



Bromley Youth Music Trust
ROTARY CLASSICAL SINGER
OF THE YEAR
Application Form 2018



Joe Davies
current Rotary Classical Singer of the Year



THE ROTARY CLASSICAL SINGER OF THE YEAR COMPETITION

ELIGIBILITY

1. The competition will be open to any singers gaining eligibility under (2) and (3)
2. The competition is open to singers who are 18 or under on 1st September 2018.
3. Singers are eligible if they are taught by a BYMT teacher or they participate in one of the vocal or musical theatre groups, and are currently at a level equivalent to grade 6 or above (exams need not have been taken).
4. All previous entrants, except the overall winners, are eligible to enter the competition.

DATES AND VENUE

1. Competitors will be notified within 2 days of the closing date, advising whether the preliminary rounds will take place.
2. If preliminary adjudications are needed, they will take place on Wednesday 7th November (6-8pm). The final will take place on Friday 16th November, 7pm.
3. Both preliminary and final adjudications will take place at the Bromley Youth Music Centre.

ADJUDICATION

1. The Preliminary adjudication will be carried out by BYMT's Head of Vocal Department who will select the finalists.
2. There will be an entrance fee of £10 payable to BYMT with each application.
3. You will receive written feedback on your performance from the panel, if the preliminary adjudication takes place.

4. The final will be publicly staged. There will be a charge of £6 adults, £4 concessions, and £2 students for admission to the final.
5. Trevor Bowes, baritone, has kindly agreed to adjudicate this year's final.

PERFORMING REQUIREMENTS

1. For the final, competitors will be expected to perform 2 or more pieces. The entire performance should not exceed 10 minutes. You will be stopped if this time limit is exceeded. The technical and musical content of the pieces selected will obviously be an important ingredient to success.
2. For the preliminaries, competitors should perform 1 of their pieces. The total performance time should not exceed 5 minutes.
3. The music must all be of a classical nature. Musical Theatre is not acceptable.
4. Candidates must provide the adjudicator with a copy of the music to be played.
5. An accompanist will be provided for the preliminaries and the final. However, competitors are responsible for arranging and paying for any rehearsals that they would like. Mr Daniel Beach will be accompanying, and can be contacted on daniel@muzicality.co.uk or 07872 053036.

PRIZES

- ◆ The first prizewinner will receive the trophy to be held for one year.
- ◆ The first prizewinner will represent Bromley in the District Final of the Rotary Young Musician of the Year, to be held on 9th February 2019 in Maidstone.
- ◆ There will be a first prize of £100.
- ◆ All the finalists will receive a certificate.

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I have read and accept the conditions.

Name:	
Email:	
Telephone:	
Date of Birth:	
School:	
Teacher:	
Voice Type:	
Last Grade Exam taken: (if applicable)	
I enclose fee of £10 (Payable to BYMT)	<input type="checkbox"/>
I have paid Online using my BYMT account number	<input type="checkbox"/>
Signed:	
Date:	

Please return NO LATER THAN THURSDAY 1 NOVEMBER
to Miss Stephanie Seeney, BYMT or sseeney@bymt.co.uk

