

The Dunraven Welsh Young Singer of the Year 2026

Entry Application Form

To be completed and returned by January 31st, 2026

Open to any candidate born in Wales, studying in Wales or at any University/College/Conservatoire in the UK.

Eligibility is also open to those of Welsh parents/grandparents.

Candidates must be 31 or under on June 7th, 2026.

Candidates Details

Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms

Home Address.

D.O.B

Place of Birth.

Telephone Number:

Email address:

Singing Voice:

Post Code:

Tutor:

Candidate's Education:

Current place of study(if applicable):

Course:

Under/Post Graduate:

Address while at college/university/conservatoire:

Ancestor Details (if candidate is not Welsh or not living/educated in Wales, please supply details of Welsh relative.)

Name:

Address:

Relations to candidate:

Candidate's biography:

Signature:

PLEASE NOTE: CHANGE TO PREVIOUS RULES

While live auditions will continue to take place on Saturday April 18th, 2026, at St. Michael's Church, Maesteg, we fully understand the difficulties some experience in travelling to and from the venue and the cost implications. If it is not possible for you to attend on the day due to prior commitments, we will allow video recordings to be submitted with 2 contrasting song choices.

Successful candidates will be notified in due course.

Please submit entries, together with your CV and current photograph to:

Alun Hodges

Musical Director

Maesteg Gleemen MV Choir

7 De Granville Close

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The closing date is January 31st, 2026.

The final will be held at the RWCMD, Cardiff, on Sunday, June 7th at 2pm, and will be compèred by Miss Beverley Humphreys MBE, and the adjudicators will include Rebecca Evans CBE and Dennis O'Neill CBE. The winner will receive a prize of £1500 plus a trophy. All finalists will receive £500.