Senior \$355.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Student \$255.00 (check one box)		\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Opening Night Concert Sun, July 5, 2009 - \$28.00 (Special Price - 1 per participant)		\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Break-out Day Concert Wed, July 8, 2009 - Club for Five - \$31.00 (Special Price - 1 per participant)		\$ _____
<b>Send me information about:</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Conducting Masterclass with Fred Sjöberg		
<input type="checkbox"/> Voice Masterclass with Wendy Nielsen & Michael McMahon		
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>The Phenomenon of Singing</i> International Symposium VII (July 2-5, 2009)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Earning graduate credit: Three graduate courses offered in collaboration with Memorial University		
Cheque or money order payable to Festival 500		Payment enclosed: \$ _____
<b>Credit Card payment</b> - VISA, Master Card, American Express    Fax to (709) 738-6014		
Card Number: _____		Expiry Date: ____/____
Name on Card (please print): _____		
Signature of Applicant: _____		Date: _____

**Refunds**  
If for some reason I cannot attend the Festival, I am entitled to a refund of half of the full registration fee until **March 31, 2009**; after that date no refund will be given.

**Waiver**  
I warrant that I am at least 19 years of age as of the signing of this document and that if I am not of legal majority, my parent or legal guardian will sign this document on my behalf. I understand that by signing this 2009 Festival 500 registration as an individual I waive any and all fees or rights to audio, video, broadcast, other recordings and photographic images made or authorized by Festival 500, its assignees and licensees, and agree that Festival 500 may use the visual and audio recordings of festival activities and performances in perpetuity in whichever way Festival 500 deems fit. In the event of a legal dispute, the laws of the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada will prevail. I further acknowledge that the Festival accepts no legal responsibility or liability with respect to any meals, accommodations, travel costs to and from St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada, or other costs incurred by me in relation to the Festival.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Come Solo Participant \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Parent or Guardian, if Participant is younger than 19 \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_