

New Mexico Performing Arts Society Artist Policies
New Mexico Bach Chorale
Updated July 2, 2021

1. There are 4 rehearsals per event. Every artist hired must be available for all 4 rehearsals in order to perform in that program.
2. Music and study material are provided at least 1 month beforehand and must be prepared in advance of the first rehearsal.
3. Once an artist confirms participation, they may not cancel an engagement except for emergencies. In cancelling for other reasons, an artist understands that they may be removed from the NMPAS artist roster.
4. If Artistic Director Franz Vote requests an additional coaching outside of the regularly scheduled rehearsals, the artist must make time to work with him.
5. If the Artistic Director feels that an artist is not prepared or is not meeting NMPAS artistic standards, he may direct the artist contractor not to hire the artist for future programs.
6. NMPAS does not issue formal artist contracts. We consider email confirmation of dates, times, artist fees, and other arrangements our contractual commitment to our artists. Legally, email constitutes a contractual agreement between each artist and NMPAS.
7. Artists may communicate any concerns to the Artistic Director and/or artist contractor should they arise. NMPAS wants people to enjoy participating in our events and will do all we can to support the artists who audition successfully for our ensembles.