



Blue Ash/Montgomery Symphony Orchestra

Young Artist Competition 2009

Four divisions:

- 1) Strings (violin, viola, cello, double-bass)**
- 2) Keyboard (piano, harpsichord, organ, etc.)**
- 3) Woodwinds, Brass, Percussion, Guitar and Harp, etc.**
- 4) Musicians 13-and-under (all instruments)**

A first place performing prize will be awarded to a young instrumentalist in each category. A second place award in each category could also be awarded at the discretion of the jury.

First place winners in all categories would receive \$200 as well as the opportunity to perform with the Orchestra.

Second place winners would receive \$100 and would stand in for the first place winner in the event that he or she could not perform with the orchestra.

Eligibility: area students age 18 and under, not enrolled in college (pre-college).

Application Procedure:

Deadline: Postmarked no later than November 7, 2009

What to send:

1. Cassette Tape, CD or DVD (Must be a movement from a concerto)
 - There is no "live" audition
 - Submission may include piano accompaniment
2. A biographical sketch
3. The completed attached application form

**Send the above to: Blue Ash/Montgomery Symphony Orchestra
4343 Cooper Road
Cincinnati, Ohio 45242**

All winners must be available to accept their award publicly at a Blue Ash/Montgomery Symphony concert. **For more information please contact** Susan Pace, Business Manager, at (513) 232-0949 (phone/fax) or by e-mail at LSPace@cinci.rr.com



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(Please duplicate this form as needed)

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Application

Name _____ Phone _____

Street _____

City _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

Age _____

School _____

School Music Teacher _____

Private Teacher _____

Years of Study _____

Selection on recording submitted _____

(Must be a movement from a concerto)

Composer _____

List any musical activities: _____

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