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By the Director of Šiauliai Sauliaus Sondeckis Art Gymnasium, order No. of _____ December 2024

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION FOR YOUNG PERFORMERS OF BRASS WIND INSTRUMENTS BY STASYS JAUTAKAS

REGULATIONS

SECTION I GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 1. The Regulations of the International Stasys Jautakas Competition for Young Performers of Brass Wind Instruments (hereinafter referred to as the Competition) regulate the aims and objectives of the Competition, the organisation, participation, evaluation and awarding procedures.
- 2. The Competition is initiated and organised by the Šiauliai Sauliaus Sondeckis Gymnasium of Arts (hereinafter referred to as the organiser).

SECTION II AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- 1. The competition aims to:
- 3.1. to promote the traditions of playing brass wind instruments by developing the creativity and artistic initiative of pupils;
 - 3.2. to develop the musical abilities, stage experience and mastery of young performers;
- 3.3. to improve the subject competences of teachers, to promote cooperation and sharing of professional experience;
 - 3.4. to honour the memory of Stasys Jautakas (1906-1975), a pedagogue and wind orchestra leader.

SECTION III

ORGANISATION OF THE COMPETITION AND CONDITIONS FOR PARTICIPATION

- 4. The competition will take place on 24 May 2025 at the Šiauliai Sauliaus Sondeckis Arts Gymnasium (address: P. Višinskio str. 19, Šiauliai).
- 5. The Competition is open to young Lithuanian and foreign performers playing brass wind instruments (hereinafter referred to as the Participants).
 - 6. Participants are divided into four age groups:
 - 6.1. group A born in 2015 and younger
 - 6.2. Group B born in 2012 and younger
 - 6.3. Group C born in 2009 and younger
 - 6.4. Group D born in 2006 and younger
- 7. Participants perform two freely chosen pieces from different musical periods. The duration of the programme is unlimited.
 - 8. There is no requirement to perform the programme by heart.

- 9. Entries must be submitted on the submitted form (Annex) by email: <u>zigmas.draksas@sondeckis.lt</u> by 4 May 2025, together with proof of payment of the entry fee.
 - 10. The entry fee is EUR 30.

To transfer the fee:

Account holder: ŠIAULIŲ SAULIAUS SONDECKIO MENŲ GIMNAZIJA

Bank name: Lietuvos Respublikos finansų ministerija

IBAN: LT044040063610001637 SWIFT (BIC): MFRLLT22XXX

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11. In case of absence, the fee is not refunded.

12. By submitting an application, participants give their consent to the publication of lists containing the entrant's name, year of birth, group on the website www.sondeckis.lt

SECTION IV JUDGING AND AWARDS

- 13. The participants will be judged by a jury appointed by the competition organiser.
- 14. The winners of the competition will be awarded the Grand Prix, diplomas, certificates and special prizes may be granted.

SECTION V FINAL PROVISIONS

- 15. These Regulations and information about the competition, after receiving applications (competition timetable, rehearsal times), are published on the website of Šiauliai Sauliaus Sondeckis Arts Gymnasium www.sondeckis.lt
- 16. The competition is coordinated by Zigmas Drakšas, chairman of the methodological group of wind and percussion instruments of the Šiauliai Saulius Sondeckis Gymnasium of Arts, tel.: +370 618 20502, e-mail: zigmas.draksas@sondeckis.lt