



2012 Quick Bowman Piano Competition

Competition March 31, 2012 and Recital April 1, 2012

Sedona Creative Life Center

Eligibility: Northern Arizona students ages 12-19 enrolled full-time including High School Seniors with teacher and parental approval. Previous first place winners in specific categories are not eligible to re-enter in the same category. A \$25 registration fee **MUST** accompany application. All music **MUST** be memorized. The competition is **NOT** open to the public.

Top prize-winners are required to perform in a public recital Sun., April 1, 2012, 3pm at the Sedona Creative Life Center, 333 Schnebly Hill Road off of Highway 179.

Divisions and Categories

JUNIOR: Ages 12-14
Intermediate: with training of **2-3 years**
Advanced: with training of **4+ years**
SENIOR: Ages 15-19
Intermediate: with training of **2-4 years**
Advanced: with training of **5+ years**

AWARDS:	Senior Division Advanced:	1 ST \$300	2 ND \$250	3 RD \$150
	Intermediate:	1 ST \$200	2 ND \$150	3 RD \$100
	Junior Division Advanced:	1 ST \$125	2 ND \$ 75	3 RD \$ 50
	Intermediate:	1 ST \$ 50	2 ND \$ 40	3 RD \$ 30

All participants will receive a cash award.

MUSIC: One selection must be from the Baroque, Classical or Romantic Periods. Two contrasting selections are required. Maximum performance time is limited to 10 minutes for the senior division and 5 to 6 minutes for the junior division. Contemporary, modern and jazz works will be given equal consideration.

Memorization is required for all students. All contestants must provide three copies of music. labeled for the judges with contestant's assigned number on each page.

JUDGING: Judges will use criteria stated on the adjudication form.

SCORING: Judges reserve the right to modify prizes in the event of a tie or as they see appropriate. Judges decisions are final and may withhold awards as they see appropriate.

DEADLINE: Completed application form, **three** completed adjudicator forms with * required information filled in, and a \$25 registration fee **must** be postmarked no later than **Wednesday, March 7, 2012** and mailed to:

Quick Bowman Piano Competition 2012
1487 SR 89A, Ste 9, Sedona, AZ 86336

The postmark deadline will be strictly observed.

**All applicants will be notified of their audition time by phone
no later than Wednesday March 14, 2012**

For additional information contact Chamber Music Sedona (928) 204.2415



Quick Bowman Piano Competition Saturday, March 31, 2012

Application Form – Sedona Creative Life Center

All information is strictly confidential ~ All information must be complete.

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____ Email _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ ZIP: _____ SCHOOL _____

Date of birth: ____/____/____ Age: _____ YEARS OF STUDY _____

TEACHER _____ TEACHER PHONE _____ TEACHER email _____

Parent or Legal Guardian: _____ *PHONE:* _____

Address: _____ *City:* _____ *ZIP* _____ *Email* _____

SELECTIONS TO BE PERFORMED*:

1) Title: _____

Composer: _____

2) Title: _____

Composer: _____

Please provide brief biography **handwritten** by Contestant: (back of the form may be used if more space is needed)

Instructor and Parental approval

and Student agreement:

I believe that the entrant has adequately prepared him/herself for this program and give my consent to participate.

I agree to participate in the Sunday, April 1, 2012 Recital 3:00pm at Sedona Creative Life Center 333 Schnebly Hill Rd, off of Hwy 179, if invited to perform.

TEACHER SIGNATURE date

STUDENT SIGNATURE date

PARENT SIGNATURE date



Saturday, March 31, 2012 **QUICK BOWMAN PIANO COMPETITION**
ADJUDICATOR'S FORM

Student's *FIRST* name only: _____ Age _____ Yrs. of study _____

Work #1*:

Work #2*:

Technical proficiency (Accuracy, rhythm, fluency, touch, pedaling)

1 – 20 pts.

Musicality (Interpretation, style, phrasing, dynamics)

1 – 20 pts.

Memorization

1 – 10
pts.

Stage presence

1 – 5
pts.

Choice of repertoire (Challenge level, suitability)

1 – 5 pts.

TOTAL ~ (To be calculated by assistant)

Adjudicator's name: _____



IMPORTANT

SPECIAL INFORMATION AND TIPS FOR PARTICIPANTS

The competition is **not** open to the public. Only immediate family members and/or the student's piano teacher may be present in the competition room.

Participant is to bring **three** copies of the music to present to the judges. Each page of the music must have the student's name on it. All music will be returned to the participant.

Participant should come to the competition neatly and appropriately dressed for a recital. (No jeans please).

Participants need to arrive thirty-minutes before their scheduled performance time.

Students will announce their selected works to the judges.

All entrants will be notified of their status the evening of March 14, 2012.

All participants and families, along with the public are invited to attend the Quick Recital Sunday, April 1, 2012, 3pm at Sedona Creative Life Center, 333 Schnebly Hill Road, off of Highway 179 featuring the 2012 winners.

Immediately following the Recital, prizes and awards will be presented at piano side by Peter Quick. A reception will follow to which all are invited.

All students are strongly encouraged send a handwritten "Thank-You" letter to the Quick Family in care of Chamber Music Sedona mailed no later than **April 30, 2012**. CMS will forward the letters to the Quick Family.