



Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony Orchestra
announces

Young Artists Competition

Saturday, 10 April 2010

Talented Young Musicians should apply!

Winner(s) perform as soloist with the Southeastern
Pennsylvania Symphony Orchestra
during the 2010–2011 Season

Application deadline 31 March 2010



YOUNG ARTISTS COMPETITION APPLICATION

General Information

Name: _____

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

Mailing Address: _____

(Number and Street)

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Primary Phone Number:() _____ Secondary:() _____

Email Address: _____ Social Security: _____

Gender: ___M ___F Date of Birth: _____ (must be 10 April 1992 or after)

Music Education

Instrument/Voice Part: _____ #Years Playing: _____

Current Music Teacher: _____ #Years: _____

Current School Attending: _____

Address of School: _____

Years Attending That School: _____ Expected Graduation Year: _____

School Music Programs Involved: _____

School Music Program Teachers: _____

Previous Private Music Teachers and Duration of Study: _____

Previous Music Festivals, Seminars, or Workshops Attended: _____

Performance Experience

Previous Solo Experience:

(Composer) *(Title)* *(Orchestra)* *(Month/Year of Performance)*

List Any Current and Previous Membership (Orchestras, Choruses, Chamber Ensembles, Quartets, etc.)

Any Previous Competitions, Awards, or any other Music Fellowships:

Competition Information

Date: Saturday, 10 April 2010

Location: Lansdale Center for the Performing Arts
311 West Main Street
Lansdale, PA

Time: All Candidates will be given reporting and performing time.

Please note: The Competition is open to Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony subscribers and supporters.

All Candidates must provide their own piano accompanist!!!

Composer: _____

Title of Selection/Repertoire (please specify what movement or section):

Approximate Duration of Movement / Section: _____

Rules and Regulations of the Young Artists Competition

- 1) **CANDIDATE MUST PERFORM WORK FROM MEMORY.**
- 2) **CANDIDATE MUST PROVIDE OWN PIANO ACCOMPANIST PERSON. PIANO WILL BE PROVIDED.**
- 3) Candidates must include 3 copies of the score (piano score is acceptable) with Application.
- 4) Selected work must be considered to be a standard work for solo instrument/voice and orchestra.
- 5) While the candidate is expected to compete only with a movement or selection from the entire work, the winner has the option of performing the entire work with the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony. Maestro Scott has the sole decision if the entire work may be performed
- 6) The Jury may award a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winner.
- 7) The Jury reserves the right not to select winners. The Jury may select more than 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners if they choose.
- 8) Once the Application has been confirmed, the application fee will not be returned if the candidate cancels his / her appearance in the Competition or fails to appear.
- 9) All candidates must include a \$30 application fee with the Application.
- 10) Travel and hotel expenses are the responsibility of the candidate.
- 11) Application implies acceptance of the Competition rules and regulations.
- 12) The Jury reserves the right to refuse a candidate or to exclude a candidate without obligation to justify its decision. The decision of the Jury is final. The Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony reserves the right to cancel the Competition for any reason. If the Competition is cancelled, the Symphony will refund application fee and the candidate shall have no further legal recourse against the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony.
- 13) First place winner(s) will perform as a soloist with the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony Orchestra during the 2010-2011 Season.
- 14) Competition is open to the people of all nationalities born after 10 April 1992 and who reside in Montgomery or Buck Counties.
- 15) Former 1st place winners are not eligible to compete in this Competition again.
- 16) Winner(s) selected to perform with the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony Orchestra must participate in any and all interviews and public appearances, and must provide the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony with any requested biography and photograph.

Checklist

I have included the following information:

- ___ completed Application
- ___ enclosed registration fee for \$30 made payable to Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony
- ___ enclosed 3 copies of score for Jury
- ___ copy of birth certificate and/or photo ID (drivers license or passport) to verify age and date of birth
- ___ signed the statement of agreement below

I testify that the information provided is true and correct. I agree to all of the rules and regulations of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony Young Artists Competition. I understand that the decision of the Jury is final. I also agree that if I am selected as a winner of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony Young Artists Competition I will appear as a soloist with the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony Orchestra at a time and place selected the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony during the 2010-2011 Season. I also agree if selected as winner, to participate in any and all interviews and public appearances, and to provide the Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony with requested biography and photograph.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Send application with \$30 registration fee to:

Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony Young Artists Competition
P.O. Box 694
Lansdale, PA 19446

(make checks payable to Southeastern Pennsylvania Symphony)

Must be postmarked no later than 31 March 2010.