

# **Beethoven Club 2023 Young Artist Competition Guidelines March 25-26, 2023**

**Central Christian Church, 531 S. McLean &  
Beethoven Club, 263 S. McLean, Memphis, TN**

**Deadline for Online Entry – March 18, 2023, 11:00 p.m.**

ALL APPLICATIONS AND PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE ONLINE.

Intermediate and Senior piano divisions will be on Sunday, March 26.

All other divisions will be on Saturday, March 25.

## **ENTRY FORM**

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LH5MD72>

## **ONLINE PAYMENT URL**

<http://www.beethovenclubmemphis.org/paypal.html>

## **ENTRY FEES**

Juniors \$25; Intermediate and Senior \$35

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## **APPOINTMENT TIMES**

Appointment times will be e-mailed to participants 5 days prior to the event.

This is a competition open to musicians 28 years of age or younger at the time of competition. Entrants must live within 250 miles of Memphis, TN. First place winners in prior years have the option of entering at the next level. Senior level winners may not enter again. Other winners (second and third) may compete again.

## **MEMORIZATION**

Voice: Memorization required

Woodwinds and Brass: Memorization not required

Piano, Strings, and Guitar: Memorization recommended but not required.

## **AGES (All divisions except Voice)**

Junior A (6-10); Junior B (11-14); Intermediate (15-19); Senior (20-28)

## **AGES (Voice)**

Intermediate A (15-19); Intermediate B (20-23); Senior (24-28)

## **DIVISIONS**

Piano – Junior A, Junior B, Intermediate, Senior

Strings – Junior A, Junior B, Intermediate, Senior

Woodwinds/Brass – Junior A, Junior B, intermediate, Senior

Guitar – Intermediate, Senior

Voice – Intermediate, Senior

## **AWARDS**

Junior A: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$25, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> medal and certificate

Junior B: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$50, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> medal and certificate

Intermediate: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$150, free rental of club for recital. 2<sup>nd</sup> \$100, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$50

Senior: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$250, free rental of club for recital, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$150, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$100

## **REPERTOIRE REQUIREMENTS**

Voice: Intermediate A: (ages 15-19)

Two selections from the standard classical or operatic repertoire.

At least one selection must be in a foreign language; no selections from musical theater.

Voice: Intermediate B: (ages 20-23)

Two selections from the standard classical or operatic repertoire.

At least one selection must be in a foreign language; no selections from musical theater.

Voice: Senior: (ages 24-28)

Three selections from the standard classical or operatic repertoire.

At least one selection must be in a foreign language; no selections from musical theater

Strings, Piano, Woodwinds/Brass, Classical Guitar:

Selection from each of 2 style periods (Renaissance, Baroque, Classical, Romantic, 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> century)

Entrants must furnish a copy of each musical selection for the judges.

## **ACCOMPANISTS**

The entrants must provide their own accompanist if one is needed. No recorded accompaniments may be used.

## **QUESTIONS**

Call 901-493-0958 or email [beethovenclubmemphis@gmail.com](mailto:beethovenclubmemphis@gmail.com) if you have questions.