

Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated Pi Lambda Lambda Chapter

Fact Sheet on Annual Talent Hunt Competition

- 1. **Purpose** provides exposure, encouragement, and financial assistance to talented youth.
- 2. Eligibility all 9-12th grade Prince William County High School Students
- 3. Categories students may compete in only one of the four following categories:
 - a. Music: Vocal and instrumental; classical, contemporary (i.e., Broadway, gospel, jazz, movie score, Top 40). (6 minutes time limit)
 - b. Dance: hip hop, ballet, modern dance, jazz, and tap. (6 minutes time limit)
 - c. Dramatic Interpretation: rap, poetry, oration, monologue, etc. (6 minutes time limit)
 - d. Visual Art: sculpture, photography, drawing, and painting (6 minutes time limit)
- 4. **Applications** The student will submit the Talent Hunt Application and Parental Consent Form with a digital upload of their audition to the Pi Lambda Lambda Chapter Talent Hunt Committee to Dr. C. Victor Herbin, III or Mr. Ronnie Palmer at PLLTalentHunt@gmail.com by December 1, 2023. Application and Parental Consent form located at www.pllques.com/talent-hunt.
- 5. **Competition** All contestants must provide a digital upload of their performance with their application to the Talent Hunt Program Committee. The committee will judge audition submissions and notify ten finalists by **December 5, 2023**. The Talent Hunt Committee will meet the top ten finalists and their parents (virtual or location TBD) to discuss the final details of the program and **provide ticket and Souvenir journal details on December 9, 2023**. The ten finalists will showcase their talent live on **February 10, 2024**, at Woodbridge High School in Woodbridge, Virginia, and compete for the title as the Pi Lambda Lambda Talent Hunt Champion. The winner will compete at the 91st Annual Third District Meeting on April 4-7, 2024, at the Hilton March Center in Alexandria, VA.,
- 6. **Judges** At least 3 Judges will evaluate each student on the night of the competition, representing experience in drama, voice, music, or dance.
- 7. **Recognition** After the Talent Hunt Program, all finalists will be recognized with a scholarship prize. Prizes for the competition include:
 - a. 1st Place \$1000.00
 - b. 2nd Place \$750.00
 - c. 3rd Place \$500.00
 - d. 4th-10th Place \$100.00
- 8. **Advertisement and Ticket Sales** Each finalist will be distributed tickets and applications for ads to sell to family members, friends, or businesses to show support and contribute to the scholarship prizes. Prizes for advertisement and ticket sales competition include:

	Ad Sales	Ticket Sales
1 st Place	\$200.00	\$200.00
2 nd Place	\$150.00	\$150.00
3 rd Place	\$100.00	\$100.00

9. **Digital Upload**- The fraternity will not use the media for any purpose other than promotional advertisement and to preselect the top ten finalists.