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## CHARLESTON MUSIC CLUB

January 12, 2012

Dear Music Educator:

The Charleston Music Club and the South Carolina Federation of Music Clubs will again present Summer Camp Awards to students of the Southern District of South Carolina. All the awards will be partial scholarships in amounts ranging up to \$1,200. Auditions will be held Saturday, March 3, 2012, in the Ministries Hall of St. Philip's Episcopal Church which is located at the corner of Church and Queen streets in downtown Charleston. For the convenience of the students the auditions will be held on the same day as the Charleston Symphony League auditions. Audition times will be coordinated.

Please encourage all gifted and advanced students to audition for one of the Brevard Music Center awards. Promising young students, no matter how short a time they have studied, should be encouraged to try for the band or string awards.

The vocal award is for private study with a qualified vocal teacher. That award, as in 2011, has been increased to \$500.

The McCracken and Amidon-Hatfield piano awards may be used for a camp of the winner's choice. In most recent years, our young pianist winners have attended keyboard clinics at Furman University and UNC-Greensboro and have had very successful experiences.

Please tell your students that the time allowed for each audition is 10 minutes. If pieces are too long, judges may stop them or ask them to omit parts.

Make as many copies of the application and rules as you need. They may also be found on our website at [www.charlestonmusicclub.org](http://www.charlestonmusicclub.org). If you have any questions, please contact us at the e-mail addresses below.

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