

Scholarship Application Information Sheet
2019 Not Just OOM-PAH! Accordion Workshop and Concert - Austin, TX
The Concert is FREE for ALL on Friday April 5, 2019 at 6:30 - 9:00 pm
Central Market, 4001 N. Lamar Blvd., Austin, TX
All Workshop Sessions on Saturday & Sunday, April 6 & 7 will be held at
Lamar Senior Activity Center, 2874 Shoal Crest Ave., Austin, TX. 78705

Criteria:

1. **Applicant must be between 5 and 18 years of age, inclusive.**
2. **Applicant must be able to read music and play the accordion**
3. Scholarship Recipient must Register and pay for own hotel room if coming from out of town.
4. Scholarship recipient under age 18, must be accompanied by an adult sponsor for the duration of the workshop. Adult sponsor must pay \$60, a reduced rate, which includes attendance for all workshops *without materials*; Lunch on Saturday & Sunday. Breakfasts & Dinners are not included.
5. (Two page maximum) A Personal letter from the Applicant, indicating why they are interested in attending the workshop, and what they hope to gain from attending, why they love the accordion. For young children <12 years old, this letter may be submitted by parent or guardian.
6. Optional, but recommended: A link to a recording, video, or YouTube (4 min maximum) (can be recorded at home, or at a performance) indicating your performance skills should be sent to Shirley Johnson at ShirleyJ@Vjeverica.com or accsaj@gmail.com If a recording is not available, a photo showing the accordionist with their instrument is recommended.
7. Provide two letters of recommendation from someone familiar with your level of expertise on the accordion.
8. Only one scholarship will be awarded.
9. Complete the following Scholarship Applicant Form.
10. **Submit all information by March 1, 2019** Mail or email this Application

Note: **Submit all information by March 1, 2019.** Notification of Scholarship Award will occur by March 8, 2019 by Phone and/or email. Only ONE Scholarship Award will be made for this Workshop. All applicants will be notified of their status by March 10, 2019 so that they can make arrangements to attend either as a Scholarship Awardee or a *Paid Accordionist* who must be accompanied by a *Paid Non-Accordionist* (See fees on Information & Registration Form).

Applicants who do not receive the award are welcomed to attend by paying Registration Fee *and* accompanied by an adult (*paying as a non-accordionist*), completing the **Registration and Payment Information Form**, attaching payment for fees, and submitting it to Shirley Johnson by March 15, 2019.

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Scholarship Applicant Information.

First Name	Last Name
Address	City, State, Zip Code
Phone Number	Cell Phone
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Email address (below)	Level of Expertise (circle level below)
	Beginner – Intermediate – Advanced
Age of Applicant	Number of Years Playing Accordion
Type of Accordion you Play? (Circle all that apply) 1. Diatonic Button Accordion 2. Chromatic Button Accordion 3. Piano Accordion	Your Favorite Style(s) of Music
Who is your accordion teacher?	How long have you been taking lessons on the accordion? Are you taking lessons now?
Your favorite accordion songs to play?	Why did you start taking accordion lessons?
Does anyone in your family play the accordion? Yes or NO	Why do you like the accordion?

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PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Parent First Name	Parent Last Name
Address	City, State, Zip Code
Phone Number	Cell Phone
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Email	

Emergency Information- In case of an emergency, please provide us with this contact information. Thank you.

*Emergency contact _____ Relationship _____

*Phone Number with Area Code: _____

Notification will occur by March 8, 2019

Application is Due by March 1, 2019 and must include ALL information required in Scholarship Application Form (front and back).

Mail to: Shirley Johnson, P.O Box 203244, Austin, TX. 78720-3244

Or EMAIL to ShirleyJ@Vjeverica.com or accsaj@gmail.com

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