

# Houston Flute Club



Preliminary Round: Sunday, March 14, 2021  
Online Submission

Final Round: April 10, 2021  
Live Recording session at  
Prairie View A&M University

## Eligibility & Contest Rules

The competition is open to any member of the Houston Flute Club or students of a Houston Flute Club (HFC) member.

- A) Senior division contestants must be in grades **9-12** for the 2020-21 school year.
- B) Junior division contestants must be in grades **9 & under** for the 2020-21 school year.

\*Yes, 9th graders can participate in both!

## AWARDS

### Junior Division:

- 1st Prize - \$200
- 2nd Prize - \$150
- 3rd Prize - \$100

### Senior Division:

- 1st Prize - \$400
- 2nd Prize - \$250
- 3rd Prize - \$150

The preliminary round will be held by video submission and the deadline is **Sunday, March 14th, 2021 (11:59 PM)**. The judges will determine the number of contestants (*up to 5 per division*) to continue to the final round. Judges' decisions are final. **Junior and Senior finalists will be announced on Monday, March 29th** and subsequently contacted by the YAC Coordinator by email and/or phone. Names of finalists will be posted on the Houston Flute Club Facebook page after the preliminary round is complete.

The final round for the Junior and Senior Divisions will be a **professional video recording session at Prairie View A&M University** (at no-cost for participants) on **Saturday, April 21, 2021**. These recordings will be used to create a virtual recital to premier on day of the flute festival. Participants will be able to use these recordings for personal use after April 24, 2021. An accompanist will be available upon request. The accompanist fee is \$150, which includes one rehearsal and the recording session.

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## JUNIOR DIVISION REPERTOIRE REQUIREMENTS

### *Preliminary Round:*

1. Telemann - Fantasie #1 – A Major TWV 40:2 – Bärenreiter, ornamentation encouraged
2. Pardo - Whispering Tree (PDF Provided by the HFC)

### *Final Round:*

9-11 minute program comprised of a minimum of 2 pieces of contrasting styles chosen by each finalist. Repertoire from the preliminary round may not be repeated.

## SENIOR DIVISION REPERTOIRE REQUIREMENTS

### *Preliminary Round:*

1. Bach Partita (2&4) - Bärenreiter
2. Donjon - Elegie Etude - Found in the Flute Etudes Book by M.K. Clardy

### *Final Round:*

17-19 minute program comprised of the Bach Partita (1&3) AND 2 pieces of contrasting styles chosen by each finalist. Repertoire from the preliminary round may not be repeated.

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## Items of note:

- Apply online at: <http://www.houstonfluteclub.org/youngartist.html>
- Music editions listed are recommended editions but are not required.
- A time limit, as described below, will be strictly enforced for the final round.
- Judges' comments will be e-mailed following the competition.

**All applications and club memberships must be submitted online by Sunday, March 14, 2021 (11:59 PM).** To be eligible, contestants and/or teachers must be active members of HFC at the time of submission. The **application fee is \$40** per entrant. Membership dues and competition fees are non-refundable.