

EVANSVILLE CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS

SCHOLARSHIP FOR ORGAN LESSONS

The Evansville Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, in an effort to encourage the study and performance of the organ, offers a scholarship program for interested and qualified young students. This financial assistance is provided to foster the discovery of the "King of Instruments" and all its possibilities.



Criteria for scholarship consideration:

1. The applicant must be a current piano student.
2. The applicant must be at least 10 years of age.
3. A recommendation from the student's piano teacher is required.
4. The audition may be made on the piano. The audition shall include two pieces (one from memory).
5. Scholarship recipients are expected to continue their piano lessons, in addition to studying organ.
6. Initially, the scholarship will subsidize half of the organ teacher's fee for one semester, not to exceed 12 lessons.
7. The organ teacher will evaluate the student's progress and report at least once a semester to the scholarship committee. The scholarship may be renewed or revoked upon the recommendation of the organ teacher.
8. A maximum suggested fee per lesson is \$40.00 per hour: \$20.00 from the Guild and \$20 from the student.
9. The designated organ teacher shall be a member of the AGO and be approved by the Scholarship Committee.
10. The student will be given an opportunity to play at an AGO event after successfully learning organ pieces.

Application

Name _____ Age _____

Address _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Cell Phone _____ E-mail _____

Parent Name _____ Piano Teacher _____

School _____ Grade _____

Do you play another instrument? _____ If so, what instrument(s)? _____

Do you have additional musical experience? Explain. _____

Why do you want to study the organ? _____

Do you have an organ on which to practice? Yes _____ No _____. If so, describe and give location.

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