



2011-12 Berkeley Youth Orchestra Concerto Auditions

The Berkeley Youth Orchestra will hold Concerto Competition Auditions for members in good standing. Auditions will take place on **Saturday, December 10, 2011** at Laney College. The auditions will be scheduled at 10-minute intervals during BYO rehearsal. Soloists will be selected to perform single memorized concerto movements with the BYO at the May 2011 concert program.

Eligibility

The Concerto Auditions are open to all members in good standing, defined as follows: Tuition paid in full or on approved scholarship; no more than two absences from rehearsals per set, nor excessive lateness; participant in school music programs where appropriate; and the entry must be approved by student's parent or guardian. Prior winners are eligible to apply after two years. Register by completing the bottom portion of this form and returning it to **Leah by November 12th**. Confirmation will be e-mailed to each applicant with each being assigned a specific time.

Repertoire

Concerti are to be one movement from any standard work with parts readily available and playable by the orchestra members. The work must be published in a version for your instrument and orchestra, not just piano accompaniment. Ask your teacher for help with this. All entries must be approved by the music director.

Performance

Applicants will be given 10 minute time slots. The judge may stop the musician at any time and ask for other sections of a given work, so the entire movement must be prepared. Accompanists will not be permitted, in order to make this experience fair and accessible to as many players as possible.

Please keep top portion for your records. Return completed lower portion of form to Leah by November 12, 2011.

2011 BYO Concerto Audition Registration Form

Name _____ Instrument _____

E-mail _____ Phone _____

Composer _____ Title _____

Movement to be performed _____ Duration of performance (minutes) _____

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian's signature _____ Date _____