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NEWSLETTER – JANUARY 2011

CALENDAR

Jan 3	First Day 2011 lessons!	Regular lessons
Jan 22	MMTA Contest CSS – 4 th floor	<i>Registered students only</i>
Feb 21 – 26	Winter Break	NO Regular LESSONS
Mar 5-6	Festival CSS – 4 th floor	<i>Registered students only</i>
March 6	Festival Recitals 4 & 6pm	Eastridge Church
May 1	SPRING RECITAL 2:00	Eastridge Church
April 18 – 23	Spring Break	NO Regular LESSONS
August 1 – 6	Spirit Valley Days	Spirit Valley / West Duluth
Aug 5	Summer OUTDOOR Recital Parade Line up PARADE begins	4:00pm on STAGE 5:00 meet at HMA for parade 6:30 Grand Ave
September 12	2011-2012 Year Begins	

Spring Recital

Date:

Sunday, May 1

Time:

2:00pm

Location: **Eastridge Church - 3727 W. Arrowhead Road**

Q&A: Hamlin Music Recitals

Who can play at recitals?

A. All HMA students and other approved students, parents, teachers can perform.

What to wear

A. "Sunday Best" if preferred, including no torn jeans or inappropriate clothing

Which Shoes should I wear?

A. Shoes with laces or some secure hold (no "flip flops")
Pianists, be sure you can use the pedal in your shoes.

What song should I play? Discuss the song with your teacher.....then.....

A. Time your song at home to make sure it is approximately 2 minutes.

How to act at recitals?

A. Show respect to the attentive audience by saying "THANK YOU" with a bow following performance

RaeAnn's Tip on Bowing:

– Gracefully bend forward at your waist and look down at your shoes for 4 seconds. (No Head Nods and running/walking fast to seat.... say to yourself "Am I wearing shoes? .Yes I'm wearing shoes")

WALK MS

May 2 on the Lakewalk

RaeAnn's Rockin Walkers"
Go for a walk or donate to raise money to fight the devastating effects of Multiple Sclerosis (MS).

EXCELLENT JOB TO ALL WHO PERFORMED THE FUN FEST AT THE DECC FEB 26 & 27!!! ☺

AT YOUR LESSON

- SIGN IN before each lesson,
- CHECK YOUR MAILBOX
- LEAVE PAYMENTS or NOTE in HMA BOX on First Floor
- Upstairs lessons – PLEASE REMOVE SHOES!!!

At the HMA OFFICE

Ask questions, pay tuition, sign up for events

1. Please contact your TEACHER with questions regarding the content of lessons.
2. Contact HMA OFFICE with questions about your bill and policy.

