

**WESTSIDE COMMITTEE
OF THE LOS ANGELES PHILHARMONIC
SCHOLARSHIP AUDITIONS MARCH 27 AND 28, 2017**

The Westside Committee of the Los Angeles Philharmonic conducts a special event each year to raise money for scholarships for young music students. Several scholarships are awarded, the amounts usually varying from \$100 to \$500.

The recipients will be selected by the Board of the Westside Committee. Their decision is final, including the decision not to award a scholarship at all in any given year. Students will be judged on talent, technique, promise, and need. Requirements are:

Minimum of three years of study on the instrument the student is playing

Performance of a piece of classical music of 3 to 5 minutes duration

Current enrollment in school grades 6 through 12

A written recommendation from the student's teacher

**Availability to perform at a Westside Committee meeting during the year
(waived for seniors leaving town after graduation)**

**Student's residence or school, or current teacher's residence in
Pacific Palisades, Santa Monica, Brentwood, Malibu, or Topanga.**

Students also trying out for Palisades Symphony Awards on March 28 must send a separate application to each organization, but do not need to audition twice. Westside judges will attend that audition. Those who will not apply there must audition in the afternoon of March 27 in Pacific Palisades.

All auditions are in the afternoon, starting with the younger students. Exact time and location will be announced after March 25. One piano is available on March 27, two on March 28. Students must bring their own accompanist, if one is needed. Application forms are enclosed, copies may be used also. They are to be sent to Eva Holberg, 1081 Palisair Place, Pacific Palisades, CA 90272. For questions regarding the above, call (310)454-8040. Please, observe the deadline below.

Deadline for Applications to be received is March 20, 2017.

Palisades Symphony Orchestra

**Joel B. Lish, Music Director - Eva Holberg, President and Manager
PO Box 214, Pacific Palisades, CA 90272. Tel.: 310 454-8040.**

47th Annual Young Artist Awards Competition March 28, 2017

Palisades Symphony invites talented young local instrumentalists who are able to perform a movement of a concerto with orchestra to audition for an award and the chance to play with Palisades Symphony in concert on June 11th, 2017. The concerto must be from the standard repertoire, the orchestration must be readily available, and the selected movement must be memorized.

Auditions are open to students residing or attending a school located in Pacific Palisades, Santa Monica, Malibu, Topanga, or Brentwood. Former winners may not apply with the same instrument in the same grade level. In case of a tie, the prize will be shared. Awards are given in the following categories:

Grade level 1 - 6: first place winner(s) will receive \$100
Grade level 7 - 9: first place winner(s) will receive \$200
Grade level 10-12: first place winner(s) will receive \$200

In addition, the Alfred Newman Memorial Scholarship Award for \$1,000 and the Chamber Music Palisades Award for \$500 will be awarded. For these scholarships, former winners may apply in the same grade level.

Students are required to bring their own accompanist to the auditions, which are to be held on Tuesday afternoon, March 28, 2017, at Palisades High School Mercer Hall, 15777 Bowdoin, Pacific Palisades.

Palisades Symphony will choose independent judges from the music profession. Their decision will be final, including the decision not to give an award in any or all of the categories, if they should feel that the contestants are not ready to play with the orchestra.

Applications to the audition do not require a special form, but must include name, address, zip, phone, age, school and grade of the student, an application fee of \$10, and a brief biographical sketch, including musical training and experience, the name of the current instrumental teacher, and the work the contestant is prepared to perform.

All entries are to be sent to Palisades Symphony, P.O. Box 214, Pacific Palisades, CA 90272. Individual audition time will be available after March 25. For additional information, call (310) 454-8040.

Deadline for Application to be received is March 21, 2017.

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MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
Ms. Eva Holberg, Chair
1081 Palisair Place
Pacific Palisades, Ca 90272

**APPLICATION FOR WESTSIDE SCHOLARSHIP AUDITION MARCH 21 or March 22,
2016**

Note: Application Deadline is March 20, 2017

Name of Student: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____ Birthdate: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

School and Grade: _____ Sex: _____

Instrument: _____ Years of Study: _____

Parent's Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Name of Music Teacher: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Name and composer of the piece to be performed at audition:

Are you also participating in Palisades Symphony's Audition? _____

If you are, there must be a separate application for each organization, but they can be mailed in one envelope.

Please describe briefly your musical accomplishments over the past years, including volunteer services:

On the back of this form, explain why you desire this scholarship and what you hope to accomplish if you are selected. Then return form to the address above.

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS March 20, 2017