

2023 Glenn Miller Scholarship Competition
(June 7th and 8th, 2023 – winners to perform on June 9th, 2023)

CHECKLIST

The following items must be completed to be eligible for the competition. (**NEW THIS YEAR:** AUDITION TRACKS MUST BE UPLOADED TO YOUTUBE AND LINK EMAILED TO SHARI. IN SAME EMAIL, ATTACHED COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM AND STATEMENT OF INTENT)

- Complete Application form, Statement of Intent, and (2) audition tracks by March 8, 2023, 5:00 PM (Audition tracks must be uploaded to YouTube and link sent to Shari@glennmiller.org, along with application form and statement of intent PDF's and link sent to Shari with audio tracks)
- Mail original sheet music to accompanist by April 1 (contact information for accompanist will be provided)
- Advise Shari if you are traveling alone or with a parent.
- Make travel plans to arrive in Clarinda on Wednesday June 7th between 11:00 am and 1:00 PM (either drive to Clarinda or fly into Kansas City) and send copy of flight itinerary to Shari **OR** if driving, advise what time you will arrive in Clarinda). Return trip information should also be provided.
- If traveling (without a parent or family member, we will have a home-stay arrangement ready when you arrive) it is a very nice gesture if you bring a small gift, something from your hometown, to thank the family you will be staying with.
- On Wednesday June 7th you will meet with the accompanist who will be playing for your performance during the competition. You will need to bring \$75.00 for the accompanist for the practice session (either pay them when you practice or at the Wednesday evening meeting). You will also need to pay your accompanist an additional \$75.00 to play during your competition performance. (A thank you note with your payment is a very nice touch)
- Plan to attend the scholarship competition meeting at the Glenn Miller Museum on Wednesday June 7th at 7:30 PM. (This is the time we will provide tickets to the competition and awards ceremony for your parents and family. If there are other concerts you and your family would like to see during the weekend festival, let Shari know)
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners will need to provide a short paragraph about your experience in Clarinda, the competition, and any other stories or experiences you think our members would enjoy in the post-festival newsletter. This write-up should be sent to Shari at shari@glennmiller.org. The write-up is due to Shari by June 20, 2023.
- The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners should also send a thank you note to the donors of the scholarships; there are 3 vocal competition donors and 1 instrumental donor (contact information will be provided)