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Form **990-EZ**

**Short Form
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

OMB No 1545-1150

2009

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Internal Revenue Service

▶ Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 at the end of the year may use this form
▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning **07/01/09**, and ending **06/30/10**

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C Name of organization CONCERT SINGERS OF CARY, INC	D Employer identification number 56-1751440
		Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite PO BOX 1921	E Telephone number 919-678-1009
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 CARY NC 27512-1921	F Group Exemption Number ▶

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

G Accounting method Cash Accrual
Other (specify) ▶

I Website: ▶ **WWW.CONCERTSINGERS.ORG**

H Check if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) — 501(c) (**3**) ◀ (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

K Check if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts; if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ▶ \$ **91,653**

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part I.)

1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received 2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts 3 Membership dues and assessments 4 Investment income 5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory 5b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses 5c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) 6 Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 6a Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1) 6b Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses 6c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a) 7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances 7b Less: cost of goods sold 7c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) 8 Other revenue (describe) ▶ See Statement 3 9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8 ▶	See Statement 1		1	44,923	
			2	31,139	
			3	10,130	
			4	2,271	
			5c		
		See Stmt 2			
			6c		
			7c		
			8	3,190	
		9	91,653		
10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule) 11 Benefits paid to or for members 12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits 13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors 14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance 15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping 16 Other expenses (describe) ▶ See Statement 4 17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 ▶			10	1,000	
			11		
			12		
			13	51,742	
			14	14,258	
			15		
			16	20,154	
			17	87,154	
18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9) 19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return) 20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation) See Statement 5 21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20 ▶			18	4,499	
			19	97,923	
			20	9,614	
			21	112,036	

Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ.

		(See the instructions for Part II)		(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22	Cash, savings, and investments			96,906	110,437
23	Land and buildings				
24	Other assets (describe) ▶ See Statement 6			3,723	2,045
25	Total assets			100,629	112,482
26	Total liabilities (describe) ▶ See Statement 7			2,706	446
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)			97,923	112,036

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Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.)

		Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
34	Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attached a conformed copy of the changes		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
35	If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T		
a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
36	Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instr. ▶ 37a		
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
38a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b		
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a		
b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b		
40a	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ _____, section 4912 ▶ _____; section 4955 ▶ _____		
b	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ _____		
d	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶ _____		
e	All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ None		
42a	The organization's books are in care of ▶ G. DONALD CARISS 5612 ENOREE LANDE Located at ▶ RALEIGH, NC	Telephone no ▶ 919-954-7276	ZIP + 4 ▶ 27616-5777
b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country. ▶ _____ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶ _____		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041—Check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 43		
44	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
45	Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 46-49b and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
48 Is the organization operating a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?		

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
None				

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ▶ _____

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 ▶ _____

Sign Here Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Shannon F. Giles 11/11/10
 Signature of officer Date

Shannon F. Giles President
 Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature **EMILY J. MILLS, CPA** Date **11/11/10** Check if self-employed Preparer's Identifying Number (See instr) **P00412235**

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 **Joyce and Company, CPA** EIN **56-2202813**
104 Brady Ct Phone **919-466-0946**
Cary, NC 27511 no **919-466-0946**

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ▶ Yes No

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
 (Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ► <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	%
15 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	%
16a 33 1/3 % support test—2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3 % or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 33 1/3 % support test—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3 % or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2009. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ► <input type="checkbox"/>		

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	47,842	42,624	57,867	61,655	44,923	254,911
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose	30,252	29,815	30,458	34,124	41,269	165,918
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5	78,094	72,439	88,325	95,779	86,192	420,829
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						420,829

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6	78,094	72,439	88,325	95,779	86,192	420,829
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	2,444	4,199	6,658	4,336	2,271	19,908
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b	2,444	4,199	6,658	4,336	2,271	19,908
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on					2,190	2,190
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)	5,000	9,170	6,683	7,175		28,028
13 Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12)	85,538	85,808	101,666	107,290	90,653	470,955

14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	89.36%
16 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	87.10%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2009 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	4%
18 Investment income percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	5%

19a 33 1/3 % support tests—2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3 %, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b 33 1/3 % support tests—2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3 %, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3 %, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Provide any other additional information. See instructions.

Part III, Line 12 - Other Income Detail

\$ 28,028

Federal Statements

Statement 1 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 3 - Membership Dues and Assessments

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
MEMBERSHIP DUES	\$ 10,130
Total	\$ <u>10,130</u>

Federal Statements

Statement 2 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 5c - Sale of Assets Other than Inventory - Other

Description	How Received	Whom Sold	Date Acquired	Date Sold	Sale Price	Cost & Expense	Depreciation	Gain / Loss
SHEET MUSIC			7/01/05	7/01/09	\$	13,629 \$	13,629 \$	
Purchase					\$	13,629 \$	13,629 \$	
Total					\$	13,629 \$	13,629 \$	0

Federal Statements

Statement 3 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 8 - Other Revenue

Description	Amount
REIMBURSEMENTS	\$ 3,190
Total	\$ 3,190

Statement 4 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16 - Other Expenses

Description	Amount
Expenses	\$
Advertising and Promotion	116
Insurance	800
MUSIC AND ROYALTIES	5,692
EQUIPMENT AND SOFTWARE	996
SUPPLIES	2,175
POSTAGE	219
DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	204
TELEPHONE	925
WEBSITE	357
BANK FEE	391
SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE	313
MISCELLANEOUS	2,578
PRINTING	1,665
OBSOLETE INVENTORY	3,723
Total	\$ 20,154

Statement 5 - Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 20 - Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

Description	Amount
UNREALIZED GAIN ON INVESTMENTS	\$ 9,614
Total	\$ 9,614

Statement 6 - Form 990-EZ, Part II, Line 24 - Other Assets

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year
Accounts Receivable	\$	\$ 2,045
Inventories for Sale or Use	3,723	
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT	1,545	1,545
Less Accumulated Depreciation	1,545	1,545
SHEET MUSIC	13,629	
Less Accumulated Depreciation	13,629	
	3,723	2,045

Federal Statements

Statement 7 - Form 990-EZ, Part II, Line 26 - Total Liabilities

<u>Description</u>	<u>Beginning of Year</u>	<u>End of Year</u>
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$ <u>2,706</u>	\$ <u>446</u>
	<u>2,706</u>	<u>446</u>

Federal Statements**Statement 8 - Form 990-EZ, Part III - Organization's Primary Exempt Purpose****Description**

ORGANIZED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENRICHING ITS COMMUNITY THROUGH THE PERFORMANCE OF OUTSTANDING VOCAL MUSIC FROM ALL TRADITIONS; TO REWARD ITS AUDIENCES WITH CHORAL PROGRAMS THAT ELEVATE, PROVOKE, AND ENTERTAIN; AND TO ENTHUSIASTICALLY SUPPORT AND PROMOTE THE PERFORMANCE ARTS IN THE RESEARCH TRIANGLE REGION

Statement 9 - Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 28 - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**Description**

CONCERT SINGERS OF CARY HAD FOUR CONCERTS THIS YEAR. THE FALL CONCERT PSALMS FROM AROUND THE WORLD A MANY DIFFERENT LANGUAGES. THE HOLIDAY POPS CONCERT WAS DONE WITH THE TRIANGLE WIND ENSEMBLE AND WAS WELL RECEIVED. THE SPRING CONCERT INCLUDED BACH'S EASTER ORATORIO AND PIECES BY HAYDN AND PALESTINA. WE WERE ACCOMPANIED BY A BAROQUE CHAMBER ORCHESTRA. WE FINISHED OUR SEASON WITH "AN AMERICAN CELEBRATION". THIS CONCERT INCLUDED RANDALL THOMPSON. WE WERE ACCOMPANIED AGAIN BY THE TRIANGLE WIND ENSEMBLE. THE CARY CHILDREN'S CONCERT CHOIR (C4) PRESENTED TWO MARVELOUS CONCERTS AND PARTICIPATED IN THE TOWN OF CARY'S "TINSEL TOWN CONCERT". THIS CHOIR PROVIDES THE YOUNG PARTICIPATES WITH ALL THE SKILLS AND EXPERIENCES THAT ARE CONDUCTIVE TO A LIFE TIME OF MUSIC MAKING. A NUMBER OF MEMBERS HAVE GONE ON TO MORE ADVANCED CHOIRS AND PARTICIPATION IN HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS'S.