



Junior Level Piano Scholarship Application

The 2010-11 Junior Level Piano Scholarship competition will take place from 9:30 – 10:30 am on Saturday, May 8, 2010 at the Chilliwack Academy of Music.

Applicant Information:

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____

Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Selections:

Please list selection title, name of the work it is from (if applicable) and composer/arranger

1. _____

2. _____

Instructor's signature: _____

Date: _____

Scholarship applications must be submitted to:

Chilliwack Academy of Music
Attn: Scholarships
46066 First Avenue
Chilliwack, BC V2P 1W1

DESCRIPTION

The Junior Level Piano Scholarship is an annual competitive award of \$75 for piano students studying at the Chilliwack Academy of Music. This financial award is given to a student who demonstrates a high degree of achievement and potential and who will be continuing his/her piano studies at the Chilliwack Academy of Music for the entire following academic year.

ELIGIBILITY

To be considered students must:

1. Be currently registered with a piano teacher at the Chilliwack Academy of Music and be in good standing with the Chilliwack Academy of Music (i.e. account not in arrears)
2. Take part in a competition over which a jury panel will preside to assess each candidate
3. Choose repertoire as outlined below

REPERTOIRE

Repertoire must be chosen as follows:

1. Two contrasting selections are to be prepared and memorized
2. Repertoire must be between Grade 5 and Grade 7 Royal Conservatory Levels

ADJUDICATION

1. A jury panel will be formed consisting of the Department Head, the Principal to act as a neutral juror, and at least one other Department Faculty Member (if possible)
2. Jurors may choose to hear each work in its entirety or only selections from each
3. The performer will begin with his/her choice
4. One photocopy or original of each solo part being performed must be provided for the jury
5. All assessments will be made independently by jury members and without consultation with each other
6. The decision of the jury is final
7. If no candidates are judged to be of sufficient calibre for an award, no award will be given

JUDGING CRITERIA

1. Each candidate will be awarded a score out of the possible 20 by each judge (10 for each piece)
2. Candidates will be judged in the following areas:
 - a. Rhythmic accuracy
 - b. Tempo
 - c. Tone quality
 - d. Technical skill
 - e. Musicianship

NOTIFICATION OF AWARDS

Candidates will receive notification of the results through their private teacher. All results and juror comments will be forwarded to each candidate's private teacher first and then the teacher will distribute to the students.

PAYMENT OF THE AWARD

The award will be applied as a credit on the student's account at the Chilliwack Academy of Music.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Application deadline is **4:30 p.m. April 1** of each year. (If the 1st falls on a weekend, the application is due the following Monday)
2. No late applications will be accepted
3. Application forms are available through the Chilliwack Academy of Music office
4. Scholarship applications must be submitted to:
Chilliwack Academy of Music
Attn: Scholarships
46066 First Avenue
Chilliwack, BC V2P 1W1