

Dayton Music Club Youth Scholarships 2024

Information sheet for students

Thank you for your interest in the scholarships offered by the Dayton Music Club. We offer a total of approximately \$10,000 in scholarships each spring to students of current Dayton Music Club members.

Auditions: Monday, March 4, 2024 from 3-8 PM at
Kettering Seventh Day Adventist Church
3939 Stonebridge Rd, Dayton, OH 45419

Performances:

Sunday, March 10, 2024, from 3-5 PM
Scholarship Winners Recital
Kettering Seventh Day Adventist Church
3939 Stonebridge Rd, Dayton, OH 45419

Sunday, May 5, 2024, 3 PM
Scholarship Benefit Program
Epiphany Lutheran Church
6430 Far Hills Drive, Dayton, OH 45459

Please do not apply if you are not available to participate in at least one of these recitals.
Application deadline is Sunday, February 25, at 11:59PM No exceptions.
Media Release Forms will be available to sign and complete at time of audition.

Who is eligible to audition for a scholarship?

Please carefully read the following rules and instructions to make sure you are eligible to apply.

Any Student who:

1. is in grades 7-12 at the time of the application.
2. studies the instrument primarily with a qualified teacher (*see reverse*).
3. plans to use the scholarship
 - a. to pay for lessons with same teacher and/or to attend a summer camp or program on this instrument, and/or
 - b. to attend college as a music major next fall.
4. is available to perform in one or both performances listed above. Please do not apply if you are unwilling or unable to perform in one of these recitals.

Please email scholarships@daytonmusicclub.org if you have any other questions.

Qualified Teacher:

1. is the primary teacher of the student on this instrument.
2. has paid membership dues to the Dayton Music Club by June 30, 2023.

How to apply for an audition:

If you meet the requirements and wish to audition for a scholarship, please contact your teacher to request the link to the online application form. Your teacher may contact the auditions committee by email (scholarships@daytonmusicclub.org) to get the link. Please direct any questions to Committee Chair Sally Christman at the above email address or by phone at (937) 272-1746.

We can support organ solo but not piano concerto this year.

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What do I prepare for the audition?

You will be asked to perform two pieces of music by two different composers (contrasting styles, similar difficulty level, less than 12 minutes total) for two judges. You must provide an original copy of your music for the judges (no illegal copies, please).

The music is to be performed as follows:

1. Piano, voice, strings, harp, guitar, percussion: both pieces played by memory.
2. Woodwinds and brass: one piece by memory, second piece may use music (legal copies only).
3. Organ solo: no memorization required.

Other details for the audition will be provided in the audition confirmation email along with assigned warm up and audition times.

Audition results and invitations for those selected to play in recitals will be emailed to the parent(s) and teacher of the student by March 7th, 2024.