

EL BAILE DE LOS NIÑOS, INC., a non-profit subsidiary of ALBERT TORRES PRODUCTIONS, INC.

FINANCIAL AID GUIDELINES

EL BAILE DE LOS NIÑOS, INC is proud to present our financial aid program 2005-2006. This program is open to musicians who have a desire to study Latin music. Selection is on the basis of demonstrated (financial) need and ability.

The following are the guidelines to apply:

- I. **Musicians: ages 18 – 22** (must provide proof of age before May 22nd 2006)
Musicians: younger than 18 (must also submit CD demonstrating exceptional talent and ability)

The financial aid program is for individuals who are currently studying music.

Aid will be given to individuals who best meet the selection criteria as determined by EL BAILE DE LOS NIÑOS, INC.

The endowment is for participation in the L.A. Latin Music Seminar during the current year. The number/amount of aid to be made available in any year is determined by EL BAILE DE LOS NIÑOS, INC, Financial Aid Committee. The Committee determines the annual value of endowments. Full and partial aid awarded will be paid directly to the L.A. Latin Music Seminar under the recipient's name.

The selection criteria will include the following:

- i. Applicants must have proof of high school diploma or current enrollment unless exempt with submission of audio recording (under 18 only).
- ii. Demonstrated worthiness as an award recipient.
- iii. Demonstrated need of financial assistance.

Anyone who meets the above requirements may apply for assistance by writing an essay of up to 450 words about why he/she would like to attend the musician's seminar and why we should consider his/her application. The deadline to apply is January 2, 2006.

- Applicants should show strength of character, enterprise, and personal initiative. Special consideration will be given to those applicants who are unique, with a strong interest in Latin music. Applicants should exhibit enthusiasm, ambition, all-around merit, career goals, and financial needs.
- Financial need is, of course, a main factor the organization (EL BAILE DE LOS NIÑOS, INC.) will consider in selecting an individual as a BAILE DE LOS NIÑOS financial aid recipient. The organization will award qualified applicants based on demonstrated need and desire. A major goal of the organization is to support gifted young people and to inspire them to further their education in music and dance.

- II. For complete information contact Lisa Pietruszka at ALBERT TORRES PRODUCTIONS, 2001 S. Barrington, Suite 118, Los Angeles, CA 90025. Email: Lisa@atpevents.com

Musician's Seminar Financial Aid
Application

BACKGROUND

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| Name | Instrument/Voice | Phone |
| Age | Date of Birth | Total Years of Study |
| Address | City/State/Zip | Email |
| Name of high school/College attended | | Graduation date |

TEACHERS Teacher's complete home address is required.

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| Private Teacher | Phone | Email |
| Address | City | Zip |
| Previous Teachers | | |

ACCOMPLISHMENTS Most significant performing groups; most outstanding awards.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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| Applicant's Signature | Date | The following materials must be received by January 2, 2006 (not a postmarked deadline): a. completed application and financial form b. pages 1-2 of 2004 federal tax return c. letter of recommendation from private teacher d. copy of driver's license or i.d. card e. \$15 non-refundable application fee payable to El Baile De Los Niños, Inc. Applications missing any of the required materials will not be considered. |
| Parent/Gaurdian's Signature (if under 18) | Date | |

