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Dear Teachers and Students,

The *Bravura Philharmonic Orchestra* proudly announces the **2012 Young Artists Concerto Competition**. It will be held on **Saturday, February 18, 2012**, at the Jacobs Music Center in Lawrenceville, New Jersey. A minimum of three soloists will be identified to perform with the orchestra at the Winners' Concert on May 13, 2012. In addition, a winner from the West Windsor-Plainsboro area will be selected.

The *Bravura Philharmonic Orchestra* is a promising symphony orchestra with a bright future and it has received critical acclaim. The Orchestra is in its fourth concert season under the direction of the dynamic and esteemed conductor, Ms. Chiu-Tze Lin. Ms. Lin is fully committed to the furthering of music education and motivating young talent.

Jacobs Music Center is located at 2540 Brunswick Pike, Lawrenceville, NJ 08648. Directions can be found at: www.jacobsmusic.com. If you have any further questions, please contact the Directors of Competition, Ms. Wendy Wu (email: piano4wu@gmail.com) or Mrs. Shirley Yang at (732) 687-8527 We look forward to your participation!

Sincerely,

Wendy Wu and Shirley Yang
*Directors of the Young Artists Concerto
Competition*



2012 Young Artists Concerto Competition Application
Saturday, February 18, 2012

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Contestants must play one movement of a selection for solo and orchestra.
2. Competition is open to all instruments, including percussion.
3. Orchestral parts and score must be available.
4. Piece must be performed from memory.
5. Contestants must perform with an accompanist. If needed, the organizer has names of staff pianists who can accompany contestants. The fees shall be arranged between the contestant and the accompanist directly.
6. Previous grand prize winners who have performed with the Bravura Philharmonic Orchestra cannot participate on the same instrument again for the next three years.
7. Applications must be postmarked by February 1, 2012, with a registration fee of \$55. This registration fee is non-refundable. Checks should be made payable to **Bravura Philharmonic Orchestra**.
8. Contestants must be a pre-college student (high school senior and under.) There is no minimum age requirement.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY (or type)

Name: _____ **Instrument:** _____ **Age** _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell phone** _____ **Email** _____

Teacher _____ **Email:** _____ **Phone** _____

Teacher's Address _____

Piece Performed: _____

Specify if any time conflict _____ **Reason** _____
(please check with your accompanist's time conflict too)

Please return the form with registration check to:
Wendy Wu
6 Westwood Court, Warren, NJ 07059