



SAN DIEGO SOUTH CHAPTER

MTNA Studio Festival

GUIDELINES AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION

INTRODUCTION

- MTNA Studio Festival is a non-competitive event in recital format open to students of all ages and levels of advancement and instruments. It is a national program sponsored by MTNA (Music Teachers National Association).
- For this year, San Diego South Chapter will feature students of **ALL levels** from different teachers and studios who may or may not be members of MTNA.

THEME: Halloween, Fall Harvest, and Thanksgiving

- Participating students will receive a ratings certificate, treats, and medals/trophies.

FESTIVAL DIVISIONS, SECTIONS, AND LEVELS

- Divisions are Keyboard Instrument, Non-Keyboard, and Vocal
- Sections are Solo and Ensemble
- Levels are Elementary, Intermediate, Advanced

GENERAL ENTRY RULES. This year's event will have multi-studio recital setting.

1. Memorization is optional for all instruments.
2. All solos must be original published works. Transcriptions are allowed. Works can cover any style period and any music genre. Students may play 1-2 pieces as long as their total performance time stays within limits.

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3. Use of reproduced music that are subject to copyright protection must follow the guidelines set by CAPMT and MTNA, and must be accompanied by a signed Music Release Form.
4. Repeats may be played, provided the performance is within the specified time limit.

5. **TIME LIMITS:** Elementary: not more than 2 mins

Intermediate: not more than 3 minutes

Advanced: not more than 4 minutes

6. Participants are required to secure their own accompanist for pieces requiring an accompanist.

No compact discs or tapes may be used for accompaniment.

7. Participants shall be scheduled into recitals of approximately one hour in length. Each hour shall consist of approximately 45 minutes of playing followed by awarding ceremonies.

8. All performers must submit a Waiver Release Form /Authorization Form (online) on or before the day of the event.

9. REGISTER ONLINE at www.sdsouthcapmt.org

Click on the Programs and Events tab then go to Chapter Events link. Completely fill up and submit registration form. (MTNA Studio Festival is a non-competitive). Entries submitted on October 16, 2017 and onwards are considered late. If space is available, they will be accommodated.

10. SECURELY PAY ONLINE at <https://sdsouthcapmt.org/online-payments-donations/>

You may also pay using personal checks payable to SDSC. Check payments are to be submitted to the participating teacher on or before the deadline. Ditto with online payments.

11. Fees: Solo Entries, ALL LEVELS, CAPMT/MTNA Member - \$35.00

Duet/Ensemble, ALL LEVELS, CAPMT/MTNA Member - \$25.00 per member

NON-CAPMT MEMBERS: Additional \$10 entry fee for solo/duet/ensemble

LATE FEE: Additional \$20.00 will be assessed for all late entries.

Please take note of registration deadline to avoid late fees!

12. AWARDS • All participants will receive an MTNA certificate with ratings, a participation medal/trophy and treat bags. Teacher- selected participants will be invited to perform at the Honors Recital and Gala in June of this year. (Venue TBA).