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2010 Junior Competition Eligibility and Requirements

Eligibility: Open to all pianists 9-12 years old as of January 30, 2010, residing in Santa Clara, San Mateo and San Francisco counties.

Repertoire: One solo piano piece with a time limit of 10 minutes. The submitted repertoire will be subject to approval by the competition.

Application procedure:

1. A completed application form
2. A recommendation from the applicant's current teacher
3. A non-refundable application fee of \$25 payable to the Peninsula Symphony. (If financial hardship exists, please contact the competition office).
4. Send completed application to the Peninsula Symphony office at 146 Main Street, Suite 102, Los Altos, CA 94022

All applications must be received at the Peninsula Symphony office by **December 17, 2009**. We recommend that applicants submit their entry forms as early as possible.

Competition:

15 applicants will be selected to participate in the competition on January 30, 2010 at Campbell Recital Hall, Braun Music Center, Stanford University.

Prizes:

Three winners will be chosen. Prize includes:

- \$100
- Award Certificate
- Performance at the Peninsula Symphony's Family Concert in February, 2010.
- Performance in the Bridges to Music elementary school performance programs in Spring 2010

Rules:

- All decisions of the jury are final
- All music must be performed by memory.
- The competition will forbid all contact between jury members and finalists.
- A jury member who has taught a contestant within the past three years or has any other conflict of interest will abstain from voting for that pianist.
- Competitors must be ready to perform at their assigned times. Competitors who are not ready to perform when called upon to do so will be disqualified.
- Winners are required to attend the awards ceremonies. Winners who are not present for the Awards Ceremony or any other competition event will forfeit their prize.
- All winners must be available to perform at the Peninsula Symphony's Family Concert and the Bridges to Music elementary school performance programs.
- All recordings, both audio and video, made of any performance by the competition are strictly the property of the Peninsula Symphony.