



Accordion



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Open Solo & Duet Categories - A clean sheet of published or manuscript music must be presented at the time of performance. Photo copies are permitted. All solos except prep & adult must be performed by memory. Duets may use music & must supply their own music stand. Selection of music is at the discretion of the student & teacher.

Maddalena Belfiore Solo - Music performed may be any selection that was written by Maddalena Belfiore.

Virtuoso Solo - Contestants may perform any selection of choice within the time limit.

Original Solo - Music performed must be originally written for the Accordion. No transcriptions.

Polka Solo - Music performed must be considered a polka.

Ethnic Solo - Music performed must be of the ethnic variety such as a mazurka, oberek, tarantella, etc.

Pop Solo - Music performed must be non classical such as Broadway, television, movies, etc.

Jazz Solo - Music performed must be of the jazz variety.

Free Bass Solo - *Must be performed on a free bass accordion.*

Accordion Students may enter the following:

Time Limits

<u>Open Solo</u>	<u>Open 7, 8, 9</u> - 3 minutes
<u>Original Solo</u>	<u>Open 10, 11, 12</u> - 4 minutes
<u>Polka Solo</u>	<u>Open 13, 14, 15, 16</u> - 5 minutes
<u>Ethnic Solo</u>	<u>Virtuoso Solo</u> - 10 minutes
<u>Pop Solo</u>	<u>Prep</u> - 3 minutes
<u>Jazz Solo</u>	<u>Elementary</u> - 3 minutes
<u>Free Bass Solo</u>	<u>Junior</u> - 4 minutes
<u>Belfiore Solo</u>	<u>Intermediate</u> - 4 minutes
<u>Virtuoso Solo</u>	<u>Senior</u> - 5 minutes
<u>Open Duet</u>	<u>All Adult</u> - 5 minutes
<u>Evaluation Solo</u>	<u>Evaluation</u> - 5 minutes
<u>Evaluation Duet</u>	

All Contestants are allowed a 10 second warm up.