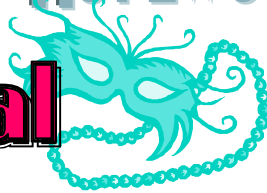


March 2009

Bemidji Music Studio

NOTEWORTHY NEWS

Festival Recital



OUR FESTIVAL RECITAL WILL BE HELD AT THE COVENANT CHURCH ON **MARCH 21ST AT 3PM**. STUDENTS SHOULD ARRIVE ABOUT 20 MINUTES EARLY. VIOLIN STUDENTS ARE ASKED TO WEAR "CONCERT DRESS" FOR THIS RECITAL. (BLACK OR NAVY COLORED PANTS OR SKIRTS, AND WHITE OR LIGHT COLORED TOPS.) PIANO STUDENTS SHOULD WEAR NICE CLOTHES AS THEY WOULD FOR ANY OTHER RECITAL.

EACH FAMILY IS ASKED TO BRING A PLATE OF SOMETHING TO SHARE (COOKIES, BROWNIES, CRACKERS AND CHEESE, VEGGIES & DIP, ETC.), TO OUR SHORT RECEPTION FOLLOWING THE RECITAL. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THE RECITAL, PLEASE LET ASHLEY KNOW!

Practice Tip of the Month



Practice your assignments IN ORDER!

There *is* a rhyme and reason to the order in which your teacher writes down your practice assignments in your practice book. Scales, technique, and warm ups should come first. Reviewing or polishing recital songs should come next, followed by new songs and theory or sight-reading. Don't skip over the hard stuff and save it for the day before your lesson. Tackle the hard stuff right away, and continue practicing it throughout the week. This way, it will be **EASIER** for you by the day of your lesson!

March Group class will be held at the Covenant Church. Only students who are performing in our Festival Recital on March 21st need to attend this group class. Piano students received their group rehearsal time at their February group class. All violin group rehearsals will begin at 6pm. If you need a recital song list, please let your teacher know.

→ DON'T FORGET!

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As of March 2nd there are 60 days left until our Spring Recital, and 91 days left to join the 100 Day Club this year. Many of our students are on track to get into the 100 or 200 Day Club, and many students who practice regularly are approaching the half-way mark of their 100 days! Keep up the good work practicing!!

DAY CLUB

Reminder

THERE ARE NO REGULAR LESSONS THE WEEK OF MARCH 9TH. MAKE-UP LESSONS WILL BE SCHEDULED THROUGHOUT THE WEEK FOR THOSE WHO NEED TO MAKE-UP A LESSON. PLEASE CONTACT ASHLEY TO SCHEDULE A MAKE-UP LESSON TIME IF YOUR CHILD NEEDS ONE.

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