
FMTA October Newsletter

Our Next Meeting is

Wednesday, October 18th

9:30 a.m.-General Meeting

10:30 a.m. - Program: Adjudication

Presenter: Carrie Christensen

*****NEW (really old!) LOCATION!!!**

Location: Our Savior's Church

1975 S. Garrison St.

Lakewood, CO 80227

Note from Sue Brownson on the church entrance:

Please use the **Garrison Street entrance** at Our Saviour's Church. We have our general meeting in the Fellowship Hall and then move to the Sanctuary for our program. The door at the Garrison Street entrance will remain unlocked during the time that we are there. Please do not prop the door open during our meeting times. It wastes energy and small animals can gain entry into the building. Unfortunately, there is a homeless problem in the area and an open door is often used to hide in the church. At the end of the program, please be aware that the church will need to be closed down and locked. A couple of minutes to finish a conversation is fine but we do need to be out of the church in order to abide by our contract.

Do you have an announcement for the monthly newsletter?

Please email davina.perret@gmail.com by the first of the month to have it included in the next month's newsletter.

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, Nov. 4th: Achievement Day @ CCU

Saturday, Dec. 2nd: Holiday Benefit Recitals @ Southwest Plaza Mall

Saturday, Jan. 27th: Winter Festival @ Our Savior's Church

Saturday, March 9th: Sonatina Festival @ CCU

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Achievement Day: Registration is due by midnight THIS WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4TH!!!! Click [here](#) for more information and to register your students. Please contact April Larsen with questions aprillarsenmusicstudio@gmail.com

Holiday Benefit Recitals @ Southwest Plaza-Saturday, Dec. 2nd.
We have a few spots left to fill! Sign up for 15, 30, 45 or 60 minute time spots. Contact Davina to sign up. davina.perret@gmail.com

Sonatina Festival-March 9, 2024

The Repertoire list has been updated and uploaded on to the website. Please double check with the list before assigning pieces to students for this event. <https://www.fmtamusic.org/sonatina-festival/>

Website:

We are updating the "Find A Teacher" directory on the FMTA website. Please click on the link provided to see if you are in the directory.

<https://www.fmtamusic.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/FMTA-Public-Directory-2022-23.pdf>

Email Carrie at carrie.pianoteacher@gmail.com ASAP if you:

- *Want to be removed from the list
- * Need to change information on the list
- *Want to be added to the list

Website Update: April Larsen is taking over the website updates and upkeep. Please contact her at aprillarsenmusicstudio@gmail.com with information to be posted on the website for the upcoming 2023-24 academic year. Only PDF forms of documents can be used when sending her file updates please.

FMTA Performance Group Schedule 2023-2024

All groups meet the 2nd Friday of the month at 10:00 AM.

Please let the host know if you plan to attend.

October 13 Betty Witt 303-456-7483

November 10 Kathy Hammer 303-988-9565

December/January No meetings

February 9 Laura Rogers 303-706-9079

March 8 Betty Witt 303-456-7483

April 12 Kathy Hammer 303-988-9565

May 10 TBD

PRP Reading Program: October 26, 2023

Our next book for the 2023-24 year will be *Atomic Habits*, by James Clear.

ATOMIC HABITS: An Easy and Proven Way to Build Good Habits and Break Bad Ones by James Clear Avery ISBNB 9780735211292 Copy write 2018

To read this book: 5 hours and 20 min on average

PRP Chair: Arlyce Black

Location: 6708 W. Arbor Drive, Littleton, CO 80123

Community

A FREE Marvin Blickenstaff Masterclass & Workshop sponsored by the Frances Clark Center

Hosted by Dr. Emily McGree and the DU Lamont Piano Preparatory Program

Venue: University of Denver, Hamilton Recital Hall

Date: Saturday, October 14th, 2023

Time: 2:30PM - 5:30PM

There will be a reception for Meet & Greet after the masterclass and workshop with Marvin.

FRIENDS OF CHAMBER MUSIC DISCOUNT TICKETS!

Aaron Stampfl wants to share some DISCOUNT CODES with our FMTA members for upcoming concerts. Check it out:

Buy 1, get 1 free for the following two concerts with code **FCMBOGO23**

Michelle Cann, piano

October 4, 2023 - 7:30 PM

<https://friendsofchambermusic.com/event/michelle-cann-piano/>

20% off the following concerts with code **FCMDAMTA**

Thibaudet-Batiashvili-Capuçon Trio

October 19, 2023

<https://friendsofchambermusic.com/event/thibaudet-batiashvili-capucon-trio/>

Isidore String Quartet

November 28, 2023

<https://friendsofchambermusic.com/event/thibaudet-batiashvili-capucon-trio/>

Jeremy Denk, piano

December 13, 2023

<https://friendsofchambermusic.com/event/jeremy-denk-piano-3/>

FCM now has FLEX Vouchers. \$190 for a package of 4 tickets. The tickets can be used for any show, one at a time or all at once.