

SCHOLARSHIP AUDITIONS

The Bennington County Choral Society is preparing for its 2017 scholarship auditions, which will be held on Friday, October 20^h. This year 1 scholarship of \$1,000 will be awarded to a talented young musician. The purpose of the scholarship is to provide financial support for the continued study of music. The scholarship awards are based on a competitive audition.

To be eligible for the audition, a musician must:

1. Be a freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior in high school.
2. Reside in Bennington County or the neighboring towns of Williamstown, Petersburg, Hoosick, Hoosick Falls, White Creek, Cambridge, or North Adams.
3. Perform two instrumental or vocal compositions, each not more than five minutes in length which demonstrate contrasting styles or techniques. Compositions written by students would not be appropriate.
4. Complete and return an application on or before October 7, 2017.
Application forms are enclosed. If more copies are needed, you may duplicate the form.

The auditions will be held at the Second Congregational Church, Hillside Street, Bennington, Vermont. Musicians will be notified of their performance time prior to the competition. The Choral Society encourages you and your students to join us for the evening to hear these talented musicians.

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact:
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BENNINGTON COUNTY CHORAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP AUDITIONS
APPLICATION DEADLINE : POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN **October 7, 2017**

NAME _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

TOWN _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

MAILING ADDRESS (if different from above address) _____

TOWN _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE (include area code) _____ EMAIL _____

SCHOOL & ADDRESS _____

YEAR IN SCHOOL (please circle one) : FRESHMAN SOPHOMORE JUNIOR SENIOR

MUSIC TEACHER _____

If you are not studying privately, list your school music teacher.

INSTRUMENT _____ TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS STUDIED _____

NUMBER OF YEARS STUDIED WITH ABOVE TEACHER _____

What would you do with the scholarship money if you won it? _____

List below compositions to be performed. Select two compositions which demonstrate contrasting styles and techniques. The time of the audition is limited to 10 minutes. Memorization is not required. Students requiring an accompanist, must provide their own.

FIRST COMPOSITION _____

COMPOSER _____

SECOND COMPOSITION _____

COMPOSER _____

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STUDENT'S SIGNATURE _____

INSTRUCTOR'S SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

Send applications, which must be postmarked no later than October 7, 2017, to

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