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Mandeville School of Music Christmas Concert

It's that time again! Christmas is just around the corner and so is our annual Christmas Concert. This year's informal concert will be held **Saturday, December 10th** at the Fuhrmann Auditorium, 317 N. Jefferson Ave. Covington, LA 70433. Regular lessons will not be held Saturday, December 10 so that all may participate and enjoy the concerts.

Parents and students may invite as many friends, relatives, etc. as they wish.

Christmas is indeed a time of giving and a time to reflect and be thankful for all that we have been given. In this spirit, LAAPA's Faculty and Staff would like to ask that all parents, students, friends and relatives attending the Christmas Concert bring one of the following items to donate to the poorest of the poor as admission to the concert: **toy for a child (indicate boy or girl and appropriate age), diapers all sizes NB through 5, baby clothes all sizes to Toddler 3, baby and adult toiletries such as soap and shampoo, winter clothes (especially jackets used and in good shape), or check in any amount made payable to Batesville Mission.** Please use only bags if you are wrapping them as the Sisters distribute these according to the requests of the children in the mission and look at each gift. These items will be collected by our staff the day of the concert and donated to the Batesville Mission run by the Teresian Sisters in Batesville, TX.

Students who wish to participate in the concert **must complete the form below and return the form to the office no later than November 12.** Each student may perform one piece per program of study (2 minutes in length or less). Concert dress may be casual or as formal as you wish. For our young ladies please choose dresses that are moderate in length and neckline with no open backs. **Instrumental and vocal students (voice, strings, wind, brass, etc) will require accompanists. The accompanist fee is \$30 whether the accompanist is the student's instructor or the staff accompanist.** The staff accompanist will provide students with 2 rehearsals in addition to the performance on the day of the concert. Rehearsals for students whose teachers accompany them will be within the lesson. Should any parent/student feel that more time is needed with the accompanist additional private coaching sessions are available at \$30 per 30 minute session and may be booked at the Front Desk. **Checks for accompanist fees should be made payable to LAAPA and should accompany this form when it is returned to the Front Desk.**

ALL STUDENTS WHO WISH TO PARTICIPATE MUST RETURN THIS FORM TO THE FRONT DESK BY NOVEMBER 12th. ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED. WE ARE UNABLE TO ACCEPT ANY LATE ENTRIES!

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I have read and agree to follow the above information/guidelines regarding participation in the Mandeville School of Music Christmas Recital at LAAPA. If student requires an accompanist and payment does not accompany this form, I authorize LAAPA to deduct the fees from my account on file.

Please complete the following information:

Student Will Participate **Student Will Not Participate**

Instructor's name (PRINT) Instrument/Program e-mail address

Student's Name (PRINT) age yrs of exp. Signature Parent/Guardian DATE

Accompanist needed for _____(voice, violin, etc): (Circle One) Yes No
(NOTE: All vocal, wind, brass, and string students will require an accompanist.)

Parent or Guardian Signature (if student is a minor)