



Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
Rho Mu Nu Chapter
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Dear Music, Vocal and Dance Teachers:

The Rho Mu Nu Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. is sponsoring our 1st Annual **Talent Hunt Competition** for outstanding high school students in the Metro-Detroit Western Suburbs.

The Talent Hunt Competition will be held at the Novi City Civic Center, 45175 West 10 Mile Road, Novi, MI 48375 on Saturday, March 16, 2019 at 2:00 P.M. The competition will be limited to the field of classical music (instrumental and vocal), Spoken Word and Dance.

Since the competition format will be limited to 15 contestants, teachers are respectfully requested to submit applications from the most talented students only.

Contestants participating in the Talent Hunt must comply with the following guidelines and rules:

1. Prospective contestants must submit an audition composition in one of the following formats: an audible digital format, MP3 or YouTube video (max 5 minutes) along with (3) Copies of his/her composition with the completed application.
2. Contestants are required to perform compositions from memory.
3. Contestants will not be allowed to substitute a composition once the application has been submitted.
4. Contestants must be currently enrolled in at least one school performing ensemble and secure the recommendation signature of the ensemble director for the application.
5. A consent to compete and Parental consent form must be completed.
6. Contestants must purchase and submit (3) original copies of their performance composition
7. Contestants must attend a photo session to take place on Sunday, February 24, 2019.

Audio recordings, completed applications and three (3) copies of the composition to be submitted by Friday, February 15, 2019 to the competition committee at:

www.rhomunu.com | Click on [Talent Hunt Link](#) and fill out the form. Ensure all files are uploaded, links inserted. Submissions will receive a confirmation.

The photo session will start promptly at 12:00 Noon on February 24, 2019, the Novi Civic Center. A photographer will take pictures of each contestant for placement in the printed Talent Hunt Program. Female contestants must wear an evening or "dressy" dress and male contestants must wear a dark suit with a white shirt, dark tie and dark shoes for both the photo shoot and the Talent Hunt Program. Failure to attend the photo session will automatically disqualify a contestant from the competition.

Contestants selected to compete in the Rho Mu Nu Talent Hunt Competition will be notified by phone call and email on Tuesday, February 19, 2019. There will be a 1st and 2nd place cash prize given out.

**The first place winner will be required to represent Rho Mu Nu Omega Chapter at the Tenth District Talent Hunt Competition on Friday, April 12, 2019 in Madison, Wisconsin at the Concourse Hotel, located at 1 West Dayton Street, Madison, WI 53703. Travel & accommodations will be covered for the winner, chaperone and accompanist as required.*

For questions or additional information contact:

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