

Blanchard Piano Studio



May Newsletter 2022

Blanchard Piano Studio Awards Recitals

Saturday, June 4, 2022, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 pm

Grace and Peace Presbyterian Church, 22646 Benswood Road, California, Maryland

Please sign up in the studio starting next week!

MSMTA Solo Festival (Remote)

The following students have been invited to represent Blanchard Piano Studio in the remote MSMTA Solo Festival. Sunday, May 15th, is the deadline to upload your Youtube video.

Competitive: Simon Bowling, Kristina Chan, Isadora Chorney, Zorianna Chorney, Nate Corbin, Saleem Habeebullah, Felicity Holder, Emma Levin, Mia Levin, Jeremy Liang, Savannah McCombs, Anna Morgan, Katherine Morgan, Addison Riviere, Chaya Thomas, Jared Werner, Kayli Werner

Noncompetitive: Nate Bankston, Sebastian Delgado, Ellie Kate Loesch, Hannah Mack, Emma Nauman, Marlin Smith, Selam Taylor, Lorraine Zaborsky,

MTACC Sonatina Festival

Congratulations to all who participated in the festival.

Here are the results:

Level 1: Graham Nuhfer (1st), Allison Conti (HM), Ethan Corbin (HM), Daniella Cha (HM), Zoe Thomas (HM)

Level 2: Lillian Nuhfer (HM), Anna Morgan (HM)

Level 3A: Maya Smith (HM)

Level 3B: Chaya Thomas (1st), Ellie Kate Loesch (2nd), Caleb Smoot (HM)

Level 4A: Jeremy Liang (2nd), Sebastian Delgado (HM)

Level 5A: Addison Riviere (1st)

Level 5B: Nate Corbin (2nd), Victoria Smoot (HM)

Level 6: Zorianna Chorney (1st), Kayli Werner (2nd), Isadora Chorney (HM)

Level 7: Savannah McCombs (2nd), Felicity Holder (HM), Jared Werner (HM)

Level 8: Mia Levin (2nd), Emma Levin (HM)

Level 9: Joseph Smoot (2nd), Domonique Smoot (HM)

MTACC Scholarship Competitions

The following students have been invited to represent Blanchard Piano Studio at the MTACC Scholarship Competitions, Saturday, May 14, Christ Church, 112 Charles St., La Plata, MD. The prize for each category is \$100.

Grades 5-6: Simon Bowling

Grades 7-8: Isadora Chorney, Addison Riviere

Grades 9-10: Savannah McCombs, Selam Taylor

Grades 11-12: Kristina Chan, Felicity Holder, Emma Levin, Mia Levin

MTASM Honors Competitions

The following students have been invited to represent Blanchard Piano Studio at the MTASM Honors Recitals, Saturday, May 21st, Grace and Peace, 22646 Benswood Road, California, MD. Every student will receive a trophy for being selected. First, Second, Third, and Honorable Mention ribbons will be given. The Senior Division is also the MSMTA Scholarship Competition with a prize of \$100. The Senior Division also allows earning of points toward the Senior Distinguished Music Achievement Award given by the Maryland State Music Teachers Association.

Junior Division (Grades 4-6): Jeremy Liang, Chaya Thomas, Saleem Habeebullah

Intermediate Division (Grades 7-9): Zorianna Chorney, Sebastian Delgado, Addison Riviere, Kayli Werner

Senior Division (Grades 10-12): Kristina Chan, Felicity Holder, Emma Levin, Mia Levin, Savannah McCombs, Grace Wilson

MSMTA High School Exam (Remote)

The following students are scheduled to play in the MSMTA High School Exam. Friday, May 20th, is the deadline to upload your Youtube link.

Felicity Holder, Emma Levin, Kirstina Chan

May 27 is our Practice Tree deadline!

T-shirts will be ordered the week of May 30th so keep practicing 5 days each week to meet the deadline for your "Play-Piano" T-shirt. If you have forgotten to put up your sticker, please update this week! **Keep practicing to earn 24 stickers!**