

Finger Lakes Symphony Orchestra

2023 Young Artist Competition

Application and Information

APPLICATION DEADLINE – Friday, February 17, 2023

AUDITIONS – Saturday, March 4, 2023

Location: United Church, 11 Gibson Street, Canandaigua, NY

CONCERT – Saturday, April 29, 2023, 7:00 PM

Presbyterian Church of Geneva, 24 Park Pl, Geneva, NY

Eligibility: Auditions are open to *instrumental* students through grade 12. Applicants must be residents of Ontario, Seneca, Monroe, Wayne, Livingston, Orleans, Genesee, Wyoming, or Yates counties (**pianists, vocalists, and previous winners are not eligible**).

****Piano accompaniment is required for auditions.****

This year's winner will have the opportunity to perform a solo with the Finger Lakes Symphony Orchestra during their Spring Concert on **April 29, 2023** and receive a cash award of \$200. In the event of multiple winners, a cash award of \$200 will be awarded to each winner. Auditions will be held on **Saturday March 4, 2023** at the United Church of Canandaigua, 11 East Gibson St. Canandaigua, NY 14424.

Please prepare any **one** movement from a concerto or a composition for solo instrument and orchestra. Eligible applicants will be notified by phone or email to arrange an audition time during the **week prior** to auditions. Piano accompaniment is required for audition. Please provide your own accompanist and one copy of your music for the judges. Applicants will be given a maximum of eight minutes including any setup and tear down necessary for the audition.

Send completed application and a \$40 fee payable to FLSO, postmarked no later than **February 17, 2023**

Additional applications can be found at www.flso.org . Additional questions can be directed to YAC@flso.org

Note on audition repertoire selection: Due to time and cost restraints, orchestral accompaniment parts must be available at reasonable cost from a music publisher or rental agency in the US. Your school or private music teacher should be able to assist you in verifying this if necessary. Please check into this ahead of time. The FLSO has the right to cancel a performance or request that a different piece be performed if orchestral parts are not easily accessible or too cost prohibitive.

Competition procedure: Performing from memory is preferred, but not mandatory. Please arrive at least 15 min. prior to your audition time. You will be provided a warm-up room. Competition results are final. Candidates will be notified in writing within a week of auditions.

FLSO's Mark Bradley Young Artist Competition Audition Application

Please print clearly and return the application section and fee of \$40.00 payable to FLSO, Inc, postmarked by **February 17th, 2023** FLSO Young Artist Competition
PO box 988
Canandaigua, NY 14424

If you prefer to scan this and email it, please send to YAC@flso.org

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Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ zip _____ County _____

Home phone (____) _____ Cell (____) _____

E-Mail _____

Age _____ Grade level _____ School _____

Instrument _____

Audition Piece/Mvt _____

Composer _____

School Music Teacher _____

Private Teacher _____ phone (____) _____

Name of Accompanist (to aid in scheduling) _____

Circle audition time preference (not guaranteed) morning afternoon either

Additional notes/information _____
