

Hello Teachers and Administrators!

Wolf Trap Foundation for the Performing Arts is pleased to continue the longstanding tradition of the **Wolf Trap Holiday Sing-A-Long**, this year with a virtual twist! This annual event combines a festive instrumental performance by the United States Marine Band and a sing-a-long of traditional holiday carols led by more than 500 local singers. We will be presenting this year's event in a digital format and we're inviting you to participate.

The United States Marine Band will film the Holiday Sing-A-Long from The Barns with no in-person audience and lead a digital audience of Wolf Trap friends and family in a program of festive songs. The program will conclude with a compilation-style community sing-a-long; this is where we need your help!

**Encourage your students to submit a video of themselves (alone or in a family group) singing along with "Deck the Halls" by Friday, October 23 and their video could be featured in one of our virtual performances.** Technical specifications and instructions for recording can be found at [wolftrap.org/singalong](http://wolftrap.org/singalong); videos can be easily recorded at home via cell phone or laptop. Festive attire, such as your favorite holiday sweater or Santa hat, or even festive décor, such as a cozy fireplace or evergreen tree, encouraged!

Please note: due to anticipated volume of response, not all submission videos may be used in the final compilation.

We hope that you will join us from home for the virtual premier of the performance on December 5 and 19, 2020, gathered safely with family, cocoa, and cookies. Please feel free to contact us with any questions via email at [sing@wolftrap.org](mailto:sing@wolftrap.org).

Sincerely,

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