

2026 PROVINCIAL RECOMMENDATIONS

PIANO

10 years & under: Bella Tang Liu (Alternate – Ella Liu)
Grade 2 – 3: Andre Jodoin
13 years & under: Felix Tang Liu
Grade 4 – 5: Mathew Barta (Alternate – Ellington Radbourne)
Grade 6 – 7: Zuzana Barta
15 years & under: Vivian Liu
17 years & under: Hubert Wiszowaty (Alternate – Lulu Liu)
Grade 8 – 9: William Ding (Alternate – Abigail Cruz)
Grade 10/ARTC: Emily Ding
Piano Concerto – 1 Movement – Emily Ding (Alternate Hubert Wiszowaty)
Piano Duet – One Piano – Grade 6 and over – Zuzana & Angela Barta (Alternates – Emily & William Ding)

CHORAL

Grades 1 – 3: Whispering Ridge Community School Junior Choir
Grades 4 – 6: Whispering Ridge Community School Grade 4 - 6 Choir (Alternate – RWZ Rising Voices Choir)
Grades 6 – 9: St. Kateri Senior Choir
13 years & under – Grande Prairie Girls' Chorus (Melodia Piccola)
15 years & under – Peace Region Girls Choir (Viva)

VOCAL

Classical Vocal 10 years and under – Elliot Wiens
Classical Vocal 13 years and under – Daphne Russell (Alternate – Elliana Barendregt)
Classical Vocal 15 years and under – Anna Lemay
CCM Vocal – 13 years and under – Jolie Lalonde (Alternate – Daphne Russell)
CCM Vocal – 17 years and under – Jessica Lapshin (Alternate – Beth Jaeger)
CCM Vocal – 28 years and under – Gracie Patey (Alternate – Emma Doris)

MUSICAL THEATRE

Ballad or Up-Tempo - 10 years & under – Samantha Winnicky (Alternate – Elliott Wiens)
Ballad - 13 years & under – Daphne Russell (Alternate – Reese Kjemhus)
Up-Tempo - 13 years & under – Jolie Lalonde (Alternate – Daphne Russell)
Ballad - 15 years & under – Leah-Rae Farion (Alternate – Taylor Amos)
Up-Tempo - 15 years & under – Hope MacDonald (Alternate – Daphne Russell)
Ballad - 17 years & under – Rachel Mapaye
Up-Tempo - 17 years & under – Jessica Lapshin (Alternate – Taylor Kuntz)
Duet – 14 years & over – Jessica Lapshin & Rachel Mapaye (Alternates – Leah-Rae Farion & Taylor Kuntz)

STRINGS

Violin/Viola – 13 years and under: Hyang Seo
Violin/Viola – 15 years and under: Gwang Seo
Violin/Viola – 17 years and under: Yuhan Lin
Violin/Viola – 28 years and under: Julia Biegel/
String/Keyboard Sonata - 1 Movement – Yuhan Lin

MUSICAL COMPOSITION

13 years & under - Maddox Armstrong

SCHOLARSHIPS

JUNIOR PIANO

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| The Captain's Boil Restaurant----- | \$200.00 | – Sophie Seabrook |
| The Mok Family ----- | 150.00 | – Bella Tang Liu |
| The Mok Family ----- | 150.00 | – Ella Liu |
| GPMF----- | 150.00 | – Andre Jodoin |
| Rosemary Smith Memorial Scholarship----- | 100.00 | – Everleigh Brace |
| Barbara Donkin Memorial Scholarship----- | 100.00 | – Leo Choi |
| Better Than Fred's ----- | 100.00 | – Tenley Austin |
| The Bowes Family ----- | 100.00 | – Tiffany Tumambing |
| Long & McQuade Musical Instruments ----- | 100.00 | – Calder Cymbaluk |
| The Winnicky-Lewis Family----- | 100.00 | – Griffin Sherk |
| The Captain's Boil Restaurant----- | 100.00 | – Renae Loberg |
| GPMF----- | 100.00 | – Talia Seabrook |
| GPMF----- | 100.00 | – Kallie Novakowski |

INTERMEDIATE PIANO

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| Natalie Kazakoff Memorial Scholarship ----- | \$300.00 | – Felix Tang Liu |
| Rosemary Smith Memorial Scholarship----- | 200.00 | – Rita Choi |
| Better Than Fred's----- | 200.00 | – Mathew Barta |
| The Bowes Family ----- | 200.00 | – Zuzana Barta |
| The Mok Family ----- | 150.00 | – Ryan Liu |
| The Mok Family ----- | 150.00 | – Ellington Radbourne |
| GPMF----- | 150.00 | – Angela Barta |
| KMSC Law LLP----- | 100.00 | – Easton Cowan |
| GPMF----- | 100.00 | – Maddox Armstrong |

SENIOR PIANO

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| ROTARY CLUB OF GRANDE PRAIRIE AWARD -- | \$1,000.00 | – Emily Ding |
| The Mok Family ----- | 300.00 | – Lulu Liu |
| The Winnicky-Lewis Family----- | 200.00 | – Hubert Wiszowaty |
| Long & McQuade Musical Instruments ----- | 200.00 | – William Ding |

MUSICAL COMPOSITION

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| Better Than Fred's----- | \$200.00 | – Maddox Armstrong |
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STRINGS

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| Eric Dalen Memorial Scholarship ----- | \$400.00 | – Julia Biegel |
| Long & McQuade Musical Instruments ----- | 200.00 | – Yuhan Lin |
| Sexsmith Elks #284 ----- | 100.00 | – Gwang Seo |
| KMSC Law LLP----- | 100.00 | – Hyang Seo |

MUSICAL THEATRE

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| Better than Fred's----- | \$300.00 | – Rachel Mapaye |
| EllynOtterson Memorial Scholarship ----- | 200.00 | – Taylor Amos |
| Bill Bowes Family ----- | 200.00 | – Leah-Rae Farion |
| GPMF----- | 150.00 | – Jessica Lapshin |
| The Mok family----- | 100.00 | – Taylor Kuntz |
| GPMF----- | 100.00 | – Daphne Russell |

VOCAL

Barbara Fedeyko Memorial Scholarship ----- \$400.00 – Daphne Russell
KMSC Law LLP----- 300.00 – Anna Lemay
Winnicky-Lewis Family ----- 200.00 – Elliana Barendregt

GUITAR

Eric Dalen Memorial ----- \$200.00 – Jordan Meurs

SPEECH ARTS

Bretter Than Fred's ----- \$100.00 – Agatha Piebiak

HARP

Bretter Than Fred's ----- \$200.00 – Colbie Gropp

PLAQUES AND GPMF AWARDS

Junior Piano

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| 5 years & under | GPMF Award – Madyson Cymbaluk |
| 6 years | GPMF Award – Gabriella Ezeogbo |
| 7 years | GPMF Award – Gavin De Vries |
| 8 years | GPMF Award – Brynn Frattini |
| 9 years | GPMF Award – Ella Lukoni |
| 10 years | GPMF Award – Lia Jesse |
| 11 years | GPMF Award – Celeste Nelson |
| 12 years | GPMF Award – Corben McInnis |
| 13 years & over | GPMF Award – Christina Gross |

Intermediate Piano

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| 10 years & under | GPMF Award – Daniel Hu |
| 11 years | GPMF Award – Rita Choi |
| 12 years | GPMF Award – Felix Tang Liu |
| 13 years | GPMF Award – Mia Dingeldein |
| 14 years | GPMF Award – Lucas Armstrong |
| 15 years & over | GPMF Award – Lena Hockman |
| Duet | GPMF Award – Angela & Zuzana Barta |

Senior Piano

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| 14 years & under | GPMF Award – William Ding |
| 15 years | GPMF Award – Vivian Liu |
| 16 years | GPMF Award – Justina Martens |
| 17 years & over | GPMF Award – Emma Jin |
| Duet Award | GPMF Award – Lulu Liu & Emma Jin |

Strings

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| 6 years & under | GPMF Award – Not Awarded |
| 7 - 9 years | GPMF Award – Kensley MacGregor |
| 10 - 12 years | GPMF Award – Annabelle Crocker |
| 13 - 14 years | GPMF Award – Jhett Hiltz |
| 15 years & over | GPMF Award – River Hockman |

Vocal

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| 6 years & under | GPMF Award – Addison Rutherford |
| 7 - 9 years | GPMF Award – Brielle Gallant |
| 10 - 12 years | GPMF Award – Elliott Wiens |
| 13 - 14 years | GPMF Award – Hannah Schroeder |
| 15 years & over | GPMF Award – Jessica Lapshin |

Musical Theatre

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| 6 years & under | GPMF Award – Not Awarded |
| 7 - 9 years | GPMF Award – Brielle Gallant |
| 10 - 12 years | GPMF Award – Reese Kjemhus |
| 13 - 14 years | GPMF Award – Octavia Fehler |
| 15 years & over | GPMF Award – Hope MacDonald |
| Duet Award | GPMF Award – Leah-Rae Farian & Taylor Kuntz |

Choral

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| Kindergarten - Grade 3: | GPMF Plaque – Whispering Ridge Community School |
| Grades 4 – 6 Barbara Donkin Award: | GPMF Plaque – Whispering Ridge Community School Grade 4 – 6 Choir |
| Grades 6 – 9 | GPMF Plaque – St. Kateri Senior Choir |
| Community Choir 11 years & under: | GPMF Plaque Sponsored by Better Than Fred's Inc. Grande Prairie Girls' Chorus (Melodia Piccola) |
| Community Choir 13 years & under: | GPMF Plaque Sponsored by Better Than Fred's Inc. Peace Region Girls' Choir (Canta) |
| Community Choir 15 years & under: | GPMF Plaque Sponsored by Better Than Fred's Inc. Grande Prairie Girls' Chorus (Senior) |

Orchestra

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| Elementary Orchestra | GPMF Plaque – Derek Taylor Grade 6 Strings |
| Junior High Orchestra | GPMF Plaque – Ecole Montrose/Aspen Grove 7/8 Orchestra |
| Senior High Orchestra | GPMF Plaque – Charles Spencer Orchestra |

Classroom Music

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| Orff Ensemble | GPMF Plaque – Helen E. Taylor School Junior High |
| Recorder Ensemble | GPMF Plaque – Aspen Grove Grade 5 Music |
| Classroom Music – Grade 5 | GPMF Plaque – Swanavon Ukuleles |
| School Hand Chimes chorus | GPMF Plaque – Swanavon Handchimes |

Bands

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| Elementary Band (1 year) | GPMF Plaque – Harry Balfour Grade 5 Band |
| Elementary Band (2 years) | GPMF Plaque – Ecole St. Gerard Band 6 |
| Junior High Grade 1 | GPMF Plaque – Ecole St. Gerard Grade Band 7 |
| Junior High Grade 2 | GPMF Plaque – Ecole St. Gerard Grade 8/9 Band |
| Junior High Grade 3 | GPMF Plaque – Fort Nelson Secondary Tour Band |
| Junior High Jazz Band | GPMF Plaque – Fort Nelson Secondary Jazz Band |
| Senior High Grade 3 | GPMF Plaque – Peace Wapiti Academy/Sexsmith Secondary Sr. band |
| Quartet | GPMF Plaque – Fort Nelson Sax Quartet |

Woodwinds

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| Woodwind Duet | GPMF Plaque – Angelina Lin & Keira Wilson |
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