



International two-round online music competition

«MUSIC OF VICTORY»

(Kherson, Ukraine)

**With the support of the Department of Culture
of the Kherson City Council**

COMPETITION REGULATIONS

***Dear parents, pupils, students and teachers of music schools!
We invite you to take part
in the International two-round online music competition
"MUSIC OF VICTORY"!***

The organizers intend to show the whole world that Kherson is alive! This city in the south of Ukraine became known far beyond its borders. Despite the horrors of the occupation, the unbearable wait for liberation, the period of total blackout of the city, constant shelling by the enemy, despite the terrible disaster that is trying to wash away life from our land with a large amount of water, the organizers strive to hold a competition in which students from different parts of the world will participate. Some of them remained in their native city, a large number scattered all over the globe. But regardless of the difficulties they had to go through, these children are unbearably longing for music: for singing, instrumental performance. And with their creativity, they give their lives to their native country. The name of the competition is "Music of Victory". And the art that our children strive to present to the whole world is already a victory of life over nothingness, good over evil, faith over despair. The organizers call on children, young men, women and musicians of different countries to support our idea - to take part in the competition and unite the whole world in a single desire for peace and a happy life. We hope to find like-minded people in different countries and in our native parts of Ukraine. We believe that united efforts will catch on the wings of high feelings and realize our common dream of the victory of life, well-fair and happiness.

I. Terms.

1. The International two-round online music competition "Music of Victory" (hereinafter the online competition) is held remotely among pupils and students of the appropriate age categories of music educational institutions.

2. Founders and organizers of the online competition:

- Charitable Organization "International Charitable Foundation "SOUL OF THE WORLD",
- Municipal Institution of Specialized Art Education "Music school #1" of Kherson City Council.

II. Purpose and task.

1. As we stated in the introductory part of our regulation, the main goal of the online competition is to try to distract children from the realities of war, support their desire to express themselves in musical performance, and also provide an opportunity to feel the support of compatriots and like-minded people from different countries.

2. Terms of the competition:

- support of those engaged in musical performance,
- performing skills improvement,
- promotion of further professional development of participants,
- preservation and development of national culture,
- V establishment of creative contacts between participants.

III. Online competition procedure:

The online contest is held from July 1 to July 20, 2023.

Applications for participation are accepted until June 30, 2023.

Pupils and students (of appropriate age categories) of music educational institutions, institutions of art education or aesthetic education of music specialization take part in the online competition.

The online competition takes place in 2 rounds. The first round lasts from July 1 to July 4, 2023, the second round starts off from July 5, 2023. Announcement of results - July 20, 2023.

The online competition is represented by "Instrumental" and "Vocal" genres.

The participant of the online competition has to send a link to his own video recording, posted on YouTube with open access, together with the application.

The pieces of the competition program should be performed by heart.

The organizers of the online competition reserve the right to broadcast the competition video materials on the YouTube channel and the competition Facebook page.

IV. Nominations of the online competition:

Vocal genre:

1. Classical vocals - 2 different works for all age categories.
2. Pop-vocals - 2 different works for all age categories.
3. Folkloric vocals - 2 different works for all age categories.

Instrumental genre:

1. Keyboard (piano) - contestants of age categories 2, 3, 4 perform one piece each, contestants of age category 1 perform one piece of more than one minute or two pieces of less than one minute.
2. Stringed instruments - contestants of age categories 2, 3, 4 perform one piece each, contestants of age category 1 perform one piece of more than one minute or two pieces of less than one minute.
3. Guitar - contestants of age categories 2, 3, 4 perform one contest piece each, contestants of age category 1 perform one piece of more than one minute or two contest pieces of less than one minute.

V. Age categories:

Age category 1: 6 - 8 years,
Age category 2: 9 - 11 years,
Age category 3: 12 - 14 years,
Age category 4: 15 - 17 years.

The performer's age is determined at the time of the competition.

VI. Online competition jury and awards.

1. The composition of the jury is determined by the competition organizers. Leading artists and teachers of music educational institutions are invited to join the jury.
2. Performances are evaluated according to the following criteria:
 - performance skills;
 - artistry and stage culture.
3. According to the evaluation of the jury, participants of the online competition in all nominations and age categories are awarded diplomas of laureates of I, II, III degrees, Diplomat, Participant. Also, at the decision of the jury, the Grand Prix or special diplomas of the competition can be awarded to the brightest participants.
4. If a student of a jury member participates in the competition, the teacher does not evaluate this contestant (the average score is calculated based on the evaluations of other jury members).
5. The decision of the jury is not a subject to appeal or review.

Vi. Financial conditions.

1. Charity contribution for the participation of each participant in the online competition - 150 hryvnias (for one number of soloists-instrumentalists of age categories 2, 3, 4 and for two competition works of vocalists and instrumentalists of age category 1).
2. Payee (for citizens of Ukraine and for citizens of other countries).
Name of the organization:
Charitable Organization "International Charitable Foundation "Soul of the World".
Details:
Account number: UA283226690000026002300084727
EDRPOU code: 45045455
3. Part of the funds goes to help the Armed Forces of Ukraine.

VII. Technical requirements for video recording.

1. Each performance of a participant of the online competition (one piece by instrumentalists of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th age categories and two competitive pieces of vocalists and instrumentalists of the 1st age category) is recorded in a separate file.
2. Video shooting must be done without stopping and editing the video material.
3. The sound must be as clear as possible, without noise.
4. Videos of concert performances are allowed.
5. The preferred horizontal location of the gadget when recording video. The camera is on the left side.

VIII. Applications for participation in the competition.

1. The application is submitted in the form of a questionnaire (the form is attached), sent to an e-mail muzyka_peremogy@ukr.net (muzyka_peremogy@ukr.net) along with a link to a video (YouTube), a screenshot or a check for the payment of a charitable contribution, a photo of the participant.
2. One application - one e-mail.

Facebook page of the competition:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100093600076383>

Competition e-mail:

mmuzyka_peremogy@ukr.net (muzyka_peremogy@ukr.net)

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