Renowned Boys Choir of Harlem Returns to San Luis Obispo

SAN LUIS OBISPO - "Irresistible," "unforgettable," "inspirational," and "thrilling" are some critical raves for the Boys Choir of Harlem, making their triumphant return engagement to the Christopher Cohan Center on Thursday, February 20, at 8:30 p.m. (Please note special curtain time.)

The San Luis Obispo program will include Mozart's "Coronation Mass," spirituals and gospel selections, jazz medleys, Broadway favorites, and special musical tribute to Martin Luther King.

The Choir averages 100 engagements in over 24 states annually and four
Asian tours have included performances in Japan, Hong Kong and Singapore.

The group makes frequent television appearances and recently released two CD's, recorded with stars such as Kathleen Battle and Florence Quivar. BCH music was also featured on the soundtrack of the film, "Glory."

BCH, Inc. accomplishments include the 1997 debut of The Girls Choir of Harlem at New York's Alice Tully Hall, which was the lead story that following morning in The New York Times. The concert was also featured on CBS "60 Minutes."

BCH has an ongoing campaign to replicate its program across the country, which is supported by the Kellogg Foundation and the National Endowment for the Arts. Other honors include President Clintonis 1997 bestowal of the National Medal of Arts upon Dr. Turnbull and The Boys Choir of Harlem.

Tickets for the performance range from $32 - $44, with student discounts available, and may be purchased at the Performing Arts Ticket Office, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays. To order by phone, call 805/756-2787; to order by fax: 805/756-6088.

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