

Announcing: Scholarships for your students to study music or attend music camp this summer!

Feb.24, 2020

Dear Music Teachers,

Each year, the Black Hills Symphony League awards summer music scholarships to area students, grades 4-12. The Symphony League encourages young musicians to continue their musical studies throughout the summer months. Scholarships will be awarded for students to take music lessons over the summer, attend music camp, summer institutes or music workshops.

The main consideration for these scholarship monies is financial need. Talent and desire to grow musically are also considered. Documents required for consideration include:

- *Statement from the student concerning their summer music education intentions.
- *Recommendation from their music teacher.
- *Recommendation from one support person (other than parent or guardian) such as a principal, pastor, or teacher.

Recommendations should support financial need as well as the student's talent and desire to further their musical studies. Sample application forms are enclosed. Please duplicate this letter and enclosed forms as needed for applicants. E-mail submissions are accepted as well. If you would prefer a hard copy of this letter and forms, please e-mail your request to: oboe@rap.midco.net

Deadline is April 30, 2020! All application materials must be postmarked/posted by April 30, 2020. Return completed applications to:

Black Hills Symphony League Scholarships
c/o Nancy Olney
4020 Canyon Dr.
Rapid City, SD 57702
oboe@rap.midco.net

Each applicant will be notified whether they have been awarded a scholarship or not. Black Hills Symphony League will make payment directly to the music teacher, music studio, music camp or institute. All awards must be used by September 1, 2020. By submitting an application, you are aware that the student's name may be published for publicity purposes.

Thank you!
Sincerely,

Nancy Olney
Black Hills Symphony League
Scholarship Committee

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**Black Hills Symphony League
SUMMER MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

FIRST NAME _____

LAST NAME _____

PHONE _____ E-Mail _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

SCHOOL _____

GRADE _____ INSTRUMENT _____

Did you receive scholarships from other sources in the last year? _____ Please list if applicable

References you contacted:

Name of Reference _____

Title _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Name of Reference _____

Title _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Institution to receive scholarship check:

Institution _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

STUDENT: Please write no more than a 200-word essay on the back of application discussing your need for this financial scholarship and how the scholarship money will be used. By submitting an application, you are aware that your name may be published for publicity purposes.

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MUSIC TEACHER:

I, _____

recommend _____
for this financial needs scholarship because

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ADULT SUPPORT PERSON (OTHER THAN A PARENT):

I, _____

recommend _____
for this financial needs scholarship because