

14th Annual Young Artist Scholarship Competition (2021-2022)

The Woodbridge Flute Choir is pleased to announce its 2021-2022 Young Artist Competition, open to flutists ages 14-18 as of **January 15, 2022**.

Required repertoire: one movement of a flute concerto arranged for flute solo or piccolo solo and flute choir. The piece must be selected from the repertoire list that appears on the competition website unless the flute choir arrangement has been approved in writing by Debbie Gilbert, artistic director, before the entry deadline (January 2, 2022). Please contact Debbie Gilbert at jdgilbert99@gmail.com for prior approval of a piece not on the suggested repertoire list. The Grand Prize Winner will receive a \$500 scholarship prize and, circumstances permitting, will perform as a guest artist with the Woodbridge Flute Choir at its May 1, 2022 concert.

Entries must be received no later than 11:59 pm on January 2, 2022.

To enter, complete the online application and submit the \$30.00 non-refundable audition fee via PayPal. When payment has been received, applicant will be directed to

<u>https://www.dropbox.com/request/opu5Yg8L0t5mKII3YgWA</u> to upload their application and a high-quality mp3 formatted recording consisting of the required repertoire played by the flutist. Piano accompaniment is strongly encouraged, but not required at this time due to the pandemic.

Please identify the recording with the name of the flutist, school, and title of piece. **DO NOT upload video recordings**.

Audition process:

- 1. The mp3 recordings will be evaluated and the Finalists chosen and notified by January 17, 2022.
- 2. Finalists will prepare and upload a video recording of their piece to YouTube that will be viewed and adjudicated by a panel of three judges. This shall be an unlisted YouTube recording. One winner will be chosen. Video recordings are due no later than 11:59 pm on February 14, 2022, and the winner will be notified by February 28, 2022.
- 3. The winner will receive a \$500 scholarship and may be the featured soloist at the Woodbridge Flute Choir's Spring Concert, circumstances permitting.

For additional information, contact Lisa Sheldone, competition coordinator, at Lisa. Sheldone@verizon.net.