

Carolina Youth Symphony
22nd Annual CYS/Carolina First
2008 YOUNG ARTISTS CONCERTO COMPETITION
APPLICATION FORM

Name _____ Instrument _____

Address _____

_____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____ email: _____

School _____

Grade _____ Age _____ Years of Study _____

Name of Private Teacher _____

Teacher's Mailing Address _____

_____ Phone (____) _____

Parents Name & Address _____

_____ Phone (____) _____

Selection to be performed _____
Composer _____ Movement _____
Length of selection _____ minutes
Publisher _____
Music Teacher's Signature _____ Date: _____

The application and non-refundable entry fee of **\$50.00**, must be mailed to:

Carolina Youth Symphony
PO Box 534
Greenville, SC 29602

(Please note any time constraints for your audition)

All Applications must be postmarked by October 19, 2008

Winners will perform on Sunday, March 8th, at 7:00PM at McAlister Auditorium.

Carolina Youth Symphony

P. O. Box 534
Greenville, SC 29602
864/232-3963
Email: elmogvl@aol.com

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Rules and Regulations

1. The Competition is open to students through age 18 (you must not have reached age 19 by June 15, 2009) who reside or study in South Carolina or approximately within a 50-mile radius of Greenville. Previous first-place winners of this Competition are ineligible.
2. The Competition is divided into two performance categories: Keyboard (piano and organ) and Orchestral Instruments. Voice/guitar not included. At the judges' discretion, two soloists in the same category may be chosen, if no winner is selected from the other category. The judges' decision is final.
3. The Competition will be held **Tuesday**, November 25, 2008 in Daniel Recital Hall, Furman University, beginning at 4:00 PM. (All entrants will be assigned a performance time. Failure to appear at the scheduled time will result in automatic forfeiture.)
4. Applicants must play a movement from a concerto or solo concert piece with orchestral accompaniment. Contestants should be prepared to limit their performance to 10 minutes due to the number of entrants in the competition. Memorization is recommended. One copy of the music must be available for the judges. The composition must not be of inordinate difficulty for the orchestra. (Concertos by Beethoven, Mozart, Saint-Saens, and Grieg have been performed in recent years). If there is any doubt in this matter, please contact the Carolina Youth Symphony Conductor and Musical Director, Dr. Les Hicken, at (864) 294-3193
5. **Applicants must provide their own accompanists.** Accompanists do not need to stay until finalists are announced. **If you have any particular time constraints, please note that on your application.**
 6. The application, and non-refundable entry fee of \$50.00, must be mailed to:
CYS Concerto Competition
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Greenville, SC 29602
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7. Winners will perform with the Carolina Youth Symphony on Sunday, March 8, 2009 at 7:00PM. Scholarships of \$500.00 will be awarded to each winner.