

**Carolina Youth Symphony**  
**23<sup>rd</sup> Annual CYS/Carolina First**  
**2009 YOUNG ARTISTS CONCERTO COMPETITION**  
**APPLICATION FORM**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Instrument \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Years of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Private Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name & Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Selection to be performed \_\_\_\_\_

Composer \_\_\_\_\_ Movement \_\_\_\_\_

Length of selection \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

Publisher \_\_\_\_\_

Music Teacher's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The application and non-refundable entry fee of **\$50.00** must be mailed to:

**Carolina Youth Symphony**  
**PO Box 534**  
**Greenville, SC 29602**

***(Please note any time constraints for your audition)***

**All Applications must be postmarked by October 25, 2009**

Winners will perform on Sunday, March 7th, at 5:00PM at McAlister Auditorium.

Carolina Youth Symphony

P. O. Box 534  
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864/232-3963  
Email: elmogvl@aol.com

**23<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL YOUNG ARTISTS CONCERTO COMPETITION**  
***Rules and Regulations***

1. The Competition is open to students through age 18 (you must not have reached age 19 by June 15, 2010) who reside or study in South Carolina or approximately within a 50-mile radius of Greenville. Previous first-place winners of this Competition are ineligible.
  2. The Competition is divided into two performance categories: Keyboard (piano and organ) and Orchestral Instruments. Voice/guitar not included. At the judges' discretion, two soloists in the same category may be chosen, if no winner is selected from the other category. The judges' decision is final.
  3. The Competition will be held **Tuesday**, November 24, 2009 in Daniel Recital Hall, Furman University, beginning at 4:00 PM. (All entrants will be assigned a performance time. Failure to appear at the scheduled time will result in automatic forfeiture.)
  4. Applicants must play a movement from a concerto or solo concert piece with orchestral accompaniment. Contestants should be prepared to limit their performance to 10 minutes due to the number of entrants in the competition. Memorization is recommended. One copy of the music must be available for the judges. The composition must not be of inordinate difficulty for the orchestra. (Concertos by Beethoven, Mozart, Saint-Saens, and Grieg have been performed in recent years). If there is any doubt in this matter, please contact the Carolina Youth Symphony Conductor and Musical Director, Dr. Les Hicken, at (864) 294-3193
  5. **Applicants must provide their own accompanists.** Accompanists do not need to stay until finalists are announced. **If you have any particular time constraints, please note that on your application.**
    6. The application, and non-refundable entry fee of \$50.00, must be mailed to:  
CYS Concerto Competition  
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7. Winners will perform with the Carolina Youth Symphony on Sunday, March 7, 2010 at 5:00PM. Scholarships of \$500.00 will be awarded to each 1<sup>st</sup> place winner, and 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place will be recognized at the concert