

## Manchester Community Choir Showcase: Saturday 25 April 2020



**An ideal opportunity for community choirs (ie, non-auditioned choirs with open access) from across the country to get together for a day and celebrate their love of singing.**

Each choir will perform a 12-minute programme to all other participants; they'll also receive friendly advice from an expert panel of adjudicators on how to enhance their performance, pick up repertoire and performance ideas, join in some massed singing - and generally have fun!

### Important things you'll want to know:

- **The cost: £15 per person for the whole day (incl tea/coffee and biscuits/cakes)**
- **There will be a piano available for accompanists**
- **There is a separate warm-up room for choirs to use**

### If you'd like to take part, we'll need:

- **Your online application and confirmed minimum attendees by 20 March 2020**
- **Your £50 non-returnable deposit, payable by 20 March 2020**
- **A choir biography (max 100 words) and photograph, by 27 March 2020 - please make sure to include the name of your MD and accompanist**
- **Payment of balance due by 3 April 2020**
- **Your programme details (titles and composer/arranger) by 3 April 2020**

**Venue:** Hallé St Peter's impressive new Oglesby Centre extension, opened in November 2019, offers state-of-the-art practice rooms and performance spaces. Parking in the Ancoats area is limited but the Centre is just 10 minutes' walk from Manchester Piccadilly train station, Piccadilly Gardens and Shudehill Bus Terminals and Metrolink stops, and 15 minutes' walk from Victoria train Station.