



# THE VERNICE N. CHURCH INAUGURAL CHALLENGE FOR YOUNG ARTISTS

Saturday, April 22, 2023 at 10 a.m., Wakefield Recital Hall, Crane School of Music, SUNY Potsdam

## APPLICATION

*Please print clearly*

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's /Guardian's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Jr. High/High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

### PERFORMANCE PIECE

Composer, Composition & Movement MUST be from the current NYSSMA Manual, Level 5 or 6.

Instrument/Voice \_\_\_\_\_ Composer \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Composition: \_\_\_\_\_

MVT# & Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Length: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: ACCOMPANIMENT IS PREFERRED BUT NOT REQUIRED**  ACCOMPANIED  UNACCOMPANIED

### REQUIREMENTS

- Bio: Write a 100-word bio, including any past achievements or awards, your extra-curricular activities, interests, and hobbies.
- Electronic copy of photo
- \$25 non-refundable Entry Fee; make check payable to "ONNY"
- Supply one copy of your music.
- Past two NYSSMA scores: Level \_\_\_\_\_ Score \_\_\_\_\_ Level \_\_\_\_\_ Score \_\_\_\_\_
- Hometown newspaper: \_\_\_\_\_

### STUDENT CERTIFICATION

This certifies that:

- I will follow the guidelines and accept the feedback of the professional musicians.
- I am aware that all photos taken are the property of ONNY and may be used for publicity purposes without compensation.

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

### TEACHER CERTIFICATION

My student:  has selected a piece from the current NYSSMA Manual  is capable of fulfilling all the requirements of the Challenge and  has consulted the guidelines.

School Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Private Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

City, St., Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

City, St., Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Application Deadline: Postmarked no later than Saturday, April 1, 2023 | Send completed application with all required materials as outlined above by email to: [challenge@onny.org](mailto:challenge@onny.org) or by U.S. mail to: ONNY Challenge for Young Artists, PO Box 488, Potsdam, NY 13676 | Questions? Call 315.212.3440