

REPORT TO THE FSMTA EXECUTIVE BOARD  
Vice-President of Competitive Events-Joanne Smith

The 2008 MTNA Competitions will take place at Hillsborough Community College-Ybor City on Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 AM- 7:30 PM in three performance venues: the Main Stage Theater, the Black Box Theater and the Rehearsal Hall.

Fifty-one solo performers (piano, strings, woodwinds and brass), one Young Artist Chamber group and fourteen Composition entrants from the State of Florida registered for the 2008 MTNA Competitions. Contestants will be performing (and competing) in the beautiful new Performing Arts Building on the HCC campus.

Three competitors will go directly on to the Division competitions in Virginia as they were the only contestants in their division. They will represent Florida in: JR String, SR Brass, YA Chamber Music.

Competition Coordinators Martha Stubbs(Junior Division), Michael Baron (Senior Division), Leonard Mastrogiacomo (Young Artist Division), Jeannie Darnell (Chamber Music) and Carol Payne (Composition) and host Kenneth Hanks have done a superb job in preparing for this very special event!

Below are the number of entries in each division and category:

Young Artist: Piano-10	String-4	Woodwind-4	Brass-4	Young Artist total	22
Senior Piano-12	String-4	Brass-1		Senior total	17
Junior Piano-11	String-1			Junior total	12
Chamber Music-1				Chamber total	1
Composition: Elementary-1	Junior-2	Senior-4	Young Artist-7	Composition total	14

**2008 MTNA Contestants TOTAL 66**

The schedule of performances is as follows:

**Main Stage Theater-Room 203**

8:00-12:45, 1:45-4:45 Young Artist Piano

**Black Box Theater-Room 111**

8:00-9:55 AM Senior String  
10:45 AM-1:30 PM Young Artist String  
2:15-5:15 PM Young Artist Brass  
5:15-8:15 PM Young Artist Woodwind

**Rehearsal Hall-Room 132**

8:00 AM-12:10 PM Junior Piano  
1:00-7:30 PM Senior Piano

**2008 Florida MTNA Competition Personnel/Judges**

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