



**World  
Choir  
Games**

**AUCKLAND 2024**  
AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND

**JULY  
10-20,  
2024**

**EVENT GUIDE**

**JULY 10-20, 2024**  
**TĀMAKI MAKĀURAU AUCKLAND**  
**AOTEAROA NEW ZEALAND**

# NAU MAI, HAERE MAI!

## A very warm welcome to the World Choir Games 2024!

For the first time ever, we have the privilege of hosting the largest choral competition and festival in the world, right here in Aotearoa New Zealand. Over 11,000 participants from more than 40 countries have arrived in Tāmaki Makaurau Auckland to enjoy intense (but friendly) competition, spectacular ceremonies, interactive workshops and stunning concerts.

More than 250 participating choirs and groups will bring a huge variety of vocal and musical styles from almost every region of the world, providing a two-week feast for both the ears and the eyes! We hope they will also make many new choral friends along the way and return home inspired by what they have both achieved and experienced.

Organised by INTERKULTUR, the World Choir Games 2024 is hosted by the New Zealand Choral Federation and delivered by Chor 2024 Limited. Together we extend a huge thank-you to our major partners, New Zealand Major Events and Tātaki Auckland Unlimited, Auckland's cultural and economic agency. We are also grateful to all our domestic partners, sponsors, staff and volunteers who have helped us stage this magnificent event.

**Let The Games Begin!**



## WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

### 01

#### CEREMONIES

Ceremonies include the Opening Ceremony, Awards Ceremonies and the Closing Ceremony, all happening at Spark Arena.

### 02

#### COMPETITIONS

Get access to a full day of captivating performances, exhilarating competitions, and cultural experiences.

### 03

#### FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS

Experience the thrill of the World Choir Games up close and personal at free friendship concerts throughout Tāmaki Makaurau.

### 04

#### CELEBRATION CONCERTS

Carefully curated and themed international performances, including Matariki He Kāhui Reo, Night of the Dragon, A Choral Kaleidoscope, A Night of Song and Dance, and Pacific Spirit.

### 05

#### PARADE OF NATIONS

Witness the spectacle of thousands of international choristers on Quay Street.

**FULL PROGRAMMING AND  
TICKETING INFORMATION AT  
[WCG2024.CO.NZ](http://WCG2024.CO.NZ)**

**WEDNESDAY,  
JULY 10, 2024**

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**OFFICIAL EVENT**

**19h30** **OPENING CEREMONY  
OF THE 13<sup>TH</sup> WORLD CHOIR GAMES**  
Spark Arena



## **OPENING CEREMONY OF THE 13<sup>TH</sup> WORLD CHOIR GAMES**

**SPARK ARENA  
WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 2024  
19h30**

The World Choir Games 2024 springs into action with a momentous Opening Ceremony at Spark Arena.

Join us as in welcoming choirs from all parts of the world to Tāmaki Makaurau Auckland with a glittering flag parade of nations and a spellbinding show that weaves our varied cultural traditions and performance styles together into a dynamic story of collective singing in Aotearoa New Zealand.

Conceived by World of Wearable Art director Malia Johnston, in collaboration with designer Rowan Pierce, composer Eden Mulholland, Kura Te Ua and Otene Hopa.

This theatrical spectacular features performances by singer Ria Hall, haka dance company Hawaiki TŪ, Freshmans Dance Crew, the Auckland Gospel Choir, Viva Voce and more.





# THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2024

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## COMPETITIONS

- 10h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
04 – YOUTH CHOIRS  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Aotearoa New Zealand Academy Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Atlanta Music Project Senior Youth Choir** (Atlanta, USA), **Choir of St. Michael's Grammar School** (St Kilda, Australia), **Mariano Marcos State University - Nasudi Chorale** (City of Batac, Philippines), **Miriam College High School Glee Club** (Quezon City, Philippines), **Pacific Voices** (Abbotsford, Canada), **St. Patrick's College Choir** (Townsville, Australia)
- 10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
025 – POP WITH CHOREOGRAPHY  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**He Tangata Voices** (Whangarei, New Zealand)  
**Liu Bai Pop Choir** (Guangzhou, China)  
**Six to Sixty** (Palmerston North, New Zealand)
- 10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
010 – FEMALE CHOIRS  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
**China ShEO Choir** (Shanghai, China)  
**Shenzhen Heart-light Female Choir** (Shenzhen, China)  
**Zhuhai Semiquaver Female Choir** (Zhuhai, China)
- 11h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C25 – POP WITH CHOREOGRAPHY  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**Voces Luce** (Wellington, New Zealand)  
**Young People's Chorus of New York City** (New York, USA)
- 11h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C10 – FEMALE CHOIRS  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
**Shanghai Xinyue Women's Choir** (Shanghai, China)

Choirs for all events are listed in alphabetical order.

## COMPETITIONS

- 14h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C4 – YOUTH CHOIRS  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Academy of Music's Girls Choir Esbjerg** (Esbjerg, Denmark), **Auckland Youth Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Australian Children's Choir** (Mitcham, Australia), **Choralation** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Diocesan Girls' School Choir** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR), **UngKlang** (Frederiksberg, Denmark), **Young People's Chorus of New York City - Chorale** (New York, USA)
- 15h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C28 – FOLKLORE & INDIGENOUS MUSIC WITH CHOREOGRAPHY  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**Bao Lai Junior High School Choir** (Kaohsiung, Chinese Taipei), **Kgoši Mampuru II Unitas DCS Choir** (Tshwane, South Africa), **Ngā Puna o Waiōrea** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Paduan Suara Mahasiswa Universitas Hasanuddin** (Makassar, Indonesia), **Student Choir of Nankai University** (Tianjin, China)
- 19h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
028 – FOLKLORE & INDIGENOUS MUSIC WITH CHOREOGRAPHY  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**Auckland Pasifika Voices** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Mei Flower** (Langfang, China), **Primanavia** (Suva, Fiji), **Tuaikaepau** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Zhuhai Semiquaver Female Choir** (Zhuhai, China)
- 19h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
06 – VOCAL ENSEMBLES  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
**Nota Bene** (Wellington, New Zealand)  
**The Voice of Fragrant Rhythm Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand)
- 20h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C6 – VOCAL ENSEMBLES  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
**RUSingers Ensemble** (Beijing, China)



# THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2024

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## A CHORAL KALEIDOSCOPE

### WORKSHOPS

- 10h30 **MUSICIANSHIP EXERCISES IN CHOIR REHEARSAL**  
**SUSANNA SAW** (Malaysia)  
Q Theatre – Loft
- 15h00 **THE ART OF A CAPPELLA**  
**TIMOTHY WAYNE-WRIGHT** (Great Britain/ New Zealand)  
Q Theatre – Loft

### FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS

- 11h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
All Saints Church, Howick  
Hui Te Ananui a Tangaroa – New Zealand Maritime Museum  
Mairangi Arts Centre  
MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall
- 12h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Britomart
- 14h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall

### CELEBRATION CONCERT

- 19h30 **A CHORAL KALEIDOSCOPE**  
Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall
- Delaware Choral Scholars** (Newark, USA)  
**Festival Statesmen Chorus** (Adelaide, Australia)  
**The Graduate Choir NZ** (Auckland, New Zealand)  
**UngKlang** (Frederiksberg, Denmark)

Choirs for all events are listed in alphabetical order.

**AUCKLAND TOWN HALL – GREAT HALL**  
**THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2024**  
**19h30**

A showcase of the finest choirs, conveying a wide variety of choir types and music styles that will be on glorious show throughout the Games.

Concert One features the acclaimed Graduate Choir from New Zealand and the exciting Delaware Choral Scholars from the USA. They will be joined by two equal-voice groups, the smooth-toned Festival Statesmen from Australia and Ungklang, an entertaining young Danish ensemble who like to shake things up!

**Delaware Choral Scholars** (Newark, USA)  
**Festival Statesmen Chorus** (Adelaide, Australia)  
**The Graduate Choir NZ** (Auckland, New Zealand)  
**UngKlang** (Frederiksberg, Denmark)



**FRIDAY,  
JULY 12, 2024**

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**015 – SACRED CHORAL MUSIC A CAPPELLA**  
**St Matthew-in-the-City**  
Lux Fulgebit (Montevideo, Uruguay), **Mariano Marcos State University - Nasudi Chorale** (City of Batac, Philippines), **Miriam College High School Glee Club** (Quezon City, Philippines)
- 10h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C26 – FOLKLORE & INDIGENOUS MUSIC A CAPPELLA**  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
Female Vocal Ensemble “**Klapa Kastav**” (Kastav, Croatia), **Guangzhou Little Petrel Children’s Choir** (Guangzhou, China), **Hangzhou Qianjiang Star Children’s Choir** (Hangzhou, China), **Male Vocal Ensemble “Klapa Kastav”** (Kastav, Croatia), **Paduan Suara Mahasiswa Universitas Hasanuddin** (Makassar, Indonesia), **RUSingers** (Beijing, China)
- 11h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**02 – CHILDREN’S CHOIRS (1/2)**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Cuckoo Choir of Hefei No.45 Middle School** (Hefei, China), **GCGS XingYue Chorus** (Foshan, China), **National Boys Choir of Australia** (Ringwood, Australia), **New Taipei City Junior Choir** (New Taipei City, Chinese Taipei), **New Zealand Children’s Choral Academy Senior Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Pqwasan na TaoShan** (HsinChu, Chinese Taipei)
- 11h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**023 – POP ENSEMBLES (1/2)**  
**Q Theatre – Rangatira**  
**Geelong Grammar School Bluebirds** (Corio, Australia), **Ombre** (New Plymouth, New Zealand), **St Mary’s College Vocal Ensemble** (Maryborough, Australia), **St. Mary’s Parents and Friends Choir** (North Sydney, Australia), **The Doubtful Sounds** (Wellington, New Zealand)

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 14h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C8 – MIXED CHOIRS**  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**Cantica Collegium Musicum** (Martin, Slovakia), **Delaware Choral Scholars** (Newark, USA), **Kgoši Mampuru II Unitas DCS Choir** (Tshwane, Gauteng, South Africa), **Shanghai Jiao Tong University Choir** (Shanghai, China), **Student Choir of Nankai University** (Tianjin, China), **The Graduate Choir NZ** (Auckland, New Zealand)
- 14h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**02 – CHILDREN’S CHOIRS (2/2)**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Beijing Zhengze School Choir** (Beijing, China), **China Chongqing Bashu Secondary School Choir** (Chongqing, China), **Con Brio Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Kahuzas Chorus** (Kaohsiung, Chinese Taipei), **National Nanke International Experimental High** (Tainan, Chinese Taipei), **Shanghai Sfuture Choir** (Shanghai, China)
- 16h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C15 – SACRED CHORAL MUSIC A CAPPELLA (1/2)**  
**St Matthew-in-the-City**  
**Australian Children’s Choir** (Mitcham, Australia), **Choralation** (Auckland, New Zealand), **UngKlang** (Frederiksberg, Denmark), **Shanghai Youth Choir** (Shanghai, China)
- 16h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**023 – POP ENSEMBLES (2/2)**  
**Q Theatre – Rangatira**  
**Geelong Grammar School Lyrical Lads** (Corio, Australia), **Harambee A Cappella** (Abbotsford, Australia), **Natura Glee Club** (Shanghai, China), **Sounds of the Shore** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Yazers** (Singapore)

**FRIDAY,  
JULY 12, 2024**

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 20h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**08 – MIXED CHOIRS**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
All Together Now (Auckland, New Zealand), **Auckland Chinese Philharmonic Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Dream Lotus Insightful Praises Choir** (Songshan District, Chinese Taipei), **Exaudi** (Hawthorn, Australia), **Lianmeng AusChina Senior Choir** (Blackburn, Australia), **Stonefields Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand)
- 20h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C23 – POP ENSEMBLES**  
**Q Theatre – Rangatira**  
**B.I.G CHOIR** (Seoul, Republic of Korea), **Festival Statesmen Chorus** (Adelaide, Australia), **Vox Singers - Chór POKIS** (Plock, Poland)

**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

- 11h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
Auckland Botanic Gardens  
New Lynn Community Centre  
Te Manawa Library
- 12h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Britomart
- 14h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
All Saints Church, Howick  
Hui Te Ananui a Tangaroa – New Zealand Maritime Museum  
St George's Presbyterian Church

**WORKSHOPS**

- 10h30 POETRY IN MUSIC**  
**YANBIN XIA** (China)  
Holy Trinity Cathedral
- 10h30 AFRICA REJOICE!**  
**SING AND DANCE THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAY**  
**MICHAEL BARRETT** (South Africa)  
Q Theatre – Loft
- 15h00 I LOVE MUSIC THEORY!**  
**ANNA TABITA ABELEDA-PIQUERO** (Philippines)  
Q Theatre – Loft

**CELEBRATION CONCERTS**

- 19h30 A NIGHT OF SONG AND DANCE**  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)  
**Paduan Suara Mahasiswa Universitas Hasanuddin** (Makassar, Indonesia)  
Te Waka Huia (New Zealand)
- 19h30 NIGHT OF THE DRAGON**  
Holy Trinity Cathedral  
**Diocesan Boys' School Choir** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR)  
**Guangzhou Little Petrel Children's Choir** (Guangzhou, China)  
**Hangzhou Qianjiang Star Children's Choir** (Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China)

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# A NIGHT OF SONG AND DANCE

**KIRI TE KANAWA THEATRE (AOTEA CENTRE)  
FRIDAY, JULY 12, 2024  
19h30**

Experience the power and passion of kapa haka and the lyrical beauty of choral music, presented in partnership with Te Matatini.

**Paduan Suara Mahasiswa Universitas Hasanuddin**  
(Makassar, Indonesia)  
**Te Waka Huia** (New Zealand)



# NIGHT OF THE DRAGON

**HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL  
FRIDAY, JULY 12, 2024  
19h30**

Celebrate the Year of the Dragon, as we bring together the most outstanding choirs from China who have made the journey to compete here in Aotearoa. You can expect highly polished, beautiful and moving performances from the featured groups, who are all celebrated within the vast Chinese choral world.

**Diocesan Boys' School Choir**  
(Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong, SAR)  
**Guangzhou Little Petrel Children's Choir**  
(Guangzhou, China)  
**Hangzhou Qianjiang Star Children's Choir**  
(Hangzhou, China)

**SATURDAY,  
JULY 13, 2024**

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**OFFICIAL EVENTS**

**19h30 AWARDS CEREMONY >  
THE OPEN COMPETITION**  
Spark Arena

**COMPETITIONS**

**10h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C2 – CHILDREN'S CHOIRS**  
Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall

Carmel Pak U Secondary School Choir (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR), Guangzhou Little Petrel Children's Choir (Guangzhou, China), Hangzhou Qianjiang Star Children's Choir (Hangzhou, China), Little Skylark Children's Choir (Guangzhou, China), Shanghai Philharmonic Children's Choir (Shanghai, China), Shanghai Youth Choir (Shanghai, China), Voces Luce (Wellington, New Zealand), Young People's Chorus of New York City - YPC (New York, USA)

**10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**026 – FOLKLORE & INDIGENOUS MUSIC A CAPPELLA**  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)

All Together Now (Auckland, New Zealand), Colegio de la Purisima Concepcion Chorale (Roxas City, Philippines), Dianchi College of Yunnan University Dianzhuyuan Choir (Kunming, China), Lux Fulgebit (Montevideo, Uruguay), Medena Ensemble (Auckland, New Zealand)

**10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**014 – SENIOR CHOIRS OF EQUAL VOICES**  
Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber

Autumn Whispers Choir (Shenzhen, China), Blokes Notes (Port Macquarie, Australia), Chongqing Lingzhisheng Choir (Chongqing, China), Chu Cultural of China (Wuhan, China), Junxing Philharmonic Choir (Beijing, China), Kunming Maple Leaf Chorus (Kunming, China)

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**COMPETITIONS**

**10h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C15 – SACRED CHORAL MUSIC A CAPPELLA [2/2]**  
St Matthew-in-the-City

Academy of Music's Girls Choir Esbjerg (Esbjerg, Denmark), Cantica Collegium Musicum (Martin, Slovakia), Delaware Choral Scholars (Newark, USA), Diocesan Schools Choral Society (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR), Festival Statesmen Chorus (Adelaide, Australia)

**14h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**017 – MUSIC OF SPIRIT & FAITH**  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)

Ascension (Auckland, New Zealand), Dream Lotus Insightful Praises Choir (Songshan District, Chinese Taipei), E.F.K.S Papakura Choir (Auckland, New Zealand), Exaudi (Hawthorn, Australia), Pacific Voices (Abbotsford, Canada)

**19h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C17 – MUSIC OF SPIRIT AND FAITH**  
**C18 – CONTEMPORARY MUSIC EQUAL VOICES**  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)

**C17** Carmel Pak U Secondary School Choir (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR), Shanghai Jiao Tong University Choir (Shanghai, China)  
**C18** Diocesan Boys' School Choir (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR)

**WORKSHOPS**

**10h30 PACIFIC VOICES:  
AN IMMERSIVE EXPLORATION OF SAMOAN SONGS**  
**TUILAGI IGELESE ETE (New Zealand/ Samoa)**  
Q Theatre – Loft

**15h00 MUSIC THROUGH CHILDREN'S EYES**  
**DARIUS LIM (Singapore)**  
Q Theatre – Loft

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JULY 13, 2024**

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**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

- 11h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
Auckland Botanic Gardens  
MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall  
Tāmaki Paenga Hira - Auckland War Memorial Museum
- 13h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Commercial Bay
- 14h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
Auckland Botanic Gardens  
MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall  
Tāmaki Paenga Hira - Auckland War Memorial Museum
- 15h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Hui Te Ananui a Tangaroa – New Zealand Maritime Museum

**CELEBRATION CONCERT**

- 17h00 **PACIFIC SPIRIT**  
Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall  
Anuanua Performing Arts Troupe (Cook Islands)  
Primanavia (Suva, Fiji)



**PACIFIC SPIRIT**

**AUCKLAND TOWN HALL – GREAT HALL  
SATURDAY, JULY 13, 2024  
17h00**

**Celebrating the harmonious songs, vibrant dances and epic storytelling of the island nations of Aotearoa’s Pacific communities.**

Pacific Spirit features heritage and contemporary Pacific performing arts performed by intergenerational artists and curated by the creative powerhouse Pacific Underground, Aotearoa’s longest running Pacific performing arts collective.

**Anuanua Performing Arts Troupe (Cook Islands)  
Primanavia (Suva, Fiji)**



**SUNDAY,  
JULY 14, 2024**

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**OFFICIAL EVENTS**

**10h00 AWARDS CEREMONY >  
THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION**  
Spark Arena

**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

**14h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
All Saints Church  
Auckland Botanic Gardens



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**MONDAY,  
JULY 15, 2024**

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**TUESDAY,  
JULY 16, 2024**

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**CELEBRATION CONCERT**

19h30 **MATARIKI HE KĀHUI REO**  
Holy Trinity Cathedral



**MATARIKI HE  
KĀHUI REO**

**HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL  
MONDAY AND TUESDAY,  
JULY 15 AND 16, 2024  
19h30**

**Mānawatia a Matariki!**

No fewer than eight choirs, five composers, three lyricists, and a kapa haka rōpū will all feature in Matariki He Kāhui Reo (Matariki, a constellation of voices), the ground-breaking choral work that is Aotearoa New Zealand's signature offering at the World Choir Games 2024.

**OFFICIAL EVENTS**

15h30 **PARADE OF NATIONS**  
Te Komititanga to Te Wero Island

**CELEBRATION CONCERT**

19h30 **MATARIKI HE KĀHUI REO**  
Holy Trinity Cathedral

**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

11h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
Auckland Botanic Gardens  
Māngere Arts Centre - Ngā Tohu o Uenuku

12h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Britomart District

18h30 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Tāmaki Paenga Hira - Auckland War Memorial Museum






# PARADE OF NATIONS

**TE KOMITITANGA TO TE WERO ISLAND**  
**TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2024**  
**15h30**

Witness the spectacle as thousands of international choristers make their way along Quay Street.



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**WEDNESDAY,  
JULY 17, 2024**

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
O27 – FOLKLORE AND INDIGENOUS MUSIC WITH ACCOMPANIMENT (1/2)  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**Dolphin Hearing Disabled Children's Choir** (Tianjin, China), **Hngyang Na Atayal** (Hsin-Chu County, Chinese Taipei), **Nankai University Tianjin Alumni Association Choir** (Tianjin, China), **Shih-Yu Chorus** (New Taipei City, Chinese Taipei), **The Song Children's Choir** (Tianjin, China)
- 10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
O21 – GOSPEL  
**Q Theatre – Rangatira**  
**Kāpiti Gospel Choir** (Paraparaumu, New Zealand), **Otara PIC Youth Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **The Promise of Avondale** (Cooranbong, Australia), **United Auckland Gospel Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand)
- 11h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
O1 – YOUNG CHILDREN'S CHOIRS (1/3)  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**DC Junior Choir** (Harare, Zimbabwe), **Pu Ying Chorus of Shanghai Puming Normal School Affiliated Primary School** (Shanghai, China), **Shoac Children's Chorus - Lark** (Shanghai, China), **Shoac Children's Chorus - Star** (Shanghai, China), **Wings of Song Children's Choir** (Hillcrest, New Zealand)
- 11h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C1 – YOUNG CHILDREN'S CHOIRS (1/2)  
**Dorothy Winstone Centre**  
**CAC Blue Children's Choir** (Hangzhou, China), **Chengdu Sweet Psalmist Children's Choir** (Sichuan, China), **Children's Broadcast Choir of Zhejiang** (Hangzhou, China), **Shanghai Little Star Boys Choir** (Shanghai, China), **Wizard Children's Choir** (Incheon, Republic of Korea)

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 11h45 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C21 – GOSPEL  
**Q Theatre – Rangatira**  
**Soul Sounds** (Colombo, Sri Lanka), **Voices of Unity** (Fort Wayne, USA), **Young People's Chorus of New York City** (New York, USA)
- 14h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
O7 – MIXED CHAMBER CHOIRS (1/2)  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
**Adelaide Choral Ambassadors** (Ottoway, Australia), **Choral Institute Melbourne (Chime) Inc.** (Melbourne, Australia), **Lumina Vocal Ensemble** (North Plympton, Australia), **Sängerkreis Hildburghausen** (Römhild, Germany), **Shanghai Hong-Yi Chorus** (Shanghai, China), **Sitting Room Singers** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Southland** (Dudley, Australia), **Strange Weather Choir** (Adelaide, Australia)
- 14h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C1 – YOUNG CHILDREN'S CHOIR (2/2)  
**Dorothy Winstone Centre**  
**Guangzhou Opera House Children's Chorus** (Guangzhou, China), **Jsing Voice Children's Choir** (Shijiazhuang, China), **Sekolah Global Indo-Asia Children's Choir** (Batam, Indonesia), **Shenyang Radio and Television Children's Choir** (Shenyang, China), **Pu Ying Chorus of Shanghai Puming Normal School Affiliated Primary School** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR)
- 14h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
O1 – YOUNG CHILDREN'S CHOIR (2/3)  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Choral Studio Harmony** (Melbourne, Australia), **Guangdong Voice of Seasons Children's Choir** (Foshan, China), **Dunedin Children's Choir - Chamber Choir** (Dunedin, New Zealand), **Futian District Hongling Experimental Primary School** (Shenzhen, China), **Nankai University Tianjin Alumni Association Children's Choir** (Tianjin, China), **The Fireflies Chorus of Elementary School Attached to Huazhong University of Science & Technology** (Wuhan, China), **YS Performing Arts Group** (Seoul, Republic of Korea)

**WEDNESDAY,  
JULY 17, 2024**

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 15h00 THE OPEN/CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
020 & C20 – JAZZ  
Q Theatre – Rangatira  
020 Bianglala Voices (Jakarta, Indonesia)  
C20 CAC Blue Children's Choir (Hangzhou, China)
- 15h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
027 – FOLKLORE AND INDIGENOUS MUSIC WITH ACCOMPANIMENT (2/2)  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)  
AK Choir (Hayama, Japan), Beijing ALFISO Children's and Youth Choir (Beijing, China), Liuzhou Women and Children Development Center's Choir (Liuzhou, China), Nesaca (Yaoundé, Cameroon), Shanghai Ai Li Ge Choir (Shanghai, China)
- 19h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C27 – FOLKLORE AND INDIGENOUS MUSIC WITH ACCOMPANIMENT (1/3)  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)  
Little Skylark Children's Choir (Guangzhou, China), Nibun Chorus (Kaohsiung, Chinese Taipei), Rhyme of River Children's Choir (Foshan, China), Shenzhen Concert Hall Golden Treelet Multi-Ethnic Children's Choir (Shenzhen, China), Shenzhen Poly Birds of Paradise Children's Choir (Shenzhen, China), Wuxi Shanhe Senior Chorus (Wuxi, China)
- 19h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
C16 – SACRED CHORAL MUSIC WITH ACCOMPANIMENT (1/2)  
St Matthew-in-the-City  
Choeur Vox Christi (Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso), Columbus International Children's Choir (Dublin, USA), Farnham Youth Choir (Haslemere, Great Britain), Quezon City Performing Arts Development (Quezon City, Philippines)

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 20h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
07 – MIXED CHAMBER CHOIRS (2/2)  
Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber  
Bellevue Chamber Chorus (Bellevue, USA), Hngyang Na Atayal (Hsin-Chu County, Chinese Taipei), Jsing Voice Youth Choir (Shijiazhuang, China), Kaitaia Community Voices (Kaitaia, New Zealand), Opera North Chamber Choir (Whangarei, New Zealand), Seoul Purname Choir (Seoul, Republic of Korea), The Cloud Chamber Singers (Auckland, New Zealand)
- 20h00 THE OPEN/CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
024 & C24 – POP CHOIRS  
Q Theatre – Rangatira  
024 City of Sails Barbershop Chorus (Auckland, New Zealand), Redland City Choir (Thornlands, Australia), Soulfood (Denistone, Australia)  
C24 Liwan Children's Choir (Guangzhou, China), Vocal FX (Wellington, New Zealand)

**WORKSHOPS**

- 10h30 PERFORMING LATIN AMERICAN CHORAL MUSIC**  
CRISTIAN GRASES (Venezuela/ USA)  
Q Theatre – Loft
- 10h30 FROM CHINA TO THE WORLD**  
XINGZIMIN PAN (China)  
Holy Trinity Cathedral
- 15h00 THE 'TE WEHI HAKA' EXPERIENCE**  
TAPETA WEHI (Aotearoa New Zealand)  
St Matthew-in-the-City
- 19h30 PITCH PERFECT SINGALONG!**  
DEKE SHARON (USA)  
Dorothy Winstone Centre

**WEDNESDAY,  
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**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

- 11h00** **FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
Auckland Botanic Gardens  
Māngere Arts Centre - Ngā Tohu o Uenuku  
MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall  
New Lynn Community Centre
- 12h00** **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Britomart Precinct
- 13h00** **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Commercial Bay
- 14h00** **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Auckland Botanic Gardens
- 15h00** **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
All Saints Church  
Māngere Arts Centre - Ngā Tohu o Uenuku  
MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall
- 16h00** **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
SkyCity Auckland

**CELEBRATION CONCERTS**

- 19h30** **NIGHT OF THE DRAGON**  
Holy Trinity Cathedral  
**Sacred Heart Canossian College Choir** (Pokfulam, Hong Kong, China/  
Hong Kong), **Shanghai Youth Choir** (Shanghai, China), **Shenzhen Futian  
Star Bright Choir** (Shenzhen, Guangdong, China)

**CELEBRATION CONCERTS**

- 19h30** **A CHORAL KALEIDOSCOPE**  
Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall  
**ByeZoo Choir** (Beijing, China), **consonus vokalensemble** (Chur,  
Switzerland), **Paradisum** (Auckland, New Zealand), **University of Oregon  
Chamber Choirs** (Eugene, OR, USA)

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# NIGHT OF THE DRAGON

**HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL  
WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2024  
19h30**

Celebrate the Year of the Dragon, as we bring together the most outstanding choirs from China who have made the journey to compete here in Aotearoa.

You can expect highly polished, beautiful and moving performances from the featured groups, who are all celebrated within the vast choral world.

- Sacred Heart Canossian College Choir** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR)
- Shanghai Youth Choir** (Shanghai, China)
- Shenzhen Futian Star Bright Choir** (Shenzhen, China)

## A CHORAL KALEIDOSCOPE

**AUCKLAND TOWN HALL – GREAT HALL  
WEDNESDAY, JULY 17, 2024  
19h30**

Concert Two features a showcase of two mixed-voice choirs that are quite different in nature: the passionate Swiss consonus vokalensemble and the much-awarded University of Oregon Chamber Choir from the USA.

Fine local choir Paradisum from Epsom Girls' Grammar School continues the attractive line-up, with an additional top international choir ByeZoo Choir from Beijing.

- ByeZoo Choir** (Beijing, China)
- Paradisum** (Auckland, New Zealand)
- consonus vokalensemble** (Chur, Switzerland)
- University of Oregon Chamber Choirs** (Eugene, USA)







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The New Zealand Choral Federation – Te Kotahitanga Manu Reo o Aotearoa – is a nationwide choral network committed to promoting the performance, creation and enjoyment of choral music for all. Our diverse community includes thousands of singers performing in styles ranging from classical, world music and barbershop through to gospel and jazz.

Our signature events include:

- The Big Sing – secondary school festivals
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- SingFests – regional festivals for community choirs
- Choral Connect – national conference for choir directors
- Sing Aotearoa – national festival for choral singers

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JULY 18, 2024**

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COMPETITIONS

- 10h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C27 – FOLKLORE & INDIGENOUS MUSIC WITH ACCOMPANIMENT (2/2)**  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**Chengdu Sweet Psalmist Children's Choir** (Sichuan, China), **Cheeseburger Hill** (Nonthaburi, Thailand), **Choeur Vox Christi** (Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso), **Panyu Xinghai Childrens' Choir** (Guangzhou, China), **Sekolah Global Indo-Asia Children's Choir** (Batam, Indonesia), **Shenyang Radio and Television Children's Choir** (Shenyang, China), **Vocal FX** (Wellington, New Zealand), **Yunnan Yuesheng Choir** (Kunming, China)
- 10h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**016 – SACRED CHORAL MUSIC WITH ACCOMPANIMENT**  
**St Matthew-in-the-City**  
**Choral Institute Melbourne (Chime) Inc.** (Melbourne, Australia), **Macau Baptist College Choir** (Macau, China/Macao SAR), **The Common People** (Cranbourne North, Australia), **The Song Children's Choir** (Tianjin, China), **Trinity College Chorale** (East Perth, Australia)
- 11h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**01 – YOUNG CHILDREN'S CHOIRS (3/3)**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Hefei Nanmen Primary School Ethereal Choir** (Hefei, China), **"Music is Love" Children's Philharmonic Choir** (Beijing, China), **Puhinui School Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Te Korihī o te tūi** (Waipu, New Zealand), **The Cloud Children's Choir - Junior** (Auckland, New Zealand)
- 14h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**03 – SECONDARY SCHOOL CHOIRS (1/2)**  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**Karra Voices** (Marryatville, Australia), **Macau Baptist College Choir** (Macau, China/Macao SAR), **Macleans College Chorale** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Marcellin College Voices** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Mercedes College Select Choir** (Perth, Australia), **Ngā Manawa Titi** (Auckland, New Zealand), **PCA Korea Choir** (Seoul, Republic of Korea), **The Gratia Singers** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR)

COMPETITIONS

- 14h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**019 – CONTEMPORARY MUSIC MIXED VOICES**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
**Lumina Vocal Ensemble** (North Plympton, Australia), **Shih-Yu Chorus** (New Taipei City, Chinese Taipei), **Sitting Room Singers** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Southland** (Dudley, Australia), **St. Genevieve Valiant Voices** (Panorama, USA)
- 15h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**013 – MIXED SENIOR CHOIRS (1/2)**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Australia Long River Art Group** (Kellyville, Australia), **Guangzhou South China Experimental Art Troupe** (Guangzhou, China), **White Cloud Choir of Auckland** (Auckland, New Zealand), **YES Chours (Young Elderly Singers Chorus)** (Bangkok, Thailand)
- 15h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C22 – SPIRITUAL**  
**St Matthew-in-the-City**  
**Delaware Choral Scholars** (Newark, USA), **Mountain Top Chorale** (Lagos, Nigeria), **Takoma Academy Chorale** (Takoma Park, USA), **Young People's Chorus of New York City** (New York, USA)
- 16h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**05 – UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE CHOIRS**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
**The Promise of Avondale** (Cooranbong, Australia)
- 19h30 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**013 – MIXED SENIOR CHOIRS (2/2)**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**  
**Choir of Guangzhou Wenhua Art Troupe** (Guangzhou, China), **Korea Grey Youth Choir** (Seoul, Republic of Korea), **Music Association of Auckland** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Nanning Same Song Chorus** (Nanning, China), **Pyeongchang Odaesan Woljeongsang Choir** (Pyeongchang, Republic of Korea)

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 19h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C9 – FEMALE CHAMBER CHOIRS**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber**  
“Dream Voice” Women’s Chamber Chorus of Mingyuan Charity Foundation (Shenzhen, China), **Luminata Voices Women’s Chamber Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Peking University Alumni Female Choir** (Beijing, China), **Wuxi Shanhe Senior Chorus** (Wuxi, China)
- 19h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C16 – SACRED CHORAL MUSIC WITH ACCOMPANIMENT (2/2)**  
**St Matthew-in-the-City**  
**ByeZoo Choir** (Beijing, China), **consonus vokalensemble** (Chur, Switzerland), **Singakademie Graz** (Graz, Austria), **University of Oregon Chamber Choirs** (Eugene, USA)

**WORKSHOPS**

- 10h30 PERFORM WITH ARTISTRY**  
**MATHEW WRIGHT** (Great Britain)  
**Q Theatre – Loft**
- 15h00 BRING YOUR VOICE!**  
**ZIMFIRA POLOZ** (Canada / Kazakstahn)  
**Q Theatre – Loft**

**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

- 11h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
**Hui Te Ananui a Tangaroa – New Zealand Maritime Museum**  
**MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall**
- 12h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
**Britomart Precinct**
- 14h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
**MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall**
- 16h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
**SkyCity Auckland**

**CELEBRATION CONCERT**

- 19h30 A NIGHT OF SONG AND DANCE**  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**  
**New Zealand Youth Choir** (New Zealand)  
**Ngā Tūmanako** (New Zealand)

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# A NIGHT OF SONG AND DANCE

**KIRI TE KANAWA THEATRE (AOTEA CENTRE)  
THURSDAY, JULY 18, 2024  
19h30**

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**OFFICIAL EVENTS**

**19h30 AWARDS CEREMONY >  
THE OPEN COMPETITION**  
Spark Arena

**COMPETITIONS**

**10h00 THE OPEN COMPETITION >**  
**03 – SECONDARY SCHOOL CHOIRS (2/2)**  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)  
**A-Singers HKBUAS Wong Kam Fai Secondary and Primary School** (Shatin, China/Hong Kong SAR), **Beijing ALFISO Children's and Youth Choir** (Beijing, China), **Mercedes Trinity Chorale** (Perth, Australia), **Shanghai Student Art Troupe Pudong New Area Youth Activity Center Choir** (Shanghai, China), **Stella Voce** (Auckland, New Zealand), **St. Genevieve Valiant Voices** (Panorama, USA), **The Choir of East Shanghai High School** (Shanghai, China), **Toka Tu Moana** (Auckland, New Zealand)

**10h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C19 – CONTEMPORARY MUSIC MIXED VOICES**  
Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall  
**Delaware Choral Scholars** (Newark, USA), **Mountain Top Chorale** (Lagos, Nigeria), **Newcastle Chamber Choir** (Newcastle West, Australia), **Nibun Chorus** (Kaohsiung, Chinese Taipei), **Paduan Suara U.L.O.S. Universitas Sumatera Utara** (Sumatera Utara, Indonesia), **St. Paul's Co-educational College Senior Mixed Voice Choir** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR), **The Nagaland Madrigal Singers** (Nagaland, India)

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**COMPETITIONS**

**14h30 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C3 – SECONDARY SCHOOL CHOIRS (1/2)**  
Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall  
**ByeZoo Choir** (Beijing, China), **Farnham Youth Choir** (Haslemere, Great Britain), **Guangzhou Little Sail Choir** (Guangzhou, China), **Panyu Xinghai Childrens' Choir** (Guangzhou, China), **Rewaken Polycation Choir** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Rhyme of River Children's Choir** (Guangdong, China), **Shenzhen Concert Hall Golden Treelet Multi-Ethnic Children's Choir** (Shenzhen, China), **Takoma Academy Chorale** (Takoma Park, USA)

**15h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C13 – MIXED SENIOR CHOIRS**  
Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)  
**Chongqing Xinghai Choir** (Chongqing, China), **Wuxi Shanhe Senior Chorus** (Wuxi, China)

**15h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C5 - UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE CHOIRS**  
**C11 - MALE CHAMBER CHOIRS**  
Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall  
**C5 Paduan Suara U.L.O.S. Universitas Sumatera Utara** (Sumatera Utara, Indonesia), **University of Oregon Chamber Choirs** (Eugene, USA)  
**C11 Drakensberg Old Boys' Choir** (Johannesburg, South Africa)

**19h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C7 – MIXED CHAMBER CHOIRS**  
Auckland Town Hall – Concert Chamber  
**consonus vokalensemble** (Chur, Switzerland), **Newcastle Chamber Choir** (Newcastle West, Australia), **Quezon City Performing Arts Development** (Quezon City, Philippines), **Saint Mary's College Chamber Singers** (Moraga, USA), **The Nagaland Madrigal Singers** (Dimapur, India), **ZISU The New Chamber Choir** (Hangzhou, China)

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JULY 19, 2024**

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**COMPETITIONS**

- 19h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C3 – SECONDARY SCHOOL CHOIRS (2/2)**  
**Auckland Town Hall – Great Hall**
- Columbus International Children's Choir** (Dublin, USA), **Leonessa** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Liwan Children's Choir** (Guangzhou, China), **Paradisum** (Auckland, New Zealand), **Sacred Heart Canossian College Choir** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR), **Shenzhen Poly Birds of Paradise Children's Choir** (Shenzhen, China), **St. Paul's Co-educational College Senior Mixed Voice** (Hong Kong, China/Hong Kong SAR), **Takapuna Grammar School Chorale** (Auckland, New Zealand)
- 19h00 THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION >**  
**C27 – FOLKLORE AND INDIGENOUS MUSIC**  
**WITH ACCOMPANIMENT (3/3)**  
**Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre (Aotea Centre)**
- Children's Broadcast Choir of Zhejiang** (Hangzhou, China), **Chongqing Xinghai Female Choir** (Chongqing, China), **Folk Song Group "Jane"** (Velika Gorica, Croatia), **Guangzhou Opera House Children's Chorus** (Guangzhou, China), **Shanghai Youth Choir** (Shanghai, China), **Singakademie Graz** (Graz, Austria), **Soul Sounds** (Colombo, Sri Lanka), **Yunnan Yue Sound Female Choir** (Kunming, China)

**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

- 11h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
**Auckland Botanic Gardens**  
**MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall**  
**New Lynn Community Centre**  
**Te Manawa Library**  
**Te Oro**
- 14h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
**All Saints Church**  
**Auckland Botanic Gardens**  
**Hui Te Ananui A Tangaroa – New Zealand Maritime Museum**  
**MOTAT – Museum of Transport and Technology, Aviation Hall**  
**St George's Presbyterian Church**
- 16h00 FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
**Commercial Bay**  
**The Civic, Foyer**

**WORKSHOPS**

- 10h30 A LONG ROAD TO FREEDOM: SINGING SPIRITUALS**  
**ANTHONY TRECEK-KING (USA)**  
**Q Theatre – Loft**
- 15h00 SINGING INSTRUMENTS AND VOCAL PERCUSSION**  
**DEKE SHARON (USA)**  
**Q Theatre – Loft**

**SPECIAL PERFORMANCE**

- 19h30 BATTLE CHORUS**  
**The Civic**

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## BATTLE CHORUS

THE CIVIC  
FRIDAY, JULY 19, 2024  
19h30

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**SATURDAY,  
JULY 20, 2024**

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**OFFICIAL EVENTS**

- 10h00 **AWARDS CEREMONY >  
THE CHAMPIONS COMPETITION**  
Spark Arena
- 19h30 **CLOSING CEREMONY**  
Spark Arena

**FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**

- 11h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Mairangi Arts Centre
- 13h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Commercial Bay
- 14h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERT**  
Te Oro
- 15h00 **FRIENDSHIP CONCERTS**  
All Saints Church  
Hui Te Ananui a Tangaroa – New Zealand Maritime Museum

**CLOSING CEREMONY**

**SPARK ARENA  
SATURDAY, JULY 20, 2024  
19h30**

A vibrant Closing Ceremony will bring down the curtain on ten days of spectacular, richly diverse and utterly joyful choral singing.

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## EVENT LOCATIONS

- |   |   |                        |
|---|---|------------------------|
| 1 | <b>Spark Arena</b>  | 42-80 Mahuhu Crescent  |
| 2 | <b>Aotea Centre   Aotea – Te Pokapū</b><br>Kiri Te Kanawa Theatre                             | 50 Mayoral Drive       |
| 3 | <b>Auckland Town Hall   Hōro ā-Tāone</b><br>o Tāmaki Makaurau<br>Great Hall / Concert Chamber | 301 - 317 Queen Street |
| 4 | <b>Q Theatre</b><br>Rangatira / Loft  | 305 Queen Street       |
| 5 | <b>St Matthew-in-the-City</b>   | 132 Hobson Street      |
| 6 | <b>Holy Trinity Cathedral</b>   | 446 Parnell Road       |
| 7 | <b>Dorothy Winstone Centre</b>  | 16 Howe Street         |
| 8 | <b>Te Komititanga</b>   | Lower Queen Street     |

## TOURISM

- |    |  |                                      |
|----|--|--------------------------------------|
| 9  | <b>Sky Tower</b>   | Corner Victoria and Federal Streets  |
| 10 | <b>Commercial Bay</b>  | 7 Queen Street                       |
| 11 | <b>New Zealand Maritime Museum</b><br>Hui Te Ananui a Tangaroa | Corner Quay and Hobson Streets       |
| 12 | <b>Britomart</b>   | 130 Quay Street                      |
| 13 | <b>Auckland War Memorial Museum</b><br>Tāmaki Paenga Hira      | Auckland Domain<br>Pukekawa, Parnell |

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