



## Contra Costa Performing Arts Society announces the 16th Annual High School Vocal Competition

***OVER \$1900 IN PRIZES AND AWARDS FOR  
HIGH SCHOOL CLASSICAL VOICE STUDENTS***

### **WHERE AND WHEN**

AUDITIONS: April 22, 2017, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Grace Presbyterian Church, Walnut Creek  
WINNERS CONCERT: April 22, 2017, 7:30 p.m. at Grace Presbyterian Church, Walnut Creek

### **WHO IS ELIGIBLE**

Any high school student (grades 9-12) residing in Contra Costa or Alameda County, or whose vocal teacher or family is a member of Contra Costa Performing Arts Society.

### **CATEGORIES & AWARDS**

ADVANCED COMPETITION: Open to high school students of all ages. \$500 First Prize, \$300 Second Prize, \$200 Third Prize, \$100 Fourth Prize, \$50 Honorable Mention.

JUNIOR COMPETITION: Open to freshmen and sophomores only. \$150 First Prize, \$100 Second Prize, \$75 Third Prize, \$50 Honorable Mention.

IN ADDITION, a \$50 award will be given to the high school choir or other choral group in which each of the winners participates.

### **REQUIREMENTS**

Song selections for the competition must be from the art song, opera or oratorio repertoire. One musical theater piece may be chosen as the English selection. The completed application with \$20 entrance fee must be postmarked by March 31, 2017. The application, application instructions and competition rules are available at the Contra Costa Performing Arts Society website, [www.ccpas.org](http://www.ccpas.org). If the website does not answer all of your questions, please contact [president@ccpas.org](mailto:president@ccpas.org) or call Arlene Lee at (510) 635-6086.

***THIS IS AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO ENHANCE YOUR  
COLLEGE APPLICATIONS***