



# Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

## Gamma Pi Chapter

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### 2020 TALENT HUNT PROGRAM INFORMATION SHEET

**Date/Time:** Saturday, March 14, 2020, 4:00 p.m.

**Place:** Charles H. Flowers Senior High School, Springdale, Maryland

#### AWARDS

- All participants will receive a certificate
- First, Second and Third place winners in each category will receive a trophy and a **CASH** prize!

From among the top winners (1<sup>st</sup> place) in each category, one contestant (overall winner) will be selected to represent the Gamma Pi Chapter at the Second District Talent Hunt Demonstration in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania in April 2020. The overall winner/contestant will compete against Talent Hunt winners from Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and New York. The Gamma Pi Chapter will cover all reasonable expenses for the one overall winner to compete at the District level.

#### JUDGES

Judges will be persons who have demonstrated expertise in their judging areas.

#### CONTESTANT ELIGIBILITY/REQUIREMENTS

- Ω All contestants must be in grades 9-12 and a resident of Prince George's County. You do not need to attend a Prince George's County High School.
- Ω All visual arts contestants must submit at least three pieces for adjudication, and no more than five pieces.
- Ω All contestants can only enter one category
- Ω All contestants, including visual artists, must dress appropriately: Females – dress/gown and Males – dark suits with shirt and tie. **NO JEANS OR SNEAKERS!** Contestants in the dance or dramatic interpretation categories may dress according to their presentation.
- Ω All contestants will receive a certificate. All contestants **MUST** get their certificate(s) on the date of the event before leaving.
- Ω Only contestants whose names appear on the program will be permitted to perform.

#### AUDITIONS AND APPLICATION DEADLINE/EXTENSION

**Auditions** are on **Wednesday, February 12, 2020, 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.** at Charles H. Flowers Senior High School. **The application deadline for all participants is January 31, 2020.** Please **do not send any applications to the Chapter Post Box address**, if you have any problems with the application **contact Dr. Leroy Barton, Jr. ASAP.** Contestants must provide a CD or an accompanist for their performances. Art contestants **are not required** to attend the auditions. However, art contestants must bring their artwork to the Charles H. Flowers Senior High School by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the Talent Hunt program on **Saturday, March 14, 2020.**



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### **GUIDELINES**

This competition is limited to solo performances. All vocal and instrumental music, and dramatic readings must be memorized and can be **no longer than six (6) minutes**, and instrumental music **has six (6) minutes**. Contestants must provide a CD or an accompanist for their performances. Selected contestants should arrive at the Charles H. Flowers Senior High School no later than 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 14, 2020.

**Contact Information:** Dr. Leroy Barton, Jr., [talenthuntgp@yahoo.com](mailto:talenthuntgp@yahoo.com) or (202) 460-4639

**See parental consent form enclosed in the attachments.**



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### **Parental Release and Consent Form** **2020 Talent Hunt Competition**

**Parental release and consent form - PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY**

Student's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Physical address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or legal guardian's name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print)

Contact phone numbers during event hours: (home): \_\_\_\_\_ (cell): \_\_\_\_\_

**Insurance information:**

Insurance coverage by: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Photo and Image Release:**

I give the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. permission to photograph, videotape or record my child and to use the photographs, videotape, film or recording in its print and electronic publications, video broadcasts, radio broadcasts or any other presentation of the images. I agree that the photographs and videotapes, including negatives, slides and prints or any other presentation of the images, are the property of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. I waive any right I may have to inspect and/or approve the finished product in which the images may be used. By signing this form, I intend to release and discharge the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. from any and all claims that I may have, and agree to hold harmless and defend the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. from liability arising from claims or litigation arising from its use of my child's image, voice, or performance.

**Waiver and Consent for Emergency Treatment:**

I am aware that the activity for which I am registering my child involves limited events or field trips that will be conducted as part of this activity. In consideration of the right to participate in this activity, I waive and release any and all rights and claims for damage I may have against the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., its Board of Directors, District or local officials, members, employees and agents, for any and all injuries, if any, suffered by my child while participating in this activity. I give my consent to emergency treatment, including hospitalization as may be needed for the welfare of my child.

**If you are under the age of 21, your parent/guardian must also sign this form.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Student's Signature) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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(Print Parent/Guardian Name) (Parent/Guardian Signature)