

## **Sask Valley Music Festival Association**

### **2023 Festival Information**

**When:** March 22<sup>nd</sup> to March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Final Awards Concert on March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023

**Where:** All general festival performances and Final Awards Concert will take place at:  
St. Odilon Roman Catholic Church  
3004 Saskatchewan St., Rosthern, SK

Musical Theatre festival performances will take place at:  
Station Arts Centre  
701 Railway Ave., Rosthern, SK

**Registration:** Register online at <https://events.solarislive.com/SaskValley-Music-Festival>  
Registrations starts in January and entry deadline is January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Please refer to the SMFA 2022-2024 Syllabus for information on classes, rules, regulations. The syllabus is available online at <https://smfa.ca/syllabus-regulations> on the SMFA website.

Still have questions? Please direct all registration and entry questions to [saskvalleymusicfestivalreg@gmail.com](mailto:saskvalleymusicfestivalreg@gmail.com)

#### **Sask Valley Music Festival District:**

The Sask Valley Music Festival district includes the following communities: Martensville, Warman, Osler, Hague, Rosthern, Duck Lake, Laird, Waldheim, Blaine Lake, and Hepburn.

**Students from any community in Saskatchewan are welcome to enter our festival.**

Please see information below regarding qualifications for local awards and Provincial Finals.

**Scholarships:** **Local festival scholarships** are available to students who live, or study with a teacher who lives in the Sask Valley district, except for the Alumni Post-Secondary scholarships.

**Alumni Post-Secondary scholarships** are available to all competitors who are alumni of the Sask Valley Music Festival, but do not qualify for local festival scholarships. This scholarship may be awarded to the same competitor for up to 4 years.

To qualify for an award, competitors must be entered and compete in at least two classes in the same discipline. Vocal classes and Musical Theatre classes will be considered under the discipline of Vocal for our local scholarships and awards.

Please see SVMFA Scholarships and Trophies for a list of available local awards.

**All awards may be subject to change depending on sponsorship and qualified entries.**

**Provincial Recommendations:**

Competitors wanting the opportunity to participate in Provincial Final Competitions must enter Provincial designated classes at a district festival and place first or second with a mark of 88 or higher to be eligible.

Competitors must also enter and compete in at least two solo classes in the same discipline.

Please see <https://smfa.ca/syllabus-regulations> page 11 for complete information.

**Additional Classes:**

Please see our addendum for additional classes available at our local festival.

**Entry Fees:**

Solo/Duet:	\$15
Senior Performance Class (Piano):	\$30
Small Ensembles (3 to 8 members):	\$20
Large Ensembles (9+ members):	\$25
Choir & Band	\$25

**Individual cap fee is \$75**

**Family cap fee is \$150**

**Financial Aid:**

The music festival experience should be available to all competitors who wish to participate in the Sask Valley Music Festival. If cost of entry fees is a prohibitive burden, a partial or complete bursary may be available to competitors. Only teachers can apply on behalf of the competitor and financial need is the primary prerequisite. Please contact Sask Valley Music Festival for more information and an application form at [saskvalleymusicfestivalreg@gmail.com](mailto:saskvalleymusicfestivalreg@gmail.com)