



# EVERMAN JOE C. BEAN HIGH SCHOOL

## Everman High School Choir

**Pride**

**Determination**

**Ability**

Sam Shafeeq, Chair  
South Tarrant Chamber  
5120 SE Loop 820  
Forest Hill, TX 76140

December 18, 2015

Dear Mr. Shafeeq:

I would like to thank the South Tarrant Chamber of Commerce for assisting us with renting a venue for our Christmas concert. This dinner concert was a fundraiser to assist our choir students in attending the San Antonio Showcase of Music. The concert was a great success which would not have been possible without your contribution! This means that several students who had given up on a chance to go will now possibly be able to attend.

They were so excited when they got the good news that they will have some assistance attending the trip! This is a trip we have taken each year for the past 5 years and it has made a huge difference in the lives of some of our students who have either never or seldom been out of the city. It broadens their cultural, as well as, social horizons. Our students need multiple opportunities to be exposed to things outside of their usual environment. For that reason, I have been committed to taking them somewhere each year so they can experience new things! They get to compete with schools from all over the state!

It has been an honor to come each year to do a Christmas concert for the Chamber members and I sincerely hope we can keep that tradition alive! The students actually look forward to this performance each year and will usually ask me about it if I don't mention it first!

Again, thanks so much for all you've done for the Everman High School Choir!

Cordially,

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