

Province: Swaziland
Choir: Royal Swazi Spa Choir
Conductor: Khulekani Magongo



Known and loved locally and internationally, the Royal Swazi Spa Choir is based at the Ezulwini valley in the Kingdom of Swaziland. The choir was formed in 1996; by the Royal Swazi Spa Hotel staff members to entertain hotel guests. Interest grew as children, family members and friends indicated desire to sing. The choir then joined the Swaziland Choral Music Competitions in 1998 in order to maintain and produce a good choral sound and technique.

Royal Swazi Spa Choir renders a rich repertoire of African Folk, traditional songs and adeptly performs western music of great composers in the likes of W. A. Mozart, Joseph Haydn, G. F. Handel, G. Verdi, J. S. Bach, Ludwig van Beethoven, Richard Wagner and many more.

Through hard work, dedication and consistency, the choir has gained reputation for rendering good choral music. On several occasions, the Choir has represented Swaziland in the Standard category of the Old Mutual National Choir Festival finals. The choir is proud to groom its own to become a force to reckon with in the choral fraternity.

The choir is conducted by Khulekani Magongo who has been with the Choir since 2003.

Prescribed Music:

African: **Mandela, Mohale!** By Lehlomela Tente

Western: **GLORIA**, from Mass No. 2 in G Major from F Schubert