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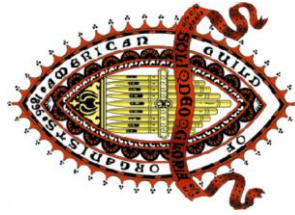
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The Queen City
Charlotte, North Carolina
Chapter of the
American Guild of Organists



A Summer Event for
Teens to Discover

The King of Instruments

Belmont Abbey College
Belmont, North Carolina

July 13 - 18, 2008

A POE (Pipe Organ Encounter)
is a summer program for teens
who want to learn more about
the pipe organ, organ music,
and careers as musicians.

Visit our web site at

www.charlotteago.org

Pipe Organ Encounters is an educational outreach program of the American Guild of Organists. Major funding for Pipe Organ Encounters is provided by the Associated Pipe Organ Builders of America. Additional support is provided by the American Institute of Organ-builders and Margaret R. Evans. Permanently endowed AGO scholarships are provided in memory of Charlene Brice Alexander, Robert S. Baker, Seth Bingham, Clarence Dickinson, Philip Hahn, Charles N. Henderson, Alfred E. Lunsford, Ned Siebert, and Martin M. Wick; and in honor of Philip E. Baker, Ruth Milliken, and Morgan and Mary Simmons.

Who can participate?

A maximum of 30 young people, ages 13-19, who have piano proficiency at the level of a Bach 2-part Invention or other music of similar difficulty, may apply. Previous organ study is not required.

How much will it cost?

Tuition is \$350.00 for those registering by January 31. After that, tuition is \$400.00 for those registering by the March 31 deadline. The fee includes housing for 5 nights, all meals between Sunday dinner and Friday lunch, some materials, transportation to all events, and a one-year student membership in the AGO.

What is a typical day at the POE like?

Daily activities include, but are not limited to:

- Daily lessons with faculty
- Demonstrations and presentations by faculty and guest artists
- Social and recreational time
- Attending an organ concert or other event
- Visiting an organ builder's shop

Where do I sign up?

After January 1, 2008, registration forms can be downloaded from the Charlotte Chapter Web site at www.charlotteago.org (click on "POE 2008") and mailed along with tuition to Charles Austin, POE Registrar, 38 W. Pecan St., Belmont, NC 28012.

Is there scholarship assistance?

Yes! The National AGO provides some scholarship assistance to qualified students. Visit the AGO Web site at www.agohq.org and download the application, which must be submitted by May 15. In addition, visit the Charlotte Chapter Web site at www.charlotteago.org for information on the Warren Hutton POE scholarship. You may also seek funding from your local house of worship or local music organizations.

Churches

Cathedral of St. Patrick
Covenant Presbyterian
Dilworth United Methodist
First Baptist
First Presbyterian, Belmont
First Presbyterian, Gastonia
Holy Comforter Lutheran, Belmont
Holy Trinity Lutheran, Gastonia
Myers Park United Methodist
St. John's Baptist
St. John's Episcopal
Sardis Presbyterian



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Charlotte Chapter, AGO PIPE ORGAN ENCOUNTER Application

Please attach an additional sheet if necessary.

Student Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Date of Birth _____ Gender _____

T-shirt size _____ Grade, Fall 2008 _____

Roommate Request _____

Parent/Guardian Name & Address

Parent Signature _____

Number of POEs previously Attended _____

Circle One: Beginner Intermediate

Number of years you have studied:

Piano Organ Other (list)

Piano repertoire currently studying:

Organ repertoire currently studying:

Teacher Name, Email, & Phone _____

Special needs/accommodations _____

Please enclose a check or money order made payable to **Charlotte Chapter AGO** for \$350.00 if postmarked by Jan. 31 or for \$400.00 between Feb. 1 and Mar. 31. Mail your check to **Charles Austin, POE Registrar, 38 W. Pecan St., Belmont, NC 28012.**