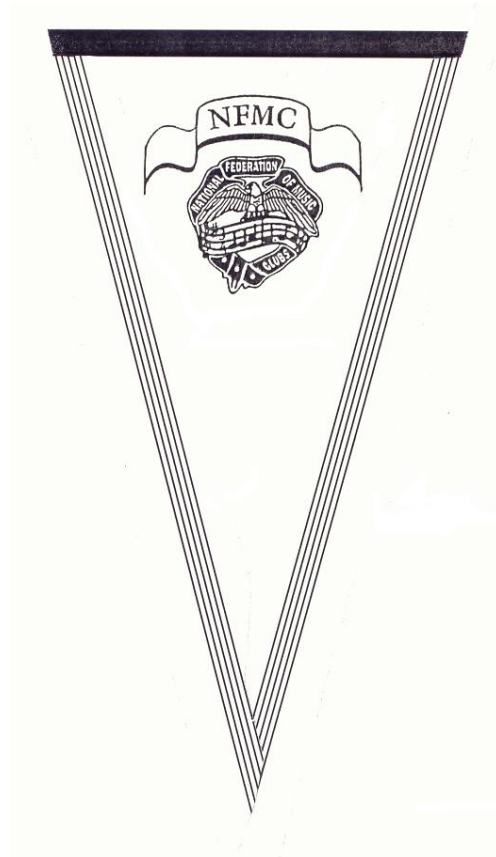


National Federation Of Music Clubs



Competitions and Awards Chart 2009—2010

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS

FOR APPLICATION FORMS AND FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE WRITE DIRECTLY TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SPECIFIC AWARD IN WHICH YOU ARE INTERESTED OR CHECK THE WEBSITE LISTED BELOW. General information for Young Artist Auditions, Student Auditions, and Competition and Awards Charts may be ordered from NFMC Headquarters (address below), or check website below.

ENTRANCE RULES

Applicants **MUST** be native-born or naturalized American citizens. (EXCEPTION: Lynn Freeman Olson Composition, Lynn Freeman Olson Piano Pedagogy Award applicants and International Music Camp applicants—50% U.S. citizens, 50% non U.S. citizens.)

Applicants must be members or become members of NFMC either by individual or group affiliation before applications are accepted. (EXCEPTION: Young Artist Auditions, Summer Music Center Awards Applicants and the three Armed Forces Awards. Application forms include necessary information for membership.)

JUNIOR entrants must be members of the Junior Division.

STUDENT entrants must be members of the Student Division.

Students **CAN NOT** compete in the Young Artist Competition and the Student/Collegiate Auditions in the same year.

ENTRANTS for SENIOR DIVISION AWARDS must be members of the Senior Division.

THE NFMC

The NFMC, a not-for-profit organization, is dedicated to MUSIC EDUCATION and promotion of CREATIVE and PERFORMING ARTS in AMERICA.

Since it's founding in 1898, the NATIONAL FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS has grown into one of the world's largest music organizations with Junior, Student and Adult clubs and individual members. The NFMC is chartered by the Congress of the United States.

Dedicated to finding and fostering young musical talent, the NFMC conducts annual Junior Festivals with more than 117,000 participants. NFMC offers more than three quarters of a million dollars in state and national competitions, including four \$10,000 biennial Young Artist awards, and the \$10,000 Ellis Award for Duo-Pianists. Each of these awards includes two years of performance bookings.

The Federation champions American music with awards and commissions. Federated States may proclaim November American Music Month, in which the annual Parade of American Music focuses on programs of music by American composers. Awards are given annually to recognize educational institutions for their promotion and presentation of American music. Other areas of Federation interest include:

- Sponsoring of National Music Week, the first week of May each year
- Crusade for Strings, with Awards of Merit recognizing these efforts
- Support for legislation on bills affecting the welfare of musicians, music education and development of American musical life
- Campaigns for higher standards in church, radio and television music
- Official representation to the United Nations
- Provision of music activities and therapy in veterans' hospitals as well as in institutions of confinement
- Inspiration and use of great hymns of all faiths through a Hymn of the Month program
- Sponsorship of opera
- Encouragement of the dance.

Communicating the NFMC activities and educational music information to NFMC members are *MUSIC CLUBS MAGAZINE*, the official publication of NFMC and *JUNIOR KEYNOTES*, targeted toward Junior Members, both published three times a year.

Anyone wishing to become a member of the Federation, subscribe to magazines, receive literature or make a tax-exempt contribution may write to National Headquarters.

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2009-2010 COMPETITIONS AND AWARDS CHART

Chairman: Competitions and Awards Board

Dr. George R. Keck, 421 Cherry St., Arkadelphia AR 71923-5116, keckg@obu.edu

YOUNG ARTIST AWARDS

BIENNIAL – ODD NUMBERED YEARS

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application
NFMC Young Artist Auditions Chairman: Delores Blaser 4404 Heritage Dr. Lawrence, KS 66047 dblaser@sunflower.com	PIANO STRINGS MAN'S VOICE WOMAN'S VOICE	Instrumentalist: Must have reached the 18 th birthday but not the 30 th birthday by June 1, the year of the audition. Vocalist: Must have reached the 25 th birthday, but not the 37 th birthday by June 1, the year of the audition.	\$50.00 for each category	\$10,000—1 st Place (for each category) \$1,250—2 nd Place (for each category) (Funded by NFMC, Agnes Fowler Endowment, and supplemental wards listed below)	February 1, year of Auditions
NFMC Ellis Competition for Duo-Pianists Chairman: Francis Christmann 4409 14 th St Lubbock, TX 79416-4801 francis.christmann@yahoo.com	DUO-PIANO	Must have reached 18 th , but not 39 th birthday by April 1, 2011	\$50.00 per team	1 st Place—\$10,000 (duo team) Funded by Ellis Legacy and gift from Floride Dean 2 nd Place—\$5,000 (duo team) Funded by Ellis Legacy, and gift from Gretchen E. Van Roy	October 10, even-numbered year
NFMC American Music Award (Duo Team) Faye and John Abild				\$1,000 to be awarded to one of the duo finalists for the best performance of American Music.	
NFMC Charles E. & Francis Christmann New York Debut Recital				Recitalist determined by Francis Christmann, Endowment Chairman. Funded by the Charles E. Christmann, Sr. NFMC Endowment	

Endowments Which Support *Instrumental and Vocal* Awards for Young Artist Winners

NFMC Ann & Gordon Getty Awards

NFMC Oscar Valentin Award

NFMC Mary Kimball Hail Award for the Chaminade Music Club of Providence, R.I

NFMC Merle Montgomery Opera Awards honoring a Past National President

NFMC Violet and Louis Lang Awards

NFMC Claudette Sorel Piano Award

NFMC Edwin B. Ellis Piano Award

NFMC Samuel Sorin Piano Award

NFMC FAMA Award

NFMC Baiz/Sweeney Award

NFMC Lily Peter Strings Award

NFMC Vera Wardner Dougan Violin Award honoring a Past National President

**BIENNIAL STUDENT/COLLEGIATE AUDITIONS AWARDS
ODD NUMBERED YEARS**

Chairman: Jan Hill, 1503 Wellington Road, Homewood AL 35209; jkhill@bellsouth.net

Student age: Must have reached the 19th but not the 26th birthday by the application deadline.

Entrants of 16, 17, and 18 years may enter either Junior or Student competitions, but not both in the same year.

The following awards are given after Student/Collegiate Auditions on State, District and National levels.

Members of the Student/Collegiate Division should also carefully check the NFMC Summer Music Center Awards, as various age levels are included in Summer Music Center and Camp opportunities.

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application
NFMC Student/Collegiate Awards Honoring Agnes Fowler and Mary V. Thiesen	Piano, Organ, Harp, Classical Guitar, Man's Voice, Woman's Voice, Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass, Orchestral Woodwinds, Orchestral Brass and Percussion	Must have reached the 19 th but not the 26 th birthday by the application deadline	\$30.00 for each category	\$1,200 for the winner in each category. Performance at Biennial Convention when feasible.	January 15, the year of auditions

**SUPPLEMENTAL AWARDS FOR STUDENT/COLLEGIATE AUDITIONS
CANNOT BE APPLIED FOR SEPARATELY**

Name	Category	Amount of Award
NFMC Annie Lou Ellis Piano Awards	PIANO	\$1,000 – 1 st Place; \$750 – 2 nd Place
NFMC Janice Clarkson Cleworth Award	PIANO	\$400
NFMC Virginia Peace Mackey-Althouse Award	VOICE, WOMAN'S	\$1,750
NFMC Hazel Heffner Becchina Awards	VOICE, MAN'S or WOMAN'S	\$1,500 – 1 st Place; \$1,000 – 2 nd Place
NFMC Irene S. Muir Awards	VOICE, MAN'S or WOMAN'S	\$1,500 - 1 st Place; \$750 – 2 nd Place toward continued music study as vocal majors. Funded by Clifton Muir Endowment
NFMC Violet Lang Award in Violin, honoring Dr. Barbara M. Irish	VIOLIN	\$750 Funded by the Violet Lang Endowment
NFMC Josef Kaspar Awards	VIOLIN	\$1,000 - 1 st Place; \$750 - 2 nd Place. Funded by Endowment gift by Mary Park Clements
NFMC Louise Oberne Strings Awards	VIOLIN, VIOLA, VIOLONCELLO, DOUBLE BASS	\$1,500 - 1 st Place; \$1,000 - 2 nd Place.
NFMC Lawrence Foster Memorial Awards in Violoncello	VIOLONCELLO	\$1,000 – 1 st Place; \$500 – 2 nd Place. Funded by the Foster Endowment, Illinois Federation of Music Clubs and Friends
NFMC Louise L. Henderson Violoncello Award	VIOLONCELLO	\$750 Funded by the Louise L. Henderson Endowment given by Mrs. Henderson and daughter, Temple Mitchell
NFMC Josephine Trott Strings Award	STRINGS	\$1,000 Funded by the Josephine Trott Endowment given by Riccardo McQuie
NFMC Thor Johnson Strings Awards	STRINGS	\$1,200 - 1 st Place; \$500 – 2 nd Place
NFMC Marie Morrissey Keith Award honoring a Past National President	ORCHESTRAL WOODWINDS	\$1,000
NFMC Marie Morrissey Keith Award honoring a Past National President	ORCHESTRAL BRASS	\$1,000
NFMC Dr. Barbara M. Irish Awards in Harp honoring a Past National President	HARP	\$1,500 1 st Place; \$1,000 2 nd Place
NFMC Ruby Simmons Vought Organ Awards honoring a Past National President	ORGAN	\$2,500 - 1 st Place; \$1,000 - 2 nd Place, for music major
NFMC Lucille Heimrich Awards	GUITAR AND PERCUSSION	\$400 guitar award; \$400 percussion award

ANNUAL STUDENT/COLLEGIATE COMPOSITION AWARDS

Chairman: Barbara Slater, 1197 Sahara Street, Idaho Falls ID 83404-7025; slatercb@cableone.net

Students may enter one manuscript with a \$20.00 entry fee by February 1. Judges will adjudicate all compositions and determine winners of the awards listed below. Awards are not to be applied for separately.

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Deadline for Application
NFMC Student/ Collegiate Composition Awards	COMPOSITION: Class I: Sonata or Comparable Work for solo wind or string instrument with piano, or for any combination of 3 to 5 Instruments, of which the piano may be one. Class II: Choral Work Class III: Piano Solo Class IV: Vocal Solo with Piano, Organ, or Orchestral accompaniment. English text.	Must have reached the 19 th but not the 26 th birthday by the application deadline. Must be a junior, senior, or graduate student in college, majoring in composition	\$20.00	March 1

Name of the Award	Amount of the Award
NFMC Marion Richter American Music Composition Award	\$900
NFMC Young Composers Award	\$1,100 and \$900
NFMC Devora Nadworney Award for Vocal Solo	\$400
Hotz Special Recognition Award	2 - \$50.00 awards sponsored by Nancy B. and Russell C. Hatz

BIENNIAL STUDENT/COLLEGIATE AWARDS

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Elizabeth Grieger Wiegand Sacred Music of the Faiths Award	CHORAL CONDUCTING, PIANO, ORGAN, or VOICE for students majoring in CHURCH MUSIC	Must have reached the 16 th , but not the 26 th birthday by March 1 the year of auditions	\$5.00	\$600	March 1 odd numbered years	Helen Hammond 2102 Ella Street Springdale AR 72762 479-750-0301 helenhammond@arkansas.net
NFMC Lynn Freeman Olson Composition Awards	KEYBOARD COMPOSITION	Advanced: High School Graduate through age 25. High School: Grades 10-11-12	None	\$1,500-- \$1,000 Funded by Lynn Freeman Olson Endowment given by Friends & James Schnars	February 1 odd numbered years	James Schnars 6550 Shoreline Drive Suite 7505 St. Petersburg FL 33708
NFMC Lynn Freeman Olson Award in Piano Pedagogy	PIANO	All ages who have undergraduate degree in piano	None	\$5,000 Funded by Lynn Freeman Olson Endowment given by Friends & James Schnars	January 31 odd numbered years	James Schnars 6550 Shoreline Drive Suite 7505 St. Petersburg FL 33708
NFMC Virginia Allison Collaborative Award honoring a Past National President	VOCAL ACCOMPANYING; INSTRUMENTAL ACCOMPANYING	Must have reached the 19 th but not the 26 th birthday by application deadline	\$30.00	\$2,500	March 1 odd numbered years	Dr. Leslie Poss 237 Sandbook Lane Tuscaloosa AL 35405

ANNUAL STUDENT/COLLEGIATE AWARDS

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Gretchen E. Van Roy Music Education Scholarship	MUSIC EDUCATION	A college junior majoring in Music Education at a college or university Which has a Music Education Department offering a degree in same	None	\$1,000	April 1	Mrs. Ralph Suggs 1000 Applewood Drive Apt. 188 Roswell GA 30076 678-997-8556 Rose331s@bellsouth.net
NFMC Myrtle Mehan/Hazel Morgan Music Education Scholarship	MUSIC EDUCATION	A college sophomore majoring in Music Education at a college or university which has a Music Education Department offering a degree in same	\$5.00	\$475	March 1	Laverne Love 3203 Eastover Drive Odessa TX 79762 432-366-6538 432-889-6471
NFMC Dorothy Dann Bullock Music Therapy Award honoring a Past National President	MUSIC THERAPY	Offered to Music Therapy Majors (college sophomores, juniors, seniors) in accredited schools offering Music Therapy degrees approved by the National Association of Music Therapists	None	\$1,100 for further Study (paid to approved school of recipient's choice)	March 1	Margaret Smith 5324 Chestnut Street Tuscaloosa AL 35405-5601 205-556-5793 billmarg1956@comcast.net
NFMC Carey Wilson Music Therapy Award	MUSIC THERAPY	College juniors, seniors, graduate students or graduates in internship in music therapy at schools offering degrees approved by National Association of Music Therapists	None	\$275 for further study (paid to approved school of recipient's choice). Funded by NFMC and Carey Wilson Endowment	March 1	Margaret Smith 5324 Chestnut Street Tuscaloosa AL 35405-5601 205-556-5793 billmarg1956@comcast.net
NFMC Ruth B. Robertson Music Therapy Award	MUSIC THERAPY	College juniors or seniors majoring in Music Therapy at schools offering degrees approved by the National Association of Music Therapists.	None	\$300 for further study (paid to approved school of recipient's choice).	March 1	Margaret Smith 5324 Chestnut Street Tuscaloosa AL 35405-5601 205-556-5793 billmarg1956@comcast.net
NFMC Hinda Honigman Awards for the Blind honoring a Past National President	INSTRUMENTALIST or VOCALIST	Must have reached the 16 th but not the 26 th birthday by March 1, the year of auditions	None	\$650 for further study for winner \$350 for further study for runner-up	February 1	Regina Einig 864 Schoolhouse Road Carbondale IL 62909 reinig@siu.edu
Music for the Blind Composition Award	COMPOSITION	Must have reached the 19 th but not the 31 st birthday by the application deadline	\$3.00 per Manuscript	\$200 Funded by the Agnes Fowler Endowment	March 1	Sharon Booker 325 N. Via Del Ciruelo Green Valley AZ 85614
NFMC Herman and Mary Neuman Award	VOICE or STRINGS	Must be a Sophomore attending Miami University	None	\$575 for further study at Miami University Columbus, Ohio	March 1	Chosen by the university
NFMC Oscar Valentin Award	VIOLIN	Must have reached the 19 th but not the 26 th birthday by application deadline	None	\$750	March 1	Gay French PO Box 713 Sikeston MO 63801 french4@charter.net
NFMC Ernest A. Bluhm Flute Award	FLUTE	Must have reached the 19 th but not the 26 th birthday by application deadline	None	\$600	March 1	Ellen Leapaltdt 10612 24 th St E Puyallup WA 98372 253-952-4008 museiff@msn.com
NFMC Elizabeth Paris French horn honoring a Past National President	French horn	Must have reached the 19 th but not the 26 th birthday by application deadline	None	\$1,000	April 1	A. Robert Johnson 105 W 73 rd St #4C New York NY 10023 arobertjohnson@nyphilomusica.org

BIENNIAL JUNIOR AWARDS

Junior age: Must not have reached the 19th birthday by March 1. Entrants of 16, 17, and 18 years may enter either Junior or Student/Collegiate competitions but not both in the same year.

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Claire Ulrich Whitehurst Piano Award	PIANO SOLO	High School: Grades 10-11-12 Must not have reached 18 th birthday by application deadline	\$10.00	\$500 (for further study) Endowment Funded by Claire-Frances Whitehurst, Angel (Claire III) Harris, And Victoria Louise Glattfelder Endowment	February 1, even numbered years	Claire-Frances Whitehurst 3360 S.W. 18 th St. Miami FL 33145 305-445-2128
NFMC Lynn Freeman Olson Composition Awards	COMPOSITION	Intermediate: Grades 7-8-9 High School: Grades 10-11-12	None	\$500 (Intermediate) \$1,000 (High School) Funded by Lynn Freeman Olson Endowment given by Friends & James Schnars	March 1, odd numbered years	James Schnars 6550 Shoreline Drive #7505 St. Petersburg FL 33708 727-392-1188
Thelma A. Robinson Award in Ballet Honoring A Past National President	BALLET	Must have reached the 13 th but not the 17 th birthday by January 1, the year of Biennial Convention (Odd-numbered years)	None	\$2,500	October 1 in even numbered years	Anne Cruxent 5530 LeJeune Road Coral Gables FL 33146 306-661-6229 acruxent@bellsouth.net

ANNUAL JUNIOR AWARDS

Members of the Junior Division should also carefully check NFMC Summer Scholarships, as various age levels are included in Summer Music Center and camp opportunities.

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
Stillman-Kelley Instrumental Awards Rotates by Regions 2009: Central and Western 2010: Northeastern and Southeastern	INSTRUMENTAL	Must not have reached the 17 th birthday by March 1st	None	\$1,000—1 st Place (for further study) \$500—2 nd Place Funded by Stillman-Kelley Endowment in honor of Mr. & Mrs. Stillman-Kelley	February 1 (to state chairman)	Sue Breuer 4404 Travis Country Circle B4 Austin TX 78735 512.892.5633
NFMC Thelma Byrum Piano Award in Stillman-Kelley Auditions. Rotates in regions the same as Stillman Kelley	PIANO	Must not have reached the 17 th birthday by application deadline	NONE	\$300 for further study	February 1	Sue Breuer 4404 Travis Country Circle B4 Austin TX 78735 512.892.5633
NFMC Joyce Walsh Junior Disability Awards	INSTRUMENTAL and VOCAL	Must have reached the 12 th but not the 19 th birthday by application deadline	\$2.00	\$1,500—1 st Place \$1,000—2 nd Place 1 award of \$500 in each of the five regions. Funded by Walsh T-shirt Project Endowment	March 1	Anita Blackmon 1101 S. Ricky Road Kennett MO 63857-3347 573-888-3998 abblackmon@att.net
Benzinger/Valentin Music for the Blind Performance Award	INSTRUMENTAL and VOCAL	Must NOT have reached the 14 th birthday by application deadline	\$1.25	One \$200 award in each of the five NFMC Regions	March 1 to Regional Chairman	Sharon Booker 325 N. Via Del Ciruelo Green Valley AZ 85614

ANNUAL JUNIOR AWARDS (Cont.)

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Music for the Blind Performance Awards	INSTRUMENTAL and VOCAL	Must have reached the 10 th but not the 19 th birthday by application deadline	\$1.25	Two \$195 awards in each of the NFMC Regions (Funded by Agnes Fowler Endowment). (North Central award funded by Oscar Valentin Endowment).	March 1 to Regional Chairman	Sharon Booker 325 N. Via Del Ciruelo Green Valley AZ 85614
NFMC Herman and Mary Neuman Award to Interlochen Arts Academy	PIANO, VOICE, ORCHESTRAL INSTRUMENTS	Must be in High School	NONE	\$575 Funded by Herman and Mary Neuman Legacy	February 1	Interlochen Arts Academy Interlochen MI 49643
NFMC Dance Awards	BALLET and THEATER DANCE	Must have reached the 11 th but not the 19 th birthday by application deadline	\$5.00	<u>Age 11-14:</u> \$150-1 Tap & Jazz \$150-1 Lyrical & Acrobatic <u>Age 15-18:</u> \$250-1 Tap & Jazz \$250-1 Lyrical & Acrobatic Funded by Agnes Fowler & Oscar Valentin Endowments	May 1	Diane Remy 2305 N. 8 th Street Sheboygan WI 53083 920-452-8697 www.dianeremy.org
NFMC Mary Alice Cox Awards	CELLO OR DOUBLE BASS	Must not have reached the 19 th birthday as of application deadline	NONE	\$1,000 – 1 st Place \$650 – 2 nd Place One \$200 award in each of the five NFMC Regions	March 1	Matt Miller 13819 W. National Avenue New Berlin WI 53151 262-786-0487, ex. 743 mattmillerbass@aol.com
NFMC Music for the Blind Composition Award	COMPOSITION	Must have reached the 10 th but not the 19 th birthday by application deadline	\$1.25 per manuscript	\$100 Funded by Agnes Fowler Endowment	March 1	Sharon Booker 325 N. Via Del Ciruelo Green Valley AZ 85614
NFMC Angie Greer Music in Poetry Awards	POETRY	Must have reached the 10 th but not the 19 th birthday by March 1	NONE	Four \$50 Funded by Junior Festival Fees	February 15 (to state chairman)	Melody Stroth 13117 Hemlock Overland Park KS 66213 classicalmelodys@aol.com
NFMC National Music Week Essay Contest	ESSAY	Must be in grades 7 through 12	NONE	\$50 in each of the 50 states	February 1 (to Regional Chairman)	Mary Ellen Ulmer 168 E Branch Road Mercer PA 16137 724.946.2877 pfmcpres@hotmail.com
NFMC Wendell Irish Viola Awards	VIOLA	Must have reached the 12 th but not the 19 th birthday by March 1st	NONE	Five \$500 awards per year. One in each of the five NFMC Regions	February 1 to the state chairman	Dr. George Keck 421 Cherry Street Arkadelphia AR 71923 keckg@obu.edu

JUNIOR COMPOSERS

Chairman: Karen Greenhalgh, 8261 San Juan Range Road, Littleton CO 80127 kgreenhalgh3@aol.com

Name	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application
Class I	9 and under	\$1.25 per entry plus state entry fee	\$100, \$75, and 2 incentive awards of \$50. Funded by FAMA	February 1 to State Chairman
Class II	10-12	\$1.25 per entry plus state entry fee	\$150, \$100, and 2 incentive awards of \$50. Funded by FAMA	February 1 to State Chairman
Class III	13-15	\$1.25 per entry plus state entry fee	\$150, \$100, and 3 incentive awards of \$50. \$125 John and Margeret Pierson, funded by a memorial gift from Mrs. Malcolm Denise.	February 1 to State Chairman
Class IV	16-18	\$1.25 per entry plus state entry fee	\$200, \$100, and 4 awards at \$50. \$200—Outstanding string composition. \$50—Outstanding piano composition, Laura K. Wilson Memorial Award honoring Dorothy Dann Bullock. Funded by Pittsburgh Piano Teachers Assoc. & Friends. \$50 Olga Klein Nelson Award. Funded by Nelson Endowment	February 1 to State Chairman
NFMC Oscar Valentin Regional Awards		Included in fee above Not to be applied for Separately	Class IV: 3 awards at \$50 in the five Regions Class III: 3 awards at \$50 in the five Regions Class II: 2 at \$50 in the five Regions Class I: 2 at \$50 in the five Regions	

NFMC VETERANS AWARDS

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Lucille Parrish Ward Veteran's Award honoring a Past National President	Former students who have served in the armed forces of our country & who wish to resume their study in pursuit of a career in music	None	\$20.00	\$1,650	June 1	Richard Dill 545 Sage Run Drive Lebanon, OH 45036-3919 dilltrp@gmail.com
NFMC Anne Gannett Award for Veterans honoring a Past National President	Former students who have served in the armed forces of our country & who wish to resume their study in pursuit of a career in music	None	\$20.00	\$2,000	June 1	Richard Dill 545 Sage Run Drive Lebanon, OH 45036-3919 dilltrp@gmail.com
NFMC American Music Award U.S. Armed Forces	COMPOSITION	None	\$20.00	\$500—1 st Place \$250—2 nd Place Funded by FAMA	June 1	Richard Dill 545 Sage Run Drive Lebanon, OH 45036-3919 dilltrp@gmail.com

ANNUAL SENIOR DIVISION AWARDS

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Emil and Ruth Beyer Composition Awards	PIANO SOLO, PIANO-VOICE, or CHAMBER MUSIC COMPOSITION	Must have reached the 20 th , but not 31 st birthday by March 1	\$20.00	Piano Solo: \$2,000 1 st Place Piano-Voice: \$2,000 1 st Place Chamber Music (instrumental only): \$4,000 1 st Place \$700 2 nd Place Funded by Emil and Ruth Beyer Endowment	March 1	Stephen Varney 647 N Delaware San Mateo CA 94401 510-548-4335 pasdeduo@gmail.com
NFMC Dr. Ouida Keck Award honoring a Past National President	Professional Development for the Independent Piano Teacher	Minimum age requirement of 21	None	\$1,200	July 1	Laurel Ince 723 St. Francis Gonzales TX 78629 ljince@stx.rr.com

ANNUAL SENIOR DIVISION AWARDS (Cont.)

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Ruth Morse Wilson Handbell Award	HANDBELLS	None	\$10.00	\$250	March 1	Carole Langley 1203 Whispering Pines St. Louis MO 63146 CaroleLangley@aol.com
NFMC Vivian Menees Nelson Award for the Disabled and Visually Impaired	INSTRUMENTAL or VOICE	25 through 34	\$5.00	\$400	February 1	Jo Miller Orr 1310 Lawhon Drive Tupelo MS 38804 Banjo.orr@gmail.com

BIENNIAL SENIOR DIVISION AWARDS

Name	Category	Age Limit	Entry Fee	Amount of Award	Deadline for Application	NFMC Chairman
NFMC Alpha Corinne Mayfield Award	OPERATIC VOICE	Must have reached the 20 th , but not 35 th birthday by March 1, the year of auditions.	\$10.00	\$1,000 Funded by Alpha Corinne Mayfield Legacy	January 15 in odd numbered years	Margaret Ulmer 24 La Vista Court Greenville SC 29601 abraswe@bellsouth.net
NFMC Centennial Chamber Music Award	Outstanding Promotion of American Chamber Music	Professional level	NONE	\$1,000 Funded by NFMC Centennial Fund Balance	April 1	Nettie Loflin 44867 NC 8 Highway New London NC 28127 704.463.7477
NFMC Glad Robinson Youse Adult Composers Award	PIANO or ELECTRONIC KEYBOARD SOLO/DUET, WIND or STRING SOLO, CHAMBER MUSIC VOCAL SOLO, SSA or SATB CHORAL	Senior Division	\$10.00	\$600 Funded by Glad Robinson Youse Endowment	December 1 in even numbered years	Barbara Shinn 1409 Nabors Lane Odessa TX 79761 432-362-7997 shinncast@aol.com
NFMC Thelma A. Robinson Award in Conducting	CONDUCTING	Graduate level or higher	None	\$1,250 Endowed by the Ohio FMC	By invitation ONLY from the Conductors Guild	Amanda Burton Winger c/o Conductors Guild, Inc. 5300 Glenside Dr. Suite 2207 Richmond VA 23228 ConGuild@aol.com

NFMC SUMMER MUSIC CENTER AWARDS

Chairman: Melanie Perez, 10 Rue Grenoble, Kenner LA 70065, Benchwarmers2@cox.net

Summer Music Center	Category	Age Limit	Amount	Camp Date	For Information Contact
NFMC Aspen School of Music Aspen, CO www.aspenmusicfestival.com	Strings	Up to age 25	\$400 NFMC	9 weeks June-August	Barbara Laybourn halelay@aol.com 970-419-3365 OR Aspen's Sarah Mazur 970-925-3254
Brevard Music Center Rose Thomas Smith Award Brevard NC www.brevardmusic.org	Band and Orchestral instruments	14 – 20	\$1,400	6 ½ weeks June-August	Sara Helen Moore shmoore@bellsouth.net 336-282-7826
Lucile Parrish Ward	Piano preferably, or band and orchestral instruments	18 – 24	\$600	6 ½ weeks June-August	Elizabeth Paris espgep@att.net 270-683-0042

NFMC SUMMER MUSIC CENTER AWARDS (Cont.)

Summer Music Center	Category	Age Limit	Amount	Camp Date	For Information Contact
Chautauqua Music School Chautauqua NY http://music.ciweb.org Chautauqua awards sponsored by the Pennsylvania Federation, Ohio Federation, New York Federation and NFMC Eleanor Pascoe Award	Piano Strings Voice	14 – 25 16 – 25	3 – \$500 awards \$300	7 weeks July-August 7 weeks July-August	Lois M. Tamplin loiet@att.net 724-347-3298 OR Chautauqua's Sarah M. Umberger 716-357-6233 music@ciweb.org Same as above
Eastern Music Festival Greensboro, NC www.easternmusicfestival.org	Orchestral Instruments, Piano	14 – 20	\$350	6 weeks mid June-early August	Carolyn Summerlin wsummerlin@triad.rr.com 336-288-4674 OR Eastern's Melissa Edwards 336-333-7450 ext 27 mellisa@easternmusicfestival.org
Stephen Collins Foster Music Camp <i>Irene Muir Award</i> Richmond KY www.fostercamp.org	Instrumental, Voice, Piano, Guitar	Junior and Senior High	4 - \$162.50 awards	4 – Two week sessions & 2 – One week sessions	Sue Ann Reeves charlespreeves@bellsouth.net 859-623-9320 OR info@fostercamp.org
Idaho Gwladys Comstock Awards To camp of recipient's choice	Instrumental Voice	12-18	1 st place--\$500 2 nd place--\$250		Connie Hutchens Mammacon1@msn.com
Inspiration Point Fine Arts Center Opera in the Ozarks Eureka Springs, AR www.opera.org Mary Prudie Brown Award	Opera study Opera – for continuing education	20-35 20 – 35	\$1,700 \$1,000	8 weeks June – July 8 weeks June – July	Lee Meyer 512-345-5072 OR Jim Swiggart gernaldirector@opera.org Betty Hall bettyhall@mymailstation.com 817-926-1494
Interlochen Arts Camp <i>Herman and Mary Neuman Award</i> Interlochen, MI www.interlochen.org/camp	Piano, Voice, Orchestral Instruments	High School	\$575	6 weeks July – August	Hazel Lawrence hhlawrence@aol.com 248-674-1779 OR Interlochen Arts Camp
International Music Camp <i>Agnes Jardine Award</i> Peace Gardens, ND www.internationalmusiccamp.com	Band, Piano, Guitar, Orchestra, Art, Dance, Drama	Junior High and Senior High	6 - \$150 awards	8 weeks June – July	Lana Simons lanas@min.midco.net 701-837-1191 OR International Music Camp info@internationalmusiccamp.com
Junior Composers Institute <i>Evelyn Sampson Award</i> Minneapolis, MN www.juniorcomposers.org	Composition	14 – 19	\$400	First full week after July 4	Gordon Maier grmaier@cablone.net 701-280-2437

NFMC SUMMER MUSIC CENTER AWARDS (Cont.)

Summer Music Center	Category	Age Limit	Amount	Camp Date	For Information Contact
Kneisel Hall <i>Ada Holding Miller Award</i> Blue Hill, ME www.kneisel.org	Strings, Piano	15 – 30	\$750	7 weeks July – August	Ellen Werner ewernernyme@verizon.net 207-374-2811
Marrowstone Music Festival Seattle, WA www.marrowstone.org	Orchestral (except percussion)	13 – 21	\$275	3 weeks August	Carol Champney carolspianostudio@hotmail.com 253-847-9849 OR Seattle Youth Symphony marrowstone@syso.org
Meadowmount School Westport, NY www.meadowmount.com	Violin, Viola or Cello	10 – 25	2 - \$125 awards	8 weeks June – August	Owen Carman owencarmen@aol.com 805-696-9155 OR admissions@musicacademy.org
Music Academy of the West Santa Barbara, CA www.musicacademy.org	Opera	Open	\$850	June – August	Elizabeth Mosher emosherleo@msn.com 805-696-9155 OR admissions@musicacademy.org
Ravinia Festival Highland Park, IL www.ravinia.org/steans.aspx	Jazz Instrumental	College	\$1,950	2 week June	Shirley Carroll scarroll@gcacoop.com 815-743-5342 OR Ravinia Festival ravinia@ravinia.org
Rocky Ridge Music Center Estes Park, CO www.rockyridge.org	Orchestral Instruments	Senior High, College (exceptional Junior High considered)	\$450	5 weeks June – July	Mary Marks 970-484-8760 OR jean@rockyridge.org
Santa Fe Opera <i>Ruth Freehoff Award</i> Santa Fe, NM www.santafeopera.org	Opera	20 – 30	\$400	June – August	Angelica Plass raplass@mindspring.com 505-293-5477 OR Santa Fe's Brad Woolbright artsadmin@santafeopera.org
Sewanee Summer Music Festival <i>Gladys R. Coult Award</i> Sewanee, TN www2.sewanee.edu/ssmf/festival_home	Instrumental	High School or College	\$400	5 weeks June – August	Elizabeth Reed Eilis42@aol.com 615-896-0021 OR Sewanee's Mark Savage 931-598-1225
Simpson College Orpheus Festival <i>Faye and John Abild Award</i> Indianola, IA www.simpson.edu/music/camps/orpheus.html	Piano	14 – 18	2 - \$350 awards	1 week July	Patti Abild pabild@mchsi.com 515-961-6644
The Walden School Dublin, NH www.waldenschool.org	Composition & Theory	9 – 18	\$250	5 weeks June – July	Esther Landau elandau@waldenschool.org 415-648-4710