

# Beethoven Club 2018 Young Artist Competition Guidelines

Deadline for Entry – March 12, 2018, 11:00 p.m.

ALL APPLICATIONS AND PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE ONLINE. FORMS ARE AVAILABLE BY AT:

Entry Form: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/97KF3HX>

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

Appointment times will be e-mailed to participants 9 days prior to the event.

This is a competition open to amateur 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.

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)

March 24 ONLY:

Piano - Junior A, Junior B

Strings – Junior A, Junior B, Intermediate, Senior

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

Guitar – Intermediate, Senior

Voice - Intermediate, Senior

March 25 ONLY:

Piano - 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> - \$300, free rental of club for recital, 2<sup>nd</sup> 200, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$100

COMPETITION DATES:

March 24, 2018 (9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.) all divisions except piano - Presbyterian Day School

March 25, 2018 (1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.) intermediate and senior piano – Beethoven Club

## LOCATIONS:

March 24 (all divisions except piano)  
Presbyterian Day School, 4025 Poplar, Memphis, TN  
just west of at Second Presbyterian Church (Poplar at Goodlett)

March 24-25 (all piano divisions)  
Beethoven Club  
263 S. McLean (northwest corner of Peabody and McLean; parking behind the building)

## PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS:

ALL SELECTIONS MUST BE PERFORMED FROM MEMORY.

### Voice:

Intermediate A: (ages 15-19)

1. One aria (opera or oratorio, sung in the original language or in an English translation if appropriate)
2. One art song (original language, foreign or English)

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

Intermediate B: (ages 20-23)

1. One aria (opera or oratorio, sung in the original language or in an English translation if appropriate)
2. One art song (original language, foreign or English)

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

Senior: (ages 24-28)

1. One aria (opera or oratorio, sung in the original language or in an English translation if appropriate)
2. One art song in English (original language).
3. One foreign language art song (sung in the original language)

### Strings, Piano, Woodwinds/Brass, Classical Guitar:

1 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.

ENTRY FEES: Juniors \$25; Intermediate and Senior \$40

## ACCOMPANISTS:

The entrants must furnish their own accompanist if one is needed.

## QUESTIONS:

Call 901-493-0958 or write [pgray@pgray.net](mailto:pgray@pgray.net) if you have questions.