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MUSIC NOTES



Updates for the students and parents of Delta Community Music School. www.dcms.ca



OVERVIEW:

- Registration for Fall
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- New Faculty for Fall 2021

Registration for Fall

Registration is now ongoing for fall classes in our 2022 - 2023 Term. See our website Registration page or call the school office for details.

Thank you to all the students and parents who have stayed the course with us for the past two years as we return to more normal teaching conditions this fall.

Conformations for fall registration will be sent out by the school office by mid August.



Summer at DCMS

Thrive City String Boot Camp

Online. July 25 - 29

Camp Luther August 2-6, 2022

Stringbootcamp.com

South Delta Jazz Festival and Workshop

Online - August 2 - 5

Jazz Combo Week August 9 - 14

Festival Weekend - August 13/14

Vocal Jazz August 16- 18

www.southdeltajazzfestival.com

Scholarship Competition 2022

Congratulations to everyone who took part in this year's scholarship competition. Our Instrumental recital was held May 1st and our Vocal concert was held on June 3rd. This year there were 20 entrants in the two competitions; vocal and instrumental.

Our adjudicators Andy Toth

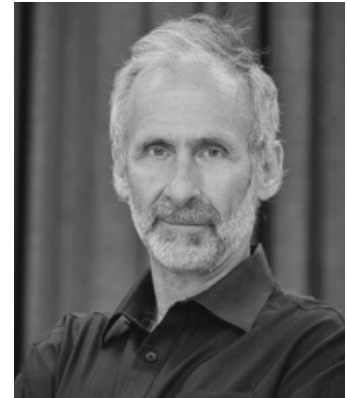


Andy is currently the director of the Pre-Professional Musical Theatre Troupe at Arts Umbrella, as well as the coordinator of Arts Umbrella's new Theatre Conservatory gap-year program.

Andy has directed and produced shows for Kamloops Symphony Orchestra, Chilliwack Academy of Music, and industrials for companies like Yellowtail and RBC. Andy is also Artistic Director of Award Stage Productions: the west coast's leading youth theatre production company offering real-world production experience to young artists moving from their awkward stage to the next stage, whatever that may be.

As a performer audiences province-wide know Andy from his recent tour-de-force performance as Edna in Hairspray at Theatre Under the Stars, as Brian in Avenue Q for the Arts Club and more. Andy also has a significant voice-over career with hundreds of cartoons and commercials. Andy is also in demand as an adjudicator, workshop leader and coach for individuals and groups of professionals and community performers alike. He has been a guest speaker for auditions, courses and conferences at SFU, UBC, and Capilano University.

Barrie Barrington



Dr. Barrington has taught in the music department at Douglas College in New Westminster since 1984. His teaching duties include private studio lessons, class piano and chamber music. He is currently the head of the keyboard division.

Barrie earned both his MMus and DMA from UBC and studied with the renowned pianist, Robert Silverman.

DCMS Scholarship Winners 2022



Voice

Junior

Daniella Lambert
Emily Harland

Senior

Heather Thwaites
Zoe Rapos
Sydney Harland

Instrumental

Junior

Mina Stefanovic (piano)
Caitlyn Chen (clarinet)
Yabhin Yim (piano)

Senior

Kitty Song (clarinet)
Elisa Ma (piano)
Spencer Leung- Cowie (piano)

Summer Programs for 2022

By Stephen Robb

We are excited to bring back some of our programs this year, and also we will be offering some New Summer programs for 2022!

South Delta Jazz Festival



Our South Delta Jazz Festival will be returning this summer. We will be running in-person instrumental and vocal jazz workshops at the Red Barn at Southlands and other locations in South Delta. We welcome many of our regular faculty back to the camp including **Len Aruliah, Brad Muirhead, Kevin Lee, Ron Samworth, Brent Gubbels and Stan Taylor**, along with our own Music Director **Stephen Robb**.

see www.southdeltajazzfestival.com for registration and information.

New for this Summer will be a Vocal Jazz Camp under the direction of **Jennifer Scott** and **Dr. Laura Harrison** (director of vocal jazz studies at Capilano University) This will be a three day workshop held at the Red Barn at Southlands and will include opportunities for singers to work in a jazz choir setting and learn solo repertoire.

There will be opportunities to work with a rhythm sections and be accompanied by some of Vancouver's finest including bassist **Rene Worst**.

Thrive City String Boot Camp 2022

VIRTUAL RETREAT:
July 25-29, 2022

Last-year's online Novice Camp and IA Seminar have combined into a fun, intensive, virtual retreat for violinists, violists, cellists of all levels.

see www.stringbootcamp.com for registration and information



IN-PERSON ADVANCED SEMINAR:
August 2-6, 2022

The In-Person Advanced Seminar is a 5-day intensive residential retreat for string instrumentalists aimed at improving technique and building a creative and artistic foundation. The retreat takes place at Camp Luther in Mission, British Columbia, Canada. Daily sessions emphasize building and improving a firm technical foundation through technique classes, private lessons, and applied theory; while also focusing on developing well-rounded musicianship through chamber music, improvisation, workshops, and masterclasses.

Coming Events

South Delta Jazz Festival Festival Weekend

August 13, 2022

Live jazz and food & beverage-
5 - 8 pm - see Eventbrite for details - QR code



August 14, 2022

Student Concert 2 - 4 pm

