

4th Sacred and Liturgical Music Choir Festival (2nd international edition) Andora (Italy) 3 - 4 October 2014

**The Jubilando Festival** is a Musical Event open to non professional Choirs of all nationalities. The aim of the event is to share the joy of singing and to exchange cultural experiences because Music has no boundaries.

The program of the Festival is structured in 2 days as follows: 3rd October the Competition (sacred and liturgical pieces) - OPTIONAL

4<sup>th</sup> October the Concert (free repertoire) and prize-giving Ceremony

OPTIONAL after the Festival, on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October, Holy Mass in one of the beautiful Churches of the area

Here follow the rules for all the Choirs who wish to attend the Competition.

# **COMPETITION RULES**

## 1) Application form

Choirs must send their application form, duly filled in, by letter and, if possible in advance via email, within July the 31<sup>th</sup>, with possibility of extension (check on the web site). The application form must be joined by copy of the music sheets (numbered and signed by the Conductor) and, if available, by a recent CD or DVD of the Choir performances, that will not be returned.

## 2) Repertoire

During the Competition the Choir will be asked to perform one or more pieces among INTROITO, KYRIE, GLORIA, ALLELUJA, SANCTUS BENEDICTUS, AGNUS DEI, OFFERTORY, HOLY COMMUNION, ITE either in Italian or Latin, lasting no more then 25 min in total over an easy piece selected by the Organization that will be communicated at a later time. During the Concert the Choirs will perform from 3 to 5 pieces, chosen by the Jury among the various ones proposed by the Choir, without recorded background music.

The accepted program cannot be changed without the authorization of the Organization.

## 3) Program

1° day (Friday or Saturday):

- 15.00 Convocation of the Choirs on Friday or 9.30 a.m. on Saturday and assignment of the pieces to be performed, chosen among the ones proposed by the Choirs at the time of the application form; the performance will be open to the public, after which will follow the decisions of the jury behind closed doors.

2° day (Saturday):

- 20.15 Final Concert with the participation of all Choirs and prize-giving Ceremony

## SUNDAY

10.00/11.30 possibility of singing during the Holy Solemn Mass in one of the beautiful Churches of the area.

Please note that the Music stand up will not be supplied by the organization.

### 4) Jury and marks

The jury is composed of n. 3 (three) members in addition to the Honorary President without voting right. All the members of the jury have been selected for their competence and experience in the field of Music and Choral singing. Their names will be published in the web site of the organization.

The decisions of the jury are final and not subject to review or appeal.

### 5) Prizes

1° prize\* Diploma and Award Plaque

2° prize Diploma and Award Plaque

3° prize Diploma and Award Plaque

\*The Jury has the faculty not to award the first prize.

A special prize will be given by the Honorary President either to a Choir participating to the Competition, or to one that performed just during the Final Concert.

Depending on the amounts received by Sponsors, the organization will refund part of the costs, duly documented, incurred by the winning Choirs (1°-2°-3° place) for the trip to and the stay in Andora, according to the ranking.

Every Choir will be given a souvenir of their participation in the Festival.

The winners will play free in the award-giving Concert. A refusal will involve the cancellation of the award.

#### 6) AUDIO and VIDEO RECORDINGS – PRIVACY

In the eventuality of radio or television productions or audio or video recording of the performances during the Final Concert, the participants have no right to advance claims or financial requests to the producers or transmitters and are not allowed to record the performances themselves. Participation implies the tacit consent of the above.

It will be possible to buy DVD at the price of Euro 15,00 each, plus freight costs.

#### ACCOMODATION

The organization has agreed favourable conditions with local Hotel/Restaurants, whose names will be communicated to the Choirs, after the confirmation of their participation to the Festival. The organization will also be at disposition for giving full information about excursions to historical, archaeological and tourist sites.



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