



Patrons: *Ann Carr-Boyd AM*
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SHSO 2020 Composition Competition Application Form

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

Approval -Parent/Guardian for applicants under 18 years.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Entry Conditions:

1. The applicant must live in the following locations:

Southern Highlands
Goulburn
Nowra
Illawarra
Kiama
Kangaroo Valley
Camden
Picton
Wollongong

In addition, any former student from these districts who is now at a tertiary institution outside these areas may also enter the competition. Please state location.

2. The composition is open to all ages.

Persons under the age of 18 should have approval from parent/guardian

3. Orchestration:

The composition should be of **five-minute duration** and for full orchestra. It may also be for a solo instrument/s (except piano and organ) with orchestra.

4. Musical style:

The work should be accessible i.e. playable and showing knowledge of the instrument/s.

5. Instrumentation:

piccolo, 2 flutes, 2 oboes, 2 clarinets, 2 bassoons, 4 horns, 2 trumpets, 3 trombones, tuba, timpani, percussion: (bass drum, triangle, cymbals, tubular bells, glockenspiel, xylophone, tambourine, snare drum, not all of which must be included), all strings.

6. Presentation:

The score should be in Sibelius or Finale format. The score should also be presented on four MP3's as well as four hardcopies. Four copies will be required for the judges.

NOTE:

The name of the applicant **must not** be written on the score or hard copies.
Each entrant will be provided with a number when the composer application is received.

Please ensure your name, address/email and phone details are included in the application.

All entries should be sent to:

Composition Competition,

The Southern Highlands Symphony Orchestra Inc.

PO Box 997,

Bowral 2576 NSW

8. Closing date: 30th May 2020

9. Winner notification:

The 1st and 2nd prize - winners will be notified at the end of **June, 2020**.

Adjudication decisions are final. No correspondence will be entered into.

The winning composition will be performed at the Southern Highlands Symphony Orchestra's Series 3 Spring Concerts on 21st and 22nd September, 2020.

The successful composer will be required to send all instrument parts to:

The Librarian, Southern Highlands Symphony Orchestra,

PO Box 997, Bowral by **5pm 20th July, 2020**.

For more information contact: shsonsw@gmail.com or call 0416 380 567