# MNSOTA Calendar of Events

## Talent Search — Volunteer Form

Volunteer to help with an event this year!

## All-State Teachers Workshop, New Music Reading Clinic, Annual Meeting

July 30 — Registration Deadline

August 9-11, 2018— University of Minnesota, Duluth

August 8-10, 2019— University of Minnesota, Duluth

## Student Membership Subsidy

For new student members.

## Music Mentor Program

Apply any time; applications will be considered at each Board meeting

#### Fall Clinic, Luncheon, Awards Presentation

September 21 — Nomination Deadline for Awards

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Student members get in FREE!

October 11 — Registration Deadline for Clinic and Luncheon

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October 18 — Clinic and Luncheon — Capitol Hill Magnet School, 560 Concordia Ave. St. Paul

## Mary West Solo Competition

Solo competition in 4 age groups.

October 9 — Application Deadline

October 28 — Competition 1:00-6:00 — Augsburg University

November 11, 7:00 P.M. — Winners Recital — Lloyd Ultan Hall, UMN School of Music

February 24, 3:00 P.M. — Grand Prize Winner in performance with the Bloomington (MN) Symphony Orchestra

## Fall String Camp

Students in grades 6-8 participate in one of 3 levels of orchestra.

October 9 — Registration Deadline for Students

October 12 — Registration Deadline for Teachers, Chaperones and College Interns

October 26-28 — Fall String Camp weekend at Camp St. Croix

#### Middle Level Honors Orchestra

Students in grades 7-9 are selected by online audition to perform at the MMEA Convention.

October 12 — Application and audition upload site opens

9:00 P.M. November 2 — Application and audition upload site closes

February 15-16 — Rehearsal at University of Northwestern-St. Paul, Roseville; performance at MMEA

## Middle Level Orchestra Festival

Orchestras from grades 6-9 perform at one of three festivals around the state.

December 7 — Registration deadline for all sites

February 19-Fergus Falls; February 27-Stillwater; March 6-Faribault — Tier 1

March 25 — Tier 2 at Orchestra Hall, Minneapolis

## SPCO Youth Chamber Music Competition

Competition in 3 divisions for pre-college students in unconducted ensembles of 3–8 players.

January 22 — Audition Upload and Application Deadline

February 23 — Finals and Awards — Sundin Hall, Hamline University, St. Paul

## Eclectic Strings Day

Workshop for middle school through adult; explore 3 different styles in a fun relaxed atmophere

April 4 — registration deadline

April 6, 9:00-3:00. Champlin Park High School

#### Upper Midwest String Camp

Summer camp for students in grades 7-12.

July 21–26, 2019 — College of St. Benedict

#### ASTA Certificate Advancement Program

Submit your students' materials three times a year to be reviewed by an accredited adjudicator.

### String Notes

The journal of MNSOTA mailed to all members.

Submission deadlines July 15, November 15, February 15

## **Directory Updates**

June 30 — Deadline for next year's Directory