



Chisholm Trail Chorale is proud and excited to welcome esteemed teacher of voice, Laura Stevenson, to the Ranger Chorale family this fall! Mrs. Stevenson will be the most incredible addition to the forward momentum here at Chisholm Trail. Please see her bio below and join us in welcoming and celebrating Mrs. Stevenson!

Laura Stevenson started her music education studying choral conducting under the instruction of B.R. Henson at Sam Houston State University. She graduated summa cum laude with a degree in Vocal Pedagogy/Performance from Texas Women's University, where she has continued her graduate work in the field of vocal performance under the instruction of the esteemed Joan Wall. She has performed for nearly thirty years in the musical theatre, pop and classical fields. Laura Lewis Stevenson has sung with Casa Manana, Dallas Summer Musicals, Houston Grand Opera Apprentice Program, Dallas Lyric Opera and the Denton Light Opera Company as well as several local community theatres. She now restricts her work to freelance soprano oratorio in order to spend time sailing with her husband, Jason, and two children, Nathan (21) and Colin (17).



Laura Stevenson has taught voice, opera, and jazz for Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts and Texas Boys Choir for the past four years. Mrs. Stevenson and was the voice instructor for musical theatre, theatre, and choir at Fort Worth Country Day School for Fine Arts Director, Robert Stovall, and was the full-time voice instructor at Birdville High School for fourteen years. She also runs a private studio, Stevenson Studios. Before Birdville opened, Mrs. Stevenson taught at Richland High School, her alma mater. She has taught private voice for twenty two years. Mrs. Stevenson has taught over seventy Texas All-State Choir members. Her studio has had a record-breaking numbers of semi-finalists, finalists, and winners at NATS competition. Her students have included Show Choir members, Miss Texas pageant contestants, Johnnie High Country Music Revue Singers, Betty Buckley award winners, and professional recording artists. Stevenson Studio voice students have gone on to become contract opera singers, music producers, choir directors, voice instructors, pediatricians, architects, and engineers. Mrs. Stevenson also lectures on song literature for the young singer at local universities. Laura Stevenson's professional affiliations include Sigma Alpha Iota, Texas Music Educators Association, National Association of Teachers of Singing, Music Teachers National Association and the National Opera Association. Mrs. Stevenson presently holds the office of Past President of Dallas/Fort Worth Area Chapter of National Association of Teachers of Singing.



Please visit her website at www.StevensonStudios.com and sign up for your private lesson spot on the Chisholm Trail Chorale website! Mrs. Stevenson will be with us at our Jump Start Camps next Monday-Wednesday, also! Get ready for GREAT things to come!

With sincere excitement,

Jared Hardy
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Charlie Winkley
Directors, Chisholm Trail Chorale