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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Scholarships in honor of the memory of Lorraine H. Whitlock SUMMER 2008

Student ID Number
 (returning students)

The DC Youth Orchestra Program is pleased to be able to provide multiple scholarships to students in the DC Youth Orchestra Program registering this Summer 2008. To be eligible, students must be current residents of zip codes 20001, 20002, 20017, 20018, 20019, 20020 or 20032. These scholarship guidelines and application apply to the 2008 Summer Session only, and will not apply to subsequent terms in which student enrolls.

Eligibility: Students who live in zip codes 20001, 20002, 20017, 20018, 20019, 20020 and 20032, enrolling for the Summer 2008 session at the DCYOP will be eligible for at least 75% reduction in registration fees. Based on household income and size, a large number of families will be eligible for 100% reduction in registration fees. Scholarships will include registration fees, but will NOT include instrument fees and deposits. Scholarships will be awarded until funds are no longer available, and will be awarded first-come-first-serve basis.

Income Categories: Household income is broken into two categories: Category 1 receiving full (100%) scholarship for the 2008 Summer Session and Category 2 receiving 75% scholarship for the 2008 Summer Session. These categories are based in part on the Federal Poverty Guidelines, as indicated by the Federal Register. Families requesting Category 1 scholarship (100% scholarship) will be asked to provide income verification in the form of a copy of federal income tax return forms. Income categories are outlined below:

DCYOP 2008 Scholarship Guidelines

Size of Family Unit	Annual Income	
	Category 1 (100% scholarship)	Category 2 (75% scholarship)
2	\$0 to \$39,830	\$39,831 and above
3	\$0 to \$43,090	\$43,091 and above
4	\$0 to \$46,350	\$46,351 and above
5	\$0 to \$49,610	\$49,611 and above
6	\$0 to \$52,870	\$52,871 and above
7	\$0 to \$56,130	\$56,131 and above
8	\$0 to \$59,390	\$59,391 and above

Federal Poverty Guidelines

Size of Family Unit	Annual Income
1	\$9,570
2	12,830
3	16,090
4	19,350
5	22,610
6	25,870
7	29,130
8	32,390

SOURCE: Federal Register, Vol. 70, No. 33, February 18, 2005, pp. 8373-8375. (<http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/05poverty.shtml>)

Restrictions/accommodations: Scholarships are available only to students enrolled (enrolling) in the Summer Session 2008. Registration fees which have already been paid by the student/family prior to scholarship application and processing, will be credited to the 2008 Fall Session. Students withdrawing during the scholarship period, who are receiving a scholarship, will not be eligible for a refund of the fees and the scholarship will not be applied to subsequent session(s). Those students receiving scholarship will be expected to attend the program regularly—those failing to meet the organization’s attendance guidelines will lose their scholarship

Please provide the following information. Return this form **along with your registration form** (unless already registered) to the DC Youth Orchestra Program offices or fax to 202-723-6040. Questions, please contact our offices at 202-723-1612.

Student Name: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Category 1 Category 2 (If you checked the Category 1 box, please attach copies of your most recent [2007] income tax return to verify household income.)

Number of people in household (Category 1 applicants only): _____ Annual Household Income: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Please check the appropriate box below:

- My registration form is attached
- I have already registered and paid fees for the fall session and if selected to receive a scholarship, would like to have those fees donated to the DC Youth Orchestra Program as a tax deductible contribution.
- I have already registered and paid fees for the summer session and if selected to receive a scholarship, would like to have those fees applied to the fall 2008 session

By signing below I agree that information provided above is accurate, to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the scholarship for which I am applying of behalf of my child applies to the 2008 Summer Session’s fees and registration only, and does not apply to instrument rental fees/deposits nor does it apply to subsequent sessions/semesters. Further, my signature below also confirms that the student for which I am applying for scholarship resides in one of the following zip codes: 20001, 20002, 20017, 20018, 20019, 20020 and 20032

Signature (Parent/Guardian)

date