Montgomery County Music Teachers Association

Evelyn Swarthout and Patrick Hayes

Competition for Piano

Date: Sunday, April 25, 2027

Registration Deadline: Thursday, March 25, 2027

Only online registrations will be accepted. From the MCMTA website, Log into Event Registration under the Activities Tab.

Fee: A $37.00 check made out to MCMTA must accompany the online application printout.

Venue: **Piano Craft**
211 Perry Parkway #2
Gaithersburg, MD 20877

Eligibility: The First Prize Winner from the previous year is not eligible to enter. This competition is open to students in grades 9-12 who have studied with the presenting teacher for at least 6months. The teacher and co-teacher, if applicable, must be a member of MCMTA and maintain a studio in Montgomery County.

Awards: Cash prizes of $400, $300, and $200 will be awarded to the First, Second and Third Place winners, respectively. $100 award for the outstanding performance of a piece by an American composer.

Winners will be invited to perform at the Peggy Woolley Martin Senior Recognition Event.

Repertoire: Three or more substantial works of contrasting styles and from three periods. If programming Bach works from the WTC, include a Prelude or Fugue (or both). Other Baroque works may include one or two movements from a Baroque suite, or one or two Scarlatti or Soler sonatas.

Mail checks and signed registration to the Chair: Bonnie Kellert
9140 Falls Chapel Way
Potomac, MD 20854

No changes in the program may be made after the registration deadline.

For additional information contact:

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