



PTSO Young Artist Competition 2025

Saturday, March 29, 2025

Grace Lutheran Church
1120 Walker Street, Port Townsend

Application deadline is March 14, 2025

SENIOR DIVISION is open to any young musician 13 to 22 years old at the time of the competition, who plays strings, woodwinds, brass, percussion or piano, who resides in Jefferson County, WA and who did not win first prize in the Senior Division the previous year.

Cash prizes: 1st Place \$500 2nd Place \$250 3rd Place \$200

First place winner (or any winner) may be invited to perform as a featured soloist with the orchestra during our 2025-26 season.

JUNIOR DIVISION is open to any young musician 4-13 years old at the time of the competition, who plays strings, woodwinds, brass, percussion or piano, and who resides in Jefferson County, WA.

Cash prizes: 1st Place \$250 2nd Place \$150 3rd Place \$75

Optional Awards: One contestant from either division may be recognized by Maestro Arakelyan for the Conductor's Prize of \$100. Achievement Awards of \$50 may also be awarded by the judges.

See the attached Information and Guidelines packet for more details.

Thank you for your interest. We are looking forward to receiving your application and hearing you play!
Don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Pamela Roberts, Chair
PTSO Young Artist Competition
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Application Form

Name _____ Age _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

School _____ Grade/Year _____

Accompanist _____ Phone _____

Accompanist's email _____

Composition Title and Movements _____

Instrument _____ Composer _____

Approximate duration in minutes _____ (10 minute limit)

I am applying for (circle one): SENIOR DIVISION JUNIOR DIVISION

Recommended by Music Teacher/Coach (print) _____

Teacher's Signature _____ Phone _____

Teacher's Email _____

By submitting your application you are agreeing to abide by our safety protocols.

PUBLICITY RELEASE: The Port Townsend Symphony Orchestra (PTSO) has my permission to use photographs of me (or my child) taken during the Young Artist Competition or images which I supply of me (or my child). Images along with my name (or my child's name) may be used for the following PTSO publicity purposes: the e-newsletter, Facebook, website, marketing materials, press releases and newspaper articles.

Adult Participant or Parent Signature _____

Date _____

THIS 1-PAGE APPLICATION FORM MUST BE RECEIVED OR POSTMARKED BY MARCH 14, 2025

You can return your completed application as a signed & scanned or photographed copy via email to:

ptsoyac@gmail.com

A paper copy can be mailed to:

Port Townsend Symphony Orchestra
P.O. Box 1703, Port Townsend, WA 98368