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Sweeney Summer Camp Scholarship Procedures and Rules

Entry Deadline: April 15

ELIGIBILITY

- Students in grades 1-12 who are proficient in voice, piano or orchestral/band instrument.
- Former IAF Sweeney winners who have accepted the award are not eligible.
- Student membership to IAF is necessary either through his/her private teacher or organizational/group membership.

AUDITION PROCEDURES

- A video recording must show the contestant performing two solo selections from two different musical periods. Selections must demonstrate: tone, technical facility, and interpretation.
- Contestants must be clearly visible with no items obscuring the view like a music stand or accompanist and should have a maximum playing time of fifteen minutes.
- Pianists and Vocalists must perform by memory only. Instrumentalists must have one piece memorized and may use a score for the second one.
- Scores with measures numbered must be provided.
- Repeats and long accompaniment passages may be omitted.
- Pianists and Instrumentalists must play scales in the key of each composition performed. Pianists should begin with scales played in two octaves, hands together. Instrumentalists must play scales in at least one octave. Vocalists must sing a warm-up vocal exercise before their selected repertoire.
- Upload a video of your audition to YouTube.
- Fill out Google Form with all of your information. There will be a place to upload your score and a place to include the YouTube link. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1AoFIoo9YPV1N0y2kH_unFF_jRlZqEMa81y1NyvW6o1U/edit
- A check for 20.00 made out to the Indiana Arts Festival needs to be mailed to David Mannell, IAF Treasurer. 1925 Central Ave. Indianapolis 46202

GENERAL INFORMATION AND RULES

- Students are responsible for obtaining the information from a Summer Music Camp of their choice. All students are responsible for their own enrollment. Suggested colleges are: Butler University, The University of Indianapolis, Valparaiso University, Indiana University, St. Mary of the Woods, Goshen College, Franklin College and Ball State Guitar or Bassoon Camp.
- Winning contestants may receive a maximum of $300 in tuition fees. The award is payable directly to the Music camp and will not exceed the camp's tuition. Awards may cover partial or full tuition for the camp. It is the responsibility of the student to pay the balance if the camp fee exceeds the amount of the award. No cash will be given to a winner if the camp is less than $300.
- IAF Sweeney Summer Camps Judges and Committee decisions are final, no exceptions.
- Applicants NOT meeting the eligibility requirements, rules and deadline as outlined in this form will be contacted by phone or email of their ineligibility to compete.
- All winning applicants will be contacted by phone or email and will be given one week from that time to accept or decline an award. The award will be forfeited if the recipient has not responded by the deadline. The Sweeney Awards Committee will have the option to pass this award to someone else or totally withhold it. Committee decisions are final.
- IAF reserves the right to withhold any or all awards without notice.
- Winners may be asked to perform at the annual IAF Convention in May/June.
- Please direct any questions to lisapcremer@gmail.com