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NAT&MAS
SCHOOL OF MUSIC

August Newsletter

Open Mic and Rock Band Performance



Join us at NSM on
August 13th, 2022
10:00 am to Noon

for Open Mic and Rock Band Performance

All instruments welcomed!

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WELCOME NEW STUDENTS WHO STARTED IN JUNE

Bhava	Violin	Maria	Voice
Cedric	Drums	Maylin	Piano
Cheri	Piano	Micah	Guitar
Dan	Guitar	Nick	Saxophone
Dylan	Piano	Parneet	Piano
Evan	Guitar	Raina	Piano
Jinal	Violin	Sashi	Guitar
Josiah	Piano	Skyler	Guitar
Josie	Piano	Stella	Piano
Lorna	Voice	Veronica	Piano
Lucas	Drums	Zack	Piano
Madisyn	Cello	Zion	Guitar
Mateo	Guitar		

Composer of the Month Dame Ethel Mary Amyth



Dame Ethel Mary Amythorn was born in April of 1858, the fourth of eight children. She became an English composer and a member of the women's suffrage movement. Her compositions include songs, works for piano, chamber music, orchestral works, choral works and operas.

Smyth tended to be marginalised as a 'woman composer,' as though her work could not be accepted as mainstream. However, when she produced more delicate compositions, they were criticized for not measuring up to the standard of her male competitors. Nonetheless, she was granted a damehood, the first female composer to be so honored.

In 1910, Smyth joined the Women's Social and Political Union (WSPU), which agitated for women's suffrage, giving up music for two years to devote herself to the cause. She accompanied the charismatic leader of the WSPU, Emmeline Pankhurst, on many occasions, and her "The March of the Women" (1911) became the anthem of the suffragette movement.

Click here to take a moment to listen to
"The March of the Women", on YouTube!



Teacher of the Month Noah Parker



Noah teaches piano and drums at NSM. He began his formal education at the age of 5 and continued through high school and college. As a student at the George Muntean School of Music he studied piano, theory, composition, orchestration, and how to perform. He learned drums and guitar while studying under Horatio Cota.

His interest in music crosses a wide range of genres and styles, a few of his favorites are J. Cole, Miguel, Anderson, Paak, Janelle Monáe, Outkast, Slipknot, Stevie Wonder and Nina Simone.

He is currently building his repertoire and discography with dreams of concert performances as a band member and a solo artist.

NSM ROCKBAND CLASS

Are you ready to take your performance to another level?



In this 12 week course you'll learn how to work in a cohesive rockband, formulate songs with bandmates, play various types of rock genres and perform for family and friends at the end of the course!

Enrollment begins September 1, 2022

Class begins Thursday, September 15, 2022

6:30 – 7:30 pm

For more info contact NSM Admin Office!



NSM Workshops

Missed a lesson? Sign up for a workshop!
Workshops are available on Saturdays. They
are done in a group format and are an hour
long. Contact the Admin Office to signup!

August 20, 2022

10:30

All Instruments

September 3, 2022

10:30

All Instruments

September 10, 2022

10:30

All Instruments

September 17, 2022

10:30

Voice



Student of the Month Kinsey



Kinsey has been taking lessons with Mr. Norman at NSM since 2017. She started off playing the ukulele and now plays guitar. Her favorite genre of music is rock. Some of her favorite musicians are AC/DC, Queen, Styx, and Joan Jett. Kinsey also enjoys reading and baking.





June MLS Recipients

Apprentice

Catherine Guitar
 Ciaran Piano
 Eleanor Piano
 Everly Piano
 Ian Drums
 Liam Violin
 Manav Piano
 Ronin Ukulele
 Sam Piano
 Sammy Guitar
 Sarah Piano
 Terry Piano
 Victoria Piano

Musician

Alenna Guitar
 Cayden Piano
 Nola Voice
 Sophia Voice
 Aaron Guitar
 A'vaeyah Voice
 Maliyah Piano
 Daniel Drums
 Josephine Piano
 Maliyah Piano
 Rayden Violin

Maestro

Eliana Piano
 Karaissa Violin
 Rhiannon Violin
 Delaney Piano
 Shanvi Guitar
 Aidan Drums
 Amadeus Piano
 Claudia Guitar
 Kyle Piano
 Rowan Guitar
 Sumeet Violin

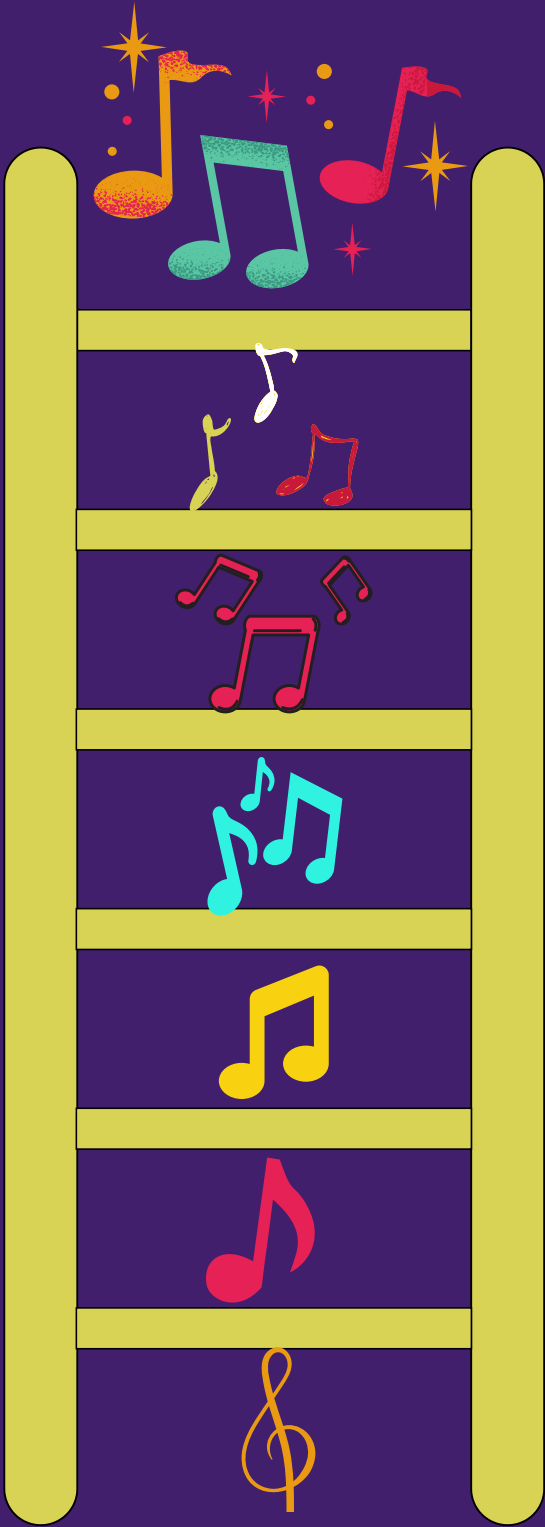
Songbird

Diego Piano
 Dinesh Guitar
 Hudson Guitar
 Emma Drums
 Eliza Jane Violin
 Cierra Guitar

Prodigy

Prima

Kylie Violin



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