

Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, 1989 RESULTS REPORT

New York Times: 13 preview articles, most full page or more

March 6, "Piano Competitions: New Path to Success"

March 27, "Van Cliburn: Man Behind the Contest"

April 17, "The Touring Pros of the Piano Who Ride the Contest Circuit"

May 11, "Skill vs. Comprehension in Piano Contests"

May 25, "Can One Sway a Piano Competition Jury?"

May 27, "Tensions Build on Eve of Cliburn Contest"

May 30, "Cliburn Pianists Are Heard, as is Much Chopin"

June 2, "Cliburn Judges Narrow the Field to 12"

June 7, "Feeling the Weight of Judgment"

June 8, "Cliburn Finalists: Virtuosos of Toughness"

June 12, "Soviet Pianist, Sultanov, 19, Wins Cliburn Prize"

June 13, "Cliburn Over, Career Just Begun"

June 28, "Where Connoisseurs and Cowboys Play"

June 28, "The Kinship of the Cliburn to the Cowboy Cantina"

Associated Press

USA Today (preview)

Christian Science Monitor

Washington Post

New York Daily News

Los Angeles Times

Los Angeles Times syndicate

United Press International

Reuters

International Herald Tribune, June 13 and on-going

TIME Magazine

Vogue Magazine

Travelhost, May, 1989, "We Will Have Music" - Carried by television network news in virtually every American city and town

NBC "The Today Show" (appearance by Gold Medalist Alexei Sultanov)

Tonight Show with Johnny Carson, two appearances by Alexei Sultanov, both of which were rerun.

ABC "Nightline" with Ted Koppel

ABC network news

David Letterman Show (Gold Medalist)

NBC "Sunday Today"

CBS-TV "Nightwatch" (network; June 14, Gold Medalist)

CNBC Cable TV Network

Cable News Network, news reportage

National Public Radio (extensive coverage as a series; supplied daily feeds of information from Fort Worth and tapes of musical performances via the local radio station; several broadcasts as news updates of Competition in progress; All Things Considered; Weekend Edition; Morning Edition; Performance Today.

WNCN (NYC; provided constant flow of developments; covered as news)

KFAC Radio (Los Angeles)

Voice of America (English speaking broadcast division, several 45-minute programs from Fort Worth; sent correspondents to cover competition)

KERA Radio (Dallas) entire series

WRR Radio (Dallas) series

WBAI (sent correspondents to cover competition)

German Press, London Times (coming from abroad)

TASS News Agency (USSR)

Novosti Press

8 Japanese magazines via Ongaku No Tomo Sha publishing company

Le Soir (France), August 12, 1989

Buffalo (NY) News, April 30

Rochester (NY) Democrat, Travel Tips, February 19

Miami Herald, April 9 and 23, "Travel Briefs"

Jacksonville (Florida) Times Union, May 28

San Diego Tribune

Staten Island Advance, June 7, 1989, "Van Cliburn, the Olympics of Music"

Dallas Morning News, and Fort Worth Star Telegram (extensive on-going coverage)

Baltimore Evening Sun

Arizona Daily Star

Town & Country

American Way article, May, 1989

Stereo Review (March, 1989, about corporate sponsorship)

Stereo Review, June 1989

Symphony Magazine, May/June 1989

Music Trades Magazine

Diversion Magazine

Travel Weekly, March 16, 1989

Piano Guild Notes (cover story)

Inside Performance, June 1989, "Around the World in 88 Keys"

The Sunday Capitol, article

USIA Far East Branch publications

Tribune Media Service travel article

Ovation, September, 1989 "The Rise and Fall and Rise of Van Cliburn"

Town & Country Magazine (April, 1989)

Ovation Magazine, "Music in America, Spotlight on Fort Worth" with color logo and announcement of Competition" (May, 1989)

New York Daily News, May 21, 1989 "Keys to Her Success" (about preliminaries)
Chicago Tribune, May 2; May 26; June 12; June 18; (two full pages, plus part of two others)

About the applicants

Chicago Tribune, December 18, 1988

UPI

AP (semi-finalists, finalists; several local papers carried these)

About Gold Medalist Alexei Sultanov following the Competition:

New York Daily News

Ovation, August 1989

Newsday, June 12 article

New York Post, June 12

Syracuse (NY) Post

Standard, June 12

Albany (NY) Times Union, June 12

Jacksonville Times-Union, June 12

Tampa Tribune, June 12

Pittsburgh Press, 18 Oct 89 "Soviet Pianist's Victory Turns to Gold"

Connoisseur Magazine

Radio Free Europe (interviewed by Solomon Volkov)

Keyboard Magazine

WBAI interview with music

WNCN made announcement at our request about Sultanov's being on the Carson show

Daily News, "City Lights," August 26, 1990 (about performances with Soviet American Youth Orchestra)

Connoisseur Magazine, "Lively Arts: Winning Isn't Everything, But it Certainly Helps"

About Competition semifinal rounds:

New York Newsday, June 2

Baltimore Evening Sun

Phila. Inquirer, May, 1989 (about Curtis Institute pianists in Competition)

Phoenix Gazette, June 2

About finalists chosen to go to Fort Worth for Competition:

Rochester (NY) Democrat, June 8

NY Newsday, June 8

Miami Herald, June 4

About other winners:

Noticias del Mundo, June 14

About the naming of the winner:

Suddeutsche Zeitung

Boston Herald

Phila. Inquirer (Knight Ridder syndicate)

Ovation Magazine "Record Makers"

Boise Statesman

Los Angeles Times "Calendar"

Austin American-Statesman

Springfield (Mass.) Union News

Dallas Times Herald

Canadian Travel Press Weekly

AP (several different feeds on different wires)

Billboard, July 1, 1989

Musical America cover story (Sept 1989)

Ft. Lauderdale Sun-Sentinel, June 12

Stereo Review

Misc. results:

New York Times, December 18, 1988, "In Competitions, the Fun is Being Called for Jury Duty" (by Harold C. Schonberg)

Ovation Magazine (about the radio series)

Variety (on host of Competition)

Newsday (about "Sunday Today" broadcast, June 3) - Publicized participation of USSR and China in Competition