



**VII INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF YOUNG PIANISTS  
"BALTIJOS GINTARELIAI" ("Baltic Ambers") 2022**

**REGULATIONS**

1. The competition is organized by Klaipėda Jeronimas Kačinskas and Juozas Karosas music schools.
2. Competition is open for young solo piano students from Lithuania and abroad.

**PURPOSE OF THE COMPETITION**

3. The purpose is to promote the artistic musical expression in young musicians, music skills and creative skills as performers.
4. To develop cooperation between teachers of musical institutions and share the good methodological experience.

**PARTICIPANTS AND PROGRAM**

5. The participants of the competition are divided into three categories:

<b>A</b>		<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
A1	A2		
The participants born in 2013 and younger	The participants born in 2011 and 2012	The participants born in 2008, 2009 and 2010	The participants born in 2005, 2006 and 2007

6. The participants must perform three music pieces of their choice:
  - Baroque or Classicist piece;
  - Two pieces of different styles (it is desirable that one of them be created by the composer in the country of the participant).
7. All pieces must be performed by heart.

8. Duration of performance:

<b>A</b>		<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
A1	A2		
not exceed 5 min.	not exceed 8 min.	not exceed 12 min	not exceed 15 min.

**COMPETITION ARRANGEMENTS**

9. The competition will take place online, presenting the videos of the competitors.
10. The review and evaluation of the participant's performances will take place in **2022. May 30-June 5.**

11. The performances of the participants must be filmed using a stable horizontal camera which does not move (a mobile phone can be used as well).
12. The video must feature the performer and instrument in full height.
13. Videos can be taken anywhere, not earlier than 1 September 2021.
14. Participants can record all music pieces separately, but then have to upload their performance to *YouTube* as a single file.
15. The video must be uploaded to the participant's (or parent's / teacher's) personal account on *YouTube*.
16. The video should be posted on the *YouTube* platform, to indicate that the video is intended for children ("Yes, it's made for kids").
17. The link does not have to be „Public“, the link must be set to „Unlisted“.
18. The performer's name should be placed in the Title field.
19. In the field „Description“ in the program order should be put the name of the composer and name of the composition.
20. The list of the winners and the *YouTube* link of the winners of the concert will be published in **2022 June 10** on the websites [www.jkaroso.lt](http://www.jkaroso.lt), [www.jkacinsko.lt](http://www.jkacinsko.lt)

### APPLICATION OF PARTICIPANTS

21. Along with the completed application form in English, please send *YouTube* a link, a photo and a copy of the application fee paid by May 15, 2022 by e-mail [konkursas.baltijosgintareliai@gmail.com](mailto:konkursas.baltijosgintareliai@gmail.com)
22. The participants fee (15 €) is transferred to the recipient:  
**Name and Adress of the Account Holder:** Juozas Karosas music school, code 190453485  
**Name of Bank:** Sauliu bank, Klaipeda's branch 71805  
**SWIFT Code / CBSBLT26**  
**Account number (IBAN code):** LT927180500001142137  
**Purpose of payment:** „Baltijos gintarėliai“, participants name and surname.
23. Upon submitting the application you agree for the participant's personal details and pictures to be used and published on the our school's websites and media soueces free of charge.

### AWARDING THE PARTICIPANTS

24. The performances of the participants will be adjudicated by a competent international jury.
25. The decision of the jury will be final.
26. The participants of the competition will be presented with letters of gratitude.
27. The winners of the competition will be awarded by names of Laureates or Diplomants of the competition. The best performer will be awarded the GRAN PRIX.
28. All gratitudes and diplomas will be sent to the e-mail addresses indicated in the participant's applications.

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29. Information about the VII International Competition „BALTIJOS GINTARELIAI“ ("Baltic Ambers") 2022 can be found on the websites [www.jkaroso.lt](http://www.jkaroso.lt) and [www.jkacinsko.lt](http://www.jkacinsko.lt)