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Dear Music Director,

The process for selecting recipients of the *Vocal Music Awards presented by Orange County Friends of Music and the Orange Community Master Chorale* is beginning for the graduating seniors.

Vocal Music Award Criteria

The awards are for the purpose of promoting the continuation of studies in vocal or choral music. The awards are presented to graduating high school seniors and will be publicized in July of this year. All applications shall be submitted through the student's music teacher and/or counselor. Application must be accompanied by recommendations from both those faculty members. The application(s) must be received by the OC Friends of Music Selection Committee no later than **April 22, 2022** (unless otherwise advised). Students' applications shall include their musical experience to date, their musical aspirations for the future, as well as their reasons why they believe that they should receive the award.

There will be no limitations nor restrictions on the class of individuals who are eligible recipients based on race or employment status of the applicant or a relative of the applicant. Applicants will be limited to those students who have already shown, by their interest and involvement in the musical program(s) of their respective high school, as well as by their expressed commitment to enroll in a college course in the pursuit of a musical career, that they fulfill the purpose of the awards.

As these awards are one-time gifts to each recipient, proof of enrollment in a college or university is required from each applicant at the time of a scheduled personal interview with the selection committee. The in-person interview constitutes our only activity in supervising the gifts to assure that the award is used for the purpose intended.

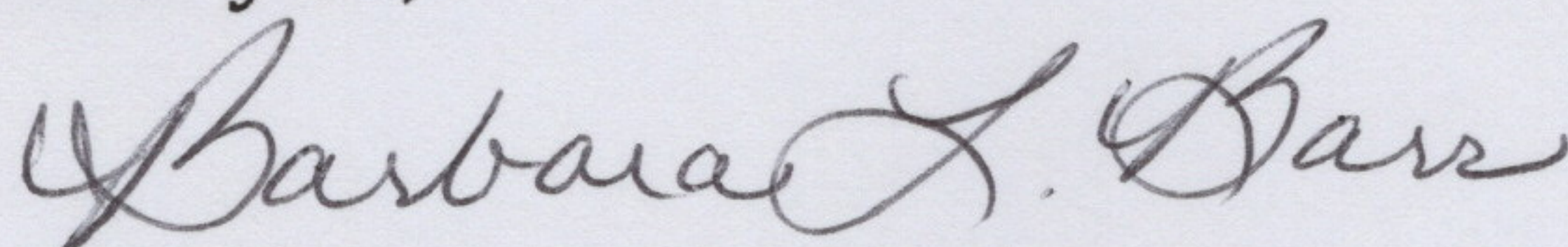
The award amount is **\$500.00**.

Applications are to be submitted on-line by you, for your student(s). Application submittals are due by **April 22, 2022**. The web address for submitting is: ocmchorale.org

If more time is needed for submittals do not hesitate to contact the Awards Chairperson, via E-mail (barbarabarr@sbcglobal.net) or cell phone 714-803-4733.

In-person interviews with the candidates will be scheduled in May 2022.

Thank you,



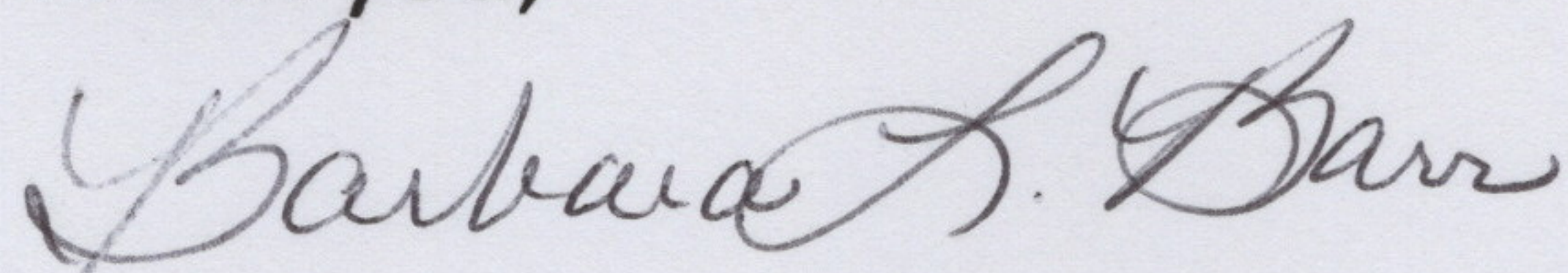
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Application form can be located in the ocmchorale.org website. In the upper right hand corner there is a 3 line figure (hamburger). Click on that and go to the Application for the MUSICAL GRANT.

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APPLICANTS RETAIN THIS PAGE FOR REFERENCE
REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION

1. Applicant must have participated in vocal and choral music in a significant way.
2. Applicant must be a graduating senior from one of the five High Schools in the City of Orange or Orange Unified School District.
3. Application will be completed on-line and signed by applicant.
4. Grade point average section on the application must be completed.
5. If you have received notification of acceptance from your respective College or University please bring that documentation with you at the time of your oral interview. That interview will be scheduled in Orange in May 2022.
6. Your application shall include a letter of recommendation from both your Music Director, and your school counselor.
7. Submit the completed application to your music teacher.
8. **DEADLINE IS FRIDAY APRIL 22,2022** (unless otherwise specified).

Thank you,



Barbara L Barr
Awards Chairman
Orange County Friends of Music
Orange Community Master Chorale