## Huntsville Symphony Orchestra Guild Young Peoples' Concert Cover Art Contest

Fourth Grade Students

Dear Principals and Teachers,

The Huntsville Symphony Orchestra (HSO) and the Huntsville Symphony Orchestra Guild (HSOG) are very proud to present the 52<sup>nd</sup> annual Young People's Concert in the Mark C. Smith Concert Hall February 27 and 28, 2020. Joseph Lee, HSO Resident Conductor, will once again lead this interactive concert. This year's theme is *Peter and the Wolf*. To enhance their interactive concert experience, we invite your students to participate in the Young Peoples' Concert Cover Art Contest.

The students' artwork should have a *Peter and the Wolf* Theme. The award winning drawings in the past are most successful when this project is taught as a lesson in graphic design. Students can use words and images to convey the theme of Peter and The Wolf, as though designing a book cover. If you would like to receive a CD and/or digital access of the composition in February, please email Lara Isbell, Art Contest Chair, at <a href="mailto:laraisbell@aol.com">laraisbell@aol.com</a> or call at (256) 457-3819.

The first place entry will appear on the cover of the program/student activity booklet that fourth-grade students will receive prior to attending the concert. Second through fifth place entries, as well as four honorable mentions, will be featured inside the activity booklet. We ask that only schools who plan to attend one of the concerts submit entries in the Art Contest.

## Deadline for entries is November 22, 2019.

Very Important Contest rules:

- 1. Students should draw a design on 8" x 11" white paper in black only (may use ink, paint, or marker). NO pencil drawings. Sharpie pens seem to work best.
- 2. All artwork must be drawn vertically on the paper.
- 3. In **pencil** on the back of the drawing, **print** student's name, age, school and teacher's name. This is very important; if not legible, a potential winner may not be able to be contacted.
- 4. Students must draw their own entry with no outside help.
- 5. Failure to follow these rules will result in disqualification.
- 6. **Teachers:** Please return entries to Lara Isbell, (address below), or Lara will make arrangements to pick entries up at school. A stamped, self-address envelope will be furnished upon request.

Lara Isbell, Art Contest Chairman 1237 Deborah Drive Huntsville, AL 35801

## WE ARE SORRY BUT ENTRIES WILL NOT BE RETURNED.

Thank you and we look forward to your participation.