

# MUSIC FOUNDATION OF GREATER NAPLES HAEGG FAMILY AWARD



To nurture the talents of gifted and motivated students who do not have the financial means for private music lessons.

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## Rules and Regulations 2020

*The Haegg Family Award was established in memory of Margaret "Peg" Haegg (1915-2008) by her husband, Henry Haegg and her children Larry, David, and Jamey Halpin, Cathy Munsell and Molly Lovino.*

The Haegg Family Award is for Collier County, Bonita Springs and Estero students in grades 6-8 to study music for one year with a private teacher selected by the Music Foundation of Greater Naples. The award may be renewed one year at a time for up to two additional years based on the Haegg Committee's assessment of the student's progress and the recommendation of his or her private teacher.

Only students who have not had private music lessons on a regular basis should apply.

Students must complete an application, to be signed by a parent and one of the school's music teachers (or suitable substitute if the student is home schooled).

Students must submit a music teacher's letter of recommendation and a personal essay about what music means to them and how they expect the Haegg Family Award will benefit them.

The Haegg Family Award is a "needs based" award measured by participation in the school free or reduced lunch program or by submission of the parents' Federal income tax return (if home schooled). The teacher's letter of recommendation should confirm the student's participation in the school free or reduced lunch program.

The Haegg Committee will select applications to be interviewed and to be given the opportunity to display their musical talent. Our expectations are that up to five awards per year will be made. Selection of music teachers and scheduling of lessons will be determined by the Haegg Committee.

Winners of the Haegg Family Award will be notified by email no later than October 31, 2020.

Parents must insure that their children will be transported to lessons.



## THE 2020 HAEGG FAMILY AWARD APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS CHECK LIST

1. Completed Haegg Application \_\_\_\_\_
2. Music Teacher's Letter of Recommendation \_\_\_\_\_
3. Student Personal Essay \_\_\_\_\_
4. Be prepared to perform a short selection, no more than five minutes in length.
5. Applicants must provide one original score and two evaluation copies of their music for the judges on competition day. The evaluation copies will be destroyed by the Music Foundation. No copies will be made at the competition.
6. Applicants must be properly attired for the competition. Girls should wear knee length or longer dresses/skirts or dress pants. Boys should wear shirt, tie and dress pants and shoes. No jeans, athletic wear or sandals.
7. The completed application form, the music teacher's recommendation which also contains confirmation of participation in the school free or reduced lunch program, and the student's essay must be post-marked on or before **October 1, 2020**. Applicants will be disqualified if the application is incomplete or postmarked after the stated deadline.
8. There will be no registration fee for this award competition.
9. a. The Haegg Competition will be **held Saturday, October 24, 2020 at TBA. (May be virtual if necessary)**.  
b. All selected applicants will be notified by Email of their specific audition time, no later than Thursday, October 15, 2020. Please call 239-450-4035 if you do not receive the notification.  
c. The winners will be notified by Email no later than October 31, 2020. No phone calls will be made  
d. The decision of the judges is final.

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The announcement of the Haegg Family Award winners will be recognized at the Annual Scholarship Winners' recital. Due to the COVID Virus the Winner's recital date will also be announced at a later date. Winners should be present at this recital to receive their awards. Questions about the competition can be answered by calling Cathy Pflieger at 239-450-4035 or emailing her at [fleafam88@gmail.com](mailto:fleafam88@gmail.com).

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