

# APPLICATION

## Jenny Lind™ Competition for Sopranos

### OFFICIAL APPLICATION FORM AND COMPETITION AGREEMENT

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

VOICE CATEGORY \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ PLACE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

YOUR SELECTION OF THE ARIA OR ART SONG FROM YOUR REPERTOIRE LIST THAT YOU HAVE CHOSEN TO SING IF SELECTED FOR THE COMPETITION.

Please include title of aria or song, opera (if applicable), composer, language and key. The second piece will be chosen from your repertoire list by the Barnum Festival Jenny Lind™ Competition Selection Committee. The decision for your first selection may not be changed once you send in this application.

Selection: \_\_\_\_\_

#### AGREEMENT (questions in #5)

In signing this application, I confirm agreement with the following terms of the 2008 Barnum Festival Jenny Lind™ Competition to be conducted by the Barnum Festival, Inc., of Bridgeport, Connecticut.

1. I have read and understood the conditions of the 2008 Barnum Festival Jenny Lind™ Competition.
2. If selected to participate in the competition, I will be willing and able to compete in the preliminary round of competition.
3. If I am selected by the judges as a finalist, I am willing and able to compete in the final round.
4. I will be prepared to sing any aria or song contained in my repertoire list.
5. If selected as the 2008 Barnum Festival Jenny Lind™, I will be prepared to perform selections from opera, operetta, musical theater and art song for the Jenny Lind™ Musical Evening on Thursday, June 26, 2008 in Bridgeport, CT. I will also be prepared to participate in the Barnum Festival 's Fireworks Skyblast Party on Friday June 27, 2008, the Champions on Parade Senior Drum Corp Show on Saturday, June 28, 2008, and the Great Street Parade on Sunday, June 29, 2008 in Bridgeport, CT. I also will be available to be in Sweden for a concert tour from approximately July 14 to August 10, 2008.
6. Furthermore, if at any time I am unable to fulfill any of the requirements in paragraphs 1 through 5 above, I understand that I forfeit any and all of the Competition's attending titles and prizes, and the Barnum Festival, Inc. reserves the right to transfer such titles and other benefits of winning the competition to the runner-up in the 2008 Barnum Festival Jenny Lind™ Competition.
7. I further agree to release the Barnum Festival, Inc. and its members; the Jenny Lind™ Sponsors, the 2008 Barnum Festival Jenny Lind™ Committee and members of the judges panel; and any other organizations or individuals collaborating in the competition from any and all claims for damages, losses, and injuries sustained by me in connection with my appearances as the Barnum Festival Jenny Lind™.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE REMEMBER TO ENCLOSE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WITH THIS FORM:

- A. One (1) copy of a head-and-shoulder black and white photograph
- B. Documentation of date of birth
- C. A current résumé
- D. A repertoire list, including keys
- E. A CD or audio cassette tape
- F. A letter of recommendation
- G. A non-refundable application fee of \$35 (payable to the Barnum Festival, Inc.)

Mail application and enclosures postmarked no later than MARCH 24, 2008 to: Jenny Lind™ Competition c/o Robert S. Genualdi 180 Battery Park Drive Bridgeport, CT 06605 - 3632

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