

31st District PTSA 2016

Clarice Chaplin

Music Scholarship Program

Attention:

Principals, Choral, Band and Orchestra Directors,
& PTA/PTSA Presidents in Secondary Schools (Grades 6TH -12TH)

From:

31st District PTSA Music Scholarship Committee
Houri Khatchadorian (818) 726-5082
Colleen Ross – 31st District PTSA President (818) 497-7971

The **31st District PTSA** is proud to offer scholarships to students who wish to continue their music study with private teachers. Each scholarship offered is valued at \$300.

Please copy the enclosed application for all your students and encourage them to apply.

CATEGORIES:



Brass Instruments

String Instruments

Wind Instruments

Percussion Instruments

Piano

Voice

It is our goal to encourage the discovery and development of the musical talent of our youth. We wish to inspire children to follow their passion for the arts at any level of study and assist those that may not have an opportunity to study privately.

GUIDELINES and ELIGIBILITY:

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1. Students attending a LAUSD Secondary School (grades 6-12) within the 31st District PTSA area (San Fernando Valley – Sunland – Tujunga).
2. The scholarship must be used between June 1, 2016 and December 31, 2016.
3. Students may only receive the Clarice Chaplin Music Scholarship twice.
4. **No school may submit the names of more than FIVE applicants in any one category. No more than TWENTY applications may be submitted per school. NO EXCEPTIONS!**
5. Students are judged on evidence shown through their dedication to musical arts and desire to furthering their musical instruction.
6. **Eligibility is not restricted to students who are currently enrolled in music classes.**
7. No money is to be paid directly to the winners of the scholarship. Private teachers are paid directly by the 31st District PTSA Office.
8. Students who want to audition in two different categories must fill out separate applications for each category. Forms may be duplicated.
9. Students should be dressed appropriately for auditions and concert.

APPLICATION:

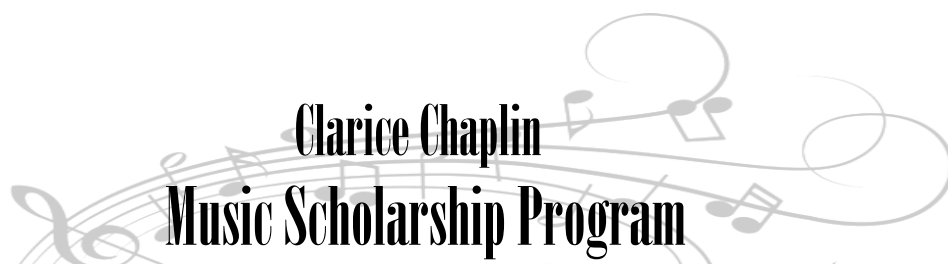
1. **PTSA Music Scholarship Application Form** – Applicants must complete the application form and it must be approved and signed by a parent/guardian. (Please keep a copy for your records)
2. Applications are to be sent to the Music Scholarship Committee at the 31st District PTSA Office and **RECEIVED NO LATER THAN 4:00 p.m. on February 12, 2016. It must be sent by US Mail or hand delivered (no e-mails or faxes will be accepted) and must be accompanied by the following.**
 - a. Proof of attendance to a LAUSD Secondary School (grades 6-12) within the 31st District PTSA area (principal, assistant principal or music teacher's signature on application)
 - b. **A SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE SIZE #10 (9 1/2 " by 4 1/2) ENVELOPE MUST BE PROVIDED WITH YOUR APPLICATION.**

AUDITIONS:

1. Auditions will be held on Saturday, March 5, 2016 at Chatsworth Charter High School, 10027 Lurline Ave., Chatsworth 91311. Information and directions to the audition will be sent to the applicants prior to this date. If any applicant does not receive their audition time prior to February 26, 2016 or if you are unable to make your appointed time please contact Hourri Khatchadorian at 818-726-5082.
2. Applicants must arrive at their audition at least twenty minutes prior to their assigned time.
3. **YOU ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE YOUR OWN ACCOMPANIST AND INSTRUMENTS.** A piano will be available only in the piano category. If you require accompaniment in another category you must provide it on a CD & bring your own player.
4. You must provide a copy of the music that you intend to perform to the judges at your audition.
5. Each applicant will be given a maximum of eight minutes to perform.
6. **ANY APPLICANT WHO FAILS TO ATTEND THEIR DESIGNATED AUDITION TIME WITHOUT PRIOR NOTIFICATION TO HOURI KHATCHADORIAN @ 818-726-5082 OR COLLEEN ROSS @ 818-497-7971 WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR THE FOLLOWING YEAR.**
7. **The judges' decisions are final. There are NO appeals.**

CONCERT

The 31st District PTSA encourages all participants and their families to attend the Clarice Chaplin Music Scholarship Concert that will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at Chatsworth Charter High School. This event is a celebration of music and acknowledgment of our talented youth. Refreshments will be provided by the 31st District PTSA.



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NO FAX WILL BE ACCEPTED - ALL MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED TO THE
31ST DISTRICT OFFICE BY FEBRUARY 12, 2015 NO LATER THAN 4:00 PM
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED COMPLETELY

Name: _____ Date: _____
Address: Street _____ Apt.# _____ City _____ Zip Code _____
Phone Number: _____ E-Mail _____ Date of Birth: _____
Father/Guardian Name: _____ Mother/Guardian Name: _____
School in attendance: _____ Grade: _____

1. Instrument/Voice: (circle one) instrument played _____ Voice Range _____
2. Other Instrument/Voice you will be auditioning for: _____
(A SEPARATE APPLICATION IS REQUIRED FOR EACH INSTRUMENT)

Are you currently taking lessons? _____ How many years? _____

Name of private teacher: _____

Have you ever been a recipient of the 31st District PTSA Music Scholarship? _____ Year? _____

Briefly tell us about yourself and your goals within music arts. Include your dedication and/or plans for further study.

NOTE: STUDENTS MAY ONLY WIN THIS SCHOLARSHIP TWICE.

IMPORTANT PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

Applications will not be accepted until the application is **signed by a parent/guardian**. You must also provide **proof that you are enrolled in a LAUSD Secondary School (grades 6-12) within the 31st District PTSA area** (principal, assistant principal or music teacher's signature on application). Please do not apply for the Music Scholarship Program until you have read and agree with the guidelines stated above. No exceptions will be made.

I UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE AND AGREE TO THE TERMS OF THIS PROGRAM:

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Verification of attendance to a LAUSD School within the 31st District PTSA area:

Name: _____ Title: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ School Phone Number _____

Please mail or deliver music scholarship application to:
31st District PTSA
17445 Cantlay St.
Van Nuys, CA 91406