



LOUISIANA FEDERATION OF MUSIC CLUBS

Junior Convention



University of New Orleans (UNO) • May 12, 2018
Lakefront Campus, New Orleans, LA

Parent/Junior Application Form

Junior Convention is an annual Louisiana Federation of Music Clubs event held following the Area Festivals. It is a competitive event in which Juniors who were awarded a Superior at their Area Festival are eligible to compete in that event at the State level. Here they will perform their Required Piece before a panel of three judges. Winner and Honorable Mention Awards are possible in each class in each event. First Place Winners receive a trophy and those receiving Honorable Mention receive a medal. In addition, some of the events offer monetary awards.

A \$30.00 Entry Fee allows qualified Juniors to compete in up to four events and includes all activities.

A \$60.00 Entry Fee allows qualified Juniors to compete in five or more events and includes all activities.

A \$10.00 Entry Fee allows Non-Competing Juniors to attend auditions and the Junior Meeting.

A \$12.00 fee (optional) purchases a Junior Convention Tee Shirt if ordered. A \$10.00 fee (optional) purchases a Junior Convention Tote Bag if ordered. ***Please tell your teacher if you want to order either of these items.***

Activities include:

- **Competition and Awards Ceremony** where all LFMC Junior Convention Awards and major Festival Awards will be presented.
- **Junior Meeting** where the Juniors themselves elect Officers who will participate in the Awards Ceremony and serve in leadership roles for the coming year.

Teachers must send applications and fees by the **deadline of March 31, 2018.**

Juniors are required to enter the Junior Convention under the Junior Club Counselor (teacher) entered under for Festival.

It is the responsibility of the teacher to disseminate information regarding the Junior Convention to parents and Juniors. Any questions regarding the Junior Convention must be addressed to the LFMC Junior Convention Chairman by the teacher. Parents and Juniors are not to contact the LFMC Junior Convention Chairman. All information will be on the LFMC website: www.lfmc-music.org. Parents please read Procedures for State Junior Convention to be informed about all rules and operations of the Junior Convention.

Competitions will be judged by a panel of three judges, whose decision is final. No comments will be provided to the Entrants.

Each Junior needs his/her own application form.

Parent/guardian to complete and return the section beginning on the next page. Please be sure to include the signatures of both the teacher and the parent/guardian. The Deadline is March 31, 2018.

Parent/Student Application Form

Please circle one: Competing Junior Non-competing Junior

Student's Name _____

Full Address _____

Telephone _____ Grade _____

Junior Club _____ Teacher _____

Teacher Email _____ Teacher Phone _____

Teacher Full Address _____

Student Email _____ Parent Email _____

The **LFMC JUNIOR CONVENTION** will end the day with an *Awards Ceremony* at which time all of the Junior Convention awards will be presented. This will include LFMC State Financial Awards (Scholarships) to graduating seniors, as well as President's Cups (90 points), Grand Cups (75 points), 60 Point Cups and 12+ Consecutive Superior Awards to any Juniors in attendance. The extraordinary accomplishment of these awards will be recognized before the entire convention, adding to the prestige of the Juniors (and their teachers) who have achieved these milestones.

Teachers, please indicate which LFMC awards this student is earning this year (for presentation):

President's Cup (90 points) Event(s): _____

Grand Cup (75 points) Event(s): _____

60 Point Cup Event(s): _____

12 Consecutive Superior Event(s): _____

13 Consecutive Superior Event(s): _____

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I have read the information governing the qualification, rules, procedures and requirements of the LFMC Junior Convention and understand that failure to abide by them may result in disqualification of the student.

Parent/Guardian's

Signature _____ *Date* _____

Teacher's

Signature _____ *Date* _____

*Parents, please give this application and all fees (competitor, non-competitor, and tee shirt) payable to the student's Teacher. **Also please attach a photocopy of the official, signed Festivals Rating sheet(s) for event(s) being entered.** Do NOT send the entry in directly but be sure to give it to your teacher.*

*Teachers, please combine all entries on your Teacher's Application List and make one single check payable to "LFMC Junior Convention". Include all student's Application Forms and Rating Sheet **copies** with your Teacher's List and one check payable to "LFMC Junior Convention".*

send to: Irene Vile
Junior Convention Chairman
1501 Airline Park Blvd
Metairie, LA 70003

Deadline March 31, 2018