



## 台北愛樂少年及兒童合唱團

本會應社會大眾之邀，於 1989 年創辦台北愛樂兒童合唱團，以提升兒童合唱音樂水準，以文化紮根為宗旨，本團擅長古今聖樂、台灣、中國及世界民謠、童謠之演唱，培養兒童合唱基礎，給予音樂專業訓練，讓孩子們在快樂的氣氛中，迅速進入合唱領域，使他們能感受音樂的美感與樂趣。本團亦熱心參與各種公益活動，期望透過音樂來教育孩子們有一個健康、歡愉、和諧的童年。

除了國內每半年的定期展演及各界邀演外，1999 年 7 月參加第十屆澳洲雪梨國際音樂節榮獲銀牌獎；2000 年 12 月應國家交響樂團之邀參與耶誕音樂節【歌劇－糖果屋】；2003 年獲邀赴美國蒙大拿密蘇拉國際合唱音樂節及洛杉磯巡迴音樂會；2004 年德國布萊梅舉辦之 2004 合唱奧林匹克，榮獲民謠組金牌、青少年組銀牌，同年應邀參與西班牙國際音樂節榮獲兒童組比賽第一名，民謠組第二名；2011 年參加於奧地利格拉茲舉辦之首屆世界青少年錦標賽，獲得童聲組及民謠組銀牌。

本團亦跨足音樂劇演出及製作，【約瑟的神奇彩衣】及【新龜兔賽跑－兒童歌舞劇】皆獲得國家兩廳院邀演。近年來多次邀請國際知名指揮來台合作，包含 2013 年芬蘭合唱教父卡里·波列南，2017 年菲律賓全能指揮大師帕敏圖安及 2018 年美國波士頓兒童合唱指揮安東尼·特列切克-金及菲律賓金牌指揮瑪莉雅·泰瑞莎·費茲康德-羅登。多年不間斷的國際交流及演出活動，使本團成為國際亮點，孩子們的童年亦更加豐盛而有成就。

## Taipei Philharmonic Youth & Children's Choir

Taipei Philharmonic Youth & Children's Choir (TPYCC) was founded in 1989 by the Taipei Philharmonic Foundation for Culture and Education with the mission to promote excellence in children's choring and deepen their cultural awareness. TPYCC's repertoire includes sacred music from all eras, folksongs and children's songs from Taiwan, China and other regions. By providing a pleasant environment and music training in both rudimentary and advanced level, children learn choir-singing effortlessly and experience the beauty and pleasure that music brings. TPYCC's presence can also be found in various charity events and we look forward to providing our children a healthy, joyful and harmonious childhood through music education.

In addition to guest appearances and regular concerts taking place twice a year, TPYCC participated the 10<sup>th</sup> Australian International Music Festival at the Sydney Opera House and won Silver Medal in July 1999; performed in the opera *Hänsel und Gretel* at the National Symphony Orchestra's invitation to its Christmas concert in December 2000; performed on invitation at the International Choral Festival in Missoula, Montana USA and a touring concert in Los Angeles in 2003; won Gold Medal in Folklore category and Silver Medal in Youth Choir category at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Choir Olympics (World Choir Games) in Bremen, Germany in 2004; won 1<sup>st</sup> Prize in Children's Choirs category and 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize in Folksong Parties category at the Cantonigròs International Music Festival in Spain in 2004; won Silver Medal in both Folklore and Children's Choirs categories at the 1<sup>st</sup> World Choir Championships for Youth and Young Adults in Graz, Austria.

Along with the foregoing activities, TPYCC produces and premieres musicals. Two of our past productions namely *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* and *New Race Between the Hare and the Tortoise - A Children's Musical*, were presented by the National Theater and Concert Hall. In recent years, TPYCC also worked with internationally renowned conductors including Finnish conductor and choirmaster Kari Ala-Pöllänen in 2013, Filipino composer and conductor John August Pamintuan in 2017, Artist Director of Boston Children's Chorus Anthony Trecek-King and one of Philippine's award-winning choral conductor Maria Theresa Vizconde-Roldan in 2018. Our endeavors for international exchange have made TPYCC a notable success in the choir community and enriched our children's lives with a sense of achievement.