

Central East District of OhioMTA

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March 2011

From the President

Take time to read the newsletter—our District has some quality events scheduled for March and April.

Please take special note of the Spring Conference and its 2011 location (see page 2). The Annual Meeting will be held at the end of the conference. If you have business that needs to be discussed at the meeting, contact me no later than Friday, March 11 (614-882-8064 or caribou06@sbcglobal.net). I hope to see all of you at the Conference and Meeting.

Susan Treer, President
Central East District, OhioMTA

Piano Workshop

On Friday, March 11, the CEOhioMTA piano workshop will feature Dr. Daniel Shapiro on *The Piano Music of Franz Schubert* at 10:00 am at the Graves Piano & Organ Company. Dr. Shapiro continues to gain recognition as a leading interpreter of Schubert, Mozart, Brahms and Beethoven—whose thirty-two sonata cycle he has twice performed—and as a teacher and coach at the Cleveland Institute of Music. He has given critically acclaimed recitals and concerto appearances across the United States, Europe and Brazil. His recent CD of Beethoven's "Diabelli" Variations on the Azica label has received enthusiastic reviews. For detailed information regarding his workshop, please visit <http://www.ceomta.com/conferences-workshops/piano-workshop-iii>.

Central East District of OhioMTA/Graves Piano Solo & Ensemble Contest

March 5-6, 2011

Performances by classification are scheduled as follows:

Saturday, March 5: 9:30 a.m. Senior (15-18 yr. old); 12:30 p.m. Elementary (6-10 yr old); and 1:30 p.m. Young Artist (19 yr. & older).

Sunday, March 6: 9:30 a.m. Junior (11-14 yr old); and tba Senior & Young Artist duets.

This competition is open to the public. Come and hear some fine pianists at Graves!



New Donor!

Summer Study Scholarships will add a new donor for this year's auditions.

The Piano Technicians Guild, Columbus Chapter, has graciously offered to support the scholarship fund this year. We are delighted that they have joined our donor list. We are most grateful for their interest in this program. To all members of the Columbus Chapter, we appreciate you and thank you very much!

The Columbus Chapter President is Christopher Purdy (purdy@ohio.edu).

Submitted by Karen Hittetpole, co-chair of Summer Music Study Scholarships.

Out and About Events

STARS—Students and Teachers Supporting the Arts

Remind your students to show you 3, 5, or 7 programs from either a professional or collegiate performance, or any special performance at their temple or place of worship. Then download an entry form from our website (www.ceomta.org); go to *Student Activities*, then *Out and About* and scroll to the bottom). List the concerts attended and confirm that you have seen the printed programs. Either mail the entry form to **Melissa Robol, NCTM**, or bring it to our Spring Conference where the prize drawings be held.

Donations of tickets from local performing arts groups for next year's season will be distributed at the Spring Conference. One prize will be awarded to students who attended 3 performances, two prizes to those who attended 5, and the remainder to those who attended 7. The more your students support the arts, the greater the odds of winning!

Sound of Mind and Body

The Cancer Care Ward renovation at Riverside Hospital is now complete, and the grand piano in their family waiting area has been tuned! Last month eight students played beautifully, once again able to do so in three locations in the ward.

Your students preparing for spring recitals, Guild Auditions or school programs are welcome to play up to five minutes of music you accept as performance ready, either the first Sunday of April or May. There will then be a summer break for the program. This public service performance opportunity is truly welcomed by the hospital patients, their loved ones, and staff.

Sound of Mind and Body, cont.

You can download a registration form (see directions in the STARS article), or simply email **Melissa Robol, NCTM** with the following information: student name, age, selection and composer. The student must be referred by their teacher to participate. Remind your students that this opportunity is not a recital, so only one family member (usually the driver) should accompany them.

Central East District Spring Conference & Annual Meeting

When: Monday April 11, 2011

Time: 9:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

Where: Battelle Fine Arts Center, Otterbein University

Dr. Robert Duke will be the keynote speaker.

This event is being cosponsored by the Otterbein University.

Plan now to attend this exciting event!

Watch for further details on our website (www.ceomta.org).



Pianorama

The Literature List for Pianorama is now available! Pianorama is a fun and motivational experience for the students as well as a fundraiser for our district. Begin planning now so your students will have the music learned by the audition date. This year the registration packets will be sent by email for those who are on the email list, and regular mail for those who are not. The information will also be available on the district website ceomta.org. Look for it in the coming weeks!

Lee Ann Forgrave, NCTM and **Melissa Robol, NCTM**, Chairmen

Literature List for Pianorama 2011

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| 1A | Teaching Little Fingers to Play Easy Duets, Carolyn Miller / Willis (Hal Leonard) / \$5.99 or \$10.99 with cd
London Bridge
Mary Had a Little Lamb
Old MacDonald
Animal Fair | 2B | Terrific Tunes for 2, Book 2, Martha Mier / Alfred / \$6.95
Swingin' Smoke Signals
Billy Goat Rag
Songs from Brazil, Marion Verhaalen, ed. Robert Pace / Hal Leonard / \$2.95
Constanca
Ciranda Cirandinha |
| 1B | Teaching Little Fingers to Play More Easy Duets, Carolyn Miller / Willis (Hal Leonard) / \$5.99 or \$10.00 with cd
Man on the Flying Trapeze (add repeat)
Do Your Ears Hang Low?
The Yellow Rose of Texas
Skip to My Lou | 3A | Piano for Two Book 4, Carol Matz / FJH / \$5.95
Unfinished Symphony
Auld Lang Syne
The Entertainer
Round 'n' Round, Lynn Freeman Olson / Carl Fischer / \$4.95 |
| 2A | Piano for Two Book 1, Carol Matz / FJH / \$5.95
When the Saints Go Marching In (add repeat)
Russian Wedding Dance
Take Me Out to the Ballgame
Marionette's Funeral March | 3B | Folk Song Portraits, Dennis Alexander / Alfred / \$6.95
Aupres de ma Blonde
Shenandoah
This Train
Carnival for Two, Catherine Rollin / Alfred / \$3.95 |
| | | 4 | Sonatina Op. 17, 3 rd movement (no repeats), Kuhlau / Kjos / \$3.95
More New Orleans Jazz Style Duets, Gillock arr. Glenda Austin / Willis / \$9.99
New Orleans Blues
Bourbon Street Saturday Night
The Phantom, Melody Bober / FJH / \$2.95 |
| | | 5 | Ostinato Barbaro, Robert Vandall / Alfred / \$4.50
Rhapsody Grandioso, Melody Bober / Alfred / \$4.95
"Morning" from Peer Gynt Suite No. 1, Op. 46 Grieg / Kalmus / \$9.95 |
| | | AE | Weekly & Arganbright Duet Repertoire, Level Nine / Kjos / \$9.95
The Ball, Op. 22, No. 12 Georges Bizet
Romance, Op. 11, No. 5, Rachmaninoff
C.S. Theme and Variations, Randall Compton / Heritage (Lorenz) / \$4.95 |

Pianorama 2011 Dates

Auditions: Oct. 8

Special Auditions (for performances between groups): Oct. 15

Rehearsals: Oct. 22 and 29

Dress Rehearsals and Concerts: Nov. 5

Welcome, New Members!

Mariko Kaneda Piano
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Columbus, OH 43214 Theory
(614) 262-5755
mmkaneda@owu.edu

Daniel Sachs Piano
210 East Silver Street Theory
Lebanon, OH 45036
(513) 238-9519

Woodwind Master Class

Saturday, March 26, 2011 at 2:00 p.m., the Woodwind Master Class will be held in the Huntington Recital Hall at Capital University. Leone Busye, professor of flute at Rice University and former co-principal flutist of the Boston Symphony, will lead the workshop. Three students from Capital and one student of **Beth Owen, NCTM**, will perform.

Member News

Jerry Casey, a Central Ohio composer, has just released a new CD entitled "Yet I will Rejoice", featuring her choral and vocal chamber music. For more information, see CDBaby.com.

Dr. Gulimina Mahamuti will present a lecture on *Recession-Resistant Piano Studio* at the spring meeting of Richland County of OhioMTA on March 7.

Susan Treer

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Dated Material: Do Not Delay