



Pennsylvania Federation of Music Clubs

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INTERNATIONAL MUSIC RELATIONS

America is known as a "melting pot" and boasts of the fact that we are made up of one people from many countries and cultures! We all know folks from other countries, especially musicians!! The International Music Relations committee of NFMC, as well as our own PFMC, encourages the development of "international understanding by listening and performing the music of other countries", "encourages the performance of American music in other countries" and works "to establish contacts in other countries for possible cultural exchanges."

If your senior club (or a junior club) has had a program of international music since March 2011, (and I know some of you have), was involved in helping a student study abroad or has encouraged worthwhile international music relations in any way, let's let the rest of the world know!!

Complete the newly revised, (and much more user-friendly), form AR 5-1 and send it to me at the address above, or by e-mail, by April 15, 2012 so I can submit your report, and you may be eligible to receive one of the cash awards (\$75, \$50, \$25). BE SURE to underline any mention of the National Federation of Music Clubs and/or Pennsylvania Federation of Music Clubs in your publicity or program and include the fact that it is in observance of International Music Relations.

Use your creativity as well as the resources in your club, community or local colleges!

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