FESTIVAL of MUSICAL ARTS

PIANO SYLLABUS 2024

FESTIVAL DATES

APRIL 22nd to APRIL 26th, 2024

ADJUDICATOR: ROSS SIMONDS

VENUE: TRINITY WESLEYAN CHURCH

FLORENCEVILLE - BRISTOL

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1. Competitors and teachers are asked to read the syllabus carefully.
- 2. In classes where age limit is specified, the entry form must be signed by a parent or guardian as a certificate of age. In these classes, age is determined as of December 31, 2023. Those participants wishing to enter in older classes will be expected to perform and be adjudicated at that level.
- 3. Participants are to enter only one class in each section.
- 4. In classes in which any one of the test pieces is a selection of the competitor's own choice, the title, composer, and duration of the piece in minutes must be specified on the entry form. All own choice entries must be approved by the syllabus committee; therefore, an original copy of the music must be submitted 24 hours prior to the performance. Failure to comply with this provision will result in disqualification. Be sure to have your name and class number on the music submitted. Own choice selections must not be repeated within a 3-year period by a performer.
- 5. No substitute pieces will be accepted for any class for the pieces entered on the entry form. No last minute changes.
- 6. Participants are encouraged to choose Canadian repertoire for their "own choice" classes.
- 7. Participants are not to do repeats in a selection unless stated in a particular class in the syllabus. If a selection has two endings in a particular section, participants are asked to take the second ending. In such cases that the directions "De Capo al Fine etc.", participants are required to repeat that section as indicated. Please refer to the syllabus.
- 8. Participants will be informed of performance dates and times as soon as possible.
- 9. All participants, classes or individuals must be ready to perform in fifteen minutes before the time set for the class to begin.
- **10.** Absolute silence must be maintained, and no person may enter or leave the auditorium during a performance or adjudication.
- 11. No pictures are to be taken during a performance or adjudication. Videotaping will be allowed during a performance. It will not be allowed during the adjudication.
- 12. Performers in the Final Concert will be strictly at the adjudicator's recommendation and invitation. Due to the increasing number of classes, it will no longer be possible to have winners of every class in the Final Concert.
- Fees are \$8:00 for each solo class entered, \$12.00 for duets and trio and \$16.00 for classroom Singing, Choral Reading, Choirs and Band classes. Fees must be submitted with the entry forms. Cheques must be made payable to the Festival of Musical Arts.
- 14. In classes where participants choose their own music, once the program has been printed there cannot be any changes, as well, there will be no new classes added after the program is printed.
- 15. Please read the regulations carefully as there as been a few new ones added this year.
- 16. All entries must be received no later than February 28th, 2024. Entries should be forwarded to:

Elaine White – Secretary/Treasurer 44 Curtis Rd Florenceville-Bristol, NB E7L2G6

PIANO AGE CLASSES (COMPETITIVE)

Class 1 5 Years and Under

Panda Bear, Kevin Costly

Composers in Focus

At the Zoo p. 4

Early Elementary Level

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 2 6 Years and Under

Gentle Rain, Elizabeth Greenleaf

Solos at their Best, p.4-5

Early Elementary Level

The FJH Publishing Co.

Class 3 7 Years and Under

Gentle Mountain Stream, Martha Mier

Sheet Music, Early Elementary Level

The Alfred Publishing Co

Class 4 8 Years and Under

Chocolate Chip Cookies,

Sheet Music, Early Elementary Level

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 5 9 years and Under

Kangaroo Kickbox, Melody Bober

Elementary Level, Book 2 Grand Piano Solos, p. 2-3

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 6 10 Years and Under

My Favorite Food, Carol Matz

Sheet Music Elementary Level

Signature Series, Elementary Series

Class 7 11 Years and Under

Starry Night, Martha Mier

Dreams Musical Impressions

Late elementary Level, Book 2, p.10-11

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 8 12 Years and Under

Thoughts of Yesterday, Dennis Alexander

Late Elementary Level,

5 Star Solos, Book 3, p. 14-15

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 9 13 Years and Under

Summer Rain, Martha Mier

Favorite Solos, Book 2, p. 20 - 21

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 10 14 Years and Under

Winter Memories, Melody Bober

Perfect 10, Book 3, p. 6-7 Intermediate level

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 11 15 Years and Under

Morning Reverie, Catherine Rollin

Favorite Solos, p.18-20

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 12 17 Years and Under

Prairie Sunset, Melody Bober

Sheet Music

Alfred Publishing Co. Class 13 18 Years and Under

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Memory of You, Melody Bober

Sheet Music

Digital

Class 14 19 Years and Under Beginner Adult

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One Selection, Own Choice

Class 15 19 Years and Over Advanced Adult

One Selection, Own Choice

PIANO AGE LEVEL CLASSES (NON-COMPETITIVE)

Class 16 5 Years and Under

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 17 6 Years and Under

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 18 7 Years and Under

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 19 8 Years and Under

One Selection, Own Choice

- Class 20 9 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice
- Class 21 10 Years and Under

One Selection, Own Choice

- Class 22 11 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice
- Class 23 12 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice

Class 24 13 Years and Under

One Selection, Own Choice

- Class 25 14 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice
- Class 26 15 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice
- Class 27 16 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice
- Class 28 17 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice
- Class 29 18 Years and Under One Selection, Own Choice
- Class 30 19 Years and Under Beginner Adult

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 31 19 Years and Under Advanced Adult One Selection, Own Choice

PIANO GRADED CLASSES (COMPETITIVE)

PLEASE NOTE: The Classes are listed according to piano grade level and there is no limit for the Players involved. Players are requested to enter at their level or over. They should not enter at a lower grade level.

Class 32 Preparatory Level

Bumper Cars, Kevin Olson

Preparatory Level, Book A 6th Edition, p.12

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 33 Grade 1

Clear Mountain Sky, Mike Springer

Level 1, 6th Edition, p. 24

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 34 Grade 2

Monkey See, Monkey Do, Vincent Ho

Level 2, 6th Edition, p .47

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 35 Grade 3

The Elegant Toreador, Seymour Berstein

Level 3, 6th Edition, p.30-3i

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 36 Grade 4

Squirrels at Play, Boris Berlin

Level 4, 6th Edition, p.40-41

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 37 Grade 5

The Spice of Life, Tom Gerou

Level 5, 6th Edition, p. 40-41

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd

Class 38 Grade 6

Little Nocturne, Jakub Metelka

Level 6th Edition, p. 56

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 39 Grade 7

Canoeing, Amy Beach

Level 7th Edition., p.60-61

Frederick Harris Co.Ltd.

Class 40 Grade 8

Sonata in C Major, Wolfgang Mozart

Movement 1

Level 8, 6th Edition, p. 28-31

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 41 Grade 9

Celebration Series 6th Edition, Level 9

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 42 Grade 10

Celebration Series 5th Edition

One Selection, Own Choice

PIANO GRADED CLASSES (NON- COMPETITIVE)

Class 43 Preparatory Level

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 44 Grade 1

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 45 Grade 2

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 46 Grade 3

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 47 Grade 4

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 48 Grade 5

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 49 Grade 6

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 50 Grade 7

One selection, Own Choice

Class 51 Grade 8

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 52 Grade 9

One Selection, Own Choice

Class 53 Grade 10

One Selection, Own Choice

SACRED PIANO CLASSES (COMPETITIVE)

Class 54 Sacred Piano Solo, 5 Years and Under

Jesus Loves Me, Words by Anna B. Warney, Music by William Bradbury

Bastien Popular Hymns, Primer Level, p. 2-3

Neil A. Kjos Music Co.

3Class 55 Sacred Pian0 Solo, 6 Years and Under

Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam, Words by Nellie Talbot, Music by E.O. Excell

Bastien Popular Hymns, Primer Level, p.16-17

Neil A. Kjos Co.

Class 56 Sacred Piano Solo, 7 Years and Under

Come Thou Almighty King, Felice Glardini

Popular Hymns, Level 1, 4-5

Neil A. Kjos Co.

Class 57 Sacred Piano Solo, 8 Year and Under

When the Saints Come Marching In, Traditional

Bastien Popular Hymns, Level 1, p. 1, p. 18-19

Neil A Kjos Co.

Class 58 Sacred Piano Solo, 9 Years and Under

Now Thank We All Our God, Words by Martin Rinkart, Music by John Cruger

Bastien Popular Hymns, Level 1, p.16-17

Neil A Kjos Co.

Class 59 Sacred piano Solo, 10 Years and Under

Jesus Is Risen Today, 14th Century Easter Carol

Bastien Popular Hymns, Level 2, p.17

Neil A. Kjos Co.

Class 60 Sacred Piano Solo, 11 Years and Under

Crown Him with Many Crowns, George J. Elvey

Bastien Popular Hymns, Level 3, p.14

Neil A. Kjos Co.

Class 61 Sacred Piano Solo, 12 Years and Under

I Need Thee Every Hour, Robert Lowry

Play Hymns, Book 3, p. 4-5

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 62 Sacred Piano Solo, 13 Years and Under

As a Deer, Martin Nystrom, Arr. by Tom Gerou and Victor Labenske

Play Praise, Level 3, p.15-17

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 63 Sacred Piano Solo, 14 Years and Under

Here I am to Worship, Tim Hughes, Arr. by Tom Gerou and Victor Labenske

Play Praise, Level 3, p. 16-17

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 64 Sacred Piano Solo, 15 years and Under

It Is Well with my Soul, Philp P. Bliss

Play Praise, Level 3, p. 9-11

The Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 65 Sacred Piano Solo, 16 years and Under, Piano Solo

Morning Has Broken, Martha Mier

My favorite Solos, Book3, p.

Class 66 Sacred Piano Solo, 17 Years and Under

Blessed Assurance, Arr. By Richard Kingsmore

Sheet Music, Digital

Class 67 Sacred Piano Solo, 18 Years and Under

The Blessing , Melody Bober

Sheet Music

Digital

Class 68 Sacred Piano Solo, 19 Years and Under

Own Choice Selection

Class 69 Sacred Piano Solo, 19 Years and Over

Own Choice Selection

JAZZ PIANO CLASSES (COMPETITIVE)

Please Note: Students entering Jazz Classes are expected to perform pieces as written" in the jazz

idiom, i.e. "swing style". Improvisations will be expected only where the music

specifically requests it.

Class 70 Jazz Piano Solo, 5 Years and Under

Hound Dog Blues, Faber and Faber

PreTime Piano, Jazz and Blues, Primer Level p.7

Frederic Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 71 Jazz Piano Solo, 6 Years and Under

Armadillo Rag, Martha Mier

Musical Impressions, Book 1, p.6-7

Frederick Harris Co. Ltd.

Class 72 Jazz Piano Solo, 7 Years and Under

Country Jamboree !, Dennis Alexander

Five Star Solo, Book 1, p.10-11

Class 73 Jazz Piano Solo, 8 Years and Under

Locomotive Boogie, Elizabeth W. Greenleaf

FJH Solos at Their Best, p. 20-21

FJH Music Co. Inc.

Class 74 Jazz Piano Solo, 9 Years and Under

Struttin' Turkey Blues, Elizabeth W. Greenleaf

A Bird's Eye View, p.18-19

FJH Music Co. Inc.

Class 75 Jazz Piano Solo, 10 Years and Under

Feelin' Blue, Martha Mier

Martha Mier Favorite Solos, Book 2, p. 4-6

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 76 Jazz Piano Solo, 11 Years and Under

Skateboard Boogie, Marthe Mier

Musical Impressions, Book 2, p. 14-15

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 77 Jazz Piano Solo, 12 Years and Under

Cool Strut, Martha Mier

Musical Impressions, Book 2, p. 20-21

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 78 jazz Piano Solo, 13 Years and Under

Cool Cats, Melody Bober

Perfect 10, Book 3, p.2-3

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 79 Jazz Piano Solo, 14 Years and Under

Blackbird Rag, Martha Mier

Musical Impressions, Book 3. P.8-9

Class 80 Jazz Piano Solo, 15 Years and Under

Walkin' Tall, Martha Mier

Musical Impressions, Book 3, p.21-23

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 81 Jazz Piano Solo, 16 years and Under

Otter Creek Rag, Martha Mier

Musical Impressions, Book 3, p. 14-15

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 82 Jazz Piano Solo, 17 Years and Under

Riverside Jazz, Martha Mier

Musical Impressions, Book 3, p. 18-20

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 83 Jazz Piano Solo, 18 Years and Under

Nashville Rag, Catherine Rollin'

Favorite Solos, Book 3, 17-19

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 84 Jazz Piano Solo, 19 and Over

One Selection, Own Choice

MINUET CLASS PIANO SOLOS

Class 85 Minuet Piano Solo, Preparatory Level

Antique Minuet, Keith Snell

Sheet Music

Neil A. Kjos, Co.

Class 86 Minuet Piano Solo, Grade 1

Minuet in G Major, Joann Wilhelm Hassler

Celebration Series, Level 1, 16th Edition, p.4

Frederick Harris Music Co. Ltd.

Class 87 Minuet Piano Solo, Grade 2

Minuet in G Major, Johann Sebestian Bach

Celebration Series, level 2, p.6

Frederick Harris, Co. Ltd.

Class 88 Minuet Piano Solo, Grade 3

Minuet in G Major, Christian Petzold

Celebration Series, Level 3, p. 6

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 89 Minuet Piano Solo, Grade 4

Minuet and Trio, Frantz Schubert

Sheet Music

Digital

Class 90 Minuet Piano Solo Grade 5

Minuet in C Major, Frantz Joseph Haydn

Celebration Series, Level 5, 6th edition, p. 18-19

Frederick Harris Music Music Co.

Class 91 Minuet Piano Solo Grade 6

Minuet in G Major, Gottfried Heinrich Stolzel

Collection Series Prospectives, Book 6, p.9

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 92 Minuet Piano Solo Gradr7

Minuet, Beethoven, Edited by Denes Agay

The Joy of Beethoven, p. 38-39

Yorktown, Music Press

Class 93 Minuet Piano Solo Grade 8

Menuet in C Major, W.O. 10, No.1, Ludwig Beethoven

Master Work Classies, Level 6, p.

Class 94 Minuet Piano Solo Grade 9, One Selection, Own Choice

Class 95 Minuet Piano Solo Grade 10, One Selection, Own Choice

WALTZ PIANO SOLO CLASSES (COMPETITIVE)

Class 96 Waltz Solo Preparatory Level

Gingerbread Waltz – Laura Swagerty

Sheet Music

Digital

Class 97 Waltz Solo Grade 1

Waltz Intro, Dnitis Kabalevsky

Celebration Series, Level !, 6th Edition, p.32

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 98 Waltz Solo Grade 2

Autumn Waltz, Dennis Alexander

Five Stars Solo Book, p. 21-22

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 99 Waltz Solo Grade 3

Valise Triste, Dennis Alexander

Early Intermediate Level, Sheet Music

Alfred Publishing Co.

Class 100 Waltz Solo Grade 4

Wistful Waltz, Mary Leaf

Sheet Music, Digital

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 101 Waltz Solo Grade 5

Roxanne's Waltz, Melody Bober

Sheet Music

William Music Publishing Co.

Class 102 Waltz Solo Grade 6

Waltz in A Minor, Frederic Chopin

Celebration Series, 6th Edition, p. 36=37

Frederic Harris Music Co.

Class 103 Waltz Grade7

Grand Waltz, Robert D. Vandell

Sheet Music

Alfred Music Publishing Co.

Class 104 Waltz Solo Grade 8

Waltz, Op. 124, No. 4, Robert Schumann

Masterwork Classics, Level 8, p.

Alfred Music, Publishing Co.

Class 105 Waltz Solo Grade 9, One Selection, Own Choice

Class 106 Waltz Solo Grade 10, One Selection, Own Choice

CANADIAN COMPOSER PIANO SOLO CLASSES (COMPETITIVE)

Class 107 Preparatory Level B Piano Solo

New Shoes, Linda Niamath

Celebration Series, 6th Edition, p. 2-3

Frederick Harris Co.

Class 108 Grade 1 Level Piano Solo

Angel Fish, Anne Gaudet Crosby

Celebration Series Level1, 6th Edition, p. 26

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 109 Grade2 Level Solo

Skating Carnival, Clifford Poole

Celebration Series, Level 2, 6th Edition, p. 28-29

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 110 Grade 3 Level Piano Solo

The Stormy Sea, Anne Gaudet Crosby

Celebration Series, Level 3, 6th Edition , p. 28-29,

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 111 Grade 4 Level Piano Solo

Eagle Rays, Teresa Richert

Celebration Series, 6th Edition, Level 4, p. 32-33

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 112 Grade 5 Piano Solo

Little Sparrows, Alexina Louie

Celebration Series, 6th Edition, Level 5, p. 42-43

Frederick Harris Music, Co.

Class 113 Grade 6 Piano Solo

Running for the Bus, Alexina Louie

Celebration Series, 6th Edition, Level 6, .p.42-43

Frederick Harris Music, Co.

Class 114 Grade 7 Piano Solo

Peace Country Hoedown, Christine Donkin

Celebration Series 6th Edition, Level 7, p. 68-69

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 115 Grade 8 Piano Solo

Blue Angel, Stephen Chapman

Celebration Series, 6th Edition, Level 8, p. 78-79

Frederick Harris Music Co.

Class 116 Grade 9 Piano Solo, One Selection, Own Choice

Class 117 Grade 10 Piano Solo, One Selection, Own Choice

JUNIOR, INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR PROVINCIAL FINALS CLASSES (COMPETITIVE)

Class 118 In this Junior Class – Competitors must enter to be considered for the Provincial Finals.

Requirements for entering the Provincial Finals are as follows:

- 1. 18 years of age or under
- 2. RCM Grade 5-7
- 3. MUST be memorized
- 4. Two Selections, Maximum time is 10 minutes
 - (a) One movement of a Sonatina or Sonata
 - (b) One other appropriate selection of a contrasting style

Class 119 In this Intermediate Class, Competitors must enter to be considered

for Provincials Finals. Requirements for entering the Provincial Finals are as follows:

- 1. 18 Years of age or older
- 2. RCM Grades 8-10
- 3. MUST be memorized
- 4. Two Selections Maximum time is 15 minutes
 - (a) A movement from a Sonatina or Sonata
 - (b) One other appropriate selection of a contrasting style

Class 120 In this Senior Class, competitors must enter to be considered for Provincial Finals.

Requirements foe entering the Provincial Finals are as follows:

- 1. Two selections Maximum time 40 minutes
- 2. MUST be memorized.
 - (a) Movement from a Sonata or recognized concerted work
 - (b) Another solo work.

PIANO SIGHT READING CLASSES (COMPETITIVE / NON-COMPETITIVE)

Please Note: These classes are the adjudicator's choice selections. The same as the graded class

entered. Classes 121 through 132 may be entered as competitive or non- competitive.

Please indicate a competitive enter by the addition of an A after the class number. For

an example, Class 121 is non-competitive and class 121 A is competitive.

Class 121 Grade 1 Piano Solo

Class 122 Grade 2 Piano Solo

Class 123 Grade 3 Piano Solo

Class 124 Grade 4 Piano Solo

Class 125 Grade 5 Piano Solo Class 126 Grade 6 Piano Solo Class 127 Grade 7 Piano Solo Class 128 Grade 8 Piano Solo Class 129 Grade 9 Piano Solo Class 130 Grade 10 Piano Solo Class 131 Grade 11 Piano Solo Class 132 Grade 12 Piano Solo

PIANO DUET, TRIO AND QUARTET PIANO CLASSES

(COMPETITIVE/ NON_COMPETITIVE)

Please Note: Please indicate a competitive class by the addition of an A after the class number. For example, class 133 is non- competitive and class 133 A is competitive.

Class 133 Piano Duet, 9 Years and Under, One Selection, Oen Choice Class 134 Piano Duet, 12 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 135 Piano Duet, 15 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 136 Piano, 18 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 137 Piano Duet 19 Years and Over, One Selection, Own Choice Class 138 Piano Trio, 9 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 139 Piano Trio, 12 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 140 Piano Trio, 15 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 141 Piano Trio, 18 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 142 Piano Trio 19 Years and Over, One Selection, Own Choice Class 142 Piano Trio 19 Years and Over, One Selection, Own Choice Class 143 Piano Quartet, 12 and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 143 Piano Quartet, 15 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice Class 144 Piano Quartet, 15 Years and Under, One Selection, Own Choice

FAMILY AND NON -FAMILY FUN CLASSES (NON-COMPETITIVE)

Class 146 Family Piano Duet, One Selection, Own Choice Class 147 Parent and Child Duet, One Selection, Own Choice Class 148 Family Piano Trio, One Selection, Own Choice Class 149 Non-Family Duet, One Selection, Own Choice Class 150 Non-Family Trio, One Selection, Own Choice Class 151 Own Composition, One Selection, Own Choice