



Lehigh Valley Chapter of NATS

Chartered in 2004

Gala Recital

SUNDAY, MARCH 18, 2012 - 2:30 pm
FOY HALL, Moravian College

Purpose

The purpose of the GALA RECITAL is to give performance-ready students of LVC-NATS members the opportunity to showcase their talents by performing in a public recital. The GALA RECITAL also serves as a fundraiser for the chapter.

Guidelines

- Participants in this recital may include students in grades 8 through college.
- Participants must be the student of a chapter member in good standing.
- Each teacher may submit one (1) student (see note below).
- Each participant will perform, from memory, one (1) art song, classical aria or music theatre selection, not exceeding five (5) minutes long.
- Participants must bring their own accompanists.
- Teachers may accompany their own student(s).
- **THE USE OF PHOTOCOPIES OF MUSIC BY ACCOMPANISTS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.**
- Formal attire required of singer and accompanist – floor length concert dress for women; tuxedo or suit and tie for men.
- Admission tickets will be available at the door - \$10 for adults, \$5 for children and students, \$25 maximum per family. (Singer and accompanist are not required to purchase tickets.)
- Reception to follow the recital. (Singer, parents and/or teachers will be asked to contribute the edibles.)

Note:

1. For this gala recital, we will be able to accommodate a maximum of thirty (30) students.
2. Slots that are left unfilled, after accommodating teachers' first choices, will be filled by alternates in the order applications were received by the Gala Recital Coordinator.

Recital Start Time: 2:30pm.....but I'd like all participants and accompanists available for last minute directions in the Foy lobby by 2:15pm. **They should be warmed up and ready to sing by 2:15.** We need to start promptly by 2:30pm.

Parking: Please park in the Foy parking LOT U (adjacent to the building). Please be aware that the parking lot adjacent to the building is now divided into two lots, LOT U and LOT Z. LOT U is open to guests and it is the parking spaces marked with white lines, directly straight and also to the right of the driveway. LOT Z is marked with green lines and is to the left of the driveway and is NOT open to guests. Additional parking can be found under the Hill-to-Hill Bridge, the Municipal lot on Lehigh Street and the two parking garages in town. If necessary, students may be dropped off at the wrought iron archway over the steps that lead to the paved terrace outside Foy Hall.

Refreshments: Students and teachers should bring finger food refreshments to Foy Lobby upon arrival for a reception following the concert. No need to bring drinks as we'll have that covered.

Advertisement: Please try to get other students from your studio to come to this event. Encourage participants to bring their family members, friends, and co-workers. We would like the hall to have a respectable attendance so as to raise funds for our NATS chapter.

Misc: All performers are expected to remain until the conclusion of the concert. Performance time is anticipated to last 60-75 minutes. The reception will follow in the Foy Hall Lobby. Please don't forget to pick up trays, plates, etc. that you might have brought for refreshments.

Any questions? Contact Rosemary Haber (her contact information is on the application form).