

# ENTER NOW!

## Launching Leaders in the Arts \$\$ Awards Program 2021

*Sponsored by the Sarasota Branch of the  
National League of American Pen Women, Inc. (NLAPW)*

---The awards range from **\$100 to \$2,000** and are based on competitions in **Visual Arts, Letters (Writing) and Music**.

---The competitions are open only to **SENIORS** (females and males) in all public high schools in Sarasota and Manatee counties.

---The purpose of the awards is to encourage self-expression, creativity and foster further education in the arts.

---In addition to receiving an award, winning students will perform, read or exhibit their winning entries at the Awards luncheon held at Bird Key Yacht Club on Wednesday, March 17, 2021. Guests are also welcomed to attend with a lunch purchase.

---Additional opportunities will be afforded to the winners to display their artwork, have their writings in print and participate in musical performances as we help to “launch” our student’s future in the arts.

### **ENTRIES MUST BE ORIGINAL WORK SUBMITTED IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES:**

**ART:** Paintings in oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, mixed media, ink, graphics, stained glass, sculpture, ceramics, etching, lithographs, jewelry, digital art, photography, digitally enhanced photography and graphite/colored pencil.

**LETTERS:** Fiction, non-fiction or poetry not to exceed 1500 words. Letters entries must be received by Tuesday, February 2, 2021.

**MUSIC:** Original student musical composition. Music entries must be received by Tuesday, February 2, 2021.

*For more information on entry requirements, go to our website:  
[sarasotapenwomen.org](http://sarasotapenwomen.org) (awards program)*