

Sonatina Festival
Marshall University
February 14, 2009
Jomie Jazz Center

Chair: Dr. Leslie Petteys

Entry Fee:

\$7 for levels 1-5, 1st movement only*
\$8 for levels 6-10, 1st movement only*
\$10 for entire sonatina (levels 4-10)*

Eligibility:

All students between the ages of 6–20, currently studying piano with a teacher, are eligible to enter. Each level will be divided into categories based on the student's grade in school. Collegiate students may enter the Level 10 category only.

Level 1: grades 1-3, grades 4-6
Levels 2-9: grades 1-5, grades 6-8, grades 9-12
Level 10: grades 9-12, collegiate to age 20

Contest rules:

All performance pieces will be chosen from the competition repertoire list only. Selections must be memorized. Contestants must provide scores for the judges – one copy of the music is sufficient. No photocopy of copyrighted music may be used by the contestant or judges. Music from internet sites is acceptable. Measures must be numbered. Neither the name of the student nor the teacher will appear on the music. All markings in the music must be erased. *Winners must perform in one of the two winner's recitals on February 14.*

Evaluation areas:

Performances will be judged on interpretation and overall artistic effect. A winner for each age group in each level will be selected solely on the basis of the competition performance. The decision of the judges is final. Alternates may be chosen if judges feel the necessity.

Applications must be postmarked by January 25, 2009.

**This competition is supported by a generous grant from the Joan C. Edwards Distinguished Professor of the Arts Endowment and the College of Fine Arts.*

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Entry Form**

Student Name _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

E-mail _____ Telephone _____

Teacher _____ Telephone _____

Teacher Email: _____

Preferred T-shirt size (Circle one): S M L XL

Division (Circle one):

Competition A: First movement only.

Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Level 5 Level 6 Level 7 Level 8 Level 9 Level 10

Competition B: Complete Sonatina.

Level 4 Level 5 Level 6 Level 7 Level 8 Level 9 Level 10

Grade in School (Circle one): 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 College Age: _____

Competition Repertoire:

SONATINA _____

COMPOSER _____

Fee enclosed \$ _____
(Please make checks payable to MU Department of Music.)

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STATEMENT OF INTENT:

It is the responsibility of the teacher and the student to determine that all rules and requirements are met, and by signature, to certify this fact. The undersigned verify that the information contained on this application is complete and accurate:

Student: _____ Date: _____

As the teacher, I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand the rules governing these competition events and agree to abide by them. My students and/or parents have also been apprised of the rules. If I fail to fulfill this obligation, I understand and agree that my students may be declared ineligible to participate in this event.

Teacher's signature _____ Co-teacher _____

Send this form and application to:

Dr. Leslie Petteys, Sonatina Festival Chair
Marshall University Department of Music
One John Marshall Way
Huntington, WV 25755