

DECEMBER 6, 2015 WIZARD OF OZ AUDITION DAY

Follow the Yellow Brick Road with Ottawa Suzuki Strings!

Ottawa Suzuki Strings is a music school providing violin, viola, cello, guitar and voice instruction using the Suzuki Method. Iain Macpherson and Ania Hejnar Throop, our Suzuki Voice teachers, are looking for some 30 young singers/actors (ages 6-18) interested in performing in a musical. <u>No experience needed</u>. Children with prior experience in singing/acting/ musical theatre are encouraged to audition for leading roles.

Parents and volunteers will be called upon to assist with rehearsals and fundraising requirements of the production. There will be a registration fee of between \$250 and \$325 per child. Attendance at all rehearsals (mostly on Sunday afternoons) is compulsory.

Performance held March 20, 2015

2-day March Break intensive rehearsal

Have fun with other kids!

Put on a costume! Play a part! Sing a song! Be in the chorus, on stage! Sing with others!

Want singing lessons? Then, we want you!

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For details, or to reserve an audition time, please email: iainmacpherson@ottawasuzukistrings.ca

Audition Day Guidelines

The "Audition Day," somewhat of a loose term, provides an opportunity for the directors, Iain and Ania, to:

- Meet interested parents and participants
- Assess the numbers of interested candidates, and focus the scope of the production
- Hear candidates sing a song and perform a dramatic reading
- Make casting decisions
- Present a detailed contract to parents and participants

All candidates are to prepare a song

- May be in any style (classical, musical theatre, pop, jazz, national anthem, etc.)
- Please provide your own accompaniment (pre-recorded audio, or live pianist)
- Candidates are permitted to perform *a capella* (without accompaniment)

Candidates auditioning for a leading role must also be prepared to do a reading or monologue

- May be prepared in advance, or will be provided to you at the audition
- Props/costumes are not permitted
- We want to see your acting skills