



Greeley Chamber Orchestra

P.O. Box 200041 Evans CO 80620

October 15, 2018

The Greeley Chamber Orchestra is pleased to announce the thirty-seventh annual Walter and Virginia Charles Concerto Contest. This event is made possible by a generous gift from the late Virginia Charles and is open to all high school students in grades 10, 11 and 12 in Boulder, Larimer, Morgan and Weld counties. The contest is open to young area musicians playing a standard orchestra instrument (wind instruments, strings, or percussion) and piano.

The first prize is \$1,000 and the winner will be the featured soloist with the Greeley Chamber Orchestra at the March 8, 2019 concert. A second place prize of \$500.00 will also be awarded (no performance opportunity applies)

The competition will be held January 5, 2019 in the sanctuary of Trinity Episcopal Church, 3800 West 20th Street in Greeley. Entrants must provide their own accompanist. Memorization is preferred but not required. Each entrant will be allowed fifteen (15) minutes to perform all or part of a piece that would be suitable for performance with the orchestra (orchestration may involve strings, woodwinds in pairs, horns, trumpets timpani and harpsichord)

If there are any questions about the appropriateness of a piece or about the competition, please feel free to call Dan Frantz, conductor of the Greeley Chamber Orchestra at 970-396-3084. Entrants selecting pieces which are not written for chamber orchestra accompaniment will not be accepted for the competition.



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ENTRY FORM 2019 WALTER AND VIRGINIA CHARLES CONCERTO CONTEST

Sponsored by the Greeley Chamber Orchestra
Saturday January 5, 2019
Trinity Episcopal Church 3800 West 20th Street, Greeley, Colorado

NAME INSTRUMENT

ADDRESS CITY ZIP CODE PHONE COUNTY

HIGH SCHOOL GRADE AGE MUSIC TEACHER

TITLE OF SELECTION COMPOSER LENGTH (MINUTES)

- *The literature used must be suitable for performance with the orchestra (orchestration may involve strings, woodwinds in pairs, horns, trumpets timpani and harpsichord)
- *Two letters of recommendation must accompany the application.
- *Please enclose an entry fee of \$10.00 in the form of a check payable to the Greeley Chamber Orchestra. The entry fee is non-refundable.
- *The competition is open to all high school students in grades 10,11 and 12 in Boulder, Larimer, Morgan and Weld counties.
- *Memorization is preferred but not required.
- *The decision of the judges is final
- *This completed application constitutes the applicant's agreement to perform with the Greeley Chamber Orchestra on March 8, 2019 should the applicant be awarded first place.

Please return this completed form with the entry fee no later than December 21, 2018
The Greeley Chamber Orchestra. P.O. Box 200041, Evans Co 80620
All applicants will be notified by mail of their audition time by December 28, 2018

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