



PROGRAM COVER DRAWING CONTEST

We are excited to announce our 25th Anniversary Gala Program Cover Drawing Contest! The theme is, *“Unity Gala, Celebrating 25 Years of Connecting People Through Music and Dance”*. This special celebration will take audience members around the globe through music and dance performances featuring Academy students, faculty, and some very special guest artists! Use your creativity to draw an original, inspiring cover for our program that represents our theme!

Rules & Guidelines

- Contest is open to ages 5-18 yrs
- Submissions must be original designs and should not include elements from third parties.
- Both color and black and white drawings are acceptable
- Suggested mediums are as follows: black ink, #2 pencil, colored pencils, crayons, markers
- Minimal text if any
- Your drawing should fit a 5.5” x 8.5” page
- Please enter via email to info@maoft.com and include the following as attachments:
 - A high-resolution digital file (.gif, .jpeg, or .png) of your drawing (scan or photograph)
 - Completed Entry Form
 - Less than 25 word description of the artwork

Criteria for Judging

- Adherence to theme and contest rules & guidelines
- Originality and creativity
- Aesthetic quality

Awards

- 1st Place
Artwork will be featured on Gala Program Cover, 2 tickets, Music & Dance Academy t-shirt
- 2nd Place
Artwork will appear in Gala Concert slide show, 2 tickets, Music & Dance Academy t-shirt
- 3rd Place
Artwork will appear in Gala Concert slide show, Music & Dance Academy t-shirt

SUBMISSIONS ARE DUE BY FEBRUARY 11, 2020