



## The 3MBS Composition Awards

The Australasian Piano Pedagogy Conference 2015 invites secondary and tertiary students to submit a composition for piano solo to be considered for the following awards.

Ten compositions will be chosen to be performed at the Finale Concert on Friday 10 July 2015. The concert will be recorded and performances will be broadcast on 3MBS at a later date.

### The Hal Leonard Composition Award

Prize: work to be published in *The Piano Teacher* magazine May 2016 to be promoted for Celebrate Piano Week September 2016.

### The Kawai Composition Award

Prize: Kawai ES100 Portable Piano

- Young composers may elect to enter one or both categories
- Entry fee is \$15 per composition
- Finalists may choose to perform their own composition or may nominate a pianist to perform for them
- Entry is open to full-time secondary or tertiary students.

**3MBS** | ONLINE  
DIGITAL  
103.5FM  
Fine Music – Melbourne

### Category 1 - Hal Leonard Composition Award

Composition for solo piano should be:

- suitable for young pianists
- no more than 2 pages in length
- accessible to beginner students but should also capture the imagination of more advanced students or make good sight reading material.
- The piece can be modal, unusual, rhythmic, fun, lyrical or whatever best represents the essence of the composer.

Note: Hal Leonard will grant readers of *The Piano Teacher* magazine and website, permission to reproduce, arrange or transcribe the winning piece only for the period between publishing and the end of the **Celebrate Piano Week** (about a 4 month period). After that time copyright reverts to the winner. It is anticipated that there may be many performances of the piece uploaded to YouTube during International Piano Week.

[40piecechallenge.com.au](http://40piecechallenge.com.au)  
<http://thepianoteacher.com.au/ipw.html>



### Category 2 – Kawai Composition Award

Composition for solo piano should be:

- approximate level grade 5-6
- maximum 5 minutes duration



## Entry Form

Name:

Email address:

Phone:

Title of Composition:

Additional compositions may be submitted on another sheet or by email. The entry fee is \$15 per composition.

### Entry fee payment

**TryBooking:** <http://www.trybooking.com/HIGT>

### OR Credit Card

Please charge my ..... Visa or ..... Mastercard

Card Number:

For the sum of \$

Expiry Date: /

Signature:

CSV:

### Or Post a cheque or money order to:

APPC2015, PO Box 8492  
CARRUM DOWNS VIC 3201, AUSTRALIA

Compositions may be posted or emailed to:  
[info@appca.com.au](mailto:info@appca.com.au)

Each composition submitted must be accompanied by a completed entry form and a \$15 entrance fee.

A hardcopy or pdf of the score AND a mp3 recording must be supplied.

**Closing Date: May 31, 2015**

Entry forms may be downloaded from [www.appca.com.au](http://www.appca.com.au)