Dallas Chapter Ambassadors Sarika Ahire and Allison Qui will present their final collaborative projects in a special Zoom event on Sunday, May 23, 2021 at 3:00 pm. In fulfillment of their community engagement objective as AHS Chapter Ambassadors, the students worked together to create teaching and performance video lessons on two harp ensemble arrangements: *Ravel’s Introduction and Allegro – Jazz Fantasie for Two Harps*, by Cindy Horstman, and *Habanera Gris*, by Alfredo Rolando Ortiz.

*In addition to the video presentations and a Q & A opportunity with our Dallas Chapter Ambassadors, this event will feature a Harp Trivia tournament. Prizes will be awarded! Chapter members, students, and guests are welcome to join the meeting. A Zoom link will be posted closer to the event.*

**Sarika Ahire**, age sixteen, began learning the harp at the age of nine. She currently studies with Yumiko Endo Schlaffer and Young Park. In 2016, Sarika was the Category I winner of the American Harp Society in Dallas Student Scholarship Competition. She is also a two-time Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA) All-State harpist. As an AHS Dallas Chapter Ambassador, Sarika strives to promote a sense of community among her fellow harpists. In addition to music, she enjoys programming and playing table tennis.

**Allison Qiu** has been playing harp for five years.  She is currently a freshman at Centennial High School in Frisco, Texas, and one day hopes to attend New York University for medical school.  Allison has participated in All Region all three years of middle school and was named an alternate this year for the high school All Region. In 2019 she attended the Harp Conference in North Carolina as a Chapter Ambassador. In addition to playing the harp, she enjoys skateboarding and playing the guitar. Her harp teachers are Mrs. Yumiko Schlaffer and Mrs. Young Park.