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Welcome to another music festival season! It's a busy, but exciting time for students, teachers, and most of all our District Festival planning committees and the SMFA staff.

On behalf of the SMFA Board of Directors I would like to thank you for your hard work and dedication to ensure a successful music festival for all. If you aren't on a committee, consider joining! Most of all, be sure to thank your local committee members for all that they do!

Music and spoken word will be filling our venues this spring. Good luck to all participants, and thank you for working so hard to prepare. Audiences across the province are ready to support your endeavors. Adjudicators are ready to encourage and guide you on your journey.

I am so proud to be part of this organization! Saskatchewan has the best music festival system in Canada!

Have a great festival season!

*Jeri Ryba, SMFA President*



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## 2024 Program Summary

Quance Theatre Education Building	Student Lounge Education Building	Classroom 1036 Education Building	Classroom 1033 Education Building	Convocation Hall Peter MacKinnon Bldg
<b>THURSDAY, MAY 30</b>				
<b>9:00 AM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> • 17 & under Ballad Classic/Modern	<b>9:00 AM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> • 14 & under Ballad Classic/Modern Ballad Contemporary Up-tempo Contemporary	<b>9:00 AM Strings</b> <b>Heilwig Von Koenigsloew</b> • 17 & under Recital & Concert <b>CW Strings 17 &amp; under</b>		<b>9:00 AM Piano</b> <b>Katherine Dowling</b> • 17 & under Bach Sonata
<b>1:00 PM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> • 17 & under Up-tempo Classic/Modern	<b>1:00 PM Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> • 12 & under Recital Folk Song	<b>1:30 PM Strings</b> <b>Heilwig Von Koenigsloew</b> • 12 & under Recital & Concert <b>Guitar</b> (all levels)		<b>1:00 PM Piano</b> <b>Katherine Dowling</b> • 17 & under Romantic/Chopin 20 <sup>th</sup> /21 <sup>st</sup> Century Recital
<b>6:30 PM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> • 14 & under Up-tempo Classic/Modern • 17 & under Up-tempo Contemporary	<b>6:30 PM Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> • 14 & under Recital & Folk Song			<b>6:30 PM Piano</b> <b>Katherine Dowling</b> • 17 & under French & RCM/CC Gr.10 Canadian/SK
<b>FRIDAY, MAY 31</b>				
<b>9:00 AM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> • 17 & under Ballad Contemporary	<b>10:00 AM Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> <b>CW Vocal 13 &amp; under</b>	<b>9:00 AM Piano</b> <b>Clark Schaufele</b> • 12 & under Recital Canadian/SK	<b>9:00 AM Strings</b> <b>Heilwig Von Koenigsloew</b> • 14 & under Recital & Concert <b>CW Strings 13 &amp; under</b>	<b>10:00 AM Piano</b> <b>Katherine Dowling</b> • 28 & under Romantic/Chopin Canadian/SK
<b>1:00 PM Lieder</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz/ Katherine Dowling</b> <b>Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> • 28 & under Grade A, T/B/B Gr. B, French & Oratorio	<b>1:00 PM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> • 12 & under Ballad Classic/Modern Ballad Contemporary	<b>1:00 PM Piano</b> <b>Clark Schaufele</b> • 14 & under Recital Canadian/SK		<b>2:00 PM Piano</b> <b>Katherine Dowling</b> • 28 & under Bach, Sonata, French, & 20 <sup>th</sup> /21 <sup>st</sup> Century <b>CW Piano 17 &amp; under</b>
<b>6:00 PM Percussion</b> <b>Erin Brophay</b> <b>6:30 PM Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> • 28 & under Concert Group – Gr.B, Operatic Canadian, S/MS/CA/CT Gr.B <b>8:00 PM Piano</b> <b>Katherine Dowling</b> • Concerto Classes 17 & under & 28 & under	<b>6:30 PM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> • 12 & under Up-tempo Classic/Modern Up-tempo Contemporary	<b>6:30 PM Brass</b> <b>Erin Brophay</b> • 17 & under <b>Woodwinds</b> • 17 & under • 28 & under <b>CW WW 17 &amp; under</b>		<b>6:30 PM Piano</b> <b>Clark Schaufele</b> <b>CW Piano 13 &amp; under</b> RCM/CC Class (Grade 8)
<b>SATURDAY, JUNE 1</b>				
<b>9:00 AM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> • 28 & under Ballad & UpTempo	<b>9:00 AM Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> • 17 & under Recital SMSCT & Recital TBB	<b>9:00 AM Spoken Word</b> <b>Deborah McGladdery</b> All levels		
<b>1:00 PM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> <b>CW MT 13 &amp; under &amp; 22 &amp; under</b>	<b>1:00 PM Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> • 17 & under Folk Song & Concert Group	<b>1:00 PM Spoken Word</b> <b>Deborah McGladdery</b> <b>CW Speech All levels</b>		
<b>6:30 PM Musical Theatre</b> <b>Donna Fletcher</b> <b>CW MT 17 &amp; under</b>		<b>6:30 PM Spoken Word</b> <b>Workshop</b> Open – Door donation		
<b>SUNDAY, JUNE 2</b>				
<b>10:00 AM Voice</b> <b>Lara Ciekiewicz</b> <b>CW Vocal 22 &amp; under &amp; 17 &amp; under</b>				

# 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – BRASS / WIND / PERCUSSION

## QUANCE THEATRE

Friday, May 31, 2024

### Brass / Woodwinds / Percussion

Judge: Erin Brophey

**6:00 pm**

**#57 Saskatchewan Band Association Percussion (28 years & under) Scholarship..... \$400**

*This scholarship is provided by the Saskatchewan Band Association, a non-profit charitable organization open to any individual, group or organization interested in furthering the development of bands in Saskatchewan.*

1. **Dmitri Masich (marimba)** **Saskatoon Music Festival**  
*Ghanaia — Schmitt*

**WINNER: Dmitri Masich**

### ROOM 1036

**6:30 pm**

**#56 Scotsburn Dental Centre Brass (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*This scholarship is generously provided by Scotsburn Dental Centre located in Estevan, Saskatchewan.*

1. **Mathis Chu (trombone)** **Regina Music Festival**  
*Trombone Concerto, mvmt 1 — Grøndahl*

**WINNER: Mathis Chu**

**#54 Brost Family Woodwind (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*This scholarship is donated by Theresa E. Brost of Macklin on behalf of her musical family. Mrs. Brost served as an SMFA Director for many years and as President from 2008-2010.*

1. **Elise Jackson-Reynolds (oboe)** **Regina Music Festival**  
*Concerto in a minor, RV 461, mvmt 1 — Vivaldi*
2. **Anthony Gabriel Schubert Glitz (alto saxophone)** **Potashville Music Festival**  
*Fantaisie Mauresque — Combelle*
3. **Valerie Rollheiser (oboe)** **Lloydminster Music Festival**  
*Fantasiestücke, op. 2: Romance & Humoresque — Nielsen*

**WINNER: Elise Jackson-Reynolds**

**#53 Saskatchewan Band Association Woodwind (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

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1. **Ziqin Zhao (clarinet)** **Saskatoon Music Festival**  
*Première Rhapsodie — Debussy*

**WINNER: Ziqin Zhao**

**Canada West Woodwind Scholarship, 17 years & under ..... \$300**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

1. **Elise Jackson-Reynolds (oboe)** **Regina Music Festival**  
*Concerto in a minor, RV 461 — Vivaldi*  
*Aria no. 2 for Oboe and Piano — Roussel*

**WINNER: Elise Jackson-Reynolds**

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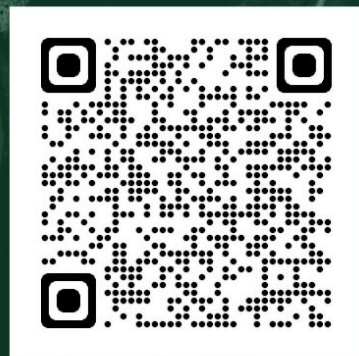
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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – LIEDER

QUANCE THEATRE  
Friday, May 31, 2024

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### Lieder

Judges: Lara Ciekiewicz & Katherine Dowling

**1:00 pm**

**#11a Heather Laxdal Memorial Vocal Lieder (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

*This scholarship is donated by the Yorkton Music Festival in memory of Heather Laxdal and will be presented to the singer of the winning duo of the Lieder class.*

**#11b Whelan Piano Lieder (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

*This scholarship, awarded to the pianist of the winning Lieder class, honours the contribution of Saskatoon musicians John & Lorna Whelan, pianist and vocalist respectively, who believed that Lieder is one of music's purest moments.*

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| 1. | <b>Sophie Regier &amp; Levin Wiebe</b><br><i>Er, der Herrlichste von Allen, op. 42, no. 2 — Schumann</i> | <b>Rosetown Music Festival</b>      |
| 2. | <b>Adam Brookman &amp; Hannah Meginbir</b><br><i>Auf dem Wasser zu singen, D. 774, op. 72 — Schubert</i> | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| 3. | <b>Serenity Mack &amp; Alina Mack</b><br><i>Auf Flügeln des Gesanges, op. 34, no. 2 — Mendelssohn</i>    | <b>La Ronge Music Festival</b>      |
| 4. | <b>Erika Olson &amp; Michael Liu</b><br><i>Auf dem Wasser zu singen, D. 774, op. 72 — Schubert</i>       | <b>Swift Current Music Festival</b> |

**WINNERS:** Adam Brookman & Hannah Meginbir

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# 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

## QUANCE THEATRE

Thursday, May 30, 2024

### Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

*The following selections may contain themes/language intended for a mature audience.*

**9:00 am**

**#61 Regan Grant Memorial Musical Theatre Ballad Classic/Modern (17 years & under) Scholarship..... \$300**

*This scholarship is provided in memory of Regan Grant. Following graduation from MUCC, Regan earned a double Major in Voice and Drama in 1984 from the University of Regina. He spent time at the Banff School of Fine Arts and two summers in B.C. with the Canada Opera Piccola. While working at the University Hospital in Saskatoon he performed with the Gateway Players and Persephone Theatre. Regan graduated in June 1988 with a Diploma in Operatic Performance. Regan was diagnosed in 1986 with HIV infection and battled through a number of illnesses associated with AIDS. He will be remembered for his warmth, humor and love for life and his generosity to friends and co-workers. Regan soldiered on courageously as his health continued to fail. He died peacefully at home on June 28, 1992.*

**Runner-up Award - \$150 SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.**

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| 1.  | <b>Nania van der Merwe</b><br><i>I Wish It So (Juno) — Blitzstein</i>                                 | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>       |
| 2.  | <b>Presley McLeod</b><br><i>As if We Never Said Goodbye (Sunset Boulevard) — Lloyd Webber</i>         | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>    |
| 3.  | <b>Ayden Jacobs</b><br><i>Stars (Les Misérables) — Schönberg</i>                                      | <b>Gravelbourg Music Festival</b>  |
| 4.  | <b>Ella Moskal</b><br><i>Before I Gaze at You Again (Camelot) — Lerner/Loewe</i>                      | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>    |
| 5.  | <b>Harmony Pollard</b><br><i>I Don't Know How to Love Him (Jesus Christ Superstar) — Lloyd Webber</i> | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b> |
| 6.  | <b>Natalie Warren</b><br><i>When I Look at You (The Scarlet Pimpernel) — Wildhorn</i>                 | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>    |
| 7.  | <b>Chloé Massé</b><br><i>In His Eyes (Jekyll &amp; Hyde) — Wildhorn</i>                               | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>     |
| 8.  | <b>Monica Steinke</b><br><i>Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man (Show Boat) — Kern/Hammerstein</i>              | <b>Sask Valley Music Festival</b>  |
| 9.  | <b>Amanda Blohm</b><br><i>Who Will Love Me As I Am (Side Show) — Krieger/Russell</i>                  | <b>Assiniboia Music Festival</b>   |
| 10. | <b>Abbeygail May</b><br><i>Bill (Show Boat) — Kern/Hammerstein</i>                                    | <b>Mainline Music Festival</b>     |
| 11. | <b>Jenevieve Melin</b><br><i>The Sound of Music (The Sound of Music) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i>        | <b>Lanigan Music Festival</b>      |
| 12. | <b>Keira Achter</b><br><i>Waitin' For My Dearie (Brigadoon) — Lerner/Loewe</i>                        | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>     |

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| 13. | <b>Sierra Gardiner</b><br><i>Think of Me (The Phantom of The Opera) — Lloyd Webber</i> | <b>Kindersley Music Festival</b> |
| 14. | <b>Avah Neville</b><br><i>People (Funny Girl) — Styne/Merrill</i>                      | <b>Moosomin Music Festival</b>   |
| 15. | <b>Sydney Kelln</b><br><i>I Don't Know His Name (She Loves Me) — Bock</i>              | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>  |
| 16. | <b>Isabelle Adams</b><br><i>Memory (Cats) — Lloyd Webber</i>                           | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>  |

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

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| 17. | <b>Amara Weiss</b><br><i>Edelweiss (The Sound of Music)</i> — Rodgers/Hammerstein           | Maple Creek Music Festival  |
| 18. | <b>Phoebe McNeill</b><br><i>On My Own (Les Misérables)</i> — Schönberg                      | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 19. | <b>Ava Smith</b><br><i>Green Finch and Linnet Bird (Sweeney Todd)</i> — Sondheim            | Battlefords Music Festival  |
| 20. | <b>Keisha Quinto</b><br><i>Think of Me (The Phantom of the Opera)</i> — Lloyd Webber        | Yorkton Music Festival      |
| 21. | <b>Daniel Sutherland</b><br><i>Beauty School Dropout (Grease)</i> — Casey/Jacobs            | Assiniboia Music Festival   |
| 22. | <b>Larissa Raddysh</b><br><i>I Dreamed a Dream (Les Misérables)</i> — Schönberg             | Biggar Music Festival       |
| 23. | <b>Sophia Fox</b><br><i>The Sound of Music (The Sound of Music)</i> — Rodgers/Hammerstein   | Kipling Music Festival      |
| 24. | <b>Alizay Hickman</b><br><i>Slipping Through My Fingers (Mamma Mia)</i> — Andersson/Ulvaeus | Lloydminster Music Festival |

**WINNER:** Sydney Kelln

**RUNNER-UP:** Presley McLeod



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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

### STUDENT LOUNGE

Thursday, May 30, 2024

## Musical Theatre

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

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**9:00 am**

### #65 Center Stage Studios Musical Theatre Ballad Classic/Modern (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200

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**Runner-up Award - \$100** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| 1. | <b>Elizabeth Deans</b><br><i>Where is Love? (Oliver!) — Bart</i>   | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Jenna Kirzinger</b><br><i>Beauty and the Beast (Beauty and the Beast) — Menken</i>                              | <b>Humboldt Music Festival</b>  |
| 3. | <b>Cooper Loshack</b><br><i>Far From the Home I Love (Fiddler on the Roof) — Bock</i>                              | <b>Biggar Music Festival</b>    |
| 4. | <b>Kayella Robertson</b><br><i>Always a Bridesmaid (I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change) — Roberts/DiPietro</i> | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 5. | <b>Aubrie Rittinger</b><br><i>Far From the Home I Love (Fiddler on the Roof) — Bock</i>                            | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 6. | <b>Willow Lawson</b><br><i>Til There Was You (The Music Man) — Wilson</i>  | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>  |

**WINNER:** Elizabeth Deans

**RUNNER-UP:** Kayella Robertson

**9:45 am**

### #66 Center Stage Studios Musical Theatre Ballad Contemporary (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200

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| 1. | <b>Ruby Hickman</b><br><i>Ring of Keys (Fun Home) — Tesori</i>                    | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Elizabeth Deans</b><br><i>What it Means to Be a Friend (13) — Brown</i>        | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>    |
| 3. | <b>Sadie Gryba</b><br><i>Some Things are Meant to Be (Little Women) — Howland</i> | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>    |
| 4. | <b>Rylie Collier</b><br><i>Once More I Can See (Wonderland) — Wildhorn</i>        | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>  |
| 5. | <b>Willow Lawson</b><br><i>I'm Not That Girl (Wicked) — Schwartz</i>              | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>     |
| 6. | <b>Eli Morin</b><br><i>Once Upon a December (Anastasia) — Flaherty/Ahrens</i>     | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b>  |

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

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| 7.  | <b>Sydney Hershmillier</b><br><i>What it Means to Be a Friend (13)</i> — Brown   | Regina Music Festival      |
| 8.  | <b>Cooper Loshack</b><br><i>Sister Act (Sister Act)</i> — Menken                 | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 9.  | <b>Emma Harder</b><br><i>In My Dreams (Anastasia)</i> — Flaherty/Ahrens          | Battlefords Music Festival |
| 10. | <b>Malia Hadden</b><br><i>The Secret of Happiness (Daddy Long Legs)</i> — Gordon | Biggar Music Festival      |
| 11. | <b>Mayla Williams</b><br><i>What it Means to Be a Friend (13)</i> — Brown        | Unity Music Festival       |

**WINNER:** Ruby Hickman

**RUNNER-UP:** Cooper Loshack

### 10:45 am

#### #68 Center Stage Studios Musical Theatre Up-tempo Contemporary (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200

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| 1. | <b>Sadie Gryba</b><br><i>Not for the Life of Me (Thoroughly Modern Millie)</i> — Tesori             | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 2. | <b>Aubrie Rittinger</b><br><i>Times Are Hard for Dreamers (Amélie)</i> — Messé                      | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Malia Hadden</b><br><i>Beyond My Wildest Dreams (The Little Mermaid)</i> — Menken                | Biggar Music Festival       |
| 4. | <b>Eli Morin</b><br><i>All For You (Seussical the Musical)</i> — Flaherty/Ahrens                    | Battlefords Music Festival  |
| 5. | <b>Elizabeth Deans</b><br><i>Girl Scout (Beetlejuice)</i> — Perfect                                 | Moose Jaw Music Festival    |
| 6. | <b>Ruby Hickman</b><br><i>I Speak Six Languages (25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee)</i> — Finn | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 7. | <b>Amelie Craib</b><br><i>The Lamest Place in the World (13)</i> — Brown                            | Battlefords Music Festival  |
| 8. | <b>Rylie Coller</b><br><i>Poor Unfortunate Souls (The Little Mermaid)</i> — Menken                  | Twin Rivers Music Festival  |
| 9. | <b>Mayla Williams</b><br><i>Pulled (The Addams Family)</i> — Lipppa                                 | Unity Music Festival        |

**WINNER:** Elizabeth Deans

**RUNNER-UP:** Aubrie Rittinger

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QUANCE THEATRE  
Thursday, May 30, 2024

## Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

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1:00 pm

### #63 Sandra Ryba Memorial Musical Theatre Up-tempo Classic/Modern (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300

*This scholarship is in memory of Sandra Ryba, who uplifted the lives of many with her music and artistry. Sandra was a gifted singer and taught vocal lessons to countless students over the years. She also used her musical talents to lead the choir at the First Baptist Church for many years. She served on the Moose Jaw Music Festival Committee and was a vocal adjudicator for SMFA and Alberta Music Festivals. Sandra was an accomplished pianist, and she also used her hands for artistry in pottery, sketches, paintings, and countless beautiful poems. She would be thrilled to have a scholarship in her name, celebrating aspiring singers in musical theatre.*

**Runner-up Award - \$150** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| 1.                           | <b>Mateo Rutley</b><br><i>Man of La Mancha (I, Don Quixote) — Leigh</i>   | Unity Music Festival         |
| 2.                           | <b>Amanda Blohm</b><br><i>I Cain't Say No (Oklahoma!) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i>                                 | Assiniboia Music Festival    |
| 3.                           | <b>Shaughnessy Fingas</b><br><i>Don't Rain on My Parade (Funny Girl) — Styne/Merrill</i>                        | Moosomin Music Festival      |
| 4.                           | <b>Alizay Hickman</b><br><i>Always a Bridesmaid (I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change) — Roberts/DiPietro</i> | Lloydminster Music Festival  |
| 5.                           | <b>Presley McLeod</b><br><i>The Worst Pies in London (Sweeney Todd) — Sondheim</i>                              | Moose Jaw Music Festival     |
| 6.                           | <b>Olivia Martuo-McDonnell</b><br><i>Charity's Soliloquy (Sweet Charity) — Coleman/Fields</i>                   | Regina Music Festival        |
| 7.                           | <b>Avah Neville</b><br><i>Moments in the Woods (Into the Woods) — Sondheim</i>                                  | Moosomin Music Festival      |
| 8.                           | <b>Claire Mantyka</b><br><i>The Worst Pies in London (Sweeney Todd) — Sondheim</i>                              | Biggar Music Festival        |
| 9.                           | <b>Sierra Gardiner</b><br><i>I Could Have Danced All Night (My Fair Lady) — Lerner/Loewe</i>                    | Eston Music Festival         |
| 10.                          | <b>Sophie Regier</b><br><i>I'm The Greatest Star (Funny Girl) — Styne/Merrill</i>                               | Swift Current Music Festival |
| 11.                          | <b>Abbeygail May</b><br><i>The Saga of Jenny (Lady in the Dark) — Weill</i>                                     | Mainline Music Festival      |
| 12.                          | <b>Izzy Adams</b><br><i>The Simple Joys of Maidenhood (Camelot) — Lerner/Loewe</i>                              | Moose Jaw Music Festival     |
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| 13.                          | <b>Antony Salisbury</b><br><i>When I'm Not Near the Girl I Love (Finian's Rainbow) — Lane</i>                   | Saskatoon Music Festival     |
| 14.                          | <b>Chloé Massé</b><br><i>I Hate Men (Kiss Me Kate) — Porter</i>   | Lafleche Music Festival      |
| 15.                          | <b>Daniel Sutherland</b><br><i>Into the Fire (The Scarlet Pimpernel) — Wildhorn</i>                             | Assiniboia Music Festival    |
| 16.                          | <b>Nora Rittinger</b><br><i>Old Maid (110 in the Shade) — Schmidt</i>   | Saskatoon Music Festival     |
| 17.                          | <b>Amara Weiss</b><br><i>My Favourite Things (The Sound of Music) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i>                     | Maple Creek Music Festival   |
| 18.                          | <b>Harmony Pollard</b><br><i>Stars and the Moon (Songs for a New World) — Brown</i>                             | Lloydminster Music Festival  |

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| 19. | <b>Keira Achter</b><br><i>I Feel Pretty (West Side Story)</i> — Sondheim/Bernstein                             | Lafleche Music Festival  |
| 20. | <b>Isabelle Adams</b><br><i>Rosa's Confession (The Mystery of Edwin Drood)</i> — Holmes                        | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 21. | <b>Annika Hadden</b><br><i>Another Hundred People (Company)</i> — Sondheim                                     | Biggar Music Festival    |
| 22. | <b>Erin Squires</b><br><i>Stepsisters' Lament (Cinderella)</i> — Rodgers/Hammerstein                           | Unity Music Festival     |
| 23. | <b>Charis Winslow</b><br><i>Vanilla Ice Cream (She Loves Me)</i> — Bock  | Yorkton Music Festival   |
| 24. | <b>Geri Lon Christie Valdesimo</b><br><i>It's a Grand Night For Singing (State Fair)</i> — Rodgers/Hammerstein | Lanigan Music Festival   |

**WINNER:** Sophie Regier

**RUNNER-UP:** Nora Rittinger



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QUANCE THEATRE  
Thursday, May 30, 2024

## Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

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**6:30 pm**

**#67 Dorothy Seibold Memorial Musical Theatre Up-tempo Classic/Modern (14 years & under) Scholarship .. \$200**

*This scholarship is donated by Richard & Claire Seibold in memory of their mother and mother-in-law Dorothy Seibold who, as a young student, travelled by train from Herschel to Rosetown every Saturday for piano lessons. The Rosetown Eagle, dated May 1 of 1952, states: "The highest mark for individual performance in the Rosetown Music Festival was won by Dorothy Stratilo of Herschel, who was said by Mrs. Helen Davies Sherry as having outstanding talent."*

**Runner-up Award - \$100 SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.**

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| 1.  | <b>Eli Morin</b><br><i>Shy (Once Upon A Mattress) — Barber/Rodgers</i>                 | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b>  |
| 2.  | <b>Emma Harder</b><br><i>Waiting for Life (Once On This Island) — Flaherty</i>         | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b>  |
| 3.  | <b>Sadie Gryba</b><br><i>Show Off (The Drowsy Chaperone) — Lambert/Morrison</i>        | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>    |
| 4.  | <b>Amelie Craib</b><br><i>Snoopy (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>       | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b>  |
| 5.  | <b>Ruby Hickman</b><br><i>I Hate Musicals (Ruthless) — Laird/Paley</i>                 | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b> |
| 6.  | <b>Rylie Coller</b><br><i>Just You Wait (My Fair Lady) — Lerner/Loewe</i>              | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>  |
| 7.  | <b>Edyn Kot</b><br><i>My New Philosophy (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Lippa</i> | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>    |
| 8.  | <b>Cooper Loshack</b><br><i>I Feel Pretty (West Side Story) — Sondheim/Bernstein</i>   | <b>Biggar Music Festival</b>       |
| 9.  | <b>Jenna Kirzinger</b><br><i>Honey, Honey (Mamma Mia) — Andersson/Ulvaeus</i>          | <b>Humboldt Music Festival</b>     |
| 10. | <b>Elizabeth Deans</b><br><i>Shy (Once Upon A Mattress) — Barber/Rodgers</i>           | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>    |

**WINNER:** Sadie Gryba

**RUNNER-UP:** Ruby Hickman



## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

**7:30 pm**

**#64 Meadow Lake Music Festival Musical Theatre Up-tempo Contemporary (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*The Meadow Lake & District Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

**Runner-up Award - \$150** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>Erik Jeerakathil</b><br><i>How Lucky You Are (Seussical the Musical) — Flaherty/Ahrens</i> | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>    |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>Alizay Hickman</b><br><i>I Can Hear the Bells (Hairspray) — Shaiman</i>                    | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b> |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>Nania van der Merwe</b><br><i>Gimme Gimme (Thoroughly Modern Millie) — Tesori</i>          | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>Natalie Warren</b><br><i>Climbing Uphill (The Last Five Years) — Brown</i>                 | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>    |
| <b>5.</b> | <b>Serenity Mack</b><br><i>What Baking Can Do (Waitress: The Musical) — Bareilles</i>         | <b>La Ronge Music Festival</b>     |
| <b>6.</b> | <b>Rayna Baedke</b><br><i>The Joy of Motherhood (Honk!) — Stiles/Drew</i>                     | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>     |
| <b>7.</b> | <b>Avyne McLean</b><br><i>Poor Unfortunate Souls (The Little Mermaid) — Menken/Ashman</i>     | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>        |

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| <b>8.</b>  | <b>Isaiah Artavia</b><br><i>Santa Fe (Newsies) — Menken</i>  | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>   |
| <b>9.</b>  | <b>Shaughnessy Fingas</b><br><i>I Say No (Heathers: The Musical) — Murphy/O'Keefe</i>              | <b>Moosomin Music Festival</b>    |
| <b>10.</b> | <b>Nora Rittinger</b><br><i>The Wizard and I (Wicked) — Schwartz</i>                               | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>   |
| <b>11.</b> | <b>Abbeygail May</b><br><i>Amazing Mayzie (Seussical the Musical) — Flaherty/Ahrens</i>            | <b>Mainline Music Festival</b>    |
| <b>12.</b> | <b>Jenevieve Melin</b><br><i>Practically Perfect (Mary Poppins: The New Musical) — Stiles/Drew</i> | <b>Lanigan Music Festival</b>     |
| <b>13.</b> | <b>Piper MacFarlane</b><br><i>Times Are Hard for Dreamers (Amélie) — Messé</i>                     | <b>Meadow Lake Music Festival</b> |
| <b>14.</b> | <b>Julia Miles</b><br><i>I'd Rather be Me (Mean Girls) — Benjamin/Richmond</i>                     | <b>Mainline Music Festival</b>    |

**WINNER:** Isaiah Artavia

**RUNNER-UP:** Piper MacFarlane

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

### QUANCE THEATRE

Friday, May 31, 2024

## Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

*The following selections may contain themes/language intended for a mature audience.*

**9:00 am**

**#62 Margaret Caldwell Memorial Musical Theatre Ballad Contemporary (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*Margaret Caldwell was a long-time supporter and donor of the Saskatoon Music Festival. Throughout the years she conducted many prize-winning choirs and adjudicated at festivals throughout the province. Saskatoon Music Festival is proud to continue to support these vocalists in her memory.*

**Runner-up Award - \$150** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| 1. | <b>Marishka Mauthe</b><br><i>A Note From Linda (The Wedding Singer) — Sklar</i>                     | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>         |
| 2. | <b>Alizay Hickman</b><br><i>Requiem (Dear Evan Hansen) — Pasek/Paul</i>                             | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b>  |
| 3. | <b>Sophie Regier</b><br><i>No One Else (Natasha, Pierre &amp; The Great Comet of 1812) — Malloy</i> | <b>Swift Current Music Festival</b> |
| 4. | <b>Harmony Pollard</b><br><i>Kindergarten Boyfriend (Heathers: The Musical) — Murphy/O'Keefe</i>    | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b>  |
| 5. | <b>Sophia Fox</b><br><i>What If (The Addams Family) — Lippa</i>                                     | <b>Kipling Music Festival</b>       |
| 6. | <b>Julia Miles</b><br><i>Home (Beetlejuice) — Perfect</i>   | <b>Mainline Music Festival</b>      |
| 7. | <b>Monica Steinke</b><br><i>In My Dreams (Anastasia) — Flaherty</i>                                 | <b>Sask Valley Music Festival</b>   |
| 8. | <b>Antony Salisbury</b><br><i>How I Am (Little Women) — Howland</i>                                 | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| 9. | <b>Thomas Daintree</b><br><i>The Moon and Me (The Addams Family) — Lippa</i>                        | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>     |

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| 10. | <b>Geri Lon Christie Valdesimo</b><br><i>Love Never Dies (Love Never Dies) — Lloyd Webber</i>       | <b>Lanigan Music Festival</b>     |
| 11. | <b>Presley McLeod</b><br><i>Flowers (Hadestown) — Mitchell</i>                                      | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>   |
| 12. | <b>Avyne McLean</b><br><i>Journey to the Past (Anastasia) — Flaherty/Ahrens</i>                     | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>       |
| 13. | <b>Keisha Quinto</b><br><i>Everything I Know (In the Heights) — Miranda</i>                         | <b>Yorkton Music Festival</b>     |
| 14. | <b>Orianna Fetter</b><br><i>In My Dreams (Anastasia) — Flaherty</i>                                 | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>   |
| 15. | <b>Rayna Baedke</b><br><i>Sing Your Own Song (Dear Edwina) — Goldrich</i>                           | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>    |
| 16. | <b>Annika Hadden</b><br><i>No One Else (Natasha, Pierre &amp; The Great Comet of 1812) — Malloy</i> | <b>Biggar Music Festival</b>      |
| 17. | <b>Piper MacFarlane</b><br><i>Pretty Funny (Dogfight) — Pasek/Paul</i>                              | <b>Meadow Lake Music Festival</b> |
| 18. | <b>Ayden Jacobs</b><br><i>Run Away with Me (The Mad Ones) — Lowdermilk/Kerrigan</i>                 | <b>Assiniboia Music Festival</b>  |

**WINNER:** Piper MacFarlane

**RUNNER-UP:** Antony Salisbury

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

### STUDENT LOUNGE

Friday, May 31, 2024

## Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

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**1:00 pm**

**#69 Krista Brost Musical Theatre Ballad Classic/Modern (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100**

*This scholarship of \$100 is donated by Krista Brost of Meadow Lake. Krista is a former Music Festival participant and is currently President of the Meadow Lake Music Festival and member of the SMFA board of directors.*

**Runner-up Award - \$50** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| 1. | <b>Brielle Jacobs</b><br><i>Maybe (Annie) — Strouse</i>                              | Assiniboia Music Festival   |
| 2. | <b>Scarlett Whitehead</b><br><i>Apology (Anne of Green Gables) — Campbell</i>        | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Anaya Smith</b><br><i>I Want To Go Home (Big) — Shire</i>                         | Moose Jaw Music Festival    |
| 4. | <b>Olivia Brooks</b><br><i>Somewhere Over the Rainbow (The Wizard of Oz) — Arlen</i> | Moosomin Music Festival     |
| 5. | <b>Vesper Stevenson</b><br><i>Where Did That Little Dog Go? (Snoopy) — Grossman</i>  | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 6. | <b>Tianna Starosta</b><br><i>Wouldn't it be Lovely (My Fair Lady) — Lerner/Loewe</i> | Twin Rivers Music Festival  |
| 7. | <b>Lola Hickman</b><br><i>Castle on a Cloud (Les Misérables) — Schönberg</i>         | Lloydminster Music Festival |

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| 8.  | <b>Emily Smith</b><br><i>In My Own Little Corner (Cinderella) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i>      | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 9.  | <b>Zoey Coller</b><br><i>Snoopy (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>              | Twin Rivers Music Festival    |
| 10. | <b>Myalle Roffey</b><br><i>It Might As Well Be Spring (State Fair) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i> | Regina Music Festival         |
| 11. | <b>Mattea Gabrielson</b><br><i>Different (Honk!) — Stiles/Drewe</i>                          | Lloydminster Music Festival   |
| 12. | <b>Ruth Lamb</b><br><i>Snoopy (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>                | Moose Jaw Music Festival      |
| 13. | <b>Evey White</b><br><i>The Girl I Mean to Be (The Secret Garden) — Simon/Norman</i>         | Maple Creek Music Festival    |
| 14. | <b>Emilie Strawson</b><br><i>Wouldn't it be Lovely (My Fair Lady) — Lerner/Loewe</i>         | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 15. | <b>Liné Linde</b><br><i>Schroeder (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>            | Prairie Sunset Music Festival |

**WINNER:** Vesper Stevenson

**RUNNER-UP:** Olivia Brooks

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

**2:15 pm**

**#70 Doris Covey Lazecki Musical Theatre Ballad Contemporary (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100**

*This scholarship is provided by Carol Donhauser in honour of former SMFA Executive Director, Doris Covey Lazecki. Doris was an influential part of SMFA's history with her dedication to the administration of the SMFA's programs and services for over 23 years.*

**Runner-up Award - \$50** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

1.	<b>Zoey Coller</b> <i>Finding Wonderland (Wonderland)</i> — Wildhorn	<b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>
2.	<b>Grace Handy</b> <i>Ring of Keys (Fun Home)</i> — Tesori	<b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>
3.	<b>Danica McLaughlin</b> <i>Home (Wonderland)</i> — Wildhorn	<b>Meadow Lake Music Festival</b>
4.	<b>Oakley Hamoline</b> <i>In My Dreams (Anastasia)</i> — Flaherty	<b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>
5.	<b>Jordyn Govan</b> <i>Santa Fe (Newsies)</i> — Menken	<b>Lanigan Music Festival</b>
6.	<b>Emily Smith</b> <i>Part of Your World (The Little Mermaid)</i> — Menken	<b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>
7.	<b>Emily Warren</b> <i>Up On the Fridge (Dear Edwina)</i> — Goldrich	<b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>
8.	<b>Tianna Starosta</b> <i>The World Above (The Little Mermaid)</i> — Menken	<b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>
9.	<b>Kadence Trachuk</b> <i>Halfway (Amélie)</i> — Messé/Tysen	<b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b>
10.	<b>Adrianna Kowalski</b> <i>What If (The Addams Family)</i> — Lippa	<b>Prince Albert Music Festival</b>
11.	<b>Molly Evans</b> <i>Part of Your World (The Little Mermaid)</i> — Menken	<b>Lanigan Music Festival</b>

**WINNER:** Kadence Trachuk

**RUNNER-UP:** Grace Handy

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# 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

## STUDENT LOUNGE

Friday, May 31, 2024

### Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

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**6:30 pm**

**#71 Rosetown Festival Musical Theatre Up-tempo Classic/Modern (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100**

*This scholarship of \$100 is donated by the Rosetown & District Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliated District Festivals.*

**Runner-up Award - \$50** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| 1. | <b>Vesper Stevenson</b><br><i>Gee, I'm Glad I'm No One Else But Me (Anne of Green Gables) — Campbell</i> | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 2. | <b>Liné Linde</b><br><i>Born to Entertain (Ruthless!) — Paley/Laird</i>                                  | Prairie Sunset Music Festival |
| 3. | <b>Skye Moore</b><br><i>Adelaide's Lament (Guys and Dolls) — Loesser</i>                                 | Biggar Music Festival         |
| 4. | <b>Zoey Collier</b><br><i>The Kite (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>                       | Twin Rivers Music Festival    |
| 5. | <b>Leo Sawatzky</b><br><i>Neat to be a Newsboy (Working) — Schwartz</i>                                  | Regina Music Festival         |
| 6. | <b>Jack Salisbury</b><br><i>If I Only Had a Brain (The Wizard of Oz) — Arlen</i>                         | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 7. | <b>Myalle Roffey</b><br><i>What More Do I Need? (Saturday Night) — Sondheim</i>                          | Regina Music Festival         |
| 8. | <b>Mattea Gabrielson</b><br><i>Little Known Facts (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>        | Lloydminster Music Festival   |
| 9. | <b>Brielle Jacobs</b><br><i>Ice Cream (Anne of Green Gables) — Campbell</i>                              | Assiniboia Music Festival     |

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| 10. | <b>Adrianna Kowalski</b><br><i>I Enjoy Being a Girl (Flower Drum Song) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i> | Prince Albert Music Festival |
| 11. | <b>Jake Loshack</b><br><i>Dancing Is Everything (The Tap Dance Kid) — Krieger</i>                | Saskatoon Music Festival     |
| 12. | <b>Lyndon Rousseau</b><br><i>Gary, Indiana (The Music Man) — Wilson</i>                          | Borderland Music Festival    |
| 13. | <b>Mallory Tweidt</b><br><i>I Put a Spell On You (Hocus Pocus) — Hawkins</i>                     | Lanigan Music Festival       |
| 14. | <b>Ruth Lamb</b><br><i>Supper Time (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>               | Moose Jaw Music Festival     |
| 15. | <b>Evey White</b><br><i>Little Known Facts (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown) — Gesner</i>       | Maple Creek Music Festival   |
| 16. | <b>Kadence Trachuk</b><br><i>Neat to Be a Newsboy (Working) — Schwartz</i>                       | Lloydminster Music Festival  |
| 17. | <b>Heidi van der Merwe</b><br><i>The Princess of Pure Delight (Lady in the Dark) — Weill</i>     | Regina Music Festival        |
| 18. | <b>Tianna Starosta</b><br><i>It's the Hard Knock Life (Annie) — Strouse</i>                      | Twin Rivers Music Festival   |

**WINNER:** Heidi van der Merwe

**RUNNER-UP:** Leo Sawatzky

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

7:45 pm

### #72 Center Stage Studios Musical Theatre Up-tempo Contemporary (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100

*This scholarship is offered by Kathryn Edwards, owner of Center Stage Studios in Lloydminster, AB/SK. Center Stage Studios is proud to provide music and theatre classes and productions to the Lloydminster and surrounding community. On behalf of CSS, Kathryn is pleased to support this scholarship and congratulates each performer on their achievements.*

**Runner-up Award - \$50** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

1.	<b>Liné Linde</b> <i>My Party Dress (Henry &amp; Mudge) — Kerrigan/Lowdermilk</i>	Prairie Sunset Music Festival
2.	<b>Jake Loshack</b> <i>When I Get My Name In Lights (The Boy From Oz) — Allen</i>	Saskatoon Music Festival
3.	<b>Molly Evans</b> <i>Stepsister's Lament (Cinderella) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i>	Lanigan Music Festival
4.	<b>Danica McLaughlin</b> <i>Everlasting (Tuck Everlasting) — Miller</i>	Meadow Lake Music Festival
5.	<b>Kadence Trachuk</b> <i>Girl Scout (Beetlejuice) — Perfect</i>	Lloydminster Music Festival
6.	<b>Hannah Roy</b> <i>I Know It's Today (Shrek the Musical) — Tesori</i>	Saskatoon Music Festival
7.	<b>Grace Handy</b> <i>It's Just Not My Thing (In Between: A New Musical) — Phillips</i>	Moose Jaw Music Festival
8.	<b>Sophie Francais</b> <i>Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious (Mary Poppins: The New Musical) — Sherman</i>	Battlefords Music Festival
9.	<b>Natalie Simons</b> <i>We're All Made of Stars (Finding Neverland) — Barlow/Kennedy</i>	Lloydminster Music Festival

**WINNER:** Kadence Trachuk

**RUNNER-UP:** Jake Loshack

## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

### QUANCE THEATRE

Saturday, June 1, 2024

## Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

*The following selections may contain themes/language intended for a mature audience.*

**9:00 am**

**#59 Ursan Family Musical Theatre Ballad Classic/Modern/Contemporary (28 years & under) Scholarship..... \$400**

*A scholarship is donated by a family who loves music and musicals.*

**Runner-up Award - \$200** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| 1.  | <b>Adam Brookman</b><br><i>Hellfire (The Hunchback of Notre Dame)</i> — Menken                   | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 2.  | <b>Trason Ridgewell</b><br><i>Michael in the Bathroom (Be More Chill)</i> — Iconis               | Outlook Music Festival     |
| 3.  | <b>Maia Macatangay</b><br><i>Please Don't Make Me Love You (Dracula: The Musical)</i> — Wildhorn | Twin Rivers Music Festival |
| 4.  | <b>Matthew Schermann</b><br><i>I Wanna Be a Producer (The Producers)</i> — Brooks                | Regina Music Festival      |
| 5.  | <b>Alexander Klassen</b><br><i>Some Enchanted Evening (South Pacific)</i> — Rodgers/Hammerstein  | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 6.  | <b>Annalise Reinhart</b><br><i>The Ballad of Jane Doe (Ride the Cyclone)</i> — Maxwell/Richmond  | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 7.  | <b>Alice Willett</b><br><i>Patterns (Baby)</i> — Shire/Maltby Jr.                                | Regina Music Festival      |
| 8.  | <b>Sierra Downey</b><br><i>You'll Never Walk Alone (Carousel)</i> — Rodgers/Hammerstein          | Moose Jaw Music Festival   |
| 9.  | <b>Kai Batycki</b><br><i>It's Hard To Speak My Heart (Parade)</i> — Brown                        | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 10. | <b>Izac Mactal</b><br><i>Maria (West Side Story)</i> — Sondheim/Bernstein                        | Biggar Music Festival      |
| 11. | <b>Emily Closs</b><br><i>See I'm Smiling (The Last Five Years)</i> — Brown                       | Moose Jaw Music Festival   |
| 12. | <b>Paulina Salisbury</b><br><i>She's Not Me (In The Light: A Faustian Tale)</i> — Mott           | Saskatoon Music Festival   |

**WINNER:** Matthew Schermann

**WINNER:** Kai Batycki

**RUNNER-UP:** Adam Brookman

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

**10:15 am**

**#60 Katja Meszaros Memorial Musical Theatre Up-tempo Classic/Modern/Contemporary**

**(28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$500**

*A scholarship is donated by Joy MacFarlane-Burton (Past President of SMFA and Past Chair of Federation of Canadian Music Festivals), in memory of Katja Marie Meszaros (1992-2017). Katja had a passion for performing musical theatre and competed at the provincial level many times. She was the recipient of the Regan Grant Memorial Scholarship for Musical Theatre in 2012.*

**Runner-up Award - \$200** SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.

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| 1. | <b>Kai Batycki</b><br><i>She Loves Me (She Loves Me) — Bock/Harnick</i>                                  | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Alice Willett</b><br><i>Mr. Right (Love Life) — Weill/Lerner</i>                                      | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>    |
| 3. | <b>Trason Ridgewell</b><br><i>There Is a Sucker Born Ev'ry Minute (Barnum) — Coleman</i>                 | <b>Outlook Music Festival</b>   |
| 4. | <b>Sierra Downey</b><br><i>Stupid With Love (Mean Girls) — Benjamin/Richmond</i>                         | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b> |
| 5. | <b>Forrest Hiebert</b><br><i>Fight the Dragons (Big Fish) — Lippa</i>                                    | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 6. | <b>Emily Closs</b><br><i>Little Miss Perfect (Little Miss Perfect The Musical) — Kwame</i>               | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b> |
| 7. | <b>Adam Brookman</b><br><i>Reviewing the Situation (Oliver!) — Bart</i>                                  | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 8. | <b>Matthew Schermann</b><br><i>Gotta Get Out (The Noteworthy Life of Howard Barnes) — Koorman/Dimond</i> | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>    |
| 9. | <b>Paulina Salisbury</b><br><i>Beyond My Wildest Dreams (The Little Mermaid) — Menken</i>                | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |

**WINNER:** Matthew Schermann

**RUNNER-UP:** Alice Willett

QUANCE THEATRE

Saturday, June 1, 2024

Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

*The following selections may contain themes/language intended for a mature audience.*

1:00 pm

**Battlefords Music Festival Canada West Musical Theatre Scholarship, 13 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> Place) ..... \$200**

*The Battlefords Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

**Battlefords Music Festival Canada West Musical Theatre Scholarship, 13 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> Place) ..... \$50**

*The Battlefords Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

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| 1. | <p><b>Liné Linde</b><br/> <i>My Party Dress (Henry &amp; Mudge)</i> — Kerrigan/Lowdermilk<br/> <i>Schroeder (You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown)</i> — Gesner<br/> <i>Where Is Love? (Oliver!)</i> — Bart<br/> <i>Born to Entertain (Ruthless!)</i> — Laird/Paley</p>                           | <p><b>Prairie Sunset Music Festival</b></p> |
| 2. | <p><b>Tianna Starosta</b><br/> <i>Wouldn't it be Lovely (My Fair Lady)</i> — Loewe<br/> <i>God Help the Outcasts (The Hunchback of Notre Dame)</i> — Menken<br/> <i>It's the Hard Knock Life (Annie)</i> — Strouse<br/> <i>The World Above (The Little Mermaid)</i> — Menken</p>              | <p><b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b></p>    |
| 3. | <p><b>Elizabeth Deans</b><br/> <i>Shy (Once Upon A Mattress)</i> — Barber/Rodgers<br/> <i>Where Is Love (Oliver!)</i> — Bart<br/> <i>Girl Scout (Beetlejuice)</i> — Perfect<br/> <i>What it Means to Be a Friend (13)</i> — Brown</p>   | <p><b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b></p>      |
| 4. | <p><b>Myalle Roffey</b><br/> <i>What More Do I Need (Saturday Night)</i> — Sondheim<br/> <i>The Girl I Mean to Be (The Secret Garden)</i> — Simon<br/> <i>The Lamest Place in the World (13)</i> — Brown</p>  | <p><b>Regina Music Festival</b></p>         |
| 5. | <p><b>Jake Loshack</b><br/> <i>Heart (Damn Yankees)</i> — Adler/Ross<br/> <i>Alone in the Universe (Seussical the Musical)</i> — Flaherty/Ahrens<br/> <i>I Want To Go Home (BIG: the Musical)</i> — Shire<br/> <i>When I Get My Name In Lights (When I Get My Name In Lights)</i> — Allen</p> | <p><b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b></p>      |
| 6. | <p><b>Ruby Hickman</b><br/> <i>Everlasting (Tuck Everlasting)</i> — Miller<br/> <i>I Speak Six Languages (25<sup>th</sup> Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee)</i> — Finn<br/> <i>Ring of Keys (Fun Home)</i> — Tesori/Kron<br/> <i>I Hate Musicals (Ruthless!)</i> — Laird/Paley</p>           | <p><b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b></p>   |
| 7. | <p><b>Jack Salisbury</b><br/> <i>Giants In the Sky (Into the Woods)</i> — Sondheim<br/> <i>Where Is Love (Oliver!)</i> — Bart<br/> <i>If I Only Had a Brain (The Wizard of Oz)</i> — Arlen<br/> <i>Consider Yourself (Oliver!)</i> — Bart</p>   | <p><b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b></p>      |
| 8. | <p><b>Kadence Trachuk</b><br/> <i>Girl Scout (Beetlejuice)</i> — Perfect<br/> <i>Big Mole (Lost in the Stars)</i> — Weill<br/> <i>Halfway (Amélie)</i> — Messé<br/> <i>Neat to be a Newsboy (Working)</i> — Schwartz</p>  | <p><b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b></p>   |



**WINNER:** Ruby Hickman

**RUNNER-UP:** Kadence Trachuk

**3<sup>RD</sup> RECOMMEND:** Liné Linde

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – MUSICAL THEATRE

**3:15 pm**

**Sandra Senga Canada West Musical Theatre Scholarship, 22 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> place)..... \$500**

*Sandra Senga is a long serving member of her local festival committee. She also served two terms on the SMFA Board of Directors and is a dedicated and valued supporter of the SMFA mission. As an elementary school teacher, Sandra directed at least one musical each year, providing her students the opportunity to experience music and dramatics in action.*

**Myrna Bentley Memorial Canada West Musical Theatre Scholarship, 22 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> place) ..... \$150**

*This scholarship is donated in memory of Myrna Bentley. Meaghan Dormuth would like to honour the memory of her mother, a huge supporter of music and the arts. Myrna loved watching her daughter compete in music festivals and was always supportive of everyone she watched and enjoyed. Myrna passed away from ovarian cancer in 2014, but even during her hardest chemo treatments, she would never miss a performance, big or small. Meaghan congratulates and encourages everyone on their musical theatre journey.*

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| 1. | <p><b>Matthew Schermann</b><br/> <i>Lullaby of Broadway (42nd Street) — Warren/Dubin</i><br/> <i>I Hate Musicals (Ruthless!) — Laird/Paley</i><br/> <i>I Wanna be a Producer (The Producers) — Brooks</i><br/> <i>Gotta Get Out (The Noteworthy Life of Howard Barnes) — Koorman/Dimond</i><br/> <i>Give My Regards to Broadway (Little Johnny Jones) — Cohan</i></p> | Regina Music Festival      |
| 2. | <p><b>Maia Macatangay</b><br/> <i>Nothing (A Chorus Line) — Hamlisch</i><br/> <i>Send in the Clowns (A Little Night Music) — Sondheim</i><br/> <i>I Dreamed a Dream (Les Misérables) — Schönberg</i><br/> <i>On the Steps of the Palace (Into the Woods) — Sondheim</i><br/> <i>Please Don't Make Me Love You (Dracula: the Musical) — Wildhorn</i></p>               | Twin Rivers Music Festival |
| 3. | <p><b>Trason Ridgewell</b><br/> <i>I Believe (The Book of Mormon) — Parker/Lopez/Stone</i><br/> <i>There is a Sucker Born Ev'ry Minute (Barnum) — Coleman</i><br/> <i>Michael in the Bathroom (Be More Chill) — Iconis</i><br/> <i>Kansas City (Oklahoma!) — Rodgers/Hammerstein</i><br/> <i>Being Alive (Company) — Sondheim</i></p>                                 | Outlook Music Festival     |
| 4. | <p><b>Adam Brookman</b><br/> <i>Hellfire (The Hunchback of Notre Dame) — Menken</i><br/> <i>Reviewing the Situation (Oliver!) — Bart</i><br/> <i>Stars (Les Misérables) — Schönberg</i><br/> <i>You'll Be Back (Hamilton) — Miranda</i><br/> <i>The More We Dance (Dirty Rotten Scoundrels) — Yazbek</i></p>  | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 5. | <p><b>Alice Willett</b><br/> <i>Where Am I Going? (Sweet Charity) — Coleman</i><br/> <i>The Shady Dame From Seville (Victor/Victoria) — Mancini</i><br/> <i>Knowing When to Leave (Promises, Promises) — Bacharach</i><br/> <i>Patterns (Baby) — Shire/Maltby, Jr.</i><br/> <i>See What it Gets You (Anyone Can Whistle) — Sondheim</i></p>                           | Regina Music Festival      |
| 6. | <p><b>Forrest Hiebert</b><br/> <i>Something's Coming (West Side Story) — Bernstein</i><br/> <i>Fight the Dragons (Big Fish) — Lippa</i><br/> <i>Being Alive (Company) — Sondheim</i><br/> <i>Sunset Boulevard (Sunset Boulevard) — Lloyd Webber</i><br/> <i>Nobody Needs to Know (The Last Five Years) — Brown</i></p>  | Saskatoon Music Festival   |



**WINNER:** Trason Ridgewell

**RUNNER-UP:** Adam Brookman

**3<sup>RD</sup> RECOMMEND:** Matthew Schermann

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QUANCE THEATRE

Saturday, June 1, 2024

Musical Theatre

Judge: Donna Fletcher

*The following selections may contain themes/language intended for a mature audience.*

6:30 pm

**Estevan & District Music Festival Canada West Musical Theatre Scholarship, 17 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> place)..... \$300**

*In order for students to achieve higher goals, it is important to have opportunities for advanced levels of competition. Estevan & District Music Festival is proud to sponsor this scholarship at Provincial Finals.*

**Jordie Hughton & Hughton Family Canada West Musical Theatre Scholarship, 17 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> place)... \$100**

*This scholarship is sponsored by the Hughton family in recognition of Jordie Hughton's success as a vocalist in the SMFA Competitions and the importance of studying music.*

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| 1. | <p><b>Natalie Warren</b><br/> <i>I'll Be Here (Ordinary Days)</i> — Gwon<br/> <i>When I Look at You (The Scarlet Pimpernel)</i> — Wildhorn<br/> <i>Climbing Uphill (The Last Five Years)</i> — Brown<br/> <i>Dear Daddy (Welcome to My Life)</i> — Cronin</p>  | <p><b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b></p>    |
| 2. | <p><b>Harmony Pollard</b><br/> <i>Stars and the Moon (Songs for a New World)</i> — Brown<br/> <i>I Don't Know How to Love Him (Jesus Christ Superstar)</i> — Lloyd Webber<br/> <i>Kindergarten Boyfriend (Heathers)</i> — O'Keefe/Murphy<br/> <i>What Baking Can Do (Waitress: the Musical)</i> — Bareilles</p>                                      | <p><b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b></p> |
| 3. | <p><b>Isabelle Adams</b><br/> <i>The Beauty Is (The Light in the Piazza)</i> — Guettel<br/> <i>A Little Bit In Love (Wonderful Town)</i> — Bernstein<br/> <i>Memory (Cats)</i> — Lloyd Webber<br/> <i>All That Matters (Finding Neverland)</i> — Kennedy/Barlow<br/> <i>Rosa's Confession (The Mystery of Edwin Drood)</i> — Holmes</p>              | <p><b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b></p>    |
| 4. | <p><b>Abbeygail May</b><br/> <i>Miss Marmelstein (I Can Get It For You Wholesale)</i> — Rome<br/> <i>Amazying Mayzie (Seussical the Musical)</i> — Flaherty/Ahrens<br/> <i>The Saga of Jenny (The Lady in the Dark)</i> — Weill<br/> <i>Bill (Show Boat)</i> — Arlen</p>   | <p><b>Mainline Music Festival</b></p>     |
| 5. | <p><b>Sydney Kelln</b><br/> <i>No One Else (Natasha, Pierre and the Great Comet of 1812)</i> — Malloy<br/> <i>Once More I Can See (Wonderland)</i> — Wildhorn<br/> <i>I Don't Know His Name (She Loves Me)</i> — Bock<br/> <i>Home (Beauty and the Beast)</i> — Menken<br/> <i>Practically Perfect (Mary Poppins)</i> — Stiles</p>                   | <p><b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b></p>    |
| 6. | <p><b>Nania van der Merwe</b><br/> <i>I Wanna Sing Something Beautiful (Jerry Springer)</i> — Thomas<br/> <i>Gimme Gimme (Thoroughly Modern Millie)</i> — Tesori/Scanlan<br/> <i>Somebody Somewhere (The Most Happy Fella)</i> — Loesser<br/> <i>Anywhere But Here (Honeymoon in Vegas)</i> — Brown<br/> <i>I Wish it So (Juno)</i> — Blitzstein</p> | <p><b>Regina Music Festival</b></p>       |



**WINNER:** Sydney Kelln

**RUNNER-UP:** Nania van der Merwe

**3<sup>RD</sup> RECOMMEND:** Natalie Warren

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

### CONVOCATION HALL

Thursday, May 30, 2024

## Piano (Senior & Intermediate)

Judge: Katherine Dowling

9:00 am

**#30 Toppings Family Piano Bach (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*A scholarship is donated by Nancy and Richard Toppings, on behalf of their family who enjoyed the privilege of participating in Provincial Finals and music festivals in Kipling, Regina and Wawota over many years.*

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| 1. | <b>Boaman Liu</b><br><i>Prelude and Fugue in f minor, BWV 857 — J. S. Bach</i>                                      | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>   |
| 2. | <b>Ian Ma</b><br><i>Partita no. 2 in c minor, BWV 826: Sarabande, Rondeau, and Capriccio — J. S. Bach</i>           | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>      |
| 3. | <b>Aveah Wasylenka</b><br><i>Sinfonia no. 2 in c minor, BWV 788 — J. S. Bach</i>                                    | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b> |
| 4. | <b>Shirin Soleimani</b><br><i>Partita no. 1 in B flat Major, BWV 825, Prelude, Sarabande and Gigue — J. S. Bach</i> | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b> |
| 5. | <b>Amy Zhang</b><br><i>Prelude and Fugue in b flat minor, BWV 867 — J. S. Bach</i>                                  | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>   |
| 6. | <b>Felicia Deal</b><br><i>Sinfonia no. 6 in E Major, BWV 792 — J. S. Bach</i>                                       | <b>Weyburn Music Festival</b>     |

**WINNER: Amy Zhang**

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

**10:00 am**

**#31 Dr. Philip Brost Piano Sonata (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*Dr. Philip Brost competed in piano, voice, band and solo saxophone in the Prairie Sunset Music Festival for over a decade. While his family are all gifted musicians in their own right, piano performance was, and is, his forte. In addition to teaching many young pianists throughout his senior Conservatory years, he was also a Saskatchewan Provincials finalist in piano during his Grade 9 and 10 years of study. While he chose Medicine as a career and Vancouver as his home, he remains a Saskatchewan born-and-raised pianist at heart. Wanting to “give back” to the young classical pianists in his home province, he has established this award.*

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>Anthony Stergios</b><br><i>Sonata no. 8 in c minor, op. 13, mvmt 3 — Beethoven</i> | <b>Prince Albert Music Festival</b> |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>Michael Liu</b><br><i>Sonata in c sharp minor, op. 27, no. 2 — Beethoven</i>       | <b>Swift Current Music Festival</b> |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>Angela Xue</b><br><i>Sonata in F Major, K332, mvmt 1 — Mozart</i>                  | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>Ashalee Talbot</b><br><i>Sonata in a minor, op. 143, D. 784, mvmt 1 — Schubert</i> | <b>Potashville Music Festival</b>   |
| <b>5.</b> | <b>Shoshana Miller</b><br><i>Sonata op. 31, no. 2, mvmt 3 — Beethoven</i>             | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>     |
| <b>6.</b> | <b>Markus Bitner</b><br><i>Sonata in f minor, WoO 47, no. 2, mvmt 1 — Beethoven</i>   | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>   |
| <b>7.</b> | <b>Shirin Soleimani</b><br><i>Sonata no. 11 in A Major, K331, mvmt 3 — Mozart</i>     | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>   |

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| <b>8.</b>  | <b>Sai Vaishnavi Bhathala Venkata</b><br><i>Sonata in f minor, WoO 47, no 2, mvmt 1 — Beethoven</i> | <b>Swift Current Music Festival</b> |
| <b>9.</b>  | <b>Avery Guo</b><br><i>Sonata in d minor, op. 31, no. 2, mvmt 1 — Beethoven</i>                     | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| <b>10.</b> | <b>Felicia Deal</b><br><i>Sonata in f minor, WoO 47, no 2, mvmt 1 — Beethoven</i>                   | <b>Weyburn Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>11.</b> | <b>Amy Zhang</b><br><i>Sonata in c minor, K457, mvmt 1 — Mozart</i>                                 | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| <b>12.</b> | <b>Dustin Nguyen</b><br><i>Sonata in f minor, op. 57, no. 23, mvmt 1 — Beethoven</i>                | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| <b>13.</b> | <b>Richard Wang</b><br><i>Sonata in D Major XVI: 19, mvmt 2 — Haydn</i>                             | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |

**WINNER: Dustin Nguyen**

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# 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

## CONVOCATION HALL

Thursday, May 30, 2024

### Piano (Senior & Intermediate)

Judge: Katherine Dowling

1:00 pm

#### #32 Frances England & Hugheen Ferguson Memorial Piano

**Romantic/Chopin (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*The families of the late Frances England and her niece, the late Hugheen Ferguson, have provided for this scholarship. Both Frances and Hugheen were outstanding music teachers and supporters of the arts.*

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| 1. <b>Anna Lynnes</b><br><i>Valse, op. 64, no. 2 — Chopin</i>                            | <b>Moosomin Music Festival</b>      |
| 2. <b>Shirin Soleimani</b><br><i>Etude, op. 10, no. 12 — Chopin</i>                      | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>   |
| 3. <b>Anthony Stergios</b><br><i>Prelude, op. 32, no. 10 — Brahms</i>                    | <b>Prince Albert Music Festival</b> |
| 4. <b>Felicia Deal</b><br><i>Nocturne in E flat Major, op. 9, no. 2 — Chopin</i>         | <b>Weyburn Music Festival</b>       |
| 5. <b>Signy Thorsteinson</b><br><i>Waltz in E flat Major, op.18 — Chopin</i>             | <b>Quill Plains Music Festival</b>  |
| 6. <b>Avery Guo</b><br><i>Ballade no.1 in g minor, op. 23 — Chopin</i>                   | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| 7. <b>Shoshana Miller</b><br><i>Etude, op. 25, no. 7 — Chopin</i>                        | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>     |
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| 8. <b>Markus Bitner</b><br><i>Nocturne in E flat Major, op. 9, no. 2 — Chopin</i>        | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>   |
| 9. <b>Tabatha Buhler</b><br><i>Mazurka in f sharp minor, op. 6, no. 1 — Chopin</i>       | <b>Yorkton Music Festival</b>       |
| 10. <b>Ian Ma</b><br><i>Etude, op. 10, no. 6 — Chopin</i>                                | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| 11. <b>Owen Dobrowolsky</b><br><i>Nocturne in b flat minor, op. 9, no. 1 — Chopin</i>    | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| 12. <b>Dustin Nguyen</b><br><i>Sonata, op. 35, mvmt 1 — Chopin</i>                       | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| 13. <b>Molly Orobko</b><br><i>Trois Nocturnes in b flat minor, op. 9, no. 1 — Chopin</i> | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>         |

**WINNER: Dustin Nguyen**

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

**2:30 pm**

**#34 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> Century (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*SMFA is grateful for this anonymous donation.*

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| 1. | <b>Elyse Johnson</b><br><i>Reverie in f minor</i> — Alexander                       | <b>Melfort Music Festival</b>           |
| 2. | <b>Joongi Lee</b><br><i>Sonata no. 2 in d minor, op. 14</i> — Prokofiev             | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>            |
| 3. | <b>Michael Liu</b><br><i>Etude no. 11 in c sharp minor, op. 2, no. 1</i> — Scriabin | <b>Swift Current Music Festival</b>     |
| 4. | <b>Austin Wang</b><br><i>Toccata</i> — Khachaturian                                 | <b>Qu'Appelle Valley Music Festival</b> |

**WINNER: Joongi Lee**

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**3:15 pm**

**#36 Jackson Memorial Piano Recital (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*Kathleen L. Keple, former Executive Director of the Association, contributes the Jackson Memorial Piano Scholarship in memory of her parents, the late Thomas and Kathleen Jackson, well-known musicians in the Mainline area.*

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| 1. | <b>Lochlan Lester</b><br><i>The Cat and Mouse Tango</i> — Hardy          | <b>Sask Valley Music Festival</b>   |
| 2. | <b>Avery Guo</b><br><i>Rondo Capriccioso, op. 14</i> — Mendelssohn       | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| 3. | <b>Jonathan Rollheiser</b><br><i>Maple Leaf Rag</i> — Joplin             | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b>  |
| 4. | <b>Shoshana Miller</b><br><i>Rhapsodie, op. 79, no. 1</i> — Brahms       | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>     |
| 5. | <b>Boaman Liu</b><br><i>Etude in F Major, op. 72, no. 6</i> — Moszkowski | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>     |
| 6. | <b>Anthony Stergios</b><br><i>Prelude, op. 32, no. 10</i> — Rachmaninoff | <b>Prince Albert Music Festival</b> |
| 7. | <b>Felicia Deal</b><br><i>Rhapsody Brillante</i> — Bober                 | <b>Weyburn Music Festival</b>       |

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| 8.  | <b>Markus Bitner</b><br><i>Seas of Farinor Suite</i> — Bitner                             | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b> |
| 9.  | <b>Judy Luo</b><br><i>Allegro de Concierto</i> — Granados                                 | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>      |
| 10. | <b>Molly Orobko</b><br><i>Romance sans paroles, op. 17, no. 3</i> — Fauré                 | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>       |
| 11. | <b>Elyse Johnson</b><br><i>Intermezzo, no. 1</i> — Ponce                                  | <b>Melfort Music Festival</b>     |
| 12. | <b>Anna Lynnes</b><br><i>Six Easy Variations on an Original Theme, Wo077</i> — Beethoven  | <b>Moosomin Music Festival</b>    |
| 13. | <b>Shirin Soleimani</b><br><i>Années de pèlerinage II, S. 161 - I. Sposalizio</i> — Liszt | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b> |

**WINNER: Judy Luo**

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

### CONVOCATION HALL

Thursday, May 30, 2024

## Piano (Senior & Intermediate)

Judge: Katherine Dowling

### 6:30 pm

#### #32B Perspective Festival Piano French Music (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300

*This scholarship is provided by the Perspective Festival (artistic director Michael Angell). This festival celebrates musical periods and composers throughout history. In 2024, the inaugural year, Perspective Festival celebrates music of the Baroque Era, running from May 26 to 28 in Regina.*

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| 1. | <b>Shoshana Miller</b><br><i>Reflets dans l'eau</i> — Debussy                    | Moose Jaw Music Festival   |
| 2. | <b>Boaman Liu</b><br><i>La cathédrale engloutie</i> — Debussy                    | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 3. | <b>Avery Guo</b><br><i>Reflets dans l'eau</i> — Debussy                          | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 4. | <b>Dustin Nguyen</b><br><i>Et la lune decend sur le temple qui fut</i> — Debussy | Regina Music Festival      |
| 5. | <b>Lochlan Lester</b><br><i>La fille aux cheveux de lin</i> — Debussy            | Sask Valley Music Festival |

**WINNER:** Avery Guo

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### 7:15 pm

#### #41 Anna Klassen Endowment Fund Piano Conservatory (Grade 10) Scholarship ..... \$400

*Anna Klassen was a long-time supporter of the arts as an audience member, volunteer and donor. She gave countless hours to ensure the long-term health of the arts, in particular classical music. She has established several endowment funds to assist Saskatchewan organizations in their missions of promoting a love of music. This award is sponsored by the Anna Klassen Endowment Fund.*

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| 1. | <b>Tess Andres</b><br><i>Song Without Words, op. 53, no. 1</i> — Mendelssohn               | Lloydminster Music Festival      |
| 2. | <b>Andrew Liu</b><br><i>Polonaise, op. 40, no.1</i> — Chopin                               | Regina Music Festival            |
| 3. | <b>Austin Wang</b><br><i>Sonata in c sharp minor, Hob. XVI:36, mvmts 2 &amp; 3</i> — Haydn | Qu'Appelle Valley Music Festival |
| 4. | <b>Jennika Linthicum</b><br><i>Praeludium 1, BWV 846</i> — J. S. Bach                      | Estevan Music Festival           |
| 5. | <b>April Shi</b><br><i>Nocturne, op. 165</i> — Chaminade                                   | Saskatoon Music Festival         |
| 6. | <b>Kayla Andres</b><br><i>Prelude no. 5, Book 2: Bruyères</i> — Debussy                    | Lloydminster Music Festival      |
| 7. | <b>Levin Wiebe</b><br><i>Danse du Meunier</i> — de Falla                                   | Rosetown Music Festival          |

**WINNER:** April Shi

*Scholarship winners must report to the SMFA onsite office (Room 1039, Educ. Building, U of S) to receive their award.*

## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

8:00 pm

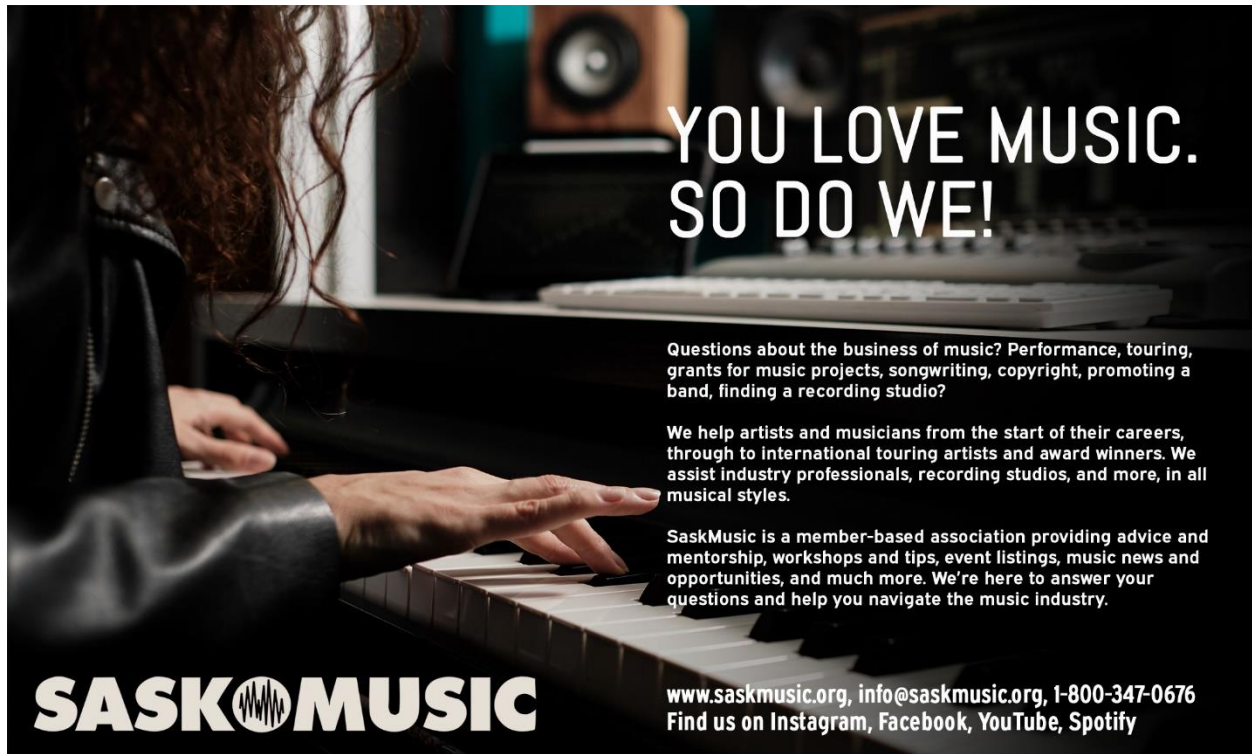
**#35 Gordon & Mossie Hancock Piano Canadian/Saskatchewan Music (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*The scholarship is provided by a trust honouring Gordon & Mossie Hancock. Gordon was Executive Director of SMFA from 1957-1975 and Mossie was a well-known musician, writer, and commentator in Saskatchewan. They were involved with festival work for many years, adjudicating extensively in this province.*

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| 1. | <b>Markus Bitner</b><br><i>Haunting Images — Laliberte</i>              | Twin Rivers Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Ashalee Talbot</b><br><i>Homesick Bossa — Nassar</i>                 | Potashville Music Festival |
| 3. | <b>Felicia Deal</b><br><i>Buenos Dias! Welcome to Spain! — Konescni</i> | Weyburn Music Festival     |
| 4. | <b>Caden Mooney</b><br><i>Sonatina — Fleming</i>                        | Regina Music Festival      |
| 5. | <b>Boaman Liu</b><br><i>Ecstasy — McIntyre</i>                          | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 6. | <b>Katelyn Cayabyab</b><br><i>Synergy — Gardiner</i>                    | Saskatoon Music Festival   |

**WINNER: Boaman Liu**

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

### CONVOCATION HALL

Friday, May 31, 2024

## Piano (Senior & Intermediate)

Judge: Katherine Dowling

**10:00 am**

### #25 Saskatchewan Registered Music Teachers' Association Piano Romantic/Chopin

**(28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

*The Saskatchewan Registered Music Teachers' Association (SRMTA) is pleased to provide this scholarship. The SRMTA was formed in 1932 as a provincial organization of music teachers, several years after the formation of smaller branches throughout the province. The mission is to promote progressive ideas in music education, to encourage professionalism in the art of teaching, and to stimulate a high standard of music and culture.*

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| 1. | <b>Gabriell Omolida</b><br><i>Barcarolle, op. 60 — Chopin</i>                 | Regina Music Festival       |
| 2. | <b>Bethany Gadd</b><br><i>Consolation no. 3 in D flat Major — Liszt</i>       | Regina Music Festival       |
| 3. | <b>Chloe Kvill</b><br><i>Prelude in g minor, op. 23, no. 5 — Rachmaninoff</i> | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 4. | <b>Hannah Meginbir</b><br><i>Ballade no. 4 in f minor, op. 52 — Chopin</i>    | Saskatoon Music Festival    |

**WINNER: Gabriell Omolida**

*The Garth Beckett/Gustin House Senior Piano Scholarship of \$1500 will be awarded to the competitor showing the most promise, chosen from students up to age 20 inclusive and performing advanced repertoire. Presentation will take place at 9:15pm on Friday, May 31. For more information on the award, see page 36.*

**11:00 am**

### #29 SRMTA-Regina Branch Piano Canadian/Saskatchewan Music (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400

*This scholarship is generously provided by the Regina branch of Saskatchewan Registered Music Teachers' Association.*

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| 1. | <b>Esther Zhu</b><br><i>Butterflies and Bobcats — McIntyre</i>      | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Hannah Meginbir</b><br><i>Old Coyote's Saturday Night — Bell</i> | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 3. | <b>Gabriell Omolida</b><br><i>Transmissions — McIntyre</i>          | Regina Music Festival    |

**WINNER: Hannah Meginbir**

*The Garth Beckett/Gustin House Senior Piano Scholarship of \$1500 will be awarded to the competitor showing the most promise, chosen from students up to age 20 inclusive and performing advanced repertoire. Presentation will take place at 9:15pm on Friday, May 31. For more information on the award, see page 36.*

*Scholarship winners must report to the SMFA onsite office (Room 1039, Educ. Building, U of S) to receive their award.*

## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

### CONVOCATION HALL

Friday, May 31, 2024

## Piano (Senior & Intermediate)

Judge: Katherine Dowling

**2:00 pm**

**#23 Arlene Stuart Memorial Piano Bach (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$500**

*This scholarship is donated by Joanne Messer in memory of her sister, Arlene Stuart, a woman of vision, passion and justice for whom music was a life-long inspiration.*

1. **Esther Zhu** **Saskatoon Music Festival**  
*Prelude and Fugue in B flat Major, BWV 866 — J. S. Bach*

**WINNER: Esther Zhu**

**#24 Sharon Penner Memorial Piano Beethoven/Haydn/Mozart (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

*SMFA is proud to present this scholarship in memory of Sharon Penner who passed away in February of 2024, at the age of 85 years. After moving to Moose Jaw in 1979, Sharon spent the next forty years volunteering with many community organizations in addition to serving as Executive Director of the National Music Festival of Canada for 10 years. The Moose Jaw Music Festival and the Moose Jaw Kinsmen Band and Choral Festival were especially close to her heart. Sharon is an SMFA Honorary Life Member and was recognized for her many years of community service in 2010 when she was chosen as Moose Jaw's Citizen of the Year.*

1. **Chloe Kvill** **Lloydminster Music Festival**  
*Sonata, op. 31, no. 2, mvmt 1 — Beethoven*
2. **Gabriell Omolida** **Regina Music Festival**  
*Piano Sonata in a minor, K310, mvmt 1 — Mozart*

**WINNER: Gabriell Omolida**

*The Garth Beckett/Gustin House Senior Piano Scholarship of \$1500 will be awarded to the competitor showing the most promise, chosen from students up to age 20 inclusive and performing advanced repertoire. Presentation will take place at 9:15pm on Friday, May 31. For more information on the award, see page 36.*

**2:45 pm**

**#26 Music for Young Children Saskatchewan Teachers' Association Piano French Music**

**(28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

*A scholarship is made available by MYC Saskatchewan Teachers' Association. While the association no longer exists due to amalgamation, a scholarship account was created and is held in trust by the SMFA.*

1. **Gabriell Omolida** **Regina Music Festival**  
*Étude 'Pour les agréments' — Debussy*
2. **Esther Zhu** **Saskatoon Music Festival**  
*Nocturne no. 5 in B flat Major, op. 37 — Fauré*
3. **Chloe Kvill** **Lloydminster Music Festival**  
*Estampes no. 1, Pagodes — Debussy*

**WINNER: Gabriell Omolida**

*The Garth Beckett/Gustin House Senior Piano Scholarship of \$1500 will be awarded to the competitor showing the most promise, chosen from students up to age 20 inclusive and performing advanced repertoire. Presentation will take place at 9:15pm on Friday, May 31. For more information on the award, see page 36.*

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

### #28 The Helen Davidson Memorial Piano 20th, 21st Century Music (28 years & under) Scholarship

from the Bill and Helen Davidson Foundation ..... \$400

*This award is presented in honor of Helen Davidson from the Bill and Helen Davidson Foundation administered by the South Sask. Community Foundation. Helen was an inspiration to many, sharing her love of piano music through over 65 years of teaching in the Weyburn area. She was a Registered Music Associate for over 50 years, playing the organ and leading the choir at Calvary Baptist Church for 60 years. She was a life member of the Alexandria Rebekah Lodge and a member of the Quota International of Weyburn. Helen was one of the founding members of the Weyburn Music Festival!*

1. **Hannah Meginbir** **Saskatoon Music Festival**  
*Prelude in g sharp minor, op. 32, no. 12 — Rachmaninoff*

**WINNER: Hannah Meginbir**

*The Garth Beckett / Gustin House Senior Piano Scholarship of \$1,500, eligible to students up to the age of 20 inclusive performing advanced piano repertoire, showing the most promise, will be presented at 9:15 pm on Friday, May 31. For more information on the award, see page 36.*

### 3:45 pm

**The MacKinnon Family Canada West Piano Scholarship, 17 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> place) ..... \$300**

*Donald MacKinnon, Marusia Kobrynsky, and their children have been an integral part of the music festival scene in Saskatchewan for decades, participating as performers, volunteers and executive members at the District, Provincial and National levels of competition. They strongly believe that the discipline of music education, together with the public performance opportunities offered by the festival format, help music students develop into responsible, competent, confident, and empathetic individuals who can succeed in any field of endeavour. The MacKinnon family is proud to sponsor this award and hope that young musicians in Saskatchewan will continue to create wonderful musical memories for many years to come.*

**Anna Klassen Endowment Fund Canada West Piano Scholarship, 17 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> place) ..... \$100**

*This scholarship is supported by the Anna Klassen Endowment Fund.*

1. **Esther Zhu** **Saskatoon Music Festival**  
*Prelude and Fugue in B flat Major, BWV 866 — J. S. Bach*  
*Nocturne no. 5 in B flat Major, op. 37 — Fauré*  
*Butterflies and Bobcats — McIntyre*
2. **Hannah Meginbir** **Saskatoon Music Festival**  
*Prelude in g sharp minor, op. 32, no. 12 — Rachmaninoff*  
*Old Coyote's Saturday Night — Bell*  
*Ballade no. 4 in f minor, op. 52 — Chopin*



**WINNER: Esther Zhu**

**RUNNER-UP: Hannah Meginbir**

## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE)

QUANCE THEATRE

Friday, May 31, 2024

### Piano (Senior & Intermediate)

Judge: Katherine Dowling

8:00 pm

#### #33 Verna Veikle Memorial Piano Concerto (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300

Verna was born and grew up on a farm at Wilbert, Saskatchewan. Even as a young child Verna was drawn to music. She was ten when her father brought home a piano. This was the beginning of her life as a musician. By the time she was twelve she was teaching piano lessons for 25 cents per lesson. At sixteen Verna received her Associate in piano from the Royal Toronto Conservatory (She actually earned the certificate at fifteen, but the regulations stated you had to be sixteen to hold an ARCT.) She played for church, community events and, with her brothers, played music for local dances, sometimes for free, sometimes for \$5. In 1941 she moved to Saskatoon and continued her pursuit of music. She felt very fortunate to have the opportunity to study with Dr. Lyell Gustin. It was Dr. Gustin who opened the door to her playing for CBC radio. Verna was a very active performer and accompanist in the Saskatoon music community. In 1947 she married and moved back to the farming community of Wilbert. There she continued to teach, accompany, lead choirs and perform. In her memory, Verna's family is pleased to provide this scholarship.

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| 1. | <b>Boaman Liu</b><br>Concerto in g minor, op. 25, mvmt 1 — Mendelssohn   | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Dustin Nguyen</b><br>Concerto no. 1 in E flat Major — Liszt           | Regina Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Avery Guo</b><br>Piano Concerto in a minor, op. 54, mvmt 1 — Schumann | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 4. | <b>Judy Luo</b><br>Concerto K467, mvmt 1 — W. A. Mozart                  | Regina Music Festival    |

WINNER: Judy Luo

#### Sister Boyle Piano (17 years & under) Scholarship .....\$1,500

An award of \$1,500, donated by Joanne Messer of Tisdale in memory of Sister Geraldine Boyle, will be presented to the best overall pianist in the competitions for 17 years & under. The award has been established in recognition of Sister Boyle and her long-standing commitment to music. The late Sister Geraldine Boyle, a Sister of Our Lady of the Missions, received her musical training from Trinity College, London, England, and a Bachelor of Arts (music major) from the University of Regina. Sister Boyle taught music in the schools at Wolseley, Regina, Lebret, and Saskatoon. Her teaching was meticulous, and she had a never-ending patience and encouragement for her students and colleagues. In addition to her interest in teaching piano, she had a great interest in the promotion of good liturgical and choral music. A competitor may win this scholarship only once.

WINNER: Dustin Nguyen

9:15 pm

#### #27 Piano Concerto (28 years & under) Scholarship..... \$400

This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.

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| 1. | <b>Esther Zhu</b><br>Concerto in f minor, op. 21, mvmt 1 — Chopin     | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Gabriell Omolida</b><br>Concerto no. 4, op. 58, mvmt 1 — Beethoven | Regina Music Festival    |

WINNER: Gabriell Omolida

#### Garth Beckett/Gustin House Senior Piano Scholarship ..... \$1,500

In honour and appreciation of Garth Beckett, distinguished graduate of the Lyell Gustin Piano Studios, concert pianist and revered teacher, the L. J. Fournier Family of Prince Albert offers a scholarship of \$1,500 at the Saskatchewan Provincial Music Festival. The scholarship is open to piano students up to the age of 20 inclusive performing advanced piano repertoire, and will be awarded to the performer who, in the opinion of the adjudicator, shows the most promise. A competitor may win this scholarship only once. Winner must be in attendance when the award is presented.

WINNER: Esther Zhu

Scholarship winners must report to the SMFA onsite office (Room 1039, Educ. Building, U of S) to receive their award.

# 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (JUNIOR & ELEMENTARY)

ROOM 1036

Friday, May 31, 2024

## Piano (Junior & Elementary)

Judge: Clark Schaufele

9:00 am

**#39 Dianne Gryba Piano Recital (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100**

*This scholarship is provided by Dianne Gryba. She has been involved in Saskatchewan music festivals for over 50 years, first as a participant, then as an adjudicator, teacher, accompanist and choral director. Dianne is now a committed member of both her local festival committee and the SMFA board. She believes that festivals are an irreplaceable component of a young musician's development and she congratulates each dedicated performer.*

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| 1. | <b>Kensie Cowan</b><br><i>Ottawa Valley Song</i> — Stone                        | Rosetown Music Festival     |
| 2. | <b>Tingzhang Wu</b><br><i>Polonaise in A flat Major, op. posth. B5</i> — Chopin | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Byeolha Seo</b><br><i>Elfin Dance</i> — Grieg                                | Gravelbourg Music Festival  |
| 4. | <b>Lucas Li</b><br><i>Song of the Cavalry</i> — Kabalevsky                      | Gravelbourg Music Festival  |
| 5. | <b>Cynthia Gu</b><br><i>Waltz in b minor, op. 69, no. 2</i> — Chopin            | Regina Music Festival       |
| 6. | <b>Arthur Crowe</b><br><i>Joyous Etude</i> — Bober                              | Twin Rivers Music Festival  |
| 7. | <b>Serena Herlian</b><br><i>Etude Allegro</i> — Yoshinao                        | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 8. | <b>Dana Pham</b><br><i>Ticklin' Toes</i> — Price                                | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 9. | <b>Julia Krenz</b><br><i>Nocturne in c sharp minor, posth.</i> — Chopin         | Lloydminster Music Festival |

WINNER: Cynthia Gu

9:45 am

**#40 Doris Covey Lazecki Piano Canadian/Saskatchewan Music (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100**

*This scholarship is provided by Carol Donhauser in honour of former SMFA Executive Director Doris Covey Lazecki. Doris was an influential part of SMFA's history with her dedication to the administration of the SMFA's programs and services for over 23 years.*

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| 1. | <b>Kaiden Gui</b><br><i>Gentle Breeze</i> — Bender                     | Regina Music Festival       |
| 2. | <b>Cynthia Gu</b><br><i>Blue Sky 1</i> — Louie                         | Regina Music Festival       |
| 3. | <b>Arthur Crowe</b><br><i>February Blessing</i> — Sawatsky             | Twin Rivers Music Festival  |
| 4. | <b>Julia Krenz</b><br><i>Ice Dancers</i> — Richert                     | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 5. | <b>Mason Warbanski</b><br><i>Moris Mouse Explores Spain</i> — Konescni | Regina Music Festival       |
| 6. | <b>Boacus Liu</b><br><i>Once Upon a Time</i> — Louie                   | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 7. | <b>Dana Pham</b><br><i>Song of the Sunflowers</i> — Richert            | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 8. | <b>Byeolha Seo</b><br><i>Rondino</i> — Kenins                          | Assiniboia Music Festival   |
| 9. | <b>Kensie Cowan</b><br><i>Sudden Prairie Storm</i> — Neustaeter        | Rosetown Music Festival     |

WINNER: Byeolha Seo

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# 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (JUNIOR & ELEMENTARY)

ROOM 1036

Friday, May 31, 2024

## Piano (Junior & Elementary)

Judge: Clark Schaufele

1:00 pm

**#37 Dr. Thomas Yu Piano Recital (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

*Dr. Thomas Yu, Saskatoon-born pianist who is one of the most recognized amateur musicians in the world, is pleased to present this scholarship of \$200 to the winner of the Junior Piano Recital Class Competition.*

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| 1.                       | <b>Hudsyn Hozjan</b><br><i>Waltz in b minor, op. 69, no. 2 — Chopin</i>                        | Estevan Music Festival           |
| 2.                       | <b>Eliana Bakanec</b><br><i>Captain John's Jig — Rowell</i>                                    | Prairie Sunset Music Festival    |
| 3.                       | <b>Nirvan Sharma</b><br><i>Consolation no. 3 — Liszt</i>                                       | Saskatoon Music Festival         |
| 4.                       | <b>Jennika Linthicum</b><br><i>Someone to Watch Over Me — Gershwin/Gershwin, arr. Springer</i> | Estevan Music Festival           |
| 5.                       | <b>Natalie Reban</b><br><i>Rock Zone — Vandall</i>   | Sask Valley Music Festival       |
| 6.                       | <b>Ayumi Sinclair</b><br><i>Feuille d'album — Chabrier</i>                                     | Qu'Appelle Valley Music Festival |
| 7.                       | <b>Jenna Baedke</b><br><i>RockZone — Vandall</i>   | Gravelbourg Music Festival       |
| 8.                       | <b>Temidire Igbekoyi</b><br><i>Intermezzo no. 1 — Ponce</i>                                    | Rosetown Music Festival          |
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| 9.                       | <b>Shyra Aliguyon</b><br><i>Incognito (Jazz Nocturne) — Sifford</i>                            | Nipawin Music Festival           |
| 10.                      | <b>Kenzi Hildebrand</b><br><i>Puck, op. 71, no. 3 — Grieg</i>                                  | Meadow Lake Music Festival       |
| 11.                      | <b>Jayden Wang</b><br><i>February: Carnival — Tchaikovsky</i>                                  | Regina Music Festival            |
| 12.                      | <b>Kayla Andres</b><br><i>Sonetto 104 del Petrarca — Liszt</i>                                 | Lloydminster Music Festival      |
| 13.                      | <b>Andrew Liu</b><br><i>I Play the Balalaika — Shchedrin</i>                                   | Regina Music Festival            |
| 14.                      | <b>April Shi</b><br><i>Wedding Day at Trolldhaugen, op. 65, no. 6 — Grieg</i>                  | Saskatoon Music Festival         |
| 15.                      | <b>Alina Mack</b><br><i>Intermezzo no. 1 — Ponce</i>   | La Ronge Music Festival          |

**WINNER: Ayumi Sinclair**

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (JUNIOR & ELEMENTARY)

2:40 pm

**#38 Borderland Music Festival Piano Canadian/Saskatchewan Music (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

*The Borderland Music Festival at Coronach, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

1.	<b>Ayumi Sinclair</b> <i>Prelude no. 10 in c sharp minor — Burge</i>	Qu'Appelle Valley Music Festival
2.	<b>Jenna Baedke</b> <i>Peace Country Hoedown — Donkin</i>	Gravelbourg Music Festival
3.	<b>Shyra Aliguyon</b> <i>Jane's Song — Norton</i>	Nipawin Music Festival
4.	<b>April Shi</b> <i>Three Scenes from Childhood — Ho</i>	Saskatoon Music Festival
5.	<b>Kera Savostianik</b> <i>Heartache — Sawatsky</i>	Biggar Music Festival
6.	<b>Janelle Gotengco</b> <i>The Stone Cathedral — Noble</i>	Yorkton Music Festival
7.	<b>Tess Andres</b> <i>Fastforward — Louie</i>	Lloydminster Music Festival
8.	<b>Lily Penner</b> <i>Peace Country Hoedown — Donkin</i>	Weyburn Music Festival
9.	<b>Temidire Igbekoyi</b> <i>The Gentle Waltz — Peterson</i>	Rosetown Music Festival
10.	<b>Nirvan Sharma</b> <i>Shimmer — Laliberte</i>	Saskatoon Music Festival
11.	<b>Eliana Bakanec</b> <i>Katherine — Chatman</i>	Prairie Sunset Music Festival

**WINNER:** April Shi

# 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (JUNIOR & ELEMENTARY)

CONVOCATION HALL

Friday, May 31, 2024

## Piano (Junior & Elementary)

Judge: Clark Schaufele

6:30 pm

**Anna Klassen Endowment Fund Canada West Piano Scholarship, 13 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> Place)..... \$200**

*Anna Klassen was a long-time supporter of the arts as an audience member, volunteer and donor. She gave countless hours to ensure the long-term health of the arts, in particular classical music. She has established several endowment funds to assist Saskatchewan organizations in their missions of promoting a love of music. This award is sponsored by the Anna Klassen Endowment Fund.*

**Anna Klassen Endowment Fund Canada West Piano Scholarship, 13 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> Place)..... \$50**

*This scholarship is supported by the Anna Klassen Endowment Fund.*

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| 1. | <b>Dana Pham</b><br><i>Etude in g minor, op. 24, no. 15 — Concone</i><br><i>Song of the Sunflowers — Richert</i><br><i>Invention no. 8 in F Major, BWV 779 — J. S. Bach</i><br><i>Ticklin' Toes — Price</i><br><i>Sonatina in a minor, op. 88, no. 3, mvmt 3 — Kuhlau</i>   | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b>   |
| 2. | <b>Eliana Bakanec</b><br><i>Bourrée in F Major — Telemann</i><br><i>Etude, op. 27, no. 3 — Kabalevsky</i><br><i>Katherine — Chatman</i><br><i>Sonatina in C Major, op. 55, no. 3, mvmt 1 — Kuhlau</i><br><i>Swingin' Low — Gieck</i><br><i>Waltz in f sharp minor — Rebikov</i><br><i>Captain John's Jig — Rowell</i> | <b>Prairie Sunset Music Festival</b> |
| 3. | <b>Jennika Linthicum</b><br><i>Praeludium 1, BWV 846 — J. S. Bach</i><br><i>Someone to Watch Over Me — Gershwin/Gershwin, arr. Springer</i>   | <b>Estevan Music Festival</b>        |
| 4. | <b>Boacus Liu</b><br><i>Le Coucou — Daquin</i><br><i>Rondo in C Major, op. 51, no. 1 — Beethoven</i><br><i>Distant Memories — Louie</i><br><i>Once Upon a Time — Louie</i>  | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>      |
| 5. | <b>Tingzhang Wu</b><br><i>Sunshower — Hill Duncan</i><br><i>Star Gazing — Louie</i><br><i>Prelude in d minor, BWV 926 — J. S. Bach</i><br><i>Mazurka in A flat Major, op. 24, no. 3 — Chopin</i><br><i>Polonaise in A flat Major, op. posth. B5 — Chopin</i>  | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>      |



**WINNER:** Tingzhang Wu

**RUNNER-UP:** Boacus Liu

**3<sup>RD</sup> RECOMMEND:** Dana Pham

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – PIANO (JUNIOR & ELEMENTARY)

**7:50 pm**

**#42 Anna Klassen Endowment Fund Piano Conservatory (Grade 8) Scholarship - ..... \$300**

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| 1. | <b>Janelle Gotengco</b><br><i>Incognito</i> — Sifford                    | Yorkton Music Festival      |
| 2. | <b>Byeolha Seo</b><br><i>Étude Allegro</i> — Nakada                      | Assiniboia Music Festival   |
| 3. | <b>Temidire Igbekoyi</b><br><i>Puck, op. 71, no. 3</i> — Grieg           | Rosetown Music Festival     |
| 4. | <b>Julia Krenz</b><br><i>Sonatina in C Major, op. 55, no. 6</i> — Kuhlau | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 5. | <b>Nathan Wilhelm</b><br><i>Big City Blues</i> — Rollin                  | Regina Music Festival       |
| 6. | <b>Tingzhang Wu</b><br><i>Sunshower</i> — Hill Duncan                    | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 7. | <b>Hudsyn Hozjan</b><br><i>Shooting Stars in the Summer</i> — Ikeda      | Estevan Music Festival      |

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| 8.  | <b>Nicholas Miles</b><br><i>Solfeghetto</i> — C. P. E. Bach                             | Mainline Music Festival    |
| 9.  | <b>Peyton Petersen</b><br><i>Solfeggio in c minor, H.220, Wq. 117:2</i> — C. P. E. Bach | Assiniboia Music Festival  |
| 10. | <b>Julia Miles</b><br><i>March: Song of the Lark</i> — Tchaikovsky                      | Mainline Music Festival    |
| 11. | <b>Lochlan Lester</b><br><i>The Spruce</i> — Sibelius                                   | Sask Valley Music Festival |
| 12. | <b>Judah Sawatzky</b><br><i>Tango Callejero</i> — Sprinker                              | Weyburn Music Festival     |
| 13. | <b>Geri Lon Christie Valdesimo</b><br><i>Incognito (Jazz Nocturne)</i> — Sifford        | Lanigan Music Festival     |
| 14. | <b>Shyra Aliguyon</b><br><i>Invention no. 14 in B flat Major, BWV 785</i> — J. S. Bach  | Nipawin Music Festival     |

**WINNER: Byeolha Seo**



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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – SPOKEN WORD

ROOM 1036

Saturday, June 1, 2024

### Spoken Word

Judge: Deborah McGladdery

9:00 am

**#73 L. I. Bryson Memorial Spoken Word Concert Group (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$500**

*This award, given by her family, is in memory of Iris Bryson, whose passion for music and literature greatly enriched the lives of those around her.*

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| 1. | <b>Steyn Hoogstad</b>                                       | <b>Unity Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>Twelfth Night, Act 2, Scene 5 — Shakespeare</i>          |                             |
|    | <i>Son of a Trickster — Robinson</i>                        |                             |
|    | <i>Look Back in Anger — Osbourne</i>                        |                             |
|    | <i>Spell Against Indifference — Popova</i>                  |                             |
|    | <i>Manifesto: The Mad Farmer's Liberation Front — Berry</i> |                             |

**WINNER: Steyn Hoogstad**

**#74 Alfredo S. Uy Memorial Spoken Word Poetry/Prose (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*This scholarship is donated in memory of Alfredo S. Uy. Melissa and Dennis Ong would like to honour the memory of her father who loved music and the arts. He believed in the power of speech to inspire, inform and entertain. This legacy continues as their family is involved in encouraging speech and debate in Saskatchewan.*

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| 1. | <b>Bria Sifert</b>                                | <b>Maple Creek Music Festival</b>  |
|    | <i>Excerpt from "To Kill A Mockingbird" — Lee</i> |                                    |
| 2. | <b>Chloé Massé</b>                                | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>     |
|    | <i>The Reaper — Massé</i>                         |                                    |
| 3. | <b>Jenevieve Melin</b>                            | <b>Lanigan Music Festival</b>      |
|    | <i>Beyond the Last Lamp — Hardy</i>               |                                    |
| 4. | <b>Willem Hoogstad</b>                            | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>        |
|    | <i>Snake — Lawrence</i>                           |                                    |
| 5. | <b>Stefan Jones</b>                               | <b>Sask Valley Music Festival</b>  |
|    | <i>Totally Like Whatever, You Know — Mali</i>     |                                    |
| 6. | <b>Anwyn Mannix</b>                               | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b>  |
|    | <i>Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf — Dahl</i> |                                    |
| 7. | <b>Valerie Rollheiser</b>                         | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>The Remarkable Rocket — Wilde</i>              |                                    |

**WINNER: Willem Hoogstad**

10:00 am

**#75 Doris Bircham Memorial Spoken Word Concert Group (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*Doris Bircham (1938- 2018) "has been partnered with the same man, the same ranch, and the same prairie wind forever" as her bio reads in her book, "Where Blue Grama Grows". She was a rancher and poet in Southwest Saskatchewan and was always a generous, kind and encouraging person to those around her. She frequently performed her own poetry, and in many ways enabled others to do the same. This memorial scholarship is donated by Heather Macnab of Maple Creek.*

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| 1. | <b>Willem Hoogstad</b>                             | <b>Unity Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>Out of Chaos — Fry</i>                          |                             |
|    | <i>I Hate Hamlet — Rudnick</i>                     |                             |
|    | <i>Invictus — Henley</i>                           |                             |
|    | <i>Julius Caesar, Act 3, Scene 2 — Shakespeare</i> |                             |

**WINNER: Willem Hoogstad**

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – SPOKEN WORD

### #76 Spoken Word Poetry (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <b>Elise Kroeker</b><br><i>Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf</i> — Dahl | Twin Rivers Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Natalie Voigt</b><br><i>Goldilocks and the Three Bears</i> — Dahl      | Battlefords Music Festival |
| 3. | <b>Kinley Pratt</b><br><i>Siren Song</i> — Atwood                         | Maple Creek Music Festival |

**WINNER:** Natalie Voigt

**10:45 am**

### #77 Spoken Word Prose (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <b>Kinley Pratt</b><br><i>The Conjuror's Revenge</i> — Leacock | Maple Creek Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Elise Kroeker</b><br><i>The Actress</i> — Fairbanks         | Twin Rivers Music Festival |

**WINNER:** Kinley Pratt

### #78 Spoken Word Poetry (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <b>Mattea Gabrielson</b><br><i>Goldilocks and the Three Bears</i> — Dahl | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Clara Reiche</b><br><i>The Words I Did Not Say</i> — Montgomery       | Unity Music Festival        |
| 3. | <b>Cadence Pratt</b><br><i>Sea-Fever</i> — Masefield                     | Maple Creek Music Festival  |
| 4. | <b>Lola Hickman</b><br><i>Sick</i> — Silverstein                         | Lloydminster Music Festival |

**WINNER:** Lola Hickman

### #79 Spoken Word Prose (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <b>Lola Hickman</b><br><i>Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Chapter 6</i> — Dahl     | Lloydminster Music Festival   |
| 2. | <b>Clara Reiche</b><br><i>Anne's Apology from "Anne of Green Gables"</i> — Montgomery | Unity Music Festival          |
| 3. | <b>Cadence Pratt</b><br><i>Excerpt from "Andrew's Loose Tooth"</i> — Munsch           | Maple Creek Music Festival    |
| 4. | <b>Liné Linde</b><br><i>The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, Chapter 3</i> — Adams   | Prairie Sunset Music Festival |
| 5. | <b>Mattea Gabrielson</b><br><i>Ella Enchanted</i> — Levine                            | Lloydminster Music Festival   |

**WINNER:** Liné Linde

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**2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – SPOKEN WORD**

**ROOM 1036**

Saturday, June 1, 2024

**Spoken Word**

Judge: Deborah McGladdery

**1:00 pm**

**Canada West Speech Arts & Drama Scholarship, 22 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> Place) ..... \$500**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

- 1. **Steyn Hoogstad** **Unity Music Festival**  
*Twelfth Night, Act 2, Scene 5 — Shakespeare*  
*Son of a Trickster — Robinson*  
*Look Back in Anger — Osbourne*  
*Spell Against Indifference — Popova*

**WINNER: Steyn Hoogstad**

**Canada West Speech Arts and Drama Scholarship, 13 years & under (1st place) ..... \$200**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

**Canada West Speech Arts and Drama Scholarship, 13 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> place) ..... \$50**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

- 1. **Cadence Pratt** **Maple Creek Music Festival**  
*Sea Fever — Masefield*  
*Hanna from “The Long View” — Haehnel*  
*Excerpt from “Andrew’s Loose Tooth” — Munsch*
- 2. **Liné Linde** **Prairie Sunset Music Festival**  
*Boarding School — Fairbanks*  
*The Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy — Adams*  
*The Skater — Roberts*  
*The Merchant of Venice, Act IV Scene i — Shakespeare*  
*Very Like a Whale — Nash*

**WINNER: Liné Linde**

**RUNNER-UP: Cadence Pratt**



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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – SPOKEN WORD

**2:00 pm**

**Saskatchewan Drama Association Canada West Speech Arts & Drama Scholarship,**

**17 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> place) ..... \$300**

*This scholarship is donated by Saskatchewan Drama Association (SDA). SDA is a provincial cultural organization that supports child and youth arts and arts education programs across Saskatchewan.*

**Canada West Speech Arts and Drama Scholarship, 17 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> Place) - \$100**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <p><b>Anwyn Mannix</b><br/> <i>Excerpt from “Anne of Green Gables” — Montgomery</i><br/> <i>Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf — Dahl</i><br/> <i>30 Reasons Not to Be in a Play — Haehnel</i></p>   | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <p><b>Willem Hoogstad</b><br/> <i>Snake — Lawrence</i><br/> <i>I Hate Hamlet — Rudnick</i><br/> <i>Julius Caesar Act 3, Scene 2 — Shakespeare</i></p>   | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>       |
| 3. | <p><b>Kinley Pratt</b><br/> <i>Puck, from “A Midsummer Night's Dream” — Shakespeare</i><br/> <i>Siren Song — Atwood</i><br/> <i>Mindy, from “15 Reasons Not to Be In a Play” — Haehnel</i><br/> <i>Excerpt from “The Book Thief” — Zusak</i><br/> <i>The Conjuror's Revenge — Leacock</i></p> | <b>Maple Creek Music Festival</b> |
| 4. | <p><b>Chloé Massé</b><br/> <i>The Outsiders, Chapter 9, pages 147-149 — Hinton</i><br/> <i>The Reaper — Massé</i><br/> <i>Not Just Derivatives and Functions or Whatever — Meddaugh</i></p>   | <b>Lafleche Music Festival</b>    |
| 5. | <p><b>Bria Sifert</b><br/> <i>Excerpt from “To Kill a Mockingbird” — Lee</i><br/> <i>The Fish — Bishop</i><br/> <i>Rosalind, from “As You Like It,” Act 3, Scene 2 — Shakespeare</i></p>  | <b>Maple Creek Music Festival</b> |
| 6. | <p><b>Natalie Voigt</b><br/> <i>Goldilocks and the Three Bears — Dahl</i><br/> <i>The Old Wife and The Ghost — Reeves</i><br/> <i>The School for Wives, Act 2 — Molière</i></p>   | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b> |



**WINNER:** Willem Hoogstad

**RUNNER-UP:** Bria Sifert

**3<sup>RD</sup> RECOMMEND:** Chloé Massé

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ROOM 1036

Thursday, May 30, 2024

**Strings**

Judge: Heilwig von Koenigsloew

**9:00 am**

**#45 Robert C. Mitchell Memorial Strings Recital (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*This scholarship, donated by Camille and Charles Mitchell of Saskatoon, is in memory of Mr. Robert C. Mitchell.*

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| 1. | <b>Richard Wang (violin)</b><br><i>Praeludium and Allegro</i> — Kreisler<br><i>Chaconne</i> — Vitali, arr. Charlier  | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Elisha Ruo (violin)</b><br><i>Lark Ascending</i> — Vaughan Williams<br><i>Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso</i> — Saint-Saëns                                  | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 3. | <b>Julia Grant (violin)</b><br><i>La plus que lente</i> — Debussy<br><i>Scherzo, op. 42, no. 2 (Souvenir d'un lieu cher)</i> — Tchaikovsky                         | Regina Music Festival    |
| 4. | <b>Zelda Faulkes (violin)</b><br><i>Violin Sonata no.1 in g minor, BWV 1001, Adagio</i> — J. S. Bach<br><i>La fontaine d'Aréthuse, op. 30, no. 1</i> — Szymanowski | Regina Music Festival    |

**WINNER:** Elisha Ruo

**10:15 am**

**#46 Johanna Mitchell Memorial Strings Concert (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*This scholarship, donated by Camille and Charles Mitchell of Saskatoon, is in memory of Johanna Mitchell.*

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| 1. | <b>Nialan Young (violin)</b><br><i>Symphonie Espagnole in d minor, op. 21, mvmt 1</i> — Lalo  | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Kiersten Schack (cello)</b><br><i>Concerto in e minor, op. 85, mvmt 4</i> — Elgar          | Regina Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Aaron Liu (viola)</b><br><i>Sonata in B flat Major, op. 38, mvmt 1</i> — Vieuxtemps        | Regina Music Festival    |
| 4. | <b>Elisha Ruo (violin)</b><br><i>Violin Concerto in e minor, op. 64, mvmt 1</i> — Mendelssohn | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 5. | <b>Zelda Faulkes (violin)</b><br><i>Concerto no. 2 in d minor, op.22, mvmt 1</i> — Wieniawski | Regina Music Festival    |
| 6. | <b>Siyu Huang (cello)</b><br><i>Sonata in C Major, op. 119, mvmt 1</i> — Prokofiev            | Regina Music Festival    |

**WINNER:** Elisha Ruo

**11:30**

**Saskatchewan Orchestral Association Canada West String Scholarship, 17 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> place) ..... \$300**

*This scholarship is sponsored by Saskatchewan Orchestral Association and made possible through a contribution from its Bursary Program, established in 2011 in order to assist music students aged 12 to 24 to participate in eligible musical development activities. The mission of the Sask. Orchestral Association is to enhance the quality of life in Saskatchewan by stimulating a thriving orchestral community.*

**Canada West String Scholarship, 17 years & under (2nd place) ..... \$100**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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|----|---|---------------------------------|
| 1. | <b>Elisha Ruo (violin)</b><br><i>Lark Ascending</i> — Vaughan Williams<br><i>Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso</i> — Saint-Saëns                                   | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Ekaterina Pletneva (violin)</b><br><i>Theme from "Schindler's List"</i> — Williams<br><i>Concert Fantasy on Themes from Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess"</i> — Frolov | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 3. | <b>Zelda Faulkes (violin)</b><br><i>Concerto no. 2 in d minor, op. 22, mvmts 1 &amp; 2</i> — Wieniawski<br><i>La Fontaine d'Arethuse, op. 30/1</i> — Szymanowski    | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>    |



**WINNER:** Elisha Ruo

**RUNNERS-UP:** Ekaterina Pletneva & Zelda Faulkes



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ROOM 1036

Thursday, May 30, 2024

Strings

Judge: Heilwig von Koenigsloew

1:30 pm

#49 Strings Recital (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <b>Rachel Siebert (cello)</b><br><i>Bourrée, op. 24</i> — Squire<br><i>Prelude</i> — Bach   | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Vesper Stevenson (violin)</b><br><i>Melodie from Orpheus and Euridice</i> — Gluck, arr. Kriesler<br><i>Schon Rosmarin</i> — Kriesler | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 3. | <b>Cameron Gajadhar (harp)</b><br><i>Sarabande</i> — Andres<br><i>Romanza</i> — arr. Brundage<br><i>Greensleeves</i> — arr. Milligan    | Regina Music Festival    |
| 4. | <b>Kensie Cowan (violin)</b><br><i>Coraggio</i> — Birston<br><i>Melodie</i> — Gluck   | Rosetown Music Festival  |

WINNER: Vesper Stevenson

2:15 pm

#50 Strings Concert (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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|----|---|--------------------------|
| 1. | <b>Sage Grey (violin)</b><br><i>Violin Concerto no. 1 in e minor, mvmt 1</i> — Komarowski | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Andy Zhang (violin)</b><br><i>Concerto in a minor, op. 3, No. 6, mvmt 1</i> — Vivaldi  | Moose Jaw Music Festival |
| 3. | <b>Vesper Stevenson (violin)</b><br><i>Concerto no. 3 in G Major, mvmt 1</i> — Mozart     | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 4. | <b>Kensie Cowan (violin)</b><br><i>Concerto no. 2, op. 13, mvmt 1</i> — Seitz             | Rosetown Music Festival  |

WINNER: Sage Grey

3:15 pm

#51 Saskatchewan Music Educators Classical Guitar (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400

*This award is donated by the Saskatchewan Music Educators Association, a non-profit charitable organization dedicated to promoting the development of high standards of music and music education.*

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| 1. | <b>Tague O'Bright</b><br><i>Prelude no. 2</i> — Villa-Lobos | Moose Jaw Music Festival |
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WINNER: Tague O'Bright

#52 Stein Farms Ltd. Classical Guitar (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300

*This award is donated by Darrell and Kelly Stein. Kelly is an active committee member of the Watrous & District Music Festival, and former SMFA Board member and Music for Young Children (MYC) teacher.*

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| 1. | <b>Stephen Daniels-White</b><br><i>Asturias Leyenda, op. 47</i> — Albéniz | Saskatoon Music Festival |
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WINNER: Stephen Daniels-White

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ROOM 1033

Friday, May 31, 2024

Strings

Judge: Heilwig von Koenigsloew

9:00 am

**#47 Regina Music Festival Strings Recital (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

*The Regina Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

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| 1. | <b>Jenna Baedke (violin)</b><br><i>German Dance</i> — Von Dittersdorf<br><i>Adoration</i> — Borowski                                  | Gravelbourg Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Alina Mack (violin)</b><br><i>A Perfect Day</i> — Jacobs-Bond<br><i>Partita no. 3 in E Major, BWV 1006 - Gigue</i> — J. S. Bach    | La Ronge Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Sophia Tirkajla (violin)</b><br><i>Chanson de matin, op. 15, no. 2</i> — Elgar<br><i>Danse Espagnole</i> — de Falla, arr. Kreisler | Saskatoon Music Festival   |

WINNER: Sophie Tirkajla

9:45 am

**#48 Strings Concert (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <b>Mehtab Singh Bath (violin)</b><br><i>Concerto in G Major, Hob.VIIa/4</i> — Haydn                        | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 2. | <b>Alejandro Gahite (violin)</b><br><i>Romance, op. 26</i> — Svendsen                                      | Regina Music Festival         |
| 3. | <b>Eliana Bakanec (cello)</b><br><i>Concerto in c minor, mvmt 1: Allegro molto ma maestoso</i> — Casadesus | Prairie Sunset Music Festival |
| 4. | <b>Alina Mack (violin)</b><br><i>Concerto in G Major Hob. VIIa:4 I</i> — Haydn                             | La Ronge Music Festival       |

WINNER: Mehtab Singh Bath

10:15 am

**Battlefords Music Festival Canada West String Scholarship, 13 years & under (first place) ..... \$200**

*The Battlefords Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

**Battlefords Music Festival Canada West String Scholarship, 13 years & under (second place) ..... \$50**

*The Battlefords Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

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| 1. | <b>Kaia Pas (violin)</b><br><i>Scene de Ballet, op. 100</i> — de Beriot, arr. Centano<br><i>Czardas</i> — Monti   | Saskatoon Music Festival |
| 2. | <b>Cameron Gajadhar (harp)</b><br><i>The Little Fountain</i> — Pratt<br><i>Sarabande from Automates</i> — Andres<br><i>Romanza</i> — arr. Brundage<br><i>Greensleeves</i> — arr. Milligan | Regina Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Sophia Tirkajla (violin)</b><br><i>Chanson de matin, op. 15, no. 2</i> — Elgar<br><i>Danse Espagnole</i> — de Falla, arr. Kreisler   | Saskatoon Music Festival |

WINNER: Sophie Tirkajla

WINNER: Cameron Gajadhar



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STUDENT LOUNGE

Thursday, May 30, 2024

Voice

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

1:00 pm

**#21 Dianne Gryba Vocal Recital (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100**

*This scholarship is provided by Dianne Gryba. She has been involved in Saskatchewan Music Festivals for over 50 years, first as a participant, then as an adjudicator, teacher, accompanist and choral director. Dianne is now a committed member of both her local festival committee and the SMFA board. She believes that festivals are an irreplaceable component of a young musician's development and she congratulates each dedicated performer.*

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| 1. | <b>Brielle Jacobs</b><br><i>L'été</i> — Henderson                        | Assiniboia Music Festival   |
| 2. | <b>Scarlett Whitehead</b><br><i>Nel cor più non mi sento</i> — Paisiello | Saskatoon Music Festival    |
| 3. | <b>Kadence Trachuk</b><br><i>Cloud-Shadows</i> — Rogers                  | Lloydminster Music Festival |
| 4. | <b>August Foley</b><br><i>The Birds No More Shall Sing</i> — Handel      | Borderland Music Festival   |
| 5. | <b>Claire Booker</b><br><i>Two Marionettes</i> — Cooke                   | Regina Music Festival       |
| 6. | <b>Lyndon Rousseau</b><br><i>Pie Jesu</i> — Pyrtle, arr. Althouse        | Borderland Music Festival   |
| 7. | <b>Vesper Stevenson</b><br><i>The Little Spanish Town</i> — Jenkyns      | Saskatoon Music Festival    |

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| 8.  | <b>Adrianna Kowalski</b><br><i>L'été</i> — Henderson                | Prince Albert Music Festival  |
| 9.  | <b>Sophie Francais</b><br><i>Firefly</i> — Beck                     | Battlefords Music Festival    |
| 10. | <b>Liné Linde</b><br><i>The King of Song</i> — Thiman               | Prairie Sunset Music Festival |
| 11. | <b>Xuanning Amy Liu</b><br><i>The Little Spanish Town</i> — Jenkyns | Regina Music Festival         |
| 12. | <b>Zoey Coller</b><br><i>Two Marionettes</i> — Cooke                | Twin Rivers Music Festival    |
| 13. | <b>Tianna Starosta</b><br><i>Seligkeit (Bliss)</i> — Schubert       | Twin Rivers Music Festival    |

WINNER: Claire Booker

2:15 pm

**#22 Music for Young Children Vocal Folk Song/Ballad (12 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$100**

*Music for Young Children (MYC) provides quality music education to children by blending the joy of music making with sound instruction. MYC has been teaching children from the ages of 2-10 the foundation of music education and piano playing, in a group situation, for more than 30 years. Today there are over 800 locations on three continents, confirming that they are an international leading quality program for early childhood music education. The MYC Corporate Office provides this scholarship.*

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| 1.  | <b>Scarlett Whitehead</b><br><i>The Turtle Dove</i> — Vaughan Williams                     | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 2.  | <b>Ashlyn Martin</b><br><i>Un Canadien errant</i> — Telfer                                 | Regina Music Festival         |
| 3.  | <b>Brielle Jacobs</b><br><i>Come by the Hills</i> — Smith                                  | Assiniboia Music Festival     |
| 4.  | <b>Claire Booker</b><br><i>My Johnny Was a Shoemaker</i> — Irish folk song                 | Regina Music Festival         |
| 5.  | <b>Tianna Starosta</b><br><i>Bill Bone's Hornpipe</i> — Michel, arr. MacMahon              | Twin Rivers Music Festival    |
| 6.  | <b>Kadence Trachuk</b><br><i>She's Like the Swallow</i> — Canadian folk song, arr. Cassils | Lloydminster Music Festival   |
| 7.  | <b>Zoey Coller</b><br><i>Two Magicians</i> — Sharp   | Twin Rivers Music Festival    |
| 8.  | <b>Vesper Stevenson</b><br><i>Margery Maketh the Tea</i> — Anderson                        | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 9.  | <b>Liné Linde</b><br><i>When Love Is Kind</i> — arr. Lehman                                | Prairie Sunset Music Festival |
| 10. | <b>Olivia Brooks</b><br><i>Shenandoah</i> — arr. Fielder                                   | Moosomin Music Festival       |

**WINNER:** Claire Booker



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Music Director

STUDENT LOUNGE

Thursday, May 30, 2024

Voice

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

6:30 pm

**#19 Marilyn Whitehead Vocal Recital (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

*This scholarship is offered by Marilyn Whitehead who, for over 60 years, has been a strong proponent of the Saskatchewan Music Festival process and the positive experiences gained through its many opportunities. She has participated as a young performer, teacher, accompanist, adjudicator, and choral director of the Fireside Singers. She is pleased to congratulate and encourage these young singers on their vocal journey.*

1.	<b>Kali Rousseau</b> <i>Sebben, crudele</i> — Caldara	Borderland Music Festival
2.	<b>Abigail Gallop</b> <i>Beneath a Weeping Willow's Shade</i> — Hopkinson, arr. Milligan	Regina Music Festival
3.	<b>Stephanie Siba</b> <i>Vergin, tutto amor</i> — Durante	Saskatoon Music Festival
4.	<b>Rylie Coller</b> <i>Bel piacere (Agrippina, HWV 6)</i> — Handel	Twin Rivers Music Festival
5.	<b>Esme Breker</b> <i>Le papillon et la fleur, op. 1, no. 1</i> — Fauré	Moose Jaw Music Festival
6.	<b>Amelia Putz</b> <i>Si i miei sospiri</i> — Fétis	La Ronge Music Festival
7.	<b>Kayleigh Reiniger</b> <i>Tango d'amour</i> — Le Sieur	Lloydminster Music Festival
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8.	<b>Emma Harder</b> <i>June</i> — Quilter	Battlefords Music Festival
9.	<b>Rianka Allaine Crespo</b> <i>The False Prophet</i> — Scott	Battlefords Music Festival
10.	<b>Kathleen Booker</b> <i>Alma del core (La costanza in amor vince l'inganno)</i> — Caldara	Regina Music Festival
11.	<b>Mayla Williams</b> <i>Forty Little Birdies</i> — Rhodenizer	Unity Music Festival
12.	<b>Sadie Gryba</b> <i>Sonnet 18</i> — Ursan	Saskatoon Music Festival
13.	<b>Londyn Beliveau</b> <i>Se tu m'ami</i> — Parisotti	Borderland Music Festival
14.	<b>Cooper Loshack</b> <i>Ridente la calma</i> — Mozart	Biggar Music Festival

**WINNER:** Cooper Loshack

## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – VOICE

**8:00 pm**

**#20 Music for Young Children Vocal Folk Song/Ballad (14 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$200**

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>Mayla Williams</b><br><i>Poor Wayfaring Stranger</i> — arr. Althouse                              | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>        |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>Shailynn Li</b><br><i>The Little Horses</i> — Traditional   | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>Ruby Hickman</b><br><i>Fare Thee Well (Dink's Song)</i> — Traditional, arr. Mumford/Isaac/Burnett | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b> |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>Emma Harder</b><br><i>The Lark in the Clear Air</i> — Irish air, arr. Fisher                      | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b>  |
| <b>5.</b> | <b>Amelie Craib</b><br><i>Los pelegrinitos</i> — arr. Lorca  | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b>  |
| <b>6.</b> | <b>Esme Breker</b><br><i>Land of Our Dreams</i> — arr. Althouse/Harrison                             | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>    |
| <b>7.</b> | <b>Sadie Gryba</b><br><i>Come, All You Fair and Tender Ladies</i> — arr. Zaninelli                   | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>    |

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| <b>8.</b>  | <b>Rylie Coller</b><br><i>Danny Boy</i> — Traditional Irish air, arr. Smallman      | <b>Twin Rivers Music Festival</b>  |
| <b>9.</b>  | <b>Jenna Kirzinger</b><br><i>The Lass from the Low Country</i> — Niles              | <b>Humboldt Music Festival</b>     |
| <b>10.</b> | <b>Aubrie Rittinger</b><br><i>Jeunes fillettes</i> — Weckerlin                      | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>    |
| <b>11.</b> | <b>Kathleen Booker</b><br><i>When I Was Seventeen</i> — Swedish folk song, arr. Row | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>12.</b> | <b>Cooper Loshack</b><br><i>The Water is Wide</i> — Hayes                           | <b>Biggar Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>13.</b> | <b>Malia Hadden</b><br><i>Skye Boat Song</i> — arr. Althouse                        | <b>Biggar Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>14.</b> | <b>Kayleigh Reiniger</b><br><i>Homeward Bound</i> — arr. Althouse                   | <b>Lloydminster Music Festival</b> |

**WINNER: Sadie Gryba**

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STUDENT LOUNGE

Friday, May 31, 2024

Voice

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

10:00 am

Canada West Classical Voice Scholarship, 13 years & under (1<sup>st</sup> place) ..... \$200

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

Canada West Classical Voice Scholarship, 13 years & under (2<sup>nd</sup> place) ..... \$50

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <p><b>Claire Booker</b><br/> <i>Sebben, crudele (La costanza in amor vince l'inganno)</i> — Caldara<br/> <i>Ninna nanna</i> — Castelnuovo-Tedesco<br/> <i>Petite souris</i> — Bernec<br/> <i>A Blackbird Singing</i> — Head<br/> <i>The Cloak, the Boat, and the Shoes</i> — Moore<br/> <i>Two Marionettes</i> — Cooke</p> | Regina Music Festival         |
| 2. | <p><b>Stephanie Siba</b><br/> <i>Vergin, tutto amor</i> — Durante<br/> <i>Lachen und Weinen, D.777</i> — Schubert<br/> <i>O Love, Be Deep</i> — MacNutt<br/> <i>Wild Horses</i> — Spencer</p>  | Saskatoon Music Festival      |
| 3. | <p><b>Liné Linde</b><br/> <i>I See The Love Of God In Every River</i> — Ouchterlony<br/> <i>Valencianita</i> — arr. Althouse<br/> <i>When Love is Kind</i> — arr. Lehmann<br/> <i>An den Mond</i> — Schubert<br/> <i>The King of Song</i> — Thiman</p>   | Prairie Sunset Music Festival |
| 4. | <p><b>Abigail Gallop</b><br/> <i>Beneath a Weeping Willow's Shade</i> — Hopkinson, arr. Milligan<br/> <i>The Morning Dew</i> — Newfoundland folk song, arr. Johnston<br/> <i>Te souviens-tu</i> — Godard<br/> <i>The Little Spanish Town</i> — Jenkyns<br/> <i>Night Lights</i> — Hill Duncan</p>                          | Regina Music Festival         |
| 5. | <p><b>Amelie Craib</b><br/> <i>Let in the Clear (L'Amor contrastato)</i> — McIntyre<br/> <i>Nel cor più non mi sento</i> — Paisiello<br/> <i>Night Lights</i> — Hill Duncan<br/> <i>Los pelegrinitos</i> — arr. Lorca</p>  | Battlefords Music Festival    |
| 6. | <p><b>Kadence Trachuk</b><br/> <i>Cloud Shadows</i> — Rogers<br/> <i>In Sherwood Lived Stout Robin Hood</i> — Jones, arr. Wood<br/> <i>She's Like the Swallow</i> — Canadian folk song, arr. Cassils<br/> <i>If You Become the Moon</i> — Kelpie/Weber/Finney</p>  | Lloydminster Music Festival   |



**WINNER:** Claire Booker

**WINNER:** Liné Linde & Stephanie Siba

QUANCE THEATRE  
Friday, May 31, 2024

**Voice**

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

**2:00 pm**

**#5 Goodfellow Memorial Vocal Grade A (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

*This scholarship is one of a series of annual provincial scholarships, provided by a Memorial Trust Fund. The Saskatchewan Music Festival Association (SMFA) gratefully acknowledges the very generous contribution by the late S. J. Goodfellow of Regina, who established the Trust Fund in honour of his wife, Nancy Goodfellow. During her lifetime, Mrs. Goodfellow had many and varied community interests to which she gave of herself unstintingly. While studying with Madame Alicia Birkett at the Regina Conservatory of Music, she participated in our music festivals for many years.*

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| 1. | <b>James Raquion</b>   | <b>Regina Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>Nell'orro di notte oscura, op. 6, no. 4 - Romanze — Verdi</i> |                              |
|    | <i>None but the Lonely Heart, op. 6, no.6 — Tchaikovsky</i>      |                              |

**WINNER: James Raquion**

**#7 SMFA Vocal Tenor, Baritone, Bass Grade B (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

*This scholarship is provided by the SMFA.*

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| 1. | <b>Adam Brookman</b>                                       | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>Silent Noon — Vaughan Williams</i>                      |                                 |
|    | <i>The Green-Eyed Dragon — Charles</i>                     |                                 |
| 2. | <b>Kai Batycki</b>   | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>Arise ye Subterranean Winds (The Tempest) — Purcell</i> |                                 |
|    | <i>Frühlingstraum (Die Winterreise) — Schubert</i>         |                                 |

**WINNER: Adam Brookman**

*All senior vocalists are under consideration to receive the Joanne Messer Senior Vocal Scholarship of \$800, which will be presented at 8 pm on Friday, May 31 to the best overall vocalist in the senior level (28 & under) competition. For more information on the award, see page 58.*

**2:45 pm**

**#9 Goodfellow Memorial Vocal French Art Song (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

*This scholarship is awarded in memory of Ann Owen (Nancy) Goodfellow.*

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| 1. | <b>James Raquion</b>   | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>    |
|    | <i>Vaisseaux, nous vous aurons aimés en pure perte, op. 118, no. 4 — Fauré</i> |                                 |
| 2. | <b>Adam Brookman</b>   | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>En prière — Fauré</i>   |                                 |

**WINNER: Adam Brookman**

**#10 Goodfellow Memorial Vocal Oratorio (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400**

*This scholarship is awarded from the Goodfellow Trust Account in memory of Ann Owen (Nancy) Goodfellow.*

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| 1. | <b>Kelsey Ronn</b>   | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>Nun beut die Flur (Die Schöpfung) — Haydn</i>             |                                 |
| 2. | <b>Adam Brookman</b>   | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
|    | <i>Revenge, Timotheus Cries (Alexander's Feast) — Handel</i> |                                 |

**WINNER: Kelsey Ronn**

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QUANCE THEATRE

Friday, May 31, 2024

Voice

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

6:30 pm

#14 Nancy & Alastair Todd Memorial Vocal Concert Group Grade B (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400

*This scholarship is donated by Diana Woolrich in memory of Nancy Hazel Todd and Alastair Todd.*

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| <p>1. <b>Emma Gillingham</b><br/>                 Goethe-Lieder – Wolf<br/> <i>Blumengruß (no. 24)</i><br/> <i>Die Spröde (no. 26)</i><br/> <i>Die Bekehrte (no. 27)</i><br/> <i>Frühling übers Jahr (no. 28)</i></p> | <p>Sask Valley Music Festival</p> |
| <p>2. <b>Adam Brookman</b><br/> <i>Bessie Bobtail</i> — Barber<br/> <i>Sure on this shining night</i> — Barber<br/> <i>Hey nonny no!</i> — Barber</p>   | <p>Saskatoon Music Festival</p>   |
| <p>3. <b>Sanjana Brijlall</b><br/>                 Canciones clásicas españolas – Obradors<br/> <i>Corazón, porque pasáis...</i><br/> <i>Al amor</i><br/> <i>Del cabello más s'util</i><br/> <i>El vito</i></p>       | <p>Saskatoon Music Festival</p>   |

**WINNER:** Emma Gillingham

*All senior vocalists are under consideration to receive the Joanne Messer Senior Vocal Scholarship of \$800, which will be presented at 8 pm on Friday, May 31 to the best overall vocalist in the senior level (28 & under) competition. For more information on the award, see page 58.*

7:15 pm

#8 Goodfellow Memorial Vocal Opera/Operatic (28 years & under) Scholarship..... \$400

*This scholarship is in memory of Hazel Farnsworth of Regina. Hazel Farnsworth was a well-known singer in southern Saskatchewan. Her teachers included Colin Faunt and Dan Cameron, who prepared her for many award-winning festival and recital performances. She appeared in stage and opera productions with the Regina Amateur Operatic Society and the Regina Conservatory of Music. She performed vocal duets with her husband, the late Stan Farnsworth, and was a choir member of St. Paul's Cathedral for many years.*

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| <p>1. <b>Kelsey Ronn</b><br/> <i>Je suis encore tout étourdie (Manon)</i> — Massenet</p>                     | <p>Saskatoon Music Festival</p>   |
| <p>2. <b>Paulina Salisbury</b><br/> <i>Batti, batti, o bel Masetto (Don Giovanni)</i> — Mozart</p>           | <p>Saskatoon Music Festival</p>   |
| <p>3. <b>James Raquion</b><br/> <i>O sainte médaille ... Avant de quitter ces lieux (Faust)</i> — Gounod</p> | <p>Regina Music Festival</p>      |
| <p>4. <b>Emma Gillingham</b><br/> <i>Volta la terrea (Un ballo in maschera)</i> — Verdi</p>                  | <p>Sask Valley Music Festival</p> |
| <p>5. <b>Cora Lockert</b><br/> <i>Chi vuol la zingarella (I Zingari in Fiera)</i> — Paisiello</p>            | <p>Regina Music Festival</p>      |

**WINNER:** Kelsey Ronn

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – VOICE

### #12 Karen Frandsen Vocal Scholarship for Canadian Music (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400

*This scholarship is provided by Karen Frandsen, Soprano, private voice teacher, adjudicator and SRMTA/SMFA volunteer board member in Regina. For 23 years, Karen has introduced countless Canadian vocal compositions to her students performing in studio recitals and festival competitions. In 2015, Karen spearheaded a student art song project (Art Songs of Canada) featuring works by Regina composers. Karen acknowledges the work of the Canadian Music Centre as an invaluable resource for Canadian vocal repertoire.*

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| 1. | <b>Sierra Downey</b><br><i>O Love, be Deep</i> — MacNutt      | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Sanjana Brijlall</b><br><i>The Wise Lover</i> — Coulthard  | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Kelsey Ronn</b><br><i>Requiescat (Three Songs)</i> — Emery | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b> |

**WINNER: Kelsey Ronn**

*All senior vocalists are under consideration to receive the Joanne Messer Senior Vocal Scholarship of \$800, which will be presented at 8 pm on Friday, May 31 to the best overall vocalist in the senior level (28 & under) competition. For more information on the award, see page 58.*

### #6 Heather Laxdal Vocal Soprano, Mezzo-Soprano, Contralto, Countertenor

#### Grade B (28 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$400

*This scholarship is in memory of Heather Laxdal. Friends set up a scholarship fund when Heather was killed in a car accident on April 21, 1988, at the age of 20. She was completing her second year of Music Performance at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon. Heather competed in the Yorkton Music Festival for twelve years and was recommended to the Provincial Music Festival three years in succession, winning the SMFA Girls' Vocal Scholarship in 1984.*

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| 1. | <b>Emma Gillingham</b><br><i>Aimons-nous et dormons, L. 16</i> — Debussy<br><i>Perduta ho la speranza</i> — Donaudy | <b>Sask Valley Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Paulina Salisbury</b><br><i>Intorno all'idol mio</i> — Cesti<br><i>La diva de l'empire</i> — Satie               | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>   |

**WINNER: Paulina Salisbury**

### 8:00 pm

#### Joanne Messer Senior Vocal Scholarship - \$800

*This award, presented to the best overall vocalist in the senior level (28 years & under) competition, is provided by Joanne Messer of Tisdale, Saskatchewan. Joanne's involvement in Saskatchewan's cultural community has been varied and continuous over the past four decades. Her support of visual and performing arts and her passion for elocution related initiatives have led her to such positions as President of the Mackenzie Art Gallery and the Saskatchewan Music Festival Association. Her leadership, energy and enthusiasm have benefited arts organizations in both urban and rural Saskatchewan. A competitor may win this scholarship only once.*

**WINNER: Kelsey Ronn**

STUDENT LOUNGE

Saturday, June 1, 2024

Voice

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

9:00 am

#15 Covey Vocal Recital Soprano, Mezzo-Soprano, Contralto, Countertenor

(17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300

*This scholarship is offered by Edna Covey and Doris Covey Lazecki in memory of their mother, Jessie Covey, who was an avid supporter of young singers.*

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| 1.                    | <b>Nania van der Merwe</b><br><i>I Will Sing of the Lord's Great Love — McIntyre</i> | Regina Music Festival      |
| 2.                    | <b>Julia Miles</b><br><i>Longing — Barber</i>  | Mainline Music Festival    |
| 3.                    | <b>Amanda Blohm</b><br><i>Vaghissima Smbianza — Donaudy</i>                          | Assiniboia Music Festival  |
| 4.                    | <b>Keira Achter</b><br><i>Pur dicesti, o bocca bella — Lotti</i>                     | Lafleche Music Festival    |
| 5.                    | <b>Keara Van Olst</b><br><i>Ouvre tes yeux bleus — Massenet</i>                      | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 6.                    | <b>Larissa Raddysch</b><br><i>Queen of the North — Hill Duncan</i>                   | Biggar Music Festival      |
| 7.                    | <b>Zoe Ostapak</b><br><i>Bel piacere (Agrippina, HWV 6) — Handel</i>                 | Sask Valley Music Festival |
| 8.                    | <b>Sierra Gardiner</b><br><i>Nymphs and Shepherds — Purcell</i>                      | Kindersley Music Festival  |
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| 9.                    | <b>Avyne McLean</b><br><i>Five Eyes — Armstrong Gibbs</i>                            | Unity Music Festival       |
| 10.                   | <b>Anneka McLaren</b><br><i>Speak, Music! op. 41, no. 2 — Elgar</i>                  | Regina Music Festival      |
| 11.                   | <b>Abbeygail May</b><br><i>Alma mia — Handel</i>                                     | Mainline Music Festival    |
| 12.                   | <b>Izzy Adams</b><br><i>Five Eyes — Armstrong</i>                                    | Moose Jaw Music Festival   |
| 13.                   | <b>Isabelle Adams</b><br><i>My Heart Is Like a Singing Bird — Parry</i>              | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 14.                   | <b>Keira Mahnke</b><br><i>La rondinella amante (Griselda) — Vivaldi</i>              | Weyburn Music Festival     |
| 15.                   | <b>Claire Mantyka</b><br><i>Caro mio ben — Giordani</i>                              | Biggar Music Festival      |
| 16.                   | <b>Rayna Baedke</b><br><i>L'Heure exquise — Hahn</i>                                 | Lafleche Music Festival    |

WINNER: Abbeygail May

10:30 am

**#16 A. L.'s Music Vocal Recital Tenor, Baritone, Bass (17 years & under) Scholarship ..... \$300**

*This scholarship is offered by Arlene Lafrentz, operator of a successful voice studio in the southeast corner of the province. Arlene and her husband, Kelly, are passionate supporters of the arts and recognize the importance of supporting developing musicians both locally and provincially.*

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| 1. | <b>Declan Wall</b><br><i>She Walks in Beauty</i> — Coulthard         | <b>Battlefords Music Festival</b> |
| 2. | <b>Daniel Sutherland</b><br><i>Vergin, tutto amor</i> — Durante      | <b>Assiniboia Music Festival</b>  |
| 3. | <b>Erik Jeerakathil</b><br><i>Der Musensohn D.764</i> — Schubert     | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>   |
| 4. | <b>Antony Salisbury</b><br><i>Le charme, op. 2, no. 2</i> — Chausson | <b>Saskatoon Music Festival</b>   |
| 5. | <b>Ayden Jacobs</b><br><i>Intorno all'idol mio</i> — Cesti           | <b>Assiniboia Music Festival</b>  |
| 6. | <b>Mateo Rutley</b><br><i>Vittoria, mio core</i> — Carissimi         | <b>Unity Music Festival</b>       |
| 7. | <b>Isaiah Artavia</b><br><i>Caro mio ben</i> — Giordani              | <b>Moose Jaw Music Festival</b>   |

**WINNER:** Isaiah Artavia



STUDENT LOUNGE

Saturday, June 1, 2024

Voice

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

1:00 pm

**#17 Dr. Garry Gable & Kathleen Lohrenz Gable Vocal Folk Song/Ballad (17 years & under) Scholarship..... \$300**

*SMFA is pleased to offer this scholarship, honouring the work of Dr. Garry Gable and Kathleen Lohrenz Gable, outstanding adjudicators, educators and performers. Their steadfast support has been instrumental in the growth and success of the Association, and their influence is felt throughout the province.*

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| 1.  | <b>Ayden Jacobs</b><br><i>Garten Mother`s Lullaby — arr. Hughes</i>            | Gravelbourg Music Festival |
| 2.  | <b>Julia Miles</b><br><i>How Can I Keep From Singing? — Lowry, arr. Kinney</i> | Mainline Music Festival    |
| 3.  | <b>Peyton Bell</b><br><i>An Eriskay Love Lilt — Kennedy-Fraser</i>             | La Ronge Music Festival    |
| 4.  | <b>Sydney Kelln</b><br><i>The Last Rose of Summer — arr. Britten</i>           | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 5.  | <b>Avyne McLean</b><br><i>Danny Boy — Traditional Irish air, arr. Smallman</i> | Unity Music Festival       |
| 6.  | <b>Keira Mahnke</b><br><i>The Fanaid Grove — Irish folk song, arr. Hughes</i>  | Weyburn Music Festival     |
| 7.  | <b>Charis Winslow</b><br><i>The Gartan Mother's Lullaby — arr. Hughes</i>      | Yorkton Music Festival     |
| 8.  | <b>Natalie Warren</b><br><i>The Water is Wide — Cassidy</i>                    | Moose Jaw Music Festival   |
| 9.  | <b>Claire Mantyka</b><br><i>Danny Boy — arr. Weatherly</i>                     | Biggar Music Festival      |
| 10. | <b>Larissa Raddysch</b><br><i>Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho — Hayes</i>     | Biggar Music Festival      |
| 11. | <b>Leah Booker</b><br><i>He's Gone Away — American folk song, arr. Heggie</i>  | Regina Music Festival      |

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| 12. | <b>Amanda Blohm</b><br><i>A-Roving — Traditional sea shanty, arr. Parks</i>         | Assiniboia Music Festival  |
| 13. | <b>Ava Smith</b><br><i>Linden Lea — Vaughan Williams</i>                            | Battlefords Music Festival |
| 14. | <b>Sierra Gardiner</b><br><i>Homeward Bound — arr. Keen</i>                         | Kindersley Music Festival  |
| 15. | <b>Nora Rittinger</b><br><i>I Wonder as I Wander — Britten</i>                      | Saskatoon Music Festival   |
| 16. | <b>Abbeygail May</b><br><i>What can a young Lassie do wi' an auld man? — Ursan</i>  | Mainline Music Festival    |
| 17. | <b>Geri Lon Christie Valdesimo</b><br><i>My Lagan Love — arr. Akiko/Kinney</i>      | Langigan Music Festival    |
| 18. | <b>Daniel Sutherland</b><br><i>Danny Boy — Traditional Irish air, arr. Smallman</i> | Assiniboia Music Festival  |
| 19. | <b>Monica Steinke</b><br><i>Long Time Ago — arr. Copland</i>                        | Sask Valley Music Festival |
| 20. | <b>Declan Wall</b><br><i>The St. John's Girl — Traditional, arr. Bethwick</i>       | Battlefords Music Festival |
| 21. | <b>Izzy Adams</b><br><i>My Lord, What a Morning — arr. Althouse</i>                 | Moose Jaw Music Festival   |

**WINNER: Nora Rittinger**

*Scholarship winners must report to the SMFA onsite office (Room 1039, Educ. Building, U of S) to receive their award.*

3:00 pm

#18 Regina Music Festival Vocal Concert Group (17 years & under) Scholarship..... \$300

*The Regina Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

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| 1. | <p><b>Isabelle Adams</b><br/> <i>Liebeslied, op. 51, no. 5</i> — Schumann<br/> <i>Des Sennen Abschied, op. 79, no. 23</i> — Schumann<br/> <i>Singet nicht in Trauertönen, op. 98a, no. 7</i> — Schumann</p>                             | Saskatoon Music Festival  |
| 2. | <p><b>Leah Booker</b><br/> <i>Night</i> — Crumb<br/> <i>Let it be Forgotten</i> — Crumb<br/> <i>Wind Elegy</i> — Crumb</p>  | Regina Music Festival     |
| 3. | <p><b>Daniel Sutherland</b><br/>                     Blissfully<br/> <i>There is Sweet Music</i> — Norris<br/> <i>À Chlois</i> — Hahn</p>   | Assiniboia Music Festival |
| 4. | <p><b>Keira Mahnke</b><br/>                     Love in Three Tongues<br/> <i>Hai Luli (Soirées musicales no. 6)</i> — Viardot<br/> <i>An die Nachtigall, op. 46, no. 4</i> — Brahms<br/> <i>La pastorella delle Alpi</i> — Rossini</p> | Weyburn Music Festival    |
| 5. | <p><b>Nora Rittinger</b><br/> <i>Good Morning, Midnight</i> — Duke<br/> <i>Heart, We Will Forget Him</i> — Duke<br/> <i>Nobody Knows This Little Rose</i> — Duke<br/> <i>Bee! I'm Expecting You!</i> — Duke</p>                         | Saskatoon Music Festival  |

**WINNER:** Isabelle Adams



QUANCE THEATRE

Sunday, June 2, 2024

Voice

Judge: Lara Ciekiewicz

10:00 am

**Blanche Squires Canada West Classical Voice Scholarship, 22 years & under (1st place) ..... \$500**

*The Order of the Eastern Star administers the Blanche Squires Trust and provides for this scholarship. The Blanche Squires Scholarships have been donated by Mr. Frank Squires of Lloydminster in memory of his wife Blanche, to the Saskatchewan Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, for the purpose of providing financial assistance to music students in our province. Mrs. Squires had been a devout member of the Eastern Star for many years prior to her death in 1968.*

1. **Adam Brookman**

Saskatoon Music Festival

- Già il sole dal Gange* — Scarlatti
- Silent Noon* — Vaughan Williams
- Bessie Bobtail* — Barber
- Auf dem Wasser zu singen* — Schubert
- En prière* — Fauré
- The Green-Eyed Dragon* — Charles

**WINNER: Adam Brookman**

**Lafleche & District Music Festival Canada West Classical Voice Scholarship, 17 years & under (1st place)..... \$300**

*The Lafleche & District Music Festival, one of SMFA's 47 affiliate District Festivals, is pleased to donate this scholarship.*

**Jordie Hughton/Hughton Family Canada West Classical Voice Scholarship, 17 years & under (2nd place) ..... \$100**

*This scholarship is sponsored by the Hughton family in recognition of Jordie Hughton's success as a vocalist in the SMFA Competitions and the importance of studying music.*

1. **Erik Jeerakathil**

Saskatoon Music Festival

- Come Away, Death* — Quilter
- O Mistress Mine* — Quilter
- Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind* — Quilter
- Der Musensohn, D.764* — Schubert
- Give A Man A Horse He Can Ride* — Thomson

2. **Ava Smith**

Battlefords Music Festival

- Als Luise die Briefe, K540* — Mozart
- Se tu m'ami* — Parisotti
- Au bord de l'eau, op. 8, no. 1* — Fauré
- Cool and Silent is the Lake* — Davenport
- Linden Lea* — Vaughan Williams

3. **Isabelle Adams**

Saskatoon Music Festival

- Long Time Ago (Rinaldo)* — Copland
- Lascia ch'io pianga* — Handel
- Ich nehme mein Leiden mit Freuden auf mich (Cantata 75 BWV 75)* — J. S. Bach
- Si mes vers avaient des ailes* — Hahn
- My Heart Is Like a Singing Bird* — Parry

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## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – VOICE

4. **Rayna Baedke** **Lafleche Music Festival**  
*My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair* — Haydn  
*Auf Flügeln des Gesanges* — Mendelssohn  
*L'Heure exquise* — Hahn  
*Five Eyes* — Armstrong Gibbs
5. **Keira Mahnke** **Weyburn Music Festival**  
*La rondinella amante (Griselda)* — Vivaldi  
*Clair de lune, op. 83, no. 1* — Szulc  
*An die Nachtigall, op. 46, no. 4* — Brahms  
*Echo* — Schudel  
*La pastorella delle Alpi, no. 6* — Rossini



**WINNER:** Erik Jeerakathil

**RUNNER-UP:** Isabelle Adams

**3<sup>RD</sup> RECOMMEND:** Keira Mahnke

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**Choral**

Judge: Donna Rhodenizer

**#1 Mary Anderson Memorial Choral Sacred Scholarship..... \$500**

*This scholarship of \$500 is presented by Betsy Vought in memory of her mother, Saskatoon musician Mary Anderson, for the finest performance in Sacred Choral Classes.*

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| 1. | <b>Luther College High School Senior Choir, conducted by Kyera Levesque</b><br>Beauty All Around Us — Nickel<br>Prayer of the Children — Clouse | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>   |
| 2. | <b>Resound, conducted by Jessica Evans</b><br>Jesus Loves Me — arr. Hassell<br>Hallelujah! By and By — arr. McDonald                            | <b>Vanguard Music Festival</b> |

**WINNER:** Luther College High School Senior Choir

**#2 Saskatchewan Choral Federation Choral Open Scholarship..... \$300**

*This scholarship of \$300 will be awarded by the Saskatchewan Choral Federation for the most outstanding performance in Choral Classes 10210 to 10215, and 10220 to 10225. The Saskatchewan Choral Federation is a non-profit, charitable organization dedicated to the elevation and enhancement of choral music in Saskatchewan.*

**Betty Tydeman Memorial Choral Open Award, Runner-up..... \$200**

*This award of \$200 is presented to the runner-up in the Saskatchewan Choral Federation Choral Class. Betty Tydeman had been involved in music festival for most of her life, from her time as a competitor in Rosetown until her work with the Saskatoon Music Festival, where she made significant contributions in all aspects of its organization. Betty also contributed to the community as a member with her church choir, the Saskatoon Choral Society, the University Chorus, and served on the Board of the Saskatoon Symphony Orchestra.*

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| 1. | <b>Ablaze Vocal Arts Ensemble, conducted by Dorianna Holowachuk</b><br>Stars I Shall Find — Dickau<br>Yōtin (The Wind) — Sewepagaham | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| 2. | <b>Prairie Spirit, conducted by Marcia McLean</b><br>The Arrow and the Song — Martin<br>You are the Music — Forrest                  | <b>Swift Current Music Festival</b> |
| 3. | <b>Cantate Senior Choir, conducted by Deborah Nelson</b><br>Festival Sanctus — Patterson<br>Lake Isle of Innisfree — Daley           | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| 4. | <b>Resonate, conducted by Lauren Lohneis</b><br>Warrior — Baryluk<br>What Happens When a Woman — Artemisia                           | <b>Prince Albert Music Festival</b> |
| 5. | <b>Reverb, conducted by Lauren Lohneis</b><br>Long Time Traveller — The Wailin' Jennys<br>Sarah — Quick                              | <b>Prince Albert Music Festival</b> |
| 6. | <b>Ignite Chamber Choir, conducted by Dorianna Holowachuk</b><br>Grandmother Moon — Daley<br>The Sounding Sea — Barnum               | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |

**WINNER:** Ignite Chamber Choir

**RUNNER-UP:** Cantate Senior Choir



## 2024 PROVINCIAL FINALS – CHORAL

### #3 Kiwanis Club of Regina-Wascana Inc. Gallagher Memorial Choral Children/Youth Open Scholarship ..... \$500

*The Gallagher Memorial Scholarship of \$500 is presented by the Kiwanis Club of Regina-Wascana Inc., in tribute to the Gallagher family, for the finest performance in the Children/Youth Choral Class. The late Harold Gallagher served as president of the club in 1977-1978. The award, while recognizing Harold's service in many capacities during his 37 years of active Kiwanis membership, is intended to honour both Harold and the late Mrs. Margaret Gallagher for their gifts of music shared so graciously with the community.*

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>SHHS Choir, conducted by Linda Sogbetun</b><br>Turkish March for Voices — Mozart, arr. Gilpin<br>It Don't Mean a Thing — Ellington, arr. Huff           | <b>Yorkton Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>RJC Singers, conducted by Kayleigh Skomorowski</b><br>Eternity — Bojeson<br>Vindo — Sejnas  | <b>Sask Valley Music Festival</b>   |
| <b>3.</b> | <b>RJC Concert Choir, conducted by Kayleigh Skomorowski</b><br>The Cuckoo — Hugh<br>Jenny — Myers  | <b>Sask Valley Music Festival</b>   |
| <b>4.</b> | <b>LCBI Chamber Choir, conducted by Graham Codling</b><br>Cantate Domino — Pitoni<br>Eatnemen Vuelie — Fjellheim, arr. Crocker                             | <b>Outlook Music Festival</b>       |
| <b>5.</b> | <b>Big Noise Youth Choir, conducted by Lauren Lohneis</b><br>Kom! — Aslund<br>And So It Goes — Joel, arr. Shaw   | <b>Prince Albert Music Festival</b> |
| <b>6.</b> | <b>Cantate Combined Choir, conducted by Deborah Nelson</b><br>Never Far From Home — Patterson<br>Be the Change — Farnell                                   | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| <b>7.</b> | <b>Luther College High School Treble Choir, conducted by Evanne Wilhelm</b><br>A Letter From a Girl to the World — Ramsey<br>Wau Bulan — Wong              | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| <b>8.</b> | <b>Conservatory Prairie Kids Chorus, conducted by Allison Luff and Valerie Hall</b><br>Manx Lullaby — arr. Dolloff<br>Ferry Me Across the Water — Williams | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |
| <b>9.</b> | <b>Cantate Apprentice Choir, conducted by Deborah Nelson</b><br>Nursery Rhyme Nonsense — Broughton<br>On the Back of an Eagle — Telfer                     | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>        |

**WINNER:** Cantate Combined Choir

### #4 Saskatchewan Choral Federation School Music Scholarship ..... \$500

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| <b>1.</b> | <b>Luther College High School Senior Choir, conducted by Kyera Levesque</b><br>All Together We Are Love — Gimon<br>Here's To Song — Clouse, arr. Adams | <b>Regina Music Festival</b>  |
| <b>2.</b> | <b>LCBI Concert Choir, conducted by Graham Codling</b><br>A Round of Three Country Dances in One — Ravenscroft<br>I Lift Up Mine Eyes — Pote           | <b>Outlook Music Festival</b> |

**WINNER:** Luther College High School Senior Choir

## Judges' Biographies

### Erin Brophey (Brass / Wind / Percussion)



Erin Brophey shares the joy of music-making with audiences across Canada. Erin is currently the Principal Oboe of the Saskatoon Symphony Orchestra. Previously, Erin held the position of section oboe and English horn with the Thunder Bay Symphony Orchestra for eight seasons. Erin is also an active freelance musician, and has performed with many Canadian orchestras, including the Kitchener-Waterloo Symphony Orchestra, the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra, the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, Symphony Nova Scotia, the Regina Symphony Orchestra, the Windsor Symphony Orchestra, the Charlottetown Festival Orchestra and the Elora Festival Orchestra.

In 2000, Erin earned her Honours Bachelor of Music from Wilfrid Laurier University where she studied with James Mason. She completed her Master of Music degree at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania under the tutelage of Cynthia Koledo de Almeida in 2002.

To continue to hone her craft, Erin is so grateful to have performed in many summer festivals nation-wide including Festival of the Sound, West Ben Festival, Elora Festival, Stratford Music Festival, Tafelmusik Summer Baroque Institute, National Youth Orchestra of Canada, L'Orchestre de la Francophonie and the National Academy Orchestra. Recently, Erin performed at the Ritornello Festival with the Gryphon Trio.

An avid and joyful educator, Erin Brophey is a sessional lecturer at the University of Saskatchewan and is the Woodwind Coach for the Saskatoon Youth Orchestra. In Saskatoon, Erin co-directs a community double-reed band called Squawk, is active in new music programming and teaches a private oboe studio. In addition, Erin is on faculty at the Inter-Provincial Music Camp in Parry Sound, Ontario.

Erin Brophey is the Director of a unique online oboe education program called the Oboe Path. For more information, please visit [www.erinbrophey.com](http://www.erinbrophey.com).

### Lara Ciekiewicz (Voice)

Hailed for her “tour-de-force performance” (*Winnipeg Free Press*) in the title role of Manitoba Opera’s *Susannah*, Lara has established herself as a dynamic, intelligent, and moving singing-actress. Her facility for fully transforming into a character, regardless of genre, has earned her the reputation of being an artistic chameleon.



This season saw Lara rejoin Opera on the Avalon for their world première of Kaminsky and Moore’s *February* in the role of Bartender. She made role and house debuts as Mother Abbess in *The Sound of Music* for both the Royal Manitoba Theatre Centre, and The Citadel Theatre. Lara also returned to her Manitoba Opera family as Micaëla in *Carmen*, and to NUOVA Vocal Arts for their workshop of Uyeda and Hagen’s *Silence*. This summer she appears as Bird Woman in *Mary Poppins* for Rainbow Stage.

Lara is increasingly in demand as an adjudicator, and teacher. She holds a Masters in Music (Opera) from McGill University, and a Bachelor of Arts - Honours (Voice) from the University of Winnipeg. She is an alumna of l’Atelier Lyrique de l’Opéra de Montréal, San Francisco Opera’s Merola Opera Program, the Janiec Opera Company at the Brevard Music Center, the Banff Centre, Opera NUOVA, and the Royal Winnipeg Ballet School (Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Musical Theatre). Lara also enjoys gardening, is an avid walker, loves fabulous footwear, and is a self-professed prairie-girl forever.



### Katherine Dowling (Senior & Intermediate Piano)

Praised by the New York Times for her “crystalline performances, gestural expressiveness, and careful attention to color”, and by the Boston Globe for her “effortless incisiveness”, award-winning “tour-de-force” (OpusKlassiek, Berkshire Eagle) pianist Katherine Dowling performs across North America and Europe as a soloist and chamber musician.

Katherine is familiar to audiences as an artist-in-residence at the Orlando Festival (Netherlands) and a resident fellow of the Avaloch Farm Music Institute (USA); as a multi-year fellow of the Tanglewood Music Center, a New Fromm Fellow, and a Britten-Pears Young Artist; through extensive involvement and numerous positions at The Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity; and through multiple national tours under the auspices of the Eckhardt-Gramatté National Music Competition. As a soloist, and as a member of the chamber ensemble Gruppo Montebello, Katherine appears on eight critically-acclaimed recordings on the Etcetera label. Her performances have been broadcast on the CBC (Canada), Radio-Canada, BBC (United Kingdom), and National Radio 4 (Netherlands). Recent highlights include joining Angela Hewitt and Silvie Cheng in Mozart’s Triple Concerto at Ottawa Chamberfest; her recital debuts in Vienna and The Hague; several tours with violinist Kerry DuWors for Prairie Debut; a recording of the piano works of Alice Ping-Yee Ho (Canada Council for the Arts, Explore and Create); and appearing with her hometown orchestra in Florence Price’s *Piano Concerto*.

In addition to her performing activities, Katherine is Assistant Professor of Classical Piano Performance at York University, having formerly served as Assistant Professor of Piano Performance at the University of Regina. She is also on faculty at The Phil and Eli Taylor Academy for Young Artists (Royal Conservatory of Music); duo526 Sonata Seminar (Indiana University Jacobs School of Music); and the European Summer Course for Chamber Music (Netherlands). She credits her own teacher, celebrated American pianist Gilbert Kalish, and conductors Henk Guittart and Oliver Knussen, as the major influences in her musical life. She holds a Doctor of Musical Arts (Performance) degree from Stony Brook University (New York).

### Donna Fletcher (Musical Theatre)

Donna Fletcher is an accomplished actor, singer, and concert performer with a wide range of national experience. Proud of her prairie roots, Donna received her early training in Winnipeg and earned a Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance from the University of Manitoba, a diploma in Music Theatre from The Banff Centre for the Arts, and a Master of Music in Vocal Performance from The University of Toronto.

As an actor, Donna has been acclaimed in principal roles from east to west with the Charlottetown Festival, Drayton Festival, Rainbow Stage, Theatre Calgary, Stage West Calgary, the National Arts Centre, Manitoba Opera, MTC, PTE, MTYP, WJT, the Belfry Theatre and Persephone Theatre. As a director Donna has helmed the Rainbow Stage/WSO concert presentation of *South Pacific*; *Phantom of the Opera*, *Into the Woods* & *The Sound of Music* for Opera on the Avalon; *Kiss Me Kate*, *Carousel* and *City Workers In Love* for NUOVA; *The Bridges of Madison County*, *The Addams Family* and *Sweeney Todd* for Dry Cold Productions; *Brundibar* for the Manitoba Chamber Orchestra and the WSO presentation of *Send in the Clowns: The Music of Stephen Sondheim* where she took the stage with TONY Award winner Len Cariou.

Donna serves as First Vice President & Manitoba/Nunavut Councillor for Canadian Actor’s Equity and was inducted into the Rainbow Stage Wall of Fame in 2012. Always seeking new challenges, she co-created Winnipeg Musical Theatre Company Dry Cold Productions which is celebrating its 22<sup>nd</sup> season. Donna is a nationally respected clinician, Voice and Musical Theatre Instructor at the University of Manitoba Desautels Faculty of Music as well as the University of Winnipeg Theatre Department and is a member of the NUOVA Opera and Musical Theatre Summer Training Programme Faculty. Most importantly, she is mum to Amalia.





### **Deborah McGladdery (Speech Arts)**

Deborah has been involved in Speech Arts since the age of seven, when she began “elocution” lessons in Victoria, BC with Wilfrid Ord at the “Victoria School of Expression”. She has an Education certificate from UVIC, an associate’s diploma in Speech and Drama from Mount Royal College, Calgary, and has been designated a Speech and Drama Specialist by Royal Conservatory at the elementary, intermediate and advanced levels.

Deborah taught public school for more than ten years before turning her attention to speech arts and drama as a private teacher. For 25 years, she ran a speech and drama studio, Rainbow Kids’ Theatre in Prince George, BC coaching up to 100 students a year in private and small group situations. She also enjoyed running a ‘Production Camp’ every summer where students presented fairy tale and Shakespeare plays to enthusiastic audiences. Since relocating to Penticton, she has stayed active, working for local and provincial festival organizations. Ms. McGladdery has adjudicated for many festivals in Canada, is a member of the Canadian Music Festival Adjudicators’ Association, and works as a Speech Arts examiner for Royal Conservatory. She also examines for the International Schools Association, assessing students’ English speech in Argentina and Uruguay.

Mrs. McGladdery is a member of the faculty at The Penticton Academy of Music and Dramatic Arts.

### **Donna Rhodenizer (Choral)**

Donna Rhodenizer is a composer, music educator, performer and recording artist. She has composed over 400 original compositions for singers of all ages, publishing choral octavos for adult choirs, and single titles and song collections for elementary students (in English and French). She has been commissioned to compose or arrange choral works for the Nova Scotia Music Educators’ Association, Aeolian Singers of Halifax, Cantabile Singers, Annapolis Valley Honour Choir, Viva Chorale (Salt Springs, BC), Grinnell Children’s Choir (Iowa) and other choral ensembles. She has also composed over thirty works for violin and piano. Some of Donna’s pieces are included in the Royal Conservatory of Music graded Voice Series published by Frederick Harris. Donna’s compositions have been used in festivals, school concerts, assemblies, music classrooms and regular classrooms and have been performed by choirs across Canada, as well as in the US, Australia, Trinidad and Tobago, Sierra Leone, England, Ireland, Austria, Spain and Hong Kong.



Donna is a music education specialist, now retired after 37 years in the elementary music classroom. She is a Juno-nominated and ECMA-winning recording artist as part of the professional singing duo, Donna & Andy. Donna & Andy were Artists-in-Residence at the Canadian International School of Hong Kong in April 2014. In addition, Donna has presented workshops for teachers in Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, New Brunswick, Ontario, Saskatchewan, plus the International Society for Music Educators, and Podium (ACCC). She was awarded both the Nova Scotia Music Educators’ Association Musica Viva Award and the Canadian Music Educators’ Association Jubilate Award of Merit recognizing her significant contribution to music education in Canada. She also received the NS Music Educators’ Association Lifetime Achievement Award. Donna’s music is published by Red Castle Publishing, Full Voice Music, Frederick Harris (RCM vocal series), and Cypress Choral Music, Vancouver.

Donna’s varied musical activities reflect her dedication and passion for the creation and inclusion of music in all facets of life.



### Clark Schaufele (Junior & Elementary Piano)

Alberta-born pianist Clark Schaufele received his Doctorate in Music (Piano Performance) degree at the Université de Montréal under the guidance of Canadian pianist and educator, Paul Stewart.

Clark enjoys a multi-faceted career, spanning genres beyond classical piano - on both the keyboards and the double bass, he has been involved in many performances, tours, and studio recordings, ranging from classical to jazz to country and folk.

Across the years, he has served as a répétiteur for dozens of musical theatre productions, including performances of *Pirates of Penzance*, *Spamalot*, *Grease*, and *Into the Woods*. As a classical piano educator, he

was previously the Head of Piano and Accompaniment at the Regina Conservatory for the Performing Arts and has adjudicated local and provincial music festivals Canada-wide.

Dedicated to his local communities, he frequently performs across Canada in series such as Gustin House, Ranva House, Regina Musical Club, Concerts in Care, and the Hands Across series. Between academic seasons, he has also performed at the Stratford Music Festival, Regina Chamber Music Festival, Banff Centre, and the Orlando Festival in the Netherlands.

Having recently joined Payadora, an award-winning tango ensemble, he looks forward to upcoming national and international engagements.

### Heilwig von Koenigsloew (Strings / Guitar)

Born in Hamburg, Germany, Heilwig studied at the Musikhochschule in Hamburg, and with Thomas Rolston at the University of Alberta, where she received her Master of Music degree in performance. She has also studied with Lorand Fenyves, Steven Saryk and the Hungarian String Quartet.

Heilwig has been active as a teacher as well as an administrator, serving as head of the music department at Malaspina University College from 1976 to 1984 and teaching at the Nanaimo Conservatory and the Vancouver Academy. She was a member of the (now defunct) CBC Radio Orchestra for 37 years. She presently is a member of the Vancouver Opera Orchestra, teaches at Trinity Western University, maintains a private studio, and works as a free-lance violinist/violist in the Lower Mainland area.



She resides on a large acreage in Langley with her horses, dogs, cats and Eeyore the donkey.



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