



McLean Youth Orchestra  
Pauline Anderson, Music Director

The Henrietta Anderson Memorial Music Competition Scholarship Awards  
for furthering musical education on an orchestral instrument.

Senior Level:	\$500
Junior Level:	\$250
Ensemble:	\$250

Honorable Mention and Conductor Achievement Awards  
Sunday, March 15, 2009, 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. (Doors open at 12:30 for warm-up)  
NOVA Community College, Recital Hall, Alexandria Campus

#### Eligibility:

- \* Be a member of the McLean Youth Orchestra
- \* Not have completed 12th grade at the time of the competition.
- \* Previous "First Place" winners cannot enter the same level of competition, but may (when eligible) enter the next level of competition.
- \* Be approved by his or her teacher as competent to compete in the contest.
- \* Be prepared to attend a Master Class (details will be distributed).

#### Application Procedures:

- \* A completed and signed application form.
- \* A non-refundable fee of \$20.00 payable to the McLean Youth Orchestra.
- \* Application must be postmarked and mailed to: McLean Orchestra, P. O. Box 760, McLean, VA 22101 by 2/21/2009.
- \* Entry forms are available on-line at [www.mclean-orchestra.org/myo](http://www.mclean-orchestra.org/myo).

#### Repertoire:

- \* Applicants must perform all selections from memory with the exception of sonata selection.
- \* Two original scores of the selection must be provided at the competition for the judges.
- \* All selections requiring piano accompaniment must be performed with the piano. However, piano introductions and lengthy tutti may be cut to save time.
- \* Applicants must provide their own accompanist.
- \* Pieces having cadenzas must have that section included within the allotted time.
- \* At the senior level, you must perform a grade six or above from the standard orchestra repertoire for a maximum of 10 minutes.
- \* At the junior level, you must perform a grade five or above from the standard orchestra repertoire for a maximum time of eight minutes.
- \* Select music that includes sections of differing speeds, including a slow speed to demonstrate time and control and a fast speed to show fluency and technique (such as a sonata).
- \* Winners may be asked to perform at a future concert.

#### Notes and Rules:

- \* The competition will be judged by McLean Orchestra representatives and other prominent musicians from the area.
- \* The judges' comment sheets will be sent to every competitor after the competition.
- \* The judges may elect to name no winner if, in their opinion, no contestant is prepared. Award distribution will be determined by the judges. The judges' decision is final.
- \* The competition is not open to the public.
- \* In addition to First Prize, Junior and Senior and Ensemble, the judges may select Honorable Mentions and a Conductor Achievement Award.
- \* The McLean Youth Orchestra operates under the auspices of the McLean Orchestra and is subsidized and administered by the McLean Orchestra.
- \* Failure to abide by the requirements and rules of the competition will result in disqualification.
- \* By prior special arrangement with the MYO music director, a student may submit a video entry in the event that the competition date conflicts with a scheduled academic activity. In this case, a letter from the relevant academic supervisor will be required.



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## HENRIETTA ANDERSON COMPETITION APPLICATION

Please type or print carefully

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument \_\_\_\_\_ Years of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (area code) \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Private Music Teacher's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Competition Selection (including composer, key, opus, title and tempo markings of movement, etc.) and give exact length of each selection.


Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Endorsement: In my opinion, this applicant has sufficient experience and musical qualifications and is now prepared to perform this composition with the McLean Youth Orchestra if chosen as the winner.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like a special scheduling time, please fill in below and we will try to accommodate.