



Indianapolis Children's Choir
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David Riggs to Retire from the Indianapolis Children's Choir

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INDIANAPOLIS - We are honored to share with you some bittersweet news regarding one of our esteemed colleagues. After 11 years of dedicated service and countless contributions to our organization, it is with mixed emotions that we announce the retirement of Dave Riggs, effective September 1, 2023.

Throughout Dave's remarkable journey with us, he has embodied the true spirit of commitment, professionalism, and excellence. His unwavering dedication and invaluable expertise have not only made a lasting impact on our team but also left an indelible mark on our organization. We owe a great deal of gratitude to Dave for his outstanding work!

As we bid farewell to Dave, let us take a moment to reflect on his remarkable achievements and the profound influence he had on our collective growth. From strengthening and creating relationships in our community and with our donors to starting the annual golf benefit to most recently working with our ICC Alumni Association, Dave's consistently demonstrated his unparalleled skills and exceptional leadership qualities that have inspired us all – as well as plenty of jokes to keep us all chuckling along the way.

While we are saddened by the departure of such a valuable team member, we also understand that retirement is a well-deserved reward, and we are so happy for Dave as he enters this next chapter. Dave will have the opportunity to embark on new adventures, indulge in personal passion projects, and cherish precious moments with loved ones. Let us celebrate this milestone in Dave's life and wish him a retirement filled with joy, relaxation, and fulfillment.

For more than four decades, Dave has held a variety of leadership positions as a not-for-profit professional. He is a native of Indianapolis and a graduate of Wabash College. Dave began his career as a District Executive with the Crossroads of America Council, Boy Scouts of America. He also served as a Scouting professional in Flint, Michigan and in Chicago, Illinois. In Chicago, he became a Regional Vice President with the American Cancer Society. Throughout his career Dave has also been an active community volunteer, serving on the Flushing (Michigan) Board of Education and as a church youth group leader and administrative officer. He is a member and past president of the Kiwanis Club of Northwest Indianapolis.

All of us here at the ICC wish express our deepest appreciation to Dave for his contributions, passion for our mission, and unwavering commitment to the arts in our community!

We will be organizing a retirement celebration to honor Dave's incredible tenure with the ICC on August 25, 2023. Details will follow shortly. If you'd like to send an email to Dave, he can be reached at dhriggs@icchoir.org or if you'd like to send a card, please mail the card to the ICC at 4600 Sunset Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46208 and please put the card to Dave's attention. Thank you for helping the ICC to pay tribute to Dave's exceptional career.

About the Indianapolis Children's Choir



Currently in its 38th season, the Indianapolis Children's Choir (ICC) has grown to become one of the largest professional children's choirs in the world. Led by Artistic Director Joshua Pedde, the ICC serves more than 2,500 central Indiana children from ages 18 months through 18 years in our ensembles and music education outreach programs. The ICC nurtures and inspires student achievement through quality music education and the pursuit of artistic excellence in choral music performance. To enroll a child, attend a concert, or make a financial donation, visit icchoir.org or call 317.940.9640.

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