

THE AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS

Ann Arbor Chapter

Marilyn Mason Young Musician's Scholarship

Award Guidelines 2010

GOAL

To further the interest of young people in organ performance by offering a stipend each year toward the cost of attendance at a Pipe Organ Encounter.

AWARD

- A. One scholarship in the amount of \$400 will be awarded annually at the discretion of the judges.
- B. The scholarship will be made payable to a summer POE.
- C. Scholarship winner will be chosen by the Scholarship Committee, composed of local qualified musicians, as empowered by the Executive Board of the Ann Chapter of the American Guild of Organists.
- D. Preference will be given to those who have not previously won the award.

QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Applicant must be between the ages of 13 and 18, inclusively, and must have completed some piano or organ study.
- B. Applicant shall be a resident of southeastern Michigan or be a pupil of an Ann Arbor Chapter member.
- C. Applicant must submit a completed application form and additional letters as described.
- D. Applicant may be requested to perform a representative piece of music for the Scholarship Committee.

AWARD RECIPIENT

- A. All applicants will be notified by letter of the judges' decision.
- B. The winner may be requested to participate in a program sponsored by the Ann Arbor Chapter.

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Application 2010

Applicant's Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

I am applying for the Marilyn Mason Young Musician's Scholarship. At some time in 2010 I will be between the ages of 13 and 18. I have read the Award Guidelines and understand them fully. I understand that the decision of the Scholarship Committee will be final.

Applicant's signature _____

Along with this signed application the applicant must send the following items to the chair of the Scholarship Committee.

- | A. A letter written by the applicant outlining their music background and future musical interests.
- | B. A letter of reference written by a music teacher, church musician or church leader (e.g. priest, minister, rabbi).
- | C. A brief list of the piano and/or organ repertoire the applicant has studied or is currently studying.

These three items along with the above application must be received no later than April 15, 2010 by the chair of the committee:

Gale Kramer
AGO Mason Scholarship
637 Northside Avenue
Ann Arbor, MI 48105-1132

Applicants will be notified of the results by May 1, 2010.
Please make a copy of this application and guidelines for your records.