

MUSIC CLUB OF HOLLYWOOD FLORIDA

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR MOLLY GARRETT AND JUNE FOOSHEE COLLEGIATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Eligibility

1. The student must be a high school graduate prior to or during June of the year of application. A statement from the high school authority identifying the student as a member of that year's graduating class and stating that applicant is graduating may be required. If the applicant has received a high school diploma or equivalent prior to the year of application, applicant must furnish the copy or original of such and it must be verifiable by the appropriate school authority.
2. A document from the music school the student plans to attend verifying that they have received the student's completed application, or a letter from the music school stating that the student has been accepted or is already enrolled in their music school is required with the application.
3. A written recommendation from the applicant's music teacher or director prior to entering college or, if already attending college, a letter from his music teacher or director must accompany the application.
4. The student must be planning or enrolled as a major in music at an accredited music school. For continued consideration, the student must maintain a "B" average and may be required to re-audition each year. Performance at a Club meeting, preferably the January Student Showcase, may be considered re-audition by the Club.
5. Missing or incomplete applicants may be disqualified and/or ineligible for audition.

General Information and Instructions

1. The scholarship recipient shall be chosen on the basis of merit, musical ability, character and need following an audition before the scholarship committee.
2. The college must be accredited, but is of the student's choosing. It is not a requirement that the student attend a Florida school.
3. Payment of the scholarship shall be only to the music school.
4. The Scholarship Committee's decision, based on the judges' input, and other considerations, will be final.
5. The scholarship awards are funded annually by the Music Club of Hollywood Florida. The number and dollar value of the awards will vary from year to year.

6. Scholarship Applicant must be an American citizen.
7. Applicant must be a current resident of Broward or Dade County, Florida, or have been a resident for at least one year during the past five years.
8. Late or incomplete applications are grounds for disqualification.
9. Upon receipt of the scholarship award from the Music Club of Hollywood Florida, the student will receive one year free membership in the club. In subsequent years, recipient students are encouraged to maintain their membership and will be responsible for annual dues of \$30 payable May 1.
10. The scholarship awards will be paid in two installments, one in August or September (for the Fall semester) and one in January or February (for the Spring semester). The usual practice is for the student to pay the college first, then the Music Club of Hollywood Florida sends the amount of the scholarship awarded to the school at the above schedule. However the student may select the option of having the check assigned directly to him or her. The student may use these funds for private lessons, supplies, musical instruments or other purposes related to their musical education. In this instance the student assumes responsibility for any tax issues that may arise. If this option is selected the student must notify the Scholarship Chairman before the beginning of the Fall or Spring term. There is no guarantee that the Fall and Spring amounts will be the same, however, it is expected that they will be approximately the same for planning purposes.
11. The student is required to furnish a written copy of their grades to the Music Club Scholarship Chairman at the conclusion of each term. The student must maintain a "B" average to continue receiving scholarship support.
12. Checks cannot be released to the college until a letter of acceptance is furnished (for rising Freshman or transferring students).
13. Failure to comply with any of the eligibility or application requirements may be cause for disqualification.

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

1. A Scholarship Application must be completed in full and postmarked by March 16, 2012.
2. The applicant should prepare a program of no less than ten minutes . Longer programs are allowed but the Scholarship chairman reserves the option of terminating the audition program after 10 minutes. All selections must be performed from memory.
3. Works should be carefully chosen to display the student's best abilities and highest standards of performance. Not more than one selection from each of these categories may be chosen: Baroque, Classical, Romantic, and/or Contemporary. The number of selections chosen will be determined by the time allowed for each student.
4. The applicant must send a copy of his program with names of composers and approximate performance time of each composition on his/her program to the Scholarship Chairman postmarked or emailed fifteen days prior to the date of the audition.

5. The Music Club will provide an piano accompanist at no charge. Music must be received for the accompanist (by the Scholarship Chairman) at least 7 days before auditions. Students may also choose their own accompanist if they so desire. If the applicant opts to use our accompanist he/she must arrive early to practice. The Scholarship Chairman will provide details prior to the audition.
6. All applicants should arrive thirty minutes before the audition start. Late arrival is grounds for potential disqualification. Applicants are expected to stay for all performances.
7. One published copy and two photocopies of each selection to be performed by the applicant are to be presented to the Scholarship Chairman at the audition. Please mark your music with your name and address. The music will be used by the judges and returned to the applicant after the audition.

AUDIO OR VIDEO SUBMISSION

The applicant is expected to submit an audio or video sample of their work of about 10 minutes duration. It can be a CD, DVD, MP3, or VIDEO FILE. Please include it with the application. Files may also be also posted on a download site and, if so, please provide the link to MCOHScholarship@gmail.com.

Please send hard copies of media to:

Howard Rosen
1410 N 35th Ave
Hollywood, Florida 33021

AUDITION

After review of the application and audio/video submission, the student will be notified by email of acceptance to the audition which will take place on April 14, 2012 6:00 PM-9:00 PM

For additional information or questions, please contact Scholarship Chairman, at MCOHScholarship@gmail.com

Thank you for your interest in our Summer Scholarship Program.
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APPLICATION DUE March 16, 2012

