

Jack Weaver Memorial Competition for Violin, Viola and Cello

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Date: Saturday, April 29, 2017 **Time:** 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Deadline: Saturday, April 1, 2017
Location: Jordan Kitt's Music, 12303 Twinbrook Parkway, Rockville, MD 20852 - Ph. 301-770-9087
There are no practice rooms at this facility. Any attempt to warm up and practice in the building will result in disqualification.
Fee: () **Members: \$40.00** () **Non-members: \$60 per student**

Entering *teacher* should send *one check* for all entries, made payable to MSMTA, to:

MIA CHOI, 10320 Boca Raton Dr. Ellicott City, MD 21042

Applications sent separately and/or by students will not be accepted.

Eligibility: Any string student in grades 9 to 12 who has studied with an MSMTA member for the last six months. Previous first place winners of the Weaver Competition are not eligible. If two teachers are sharing the teaching of a student, the primary teacher must teach at least 75% of the time. Teachers must provide their current membership number and have proof of paid membership by postmark deadline.

Repertoire: Three compositions of contrasting style representing three different periods of literature. All three should be memorized although one sonata movement (for string and piano duet) may be played with music. All unaccompanied solo works must be memorized regardless of title, period or genre.
Student will be stopped after fifteen (15) minutes of playing. One published copy of the music must be available for the judges. A student will not use photocopied music and will be immediately disqualified for failure to provide a published score. Exceptions will be made ONLY if the music is out of print and a notarized letter of waiving of liability by the publishing company is issued and presented to the Chair with the application.

Accompanist: Contestants must supply their own accompanist.

Awards:

First prize:	\$700.00
Second prize:	\$400.00
Third prize:	\$300.00
Fourth prize:	\$200.00
Fifth prize:	\$100.00

MSMTA gratefully acknowledges the generous donations of the Violin House of Weaver for funding the competition prizes.

NOTE: All prizes may not be awarded. This event will be canceled if there are fewer than five entries and unless a minimum of three studios are represented.

**The general rules governing MSMTA events also apply.
Please read them carefully.**

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Application Form

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Deadline: April 1, 2017 No repertoire changes will be allowed after the postmark deadline.

1. By submitting this application, the participating teacher agrees with all rules governing this event and understands that he/she **must** be available to assist with this event. The teacher understands that his/her students will be ineligible to participate in this event if this rule is violated.
2. Application forms should be filled out by the MSMTA teacher only. Please send *one check* for all entries, made payable to **MSMTA**, to **MIA CHOI**, at the address listed above.
3. Any time request must be submitted by postmark deadline. No guarantees on requests submitted after the deadline.

Name of Student: _____ Instrument: _____

Address: _____

Student's Phone: _____ Email: _____ Grade: _____

Name of Teacher: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email of Teacher: _____ Teacher's Membership No. _____

Name of Accompanist: _____ cell phone: _____ email: _____

Compositions to be performed and memorized

List all data such as Opus no., tempo, movement no., etc.

—Please type or print clearly—

Title	Composer	Performance Time	Published copy available?
1. _____			
2. _____			
3. _____			

Parent and student have read, discussed and agree to all printed rules regarding the MSMTA Weaver Competition. Signature of Parent (Guardian): _____ Signature of Student: _____

Teacher: I have read and understand the rules governing MSMTA events and this specific event and agree to abide by them. My students and/or parents have also been apprised of the rules. I understand that I must be available to assist on the competition day with the event **for a minimum of two hours**. If I fail to fulfill my work obligation, I understand and agree that my students may be declared ineligible to participate..

I can assist on the day of the competition during the following hours: _____

I am using my first substitute second substitute to help at this event.

My substitute for this event is _____ . Hours available: _____

Teacher's signature: _____