

**Sigma Alpha Iota**  
*International Music Fraternity*

**38<sup>th</sup> Annual Elsie Sterrenberg String Scholarship Competition**  
*Oak Park Alumnae Chapter*

Award: \$500 cash for the Senior Division winner  
\$300 cash for the Junior Division winner

Eligibility: Any violin, viola, cello, or string bass student in grades 4 through 8 for the Junior Division and 9 through 12 for the Senior Division. Contestants will not be able to win two consecutive years. A participant fee of \$20.00 will be charged. A check should be made payable to SAI Oak Park Alumnae Chapter.

Date: April 27, 2024 - 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Time: Audition times will be assigned after entry forms are received and processed.

Location: Riverside Presbyterian Church  
116 Barrypoint Road  
Riverside, IL 60546

Music Requirements:

- 10-minute audition (maximum) for Junior Division and 15-minute audition (maximum) for Senior Division, demonstrating two contrasting styles of music (works by two different composers or different periods).
- Music must be memorized.
- Student must provide their own accompanist. No recorded accompaniments permitted.
- Measures must be numbered on a copy of the music supplied to the judge(s). This copy will be returned to the contestant. No photocopies for the accompanist.
- Warm-up time and space will be provided prior to audition time.
- A student not meeting these requirements may perform for an evaluation but will not be eligible to receive the scholarship award.
- A late arrival will be allowed to audition at the discretion of the judges.

Notification:

Winners will be notified by phone. Evaluations will be mailed to the teacher. **Please note: Winners will receive their awards and be expected to perform their contest pieces on the afternoon of June 9, 2024, at the home of Beth Sennett, 8708 Lake Ridge Drive, Darien, IL 60561. Time TBD.**

Deadline: Entry forms postmarked by March 20, 2024

Send to: Jean Tomkinson  
SAI String Competition  
524 South Madison Ave.  
LaGrange, IL 60525

Inquiries: Lisa Grisolia at [info@sai-oakpark.org](mailto:info@sai-oakpark.org)



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Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_ Years of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

School Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Accompanist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Selections to be performed:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this completed entry form, postmarked by March 20, 2024, and a check (\$20.00) made payable to SAI Oak Park Alumnae Chapter to:**

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