

Winter Harp 30th Anniversary Harp Competition 2023 Information for Participants

Winter Harp is hosting a harp competition this year in recognition of our 30th anniversary. And we want you to enter! First prize is getting to play a carol with Winter Harp on stage!

The competition piece, *On Gossamer Wings*, was composed by Winter Harp Artistic Director Lori Pappajohn in honour of the 30th anniversary. This modern romantic piece is for lever or pedal harp.

Open to BC residents.

Participants will receive adjudication comments from the judges.

There will be 2 winners for best overall performance: one from Vancouver Island, another from the BC mainland. The winners will each get to play a carol on stage with Winter Harp in their respective communities. In the event that one of the winners is unable to perform with Winter Harp, a runner up may have the opportunity.

***On Gossamer Wings* sheet music is \$12.**

Registration fee is \$30.

For the sheet music and to register, as well as hear a performance of the piece, go to www.westcoastharpsociety.org

Registration deadline is October 15, 11:59 pm.

Video deadline is November 6, 11:59 pm.

Participants must video themselves performing the piece in one take. Videos must not be edited.

Please upload your video to your YouTube channel (or a friend's). Upload it as '*unlisted*' and email the link to Lori Pappajohn at winterharp@telus.net.

The winners will be announced the third or fourth week in November.

Harp players of all ages and levels are encouraged to compete!

Good luck to all!