

Voice

Sunday 15th April 2012



	Category	Time limit	Fee
Class 57	Solo 12 yrs & under	2 mins	£4.75
Class 58	Solo 14 yrs & under	4 mins	£6.00
Class 59	Solo 17 yrs & under	5 mins	£6.50
Class 60	British 20th Century Song, Solo	6 mins	£7.00
Class 61	Light Operatic, Solo	5 mins	£6.50
Class 62	Stage Musical, Solo	5 mins	£6.50
Class 63	Duet, Trio or Quartet - any Idiom	5 mins	£4.00 each
Class 64	Operatic Aria, Solo	7 mins	£7.00
Class 65	Oratorio or Sacred Aria, Solo	7 mins	£7.00
Class 66	Art Song, Solo	7 mins	£7.00

Songs may be unaccompanied or accompanied on the piano.

Backing tracks are not permitted.

Credit will be given for singing from memory.

In all classes, entrants may give a brief introduction to each item.

Accompanist:

The official festival accompanist can be booked in advance.

Fees PER CLASS are as follows:

12 & under: £5.00, 14 & under £6.50, 17 & under and all other classes except for Classes 64, 65 and 66: £8.00, Classes 64, 65 and 66: £10.00

BLOCK FEE for 4 or more entries in the above classes is £20.00.

Voice Class Notes



Classes 57, 58 & 59	One piece or two contrasting songs in one or more idioms should be sung.
Class 60	Two contrasting songs should be sung.
Class 61	One or two items should be sung. Gilbert & Sullivan may be included.
Class 62	One item from any stage musical show.
Class 63	One or two contrasting pieces may be sung.
Class 64*	One aria, sung in the original language.
Class 65*	One or two contrasting pieces may be sung.
Class 66*	Up to three songs by different composers in French, German, Italian or Russian may be sung.

Special Prizes:

The Bel Canto Prize of £50 for the most promising singer aged 19 years & over.

The Paddy Dymoke Memorial Prize of £25 for the most promising singer aged 18 years & under.

The Graham Lawrence Prize of £25 for the most entertaining singer.

The DA Smith Memorial Rose Bowl for the overall winner of the Voice section.

* The winners of classes 64, 65 and 66 may compete for a place in a Finalists' competition on the recommendation of the Adjudicator.