



## Employment Opportunity - 2.24

### ROCK CHOIR DIRECTOR

**HOURS:** Part-time (Wednesday evenings), in-person, hourly (one weekly 1.5-2 hour rehearsal)

**COMPENSATION:** \$65 per hour

**START DATE:** Fall, 2024

**LOCATION:** 122 Old Ayer Road, Groton MA

[Groton Hill Music Center](#) is the region's premier nonprofit center for outstanding music education, professional performances, and community engagement programs. Our Music School offers lessons in 30+ instruments and voice for all ages in all musical styles with a faculty of 80+ professional teaching artists. This role involves leading an adult choir that sings contemporary / rock / pop music in weekly rehearsals, plus performances approximately twice per year.

#### **PRIMARY AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY:**

Our Rock Choir Director will help to build this new and exciting program at Groton Hill. The ability to inspire and instruct students while demonstrating strong vocal technique is required. Piano or guitar skills for rehearsals is also required; a rhythm section will be a part of performances and dress rehearsals.

Groton Hill Music School faculty members are responsible for: 1) inspiring and sharing their love of music with their students; 2) setting a high bar for students' levels of technical skill and musicality; 3) clearly communicating expectations and working toward shared goals; and 4) advocating for their students to engage in additional Groton Hill programs and special events to deepen their musical development.

Groton Hill offers many ancillary benefits to our faculty members, including a variety of paid professional performance opportunities and funding for professional development (by application). Regular weekly teaching throughout the school year is required as is attendance at an annual fall faculty meeting, and the completion of occasional clerical tasks. Timeliness and reliability, as well as strong communication practices with both students/families and school staff, are essential.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Ideal candidates should have a degree in music as well as relevant teaching and/or choral direction experience, and a thorough knowledge of contemporary music.

#### **HOW TO APPLY:**

Please submit a cover letter, resume, and references ASAP to **Pete Robbins, Director of Education and Programs**, at [probbins@grotonhill.org](mailto:probbins@grotonhill.org). Submissions without a cover letter will not be considered.

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