

MUSIC CLUB OF HOLLYWOOD FLORIDA
GENERAL INFORMATION FOR 2020 SUMMER STUDY GRANTS

NOTE: Only students entering high school in the fall or students already in high school, with the exception of past/current grant recipients, will be eligible to receive grants.

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 summer music study program may be the student's choice.
3. The payment of the scholarship shall be only to the music school or private teacher.
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. And must be a current resident of Broward or Dade County, Florida.
7. Late or incomplete applications are grounds for disqualification.
8. Awarded students are encouraged to schedule a performance at a regularly scheduled Music Club of Hollywood Florida meeting or special event during the upcoming November – May season.
9. The Music Club of Hollywood Florida reserves the right to use audio and video recordings made under our sponsorship for promotional purposes. We will ask the student permission for use of media that is made public on Youtube.com and other video sharing sites that are searchable on the internet.
10. The Music Club of Hollywood Florida will not issue checks related to Summer Study Grants after **September 15, 2020**.

AUDITION REQUIREMENTS:

1. A Scholarship Application must be completed in full and postmarked by **February 24, 2020**.
2. The applicant should prepare a program of no less than five and no more than ten minutes.
3. Works should be carefully chosen to display the student's best abilities and the highest standards of performance. The number of selections chosen will be determined by the five to ten-minute rule allowed for each student.
4. The applicant must send a copy of his/her program with names of composers and approximate performance time of each composition on his/her program to the Scholarship Chairman postmarked or emailed fourteen days prior to the date of the audition.
5. The Music Club of Hollywood Florida will provide a piano accompanist at no charge. Music must be received for the accompanist (by the Scholarship Chairman) by **March 10, 2020**, either by mail or email. Students may also choose their own accompanist if they so desire. If not using or do not need our accompanist he/she must submit only their title to us by **March 24, 2020**.
6. All applicants should arrive thirty minutes before the audition starts. Late arrival is grounds for potential disqualification. Applicants are expected to stay for all performances.
7. We will provide an accompanist at no charge. **If the applicant elects to use our accompanist, he/she must notify us and provide a copy of the piano part no later than March 10, 2020. Those who do not need our accompanist must send selection titles by March 24, 2020.**

Rehearsals with the pianist will take place starting at 8:00 AM on the day of the audition, in the order of arrival. One published copy and two legible photocopies of each selection to be performed by the applicant are to be given to the Scholarship Chairman before the audition. The music will be used by the judges and returned to the applicant after the audition.

AUDIO OR VIDEO SUBMISSION REQUIRED:

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 MCOHscholarship2@gmail.com.

Hard copies of media should be sent to:

Howard Rosen
1410 N. 35th Avenue
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 5, 2020, at the Anne Kolb Nature Center, 751 Sheridan St. Hollywood, Florida 33019, from 10:30 AM to 3:00 PM, or until completion. (954) 357-5161

For additional information or questions, please contact Scholarship Chairman, Howard Rosen, at MCOHscholarship2@gmail.com. Thank you for your interest in our Summer Scholarship Program.

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APPLICATION DUE FEBRUARY 24, 2020