

Minutes LRMTA – April 12, 2010

In attendance: Christine, Linda, Doreen, Betty Jo, Martha, Karen, Corrie, Alma, Joan.

Kiwanis Festival feedback: low marking, unhappy with Sylvia Shadick -Taylor

Christine applied to AMEF for help with funding April 24th workshop.

Only students taking exams and the examiner should be close to the examining room. Everyone else should not be within listening range. Suggestion to approach Lou Joss and/or Jan about moving the desk and waiting area outside the examining area farther away.

ARMTA president Judith Ammann will visit Lethbridge for the May 3rd meeting. Any questions or concerns, this is an excellent time to approach our Provincial President.

Angela Cheng is a recitalist on November 4th and our main clinician at Music Conference Alberta on November 5th. For further information check out the ARMTA web site

<http://www.armta.ca/MenuItems/Events/ProvincialConference/ConferenceInfo.shtml>

Coffee group – Monday April 19th at the Lodge.
Contact is Betty Jo.

Christine has been working on the Bylaws/Policies and Procedures. She will send out via e-mail a copy for all members to look at. Any suggestions please be in contact with Christine.
Generally by-laws should not be date specific. The Policies /Procedures reflect the by-laws.

Workshop – April 24th – Marilyn Snyder
9 – 12:30 at Note-Able Music

Masterclass lessons – Joan's home – 2310 - 22nd street south

Saturday 2:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.

General Recital: May 8th, 2:30 p.m. at the University of Lethbridge: students will be invited to play more than one piece if they wish. Convenors will be Karen MacDonald and Joan Milton.

Adult recital - Note-Able music – June 5th at 10:30 a.m. Doreen Laing and Linda will be the convenors. Please let them know if you have students interested in playing.

Piano class festival : adjudicators – Brian Black – senior: Colleen Klassen – junior
The venues will be Note-ble Music in the a.m. and McKillop in the p.m.

Lucien Needham has offered to give our group a free workshop explaining our instrument – the piano. Christine suggested possibly sometime in October at McKillop church.

LRMTA is still looking for a President to replace Christine and give Christine a break from the full time job. She has offered to carry on with some many of the duties she was responsible even before becoming president but would like someone to chair the meetings and give her a well deserved break. This is a wonderful opportunity for someone and would be a great learning experience.