

International Accordion Competition Ostrava 2013 2nd Year

April 18-20, 2013

Basic provisions:

The competition is proclaimed by **Music School, Ostrava - Moravská Ostrava, Sokolská třída 15**, with the main aim to support interest in accordion music. The competition is determined to pupils of music schools, students of conservatories, private art schools and secondary schools with music education.

International Accordion Competition Ostrava 2013 is determined to contestants up to the age of 22 and younger in solo accordion playing. The one-round competition is held in April 18-20, 2013 at Music School, Ostrava-Moravská Ostrava, Sokolská třída 15, p. o., contestants are divided into individual categories according to their ages.

Competition conditions:

One-round competition will be held in following categories:

Category I – IV for music school and private school pupils.

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| Category I: | pupils born till 2004
repertoire 2-4 minutes |
| Category II: | pupils born in 2003, 2002, 2001
repertoire 4-6 minutes |
| Category III: | pupils born in 2000, 1999, 1998
repertoire 6-8 minutes |
| Category IV: | pupils born in 1997, 1996, 1995, 1994, 1993, 1992, 1991
repertoire 8-10 minutes |

Category V-VI for conservatory and secondary school students.

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| Category V: | students of 1 st and 2 nd grade
repertoire 10-12 minutes |
| Category VI: | students of 3 rd and 4 th grade
repertoire 11-13 minutes |
| Category VII: | students of 5 th and 6 th grade
Repertoire 12-15 minutes |

Repertoire:

- Condition for all categories is one piece of music originally composed for accordion. Further repertoire filling running time has no restrictions.

Chairman of jury:

- prof. zw. Joachim Pichura (*Akademia Muzyczna im. Karola Szymanowskiego w Katowicach*)

Jury:

- All five members of the jury are outstanding accordion interprets and pedagogues. Scoring is public to make the whole competition well-arranged and objective. Decision jury makes is final with no possibility to appeal.

Awards:

- 1st-3rd awards in all categories can be divided or not awarded at all.
- Jury decides on special awards and honorable prizes.

Preliminary schedule:

- Competition will be held in **April 18-20, 2013** at Music School, Ostrava-Moravská Ostrava, Sokolská třída 15.

18 th April, 2013	9.00-10.00	Registration of contestants in categories I - II
	10.00-18.00	Competition of categories I-II
19 th April, 2013	9.00-10.00	Registration of contestants in categories III-IV
	10.00-18.00	Competition of categories III-IV
	19.00	Concert of winners of categories I-IV
20 th April, 2013	9.00-10.00	Registration of contestants in categories V, VI, VII
	10.00-18.00	Competition of categories V, VI, VII
	19.00	Concert of winners of categories V, VI, VII

Starting order of contestants will be formed according to their alphabetical order. Schedule of competition will be specified according to the accepted applications and published since 1st February, 2013 at www.zus-sokolska.cz.

Applications:

Applications, can be downloaded at www.zus-sokolska.cz, shall be sent by e-mail till 31st January, 2013 together with proof of registration fee payment (copy of charge or account statement). Registration fee **500 Czech crowns** is paid to current account in Komerční banka number: **37830-761/0100**. For finding the payer identity please use **date of birth of contestant as variable symbol and 2013 as specific symbol**. Registration fee cannot be refund. Foreign contestants can pay registration fee after the arrival at Ostrava before competition begins. **Board and accommodation are ensured by contestants themselves!**

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