

The *Loveland*
O R C H E S T R A

2012 YOUNG ARTIST COMPETITION

WHEN & WHERE: This year the competition will be held on Sunday, March 4, 2012 at Champion Academy; 300 SW 42nd St; Loveland, Colorado. All applicants must audition at this time. No separate auditions are possible.

CATEGORIES: Piano, String, Woodwind, Brass, and Percussion Solo Instruments.

ELIGIBILITY: The competition is open to students in grades 9 through 12, reside in Northern Colorado, and who study privately. Winners in any given year may not compete again the following year. However, those who receive Honorable Mention may compete the following year.

AUDITION: Contestants must perform at least one movement of a concerto or major work that regularly appears in concert repertoire and for which the music for the orchestra would be readily available. If in doubt about your selection, contact The Loveland Orchestra at TLOYoungArtist@frii.com. Performance time should be limited to 15 minutes. No taped auditions will be accepted. All music must be memorized.

ACCOMPANISTS: All entries must be accompanied and all entrants **MUST** provide their own accompanist. There are two pianos at the audition site.

GENERAL: One published score of the music (with measures numbered) must be provided to the judges. Due to copyright laws, reproductions of the music by hand or machine cannot be used by the performer, the accompanist, or the judges. **UNAUTHORIZED COPIED MUSIC IS UNACCEPTABLE AND WILL DISQUALIFY THE CONTESTANT.** Please consult current fair-use copyright laws for works in the public domain or contact The Loveland Orchestra directly with your questions.

PRIZES: Judges will select one winner who will receive a \$500 cash award and perform with The Loveland Orchestra at the Young Artist concert on Friday, April 20, 2012, at Good Shepherd Church; 3429 N. Monroe Ave; Loveland, Colorado. Up to two "Honorable Mentions" may be chosen, to receive a \$100 cash award that will be presented at this concert.

Decisions by the judges are final and are **not negotiable** by the participants, their parents, or their teachers.

FEE & APPLICATION DEADLINE: A non-refundable fee of \$40 (made payable to The Loveland Orchestra) must accompany the application. All entries must be postmarked by February 10, 2012. Early applications will insure availability for the competition. The Loveland Orchestra is not responsible for late or misdirected mail due to weather, insufficient postage, or mislabeling.

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Applicant's Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
(please print legibly)

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____

COMPOSITION you will be performing:

Title: _____

Opus : _____ Movement: _____ Key: _____

Composer's Full Name: _____

Performance length: _____ Instrument: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____

Signature of Instructor: _____

Name of Instructor: _____
(please print)

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Please indicate your preference for audition time. We will TRY to place you accordingly.

(You will be notified of your audition time by February 17, 2012)

() 12:00 – 1:30pm () 1:30 – 3:00pm () 3:00 – 4:30pm () No preference

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Mail your application early to insure participation in the competition!

Mail application and fee to: **The Loveland Orchestra**
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