MTAC PASADENA NEWSLETTER / FEB. 2020 To All Teachers:

Southern California Jr. Bach Festival: Online Application Form Dorothy Caimano and Kristi Lobitz, Branch Chairs

This year's SCJBF (Keyboard Division) will be held all day **Saturday**, April 4, 2020 at Steinway Gallery, Pasadena.

Registration is by online application only on the SCJBF.org website. Interested teachers should go onto the website, select "Registration & Announcements", and then Log On using their personal password; follow the links in the Student Information box to access the application form.

Before you can register students you will be asked for a \$10 teacher fee. This payment is securely handled online using a credit card, and helps to defray some of the costs involved with maintaining the SCJBF website.

The online registration opened December 1^{st} , and the deadline to apply is March 1^{st} at 11:59 p.m. The registration fee is \$45 per student. Teachers should send <u>one check per studio</u>, payable to "*MTAC Pasadena*", and include a print-out of your student listing.

Please mail to:

Dorothy Caimano 915 N. Craig Avenue Pasadena, CA. 91104

Postmark is March 1st. (No birth certificates are necessary.) Please *do not* send certified mail as this will require drives to the Post Office many times!!

<u>Some general information</u>: Repertoire time limit for all pieces is 5 minutes. There is also an Ana Magdalena category to encourage younger students to study the music of Bach. Please note: After the March 1st deadline repertoire cannot be changed. Any other questions about the application procedure may be directed to <u>klobitz@sbcglobal.net</u>.

The SCJBF Strings Regional Festival will take place on Sunday, April 19, 2020 at Pasadena City College - Westerbeck Recital Hall: 1570 E. Colorado Blvd., Pasadena. Please use parking structures on campus with access from Del Mar. Please purchase a parking pass from the kiosk.

The SCJBF Winds & Voice Regional Festival will take place on Sunday, May 3, 2020 at Citrus College, 1000 W. Foothill Blvd. in the City of Glendora.

Please consider sending your students and thanks for supporting the Bach Festival!!