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COMPETITION & EVALUATION INFORMATION

School-aged singers *may* be eligible for some or all of these programs. Some are much more competitive than others. Talk to me before applying to any of these programs. **Important:** Application deadlines may be up to three or four months prior to the actual competition date. **Don't wait to prepare! (Practice DAILY!)**

September/October

SCVA High School Honor Choir (Intensive program. Online registration opens 8/30/10.)

November

NATS Student Evaluation Program (September/October Registration)

December

January

POSA Classical Vocal Competition (Video entry procedure. Entry deadline to follow.)

SCVA Solo Vocal Competition (Entry/application deadline to follow.)

Los Angeles Music Center Spotlight Awards (Deadline 10/1/10. Full details online. www.musiccenter.org)

February

South Coast Singers Stars of Tomorrow Competition (Application deadline to follow.)

March

MTAC Certificate of Merit (**also available for piano students**) (November 15 application deadline.)

California Women's Chorus Competition (Deadline to follow.)

Rotary Club Singer of the Year Preliminary Competition (Deadline to follow.)

Exchange Club Search for Talent (Deadline to follow.)

April

Musical Arts Club of Orange County (Deadline to follow.)

If you plan to participate in competition programs, many of them will require you to work with an accompanist. You want to work with a good accompanist, because that person can help bring out the best in your performance. Do not count on your teacher to accompany you at ANY recital or competition.