Red Lodge Music festival

Honor String Ensemble competition

Competition is open to…

HIGH SCHOOL VIOLIN, VIOLA, CELLO, BASS & PIANO STUDENTS
(who will be completing 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade this year).

Audition submission must be postmarked or emailed by **February 23rd, 2026.**

To enter, please submit the following:

- Résumé
- Complete registration at **www.rlmf.org**.
- $50.00 non-refundable registration fee. Fee may be paid online or by mail.
- Video Audition: Prepare two contrasting pieces that best represent your technical and musical ability, 10 minutes maximum. Upload your video as unlisted to YouTube, then share it with **julie@rlmf.org**.
- Letter from string teacher confirming student's readiness for this experience.
- Send the above to:

  Julie Blakeslee

  RLMF Ensembles Director
  2410 Hoover Ave.
  Billings, MT 59102

» Winners will be notified by March 31 and music delivered in early April.

» Winners receive:

- Special placement in an advanced student/faculty string ensemble.
- Daily intensive string ensemble rehearsals with coaching by faculty members.
- Performance with faculty on Saturday's faculty recital, as well as a student-only performance on Friday's student recital.
- A private lesson with a faculty member during camp.
- Full tuition scholarship, provided by the Sidney E. Frank Foundation.

» Winners will be chosen by performers/teachers not directly involved with the festival.

» Literature will be selected by faculty after auditions are complete and sent to winners for advance study.

» Winners will audition live for orchestra placement the first Saturday of camp, preparing audition materials posted at **www.rlmf.org** as usual.

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Save the date
Next Camp - June 6-14, 2026