

june music notes

I hope this finds you off to a great start enjoying summer activities! The spring recital went fabulously; I am SO proud of all the students! It is extremely difficult to play in front of an audience, and many of you were performing for the very first time due to pandemic-related restrictions. You should be extremely proud of what you accomplished! I am still working to get the performance uploaded to the Facebook and Instagram pages, but it is available to view on the studio [YouTube Channel](#). Photos of student performances will also be posted to the social media pages this month. In addition, any student who completed the May challenge and memorized one of their recital pieces will get to select their prize at their first summer lesson!

Summer is a busy time, and I want all students to take the time to enjoy all the activities that summer offers! It is not a problem if students need to miss a lesson due to a family vacation, activities, etc. – just let me know in advance if at all possible. Because I know that warm weather usually means less time for practice, there will only be one color-in practice tracker for the entire summer. Each month will continue to have its own monthly challenge that students may complete for a prize.

Don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or schedule conflicts – a text to my cell phone usually receives the quickest response. 641-226-3886. Happy summer!

MONTHLY CHALLENGE

Complete one unit of technical exercises in your music binder.

Students who complete this challenge receive a prize!

COMPOSER OF THE MONTH

W.A. Mozart

Did you know... that Mozart transcribed (wrote down) the entire score of Allegri's *Miserere* from memory after he heard it in the Vatican?

UPCOMING DATES

June 13 **Summer Schedule Begins**

July 4-8 **NO LESSONS**

August 8-12 **NO LESSONS**

Aug. 22-Sept. 2 **NO LESSONS**

September 6 or 12 **School Year Schedule Begins**

SPOTLIGHT STUDENT: MAYA SCHROEDER

Maya Schroeder just finished fourth grade at Park Elementary and has been taking piano lessons since 2019. Maya always comes to lessons with a smile on her face and loves to play popular music. Maya enjoys spending time outside, and she's even been known to help with gardening outside the Lofgren house. ;) Maya loves learning new things and is quite creative! You can check out her student interview beginning June 16, 2022 on the studio YouTube channel or on the studio's Facebook and Instagram pages.



Be sure to follow for student performances and additional updates!

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