

CHICO GUILD & THE LEAGUE OF REDDING – NORTH STATE SYMPHONY
YOUNG ARTISTS AUDITIONS
February 6, 2022

ELIGIBILITY

- Residence or home town in Butte, Colusa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Mendocino, Modoc, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, and Yuba Counties or members of the North State Symphony.
- High School Division – grades 7-12
- College/University Division – North State College/University students

AWARDS

- High School Division – first place \$700.00 from the Chico Guild and appear as soloist with the North State Symphony. Second place – \$300.00 from the Chico Guild.
- College/University Division – first place \$500 from the Redding League and appear as soloist with the North State Symphony. Second place - \$300 from the Redding League.
- In the event of a tie, the prizes will be divided equally.
- All contestants receive a Certificate of Participation and two complimentary tickets for a North State Symphony concert.

REQUIREMENTS

- Eligible categories – voice, keyboard, and all orchestral instruments
- Each contestant must be prepared to present all or a major portion of a serious work for soloist and orchestra.
- High School Division competitors on violin, cello, and piano must choose a work from the attached list, unless a request for an alternate is approved. High School Division competitors on other instruments may choose any concerto for their respective instruments.
- College division competitors may choose any concerto for their respective instruments.
- Accompanists are required and must be provided by the contestants.
- Memorization of the contest material is recommended, but not mandatory.
- Three copies of the score must be provided by the contestant for use by the judges.
- The length of the audition should not be less than five (5) minutes and should not exceed ten (10) minutes. Contestants may perform one or more selections within this time.
- CDs or tapes are not permitted.
- Contestants must appear at the audition at their own expense.
- Recital attire is recommended. Jeans and T-shirts are not appropriate.
- A contestant may win first place only once in each category (voice, keyboard, instrumental).
- Judges' decisions will be final.
- *NOTE FOR 2022: Face masks are required inside CSU, Chico buildings at all times. All YAA contestants, accompanists, and audience will be required to wear face masks. Please contact us if you will need a singer or musician mask. Additionally, wind and brass players may be required to use instrument bags or bell covers. NSS staff will contact contestants prior to the audition with any updates regarding CSU, Chico policy for instrumentalists.*

TIME AND PLACE

- Sunday, February 6, 2022, beginning at 12:00 noon in the Rowland Taylor Recital Hall, Performing Arts Center (Room 134), California State University, Chico.
- Practice rooms will be available.
- Contestants will be notified by mail or e-mail of the time of their audition.
- Winners, if not announced at the event, will be notified by mail or e-mail.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

- Send to Ailsie McEnteggart, Vice President, Chico Guild, 794 Vallombrosa Ave., Chico, CA 95926.
- Postmark – **no later than January 29, 2022.**
- Enclose a check or money order for **the non-refundable application fee of \$15**, payable to Chico Guild – North State Symphony.

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Ailsie McEnteggart – (530) 342-1176; amcenteggart@csuchico.edu
- North State Symphony – (530) 898-5984; symphony@csuchico.edu



**YOUNG ARTISTS AUDITIONS
HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION REPERTOIRE LIST**

High School Division competitors on violin, cello, and piano *must* choose a work from the following list unless prior approval is received. Please send any request to Ailsie McEnteggart, amcenteggart@csuchico.edu by January 11.

VIOLIN

- Bach, J.S. – any concerto
- Barber – Concerto
- Bruch – Concerto in G Minor
- Haydn – any concerto
- Kabalevsky – Concerto in C Major
- Mendelssohn – Concerto in E Minor
- Mozart – any concerto plus the Rondo in C Major
- Saint-Saëns – Concerto No. 3
- Tchaikovsky – Concerto in D Major
- Vivaldi – any concerto

CELLO

- Bach, C.P.E. – any concerto
- Bach, J.C. – any concerto
- Boccherini – Concerto in B-flat Major
- Bruch – Kol Nidrei
- Dvorak – Concerto
- Elgar – Concert in E Minor
- Fauré – Élégie
- Haydn – any concerto
- Kabalevsky – any concerto
- Saint-Saëns – Concerto in A Minor
- Schumann – Concerto in A Minor
- Tchaikovsky – Variations on a Rococo Theme
- Vivaldi – any concerto

PIANO

- Beethoven – any concerto
- Grieg – Concerto in A Minor, Mvt. 1
- Haydn – any concerto
- Kabalevsky – Concerto No. 3
- MacDowell – Concerto No. 2
- Mendelssohn – Concerto in G Minor
- Mozart – any concerto
- Saint-Saëns – Concerto in G Minor
- Schumann – Concerto in A minor, Op. 54
- Shostakovich – Concerto No. 1