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APPROVED by director of Jazeps Medins Riga 1st music school

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XII International Brothers Medins Competition for Young Pianists

REGULATION

Competition is organized by:

Jazeps Medins Riga 1st Music School.

Aims of the Competition:

- to promote students' creative and artistic growth;
- to improve pianistic skills;
- to popularize pieces by Latvian composers.

Place and date of Competition:

The Competition takes place on 12th of March 2022 in Jazeps Medins Riga 1st Music School, Kronvalda bulvāris 8, Riga, Latvia.

In case the Competition cannot be held in person due to Covid - 19 related circumstances, the competition will take place remotely. The performance of the contestants will be judged on the basis of the submitted video recordings.

Information about the form of the Competition will be specified **until** 12st February 2022.

Terms of Competition:

The Competition is open for music school and music high school students **until the age of 18.**

There are 5 Competition groups:

I group $1^{st} - 2^{nd}$ year students;

II group $3^{rd} - 4^{th}$ year students;

III group $5^{th} - 6^{th}$ year students;

IV group $7^{th} - 9^{th}$ year students;

V group music high school students.

The Participants carry out of 3 mucsic pieces:

- piece by **Jāzeps Mediņš** or **Jēkabs Mediņš**, or **Jānis Mediņš** on participant's choise;
- 1st part or rondo from Sonata of **Classical period (1750-1830)**;
- a piece on **free** choice.

All pieces are performed by heart.

Duration of the program:

I group – up to 5 minutes; II group – up to 8 minutes; III group – up to 12 minutes; IV group – up to 15 minutes; V group – up to 20 minutes.

Evaluation criteria:

- artistic performance;
- technical level;
- accuracy of musical material;
- artistry and performance culture;
- difficulty level of the repertoire.

Prizes:

- diplomas and prizes for laureates;
- Special prize for the best performance of piece by composer Mediņš.

Terms of participation:

- Deadline for submission of the Application 1st February 2022.
- Application form is found in website <u>www.jmr1ms.lv</u>.
- Information for the Application:
 - participants name, surname, teacher, school, class;
 - program, duration;
 - requisites for invoice.
- By applying for the Competition, the participant agrees to participate thou in face to face and remote Competition.
- After receiving Application form, organizers of Competition will send invoice for Participatin Fee.
- Participation Fee EUR 25 must be sent until February 25th 2022 based on received invoice.
- In case of non-participation, refusals will be accepted till February 25th 2022. After that date Patricipation Fee will not be returned.

- At the day of competition organizers of competition shall be entitled to ask to present the person attestant documentation.
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Video submission requirements:

- In case of the remote the Competition submission deadline for video recordings will be specified.
- The Competition program must be recorded in one video, without clipping and editing, and participant must be visible.
- The video must be submitted using *YouTube*.
- In *Youtube* as information participant insert only program in playing order.
- A video link from *YouTube* is being sent to e-mail <u>lvikmane3@edu.riga.lv</u> and add information about participant name, surname, school, class, teacher, program in playing order.

Awarding:

Information about the Competition awarding process will be specified based on epidemiological rules in the country.

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