



**Yen Liang Young Artist Competition
2022 - 2023**

Application Form

The 2022/2023 Yen Liang Young Artist Competition is for *Piano* players, born after April 1st, 1999. For this year's Concerto competition, in celebration of the orchestra's 60th anniversary, potential candidates are asked to play George Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue".

There are two rounds. The first round requires two separate submissions: postal mailing of this form, along with a non-refundable \$25 fee, postmarked no later than **February 3rd, 2023**, as well as a link to a YouTube recording separately e-mailed to the competition coordinator. Contestants will be notified that their applications have been received.

Upon review, finalists will be chosen and will be scheduled to appear for the final round, which takes place on February 19th, 2023, located at the Steinway Gallery, 1605 Bonanza Street, Walnut Creek, CA 94596, at 5 pm. The Second Prize winner will receive \$500. The First Prize winner will receive \$1,000 and two performances with the Diablo Symphony in Walnut Creek on April 2nd, 2023. Complete rules can be found on the Symphony website: www.diablosymphony.org

Today's Date:

Contestant Name:

Birth Date:

Contestant Address:

Email Address to use for competition communication:

Telephone Number to use for competition communication: ()

Contestant School Name and City:

Grade:

If under 18, Parent/Guardian Name:

Parent/Guardian Email:

Teacher's Name:

Teacher's Email:

Teacher's Telephone Number: ()

Keep a copy of this application for yourself and mail the original with your \$25 check made payable to “Diablo Symphony Association” to:

Yen Liang Competition
c/o Christine Hsia
1955 Stratton Circle
Walnut Creek, CA 94519

Along with this application, the video recording (of DVD quality or higher) must be uploaded to YouTube; please email the link for the recording to

christinehsia@gmail.com

Please test that the link works before emailing it. We will let you know when we have received the application, check, and YouTube link.

Mailed items must be postmarked no later than **February 3rd, 2023**. File uploading and emailing of the link should also be completed by **February 3rd, 2023**.

Questions? Please refer to the competition information and rules, posted on the Symphony website.

More questions? Please email Christine Hsia at christinehsia@gmail.com

Thank you, and best of luck!
Yen Liang Young Artist Competition
Organizing Committee