

Oregon Federation of Music Clubs

COMPETITIONS & AWARDS DIVISION

LOUIS & VIOLET LANG MEMORIAL OPERA SCHOLARSHIP

1st Place Award: \$600.00

2nd Place Award: \$300.00

High School Vocalists = Ages 16 – 18 yrs * College Vocalists = Ages 18 – 20 yrs

RULES

PURPOSE

The Louis and Violet Lang Memorial Opera Scholarship is named for a former OFMC member and her husband. By her own generous donation, OFMC has been able to distribute cash award scholarships in the area of opera in order to encourage high school and college students to continue in their opera studies. Awards are made to these students for outstanding performances specifically in the category of Opera.

ELIGIBILITY

1. Entrants must be native-born or naturalized citizens of the United States of America. An attested facsimile or photocopy of birth certificate, passport or naturalization papers must accompany each individual's application. **A driver's license is not acceptable as proof.**
2. Entrant must be an Oregon resident and studying with a current OFMC teacher, or registered as a Student Special Member.
3. Age of Applicant as of March 1 of the Scholarship year.
4. Teacher supervision of repertoire required
5. Identification stating date of birth and showing place of residence.
6. Winners shall perform at OFMC year-end Meeting or Conference in June.

REQUIREMENTS

1. Four memorized selections: one **Italian**, one **German or French**, one **English** and one **choice piece**.
2. All accompanists must be furnished by the applicant. Use only legal publications (*no photocopied music allowed*).
3. **Fifteen minutes will be allowed for each audition.** Applicants will choose the first selection, with judges choosing remaining selections. Due to time constraints, all selections may not be heard in their entirety; this will not affect the outcome of the competition.
4. The decision of the judge(s) is final.
5. All Applicants must **provide one legal copy of each selection for the judges' use.**
6. *Photocopied music will result in automatic disqualification.*
7. Twenty-four (24) hours' advance notice to the Scholarship Chairman is expected in cases of cancelled auditions.
8. The nonrefundable application fee of \$15.00 should be made payable to: *Oregon Federation of Music Clubs.*

Application deadline: January 6, 2012

Audition: Saturday, January 28, 2012. Exact time T.B.A.

Location: Classic Pianos

3003 Southeast Milwaukie Avenue

Portland, OR 97202-2426

SEND:

1. Completed Audition Application
2. Application fee of **\$15.00**
3. Check made payable to: OFMC

TO: Aaron Bloom
4633 Exeter St.
West Linn, OR 97068

Questions? Aaron Bloom, Co-Chairman, OFMC Scholarships * abpianolessons@gmail.com * 503-656-6948

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APPLICATION

Classification (*circle one*) **High School** / **College** Application Date _____
Name _____
Address _____ City/St/Zip _____
Phone _____ Date of Birth (*mo/day/yr*) _____ Current Age _____
School Name _____ Grade _____
Current Voice Teacher _____ Phone _____
Teacher Address _____ City/St/Zip _____

FEDERATED MEMBERSHIP

Entrants must be members in good standing of OFMC. Please contact the OFMC Scholarship Chairman if you have questions regarding membership qualifications.

REPERTOIRE (*Memorized*)

1. **ITALIAN** Composition _____
Composer _____ Minutes _____
2. **GERMAN** or **FRENCH** Composition _____
Composer _____ Minutes _____
3. **AMERICAN** Composition _____
Composer _____ Minutes _____
4. **CHOICE** Composition _____
Composer _____ Minutes _____

ENTRANT ACKNOWLEDGMENT (*Signatures required*)

I have read and understand the accompanying entry rules for this event, acknowledge that I will comply with these standards, and further acknowledge that these answers are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Teacher Signature _____ Date _____