



## **2023 NOVA SCOTIA KIWANIS MUSIC FESTIVAL** **RECIPIENTS - AWARDS AND PRIZES**

Prizes and awards will be given on the basis of recommendation from the adjudicators and marks attained (a minimum mark of 85 in most cases). Only residents of Nova Scotia or those studying in the province are eligible for the Rose Bowl Competitions and major prizes.

Through the generosity of the community, the Nova Scotia Kiwanis Music Festival is able to offer the following prizes:

### **PIANO**

**\$1,000 The Doctor Piano & Yamaha Canada Piano Rose Bowl**

**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

**\$250 Kiwanis Club of Dartmouth Award**

Runner-up of Piano Rose Bowl

**DONOR: Arthur Hood**

**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang**

**\$100 Dartmouth Chapter – Nova Scotia Registered Music Teachers Association**

Most Outstanding Junior

**RECIPIENT: Daniel Lu**

**\$35 Jean Ring Memorial Award**

Piano Solo – Canadian – Junior

**DONOR: Dartmouth Chapter NSRMTA**

**RECIPIENT: Ruby McCormack**

**\$35 Michal King Award**

Piano Solo – Canadian – Intermediate

**DONOR: Dartmouth Chapter NSRMTA**

**RECIPIENT: Lorena Yang**

**\$35 Award Honouring All Past NSRMTA Dartmouth Members**

Piano Solo – Canadian – Senior

**DONOR: Dartmouth Chapter NSRMTA**

**RECIPIENT: Jenny Chen**

**\$300 Patricia Bryson Piano Prizes**

\$50 Piano Sonata - Junior

**RECIPIENT: Chuxia Huang**

\$50 Piano Sonata - Intermediate

**RECIPIENT: Maggie Wu**

\$50 Piano Sonata - Senior

**RECIPIENT: Jenny Chen**

\$50 Piano Solo - Chopin

**RECIPIENT: Jenny Chen**

\$50 Piano Solo - Chopin – Senior

**RECIPIENT: Jenny Chen**

\$50 Piano Solo - Concert Group – Intermediate

**RECIPIENT: Jacob Lee**

**\$100 Maria Anna “Nannerl” Mozart Award**

Most outstanding piano performance at the Intermediate or Senior Level (Grade 7 and above) of a work by a woman Canadian Composer.

**DONOR: Dr. Jane Gordon**

**RECIPIENTS (tie):**

**Maggie Wu**

**Lorena Yang**

**\$300 Young Artist Achievement in Senior Piano**

Awarded to the most promising Senior pianist from Level 9/10 entering the following five classes, one of which may be at the Open Level:

1. Solo Bach Class OR Solo Baroque Class
2. Solo Sonata Class
3. Concerto Class
4. One other solo class
5. Sight Reading Class

May be presented at the discretion of the adjudicator to an Open Level participant if criteria is not met in Level 9/10.

**DONOR: Lynn Stodola**

**RECIPIENT: Jenny Chen**

**\$500 Lunenburg Academy of Music Performance Piano Bursary**

Awarded to an outstanding Senior pianist.

**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

**\$100 Anna Lea Bartonova Prize**  
Piano Solo – Romantic – Open Class  
**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

**\$100 Irene Fennel Prize – in memory of C. W. Perce Crookshank**  
Piano Solo – Chopin – Open Class  
**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

**\$100 Early Music Society of Nova Scotia Award**  
Best keyboard performance of a piece from Baroque period or earlier  
**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang**

**\$100 Tietje Zonneveld Memorial Award**  
Piano Solo – Bach – Open Class  
**DONOR: Halifax Chapter, Nova Scotia Registered Music Teachers Association**  
**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

**\$50 Colin Winter MacIntosh Memorial Award**  
Piano Solo – Bach 16 & under/17 & under/18 & under (overall)  
**DONOR: Hugh MacIntosh**  
**RECIPIENT: Maggie Wu**

**\$200 Bravura Nova Scotia Piano Award**  
Best performance of a piece from the Classical period in the Senior or Open Level classes  
**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

**\$100 Flora Beckwith Memorial Awards**  
**DONOR: Halifax Ladies' Musical Club**  
\$50 Piano Solo- Classical – Levels 5/6/7/8 (overall)  
**RECIPIENT: Nathan Bortolussi**  
\$50 Piano Solo-Concert Group – Junior  
***not awarded - no entries***

**\$300 Carol von Syberg Piano Prizes**  
\$100 Concerto for Piano and Orchestra - Junior  
**RECIPIENT: Kaden Shen**

\$100 Concerto for Piano and Orchestra - Intermediate

**RECIPIENT: Jenny Chen**

\$100 Concerto for Piano and Orchestra - Open

**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang**

**\$300 Concerto for Piano and Orchestra Prizes**

**DONOR: Marie Makhan**

\$50 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Junior

**RECIPIENTS: Kaidong Hu, Stephanie Qin (tie)**

\$50 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Intermediate

**RECIPIENTS: Tony Liu, Ena Yoon (tie)**

\$50 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Open

**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

\$50 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Junior

**RECIPIENTS: Ryan Tang, Maggie Wu, Echan Yoon (tie)**

\$50 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Intermediate

***not awarded - no entries***

\$50 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Open

**RECIPIENT: Lucy Zhang**

**\$50 Marie Smyth Memorial Awards for Piano (NEW 2023)**

**DONOR: Halifax Chapter – Nova Scotia Registered Music Teachers Association**

\$25 Piano Sonata - Level 3

**RECIPIENT: Joey Clark**

\$25 Piano Sonata - Level 5

**RECIPIENT: Xinyi (Olivia) Shi**

**\$75 Halifax Chapter – Nova Scotia Registered Music Teachers Association**

\$25 Piano Sonata – Level 3

**RECIPIENT: Claire Chang**

\$25 Piano Sonata - Level 6 (NEW 2023)

**RECIPIENT: Daniel Lu**

\$25 Piano Solo - Romantic/Late Romantic – Senior

**RECIPIENT: Maggie Wu**

**\$25 Music for Young Children Award**

Junior Popular/Jazz Class Levels 1/2/3/4 (overall)

**RECIPIENT: Darius Zhao**

**\$250 Gary Farmer Memorial Award**

Outstanding Jazz Piano performance(s)

**DONOR: Nova Scotia Department of Justice, Correctional Services**

**RECIPIENTS (tie):**

**Hiu Yau Chiang**

**Yael Ginovker**

**Osler Ha**

**Daniel Lu**

**Sam Sharpe**

**Ryan Tang**

**Zhiqing Wang**

**Echan Yoon**

**Michelle Zhang**

**Darius Zhao**

**VOICE**

**\$1,000 Sheila K. Piercey Memorial Voice Rose Bowl**

**RECIPIENT: Danielle Girard**

**\$250 Opera Nova Scotia Ted and Rae Rhodes Vocal Award**

Runner-up of Voice Rose Bowl

***not awarded***

**\$100 Opera Nova Scotia Award**

Opera Solo – Any Voice – Open

**RECIPIENT: Danielle Girard**

**\$500 Lunenburg Academy of Music Performance Voice Bursary  
(new 2023)**

Awarded to an outstanding Senior Voice student.

**RECIPIENT: Danielle Girard**

**\$150 Helen Creighton Folklore Society Awards**

\$50 Folk Song – Maritime - Any Voice – Junior

***not awarded - no entries***

\$50 Folk Song – Maritime - Any Voice – Intermediate

***not awarded - no entries***

\$50 Folk Song – Maritime - Any Voice – Senior

***not awarded - no entries***

**\$100 Portia White Memorial Award**

Sacred/Oratorio

**DONOR: Halifax Ladies' Musical Club**

**RECIPIENT: Danielle Girard**

**\$200 Bravura Nova Scotia Voice Award**

Best performance in Class 2045 (*Concert Group-Any Voice-Senior: 16-19 Years*)

**RECIPIENT: Kate Dietz**

**\$100 Early Music Society of Nova Scotia Award**

Best vocal performance of a piece from the Baroque period or earlier.

**RECIPIENT: Kate Dietz**

**\$100 Irene Fennel Prize – in memory of C. W. Perce Crookshank**

Outstanding performance in a Lieder class as recommended by adjudicator.

**RECIPIENT: Danielle Girard**

**MUSICAL THEATRE**

**\$200 Angus Campbell Musical Theatre Prize**

Most outstanding performance of Stephen Sondheim (music or Lyrics).

**DONOR: Dr. Garland Brooks**

**RECIPIENT: Tennessee Toombs**

**\$200 Bravura Nova Scotia Musical Theatre Award**

Best Musical Theatre performance by a student of any age.

**RECIPIENT: Bréann Reyner**

**\$100 Musical Theatre Award in memory of Gwenlyn M. Healy**

Most outstanding performance - Junior

**DONOR: Family of the late Paul S. Healy**

**RECIPIENT: Darius Zhao**

**\$100 Musical Theatre Award in memory of Dr. Robert W. Healy**

Most outstanding performance - Senior

**DONOR: Family of the late Paul S. Healy**

**RECIPIENT: Katherine Currie**

**\$100 Musical Theatre Award**

Awarded to a performer from Classes 2118A/2119 who is not necessarily the winner of a class but who, in the opinion of the adjudicator, demonstrates a joy of performing and a love of music.

**DONOR: Nova Scotia Kiwanis Music Festival Association**

**RECIPIENT: Ella Boudreau**

**\$100 Musical Theatre Award**

Awarded to a performer from Classes 2120/2121 who is not necessarily the winner of a class but who, in the opinion of the adjudicator, demonstrates a joy of performing and a love of music.

**DONOR: Nova Scotia Kiwanis Music Festival Association**

**RECIPIENTS (tie):**

**Jake Byrne**

**Emma Toope**

**\$50 Adjudicator's Award (NEW 2023: AWARDED 2023 ONLY)**

Awarded to the student demonstrating great passion and tenacity within the Musical Theatre repertoire

**DONOR: Anonymous**

**RECIPIENT: Summer Hartlin**

**STRINGS**

**\$1,000 *String Music Atlantic* String Rose Bowl**

**RECIPIENT: Katya McBeth**

**\$250 *Symphony Nova Scotia* Players Association Award**

Runner-up of String Rose Bowl

**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang**

**\$250 *String Music Atlantic* Student Award**

**RECIPIENT: Stephanie Qin**

**\$100 Ida Pascal Memorial Award**

Violin - any Open Level class

**DONOR: Halifax Ladies' Musical Club**

**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang**

**\$500 Lunenburg Academy of Music Performance String Bursary**

Awarded to an outstanding Senior String student.

**RECIPIENT: Katya McBeth**

**\$100 Early Music Society of Nova Scotia Award**

Best performance on a string instrument of a piece from the Baroque period or earlier.

**RECIPIENTS (tie):**

**Érica Blouin**

**Alex Yang**

**\$300 George Fleming Memorial Senior String Award**

Concerto – Open Class – Violin/Viola/Cello/Double Bass

If there are no Open Level string concerto entries in any given year, this award may be presented at the discretion of the adjudicator to an exceptional string concerto performance at the Senior level.

**DONOR: Djokic Family**

**RECIPIENT: Katya McBeth**

**\$100 Anne B. Ogden Memorial String Award**

Awarded at the discretion of the adjudicator to the most outstanding viola, cello, or double bass player.

**DONOR: The Chebucto Symphony Orchestra**

**RECIPIENT: James Rankin**

**\$100 M. Gladys Nicholson Memorial Awards – Upper Strings**

Awarded at the discretion of the adjudicator to deserving Upper String students at the Junior and Intermediate levels, and not necessarily the winners of classes.

**DONOR: Danielle King**

\$25 Solo Class - Grades 3 – 5

**RECIPIENT: Izzy White**

\$25 Solo Class - Grades 6 – 8

**RECIPIENTS: Stephanie Qin, Zoe White (tie)**

\$25 Canadian Class - Grade 8 and under

**not awarded - no entries**

\$25 Sonata Class - Grade 8 and under

**RECIPIENT: Stephanie Qin**



**\$100 Donald K. Nicholson Memorial Awards – Lower Strings**

Awarded at the discretion of the adjudicator to deserving Lower String students at the Junior and Intermediate levels, and not necessarily the winners of classes.

**DONORS: Dr. Sabra King and Major Alex King**

\$25 Solo Class - Grades/Levels 3 – 5

**RECIPIENT: Wendy Richards**

\$25 Solo Class - Grades/Levels 6 – 8

**RECIPIENT: George Webster**

\$25 Canadian Class - Grades/Levels 8 and under

**RECIPIENT: Echan Yoon**

\$25 Bach Class OR Sonata Class - Grades/Levels 8 and under

**RECIPIENT: Echan Yoon**

**BRASS AND WOODWIND**

**\$1,000 Kim & Heather Conrad Brass and Woodwind Rose Bowl**  
***not awarded - no entries***

**\$250 *Symphony Nova Scotia* Players Association Award**

Runner-up of Brass/Woodwind Rose Bowl

***not awarded - no entries***

**\$200 Christine Webber Memorial Award**

Senior Woodwind Representative, NS Provincial Music Festival

**DONOR: Family of the late Christine Webber**

***not awarded - no entries***

**\$100 Atlantic Federation of Musicians – Local 571, Atlantic Federation of Musicians**

\$50 Brass Award

**RECIPIENT: Jingchiang Miao**

\$50 Woodwind Award

**RECIPIENT: Maya Ryan**

**\$100 *Early Music Society of Nova Scotia* Award**

Best performance on a wind instrument of a piece from the Baroque period or earlier.

**RECIPIENT: Julian Kinnear**

**\$25 Dartmouth Chapter – Nova Scotia Registered Music Teachers Association**

Junior Flute Student Award

**RECIPIENT: Suyeon Kang**

**ORGAN**

**\$250 Hugh Creighton Memorial Organ Scholarship**

**DONOR: Wayne Rogers**

***not awarded - no entries***

**\$100 Marilyn and the Rev. Harold R. King Memorial Organ Award**

**DONOR: Major (ret'd) the Rev. Harold J. King**

***not awarded - no entries***

**\$100 Ross Nelson MacLean Memorial Organ Award**

**DONOR: Major (ret'd) the Rev. Harold J. King**

***not awarded - no entries***

**ORIGINAL COMPOSITION**

**\$100 Marie Smyth Memorial Award for Original Composition**

**DONORS: friends and colleagues of the late Marie Smyth**

***not awarded - no entries***

**CHOIR**

**T. C. Johnson and Son Rose Bowl**

Presented to the choir attaining the highest mark in the choral classes.

**RECIPIENT: Cantatrice Ensemble Honour Choir**

**\$100 Annie Wallace Memorial Choral Award**

Presented to the outstanding girls' choir

**DONORS: Alfred Wallace and family**

**RECIPIENT: Cantatrice Ensemble Honour Choir**

**\$50 Helen Creighton Folklore Society Choral Award**

Presented to the choir with adjudicator's highest recommendation from Classes 9010, 9017, 9058, and 9060.

**RECIPIENT: John W. MacLeod Elementary School Choir**

## **NON-DESIGNATED AWARDS AND PRIZES**

### **\$700 *Kiwanis Club of Dartmouth Presidents' Cup Award***

Presented to an outstanding musician who has entered in and competed in at least three solo classes plus one sight reading class in the same discipline.

**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang (*piano*)**

### **\$500 Rising Star Award in Memory of Gordon C. Murray**

**DONORS: Family and friends of the late Gordon C. Murray**

**RECIPIENT: Devin Huang**

### **\$500 *Debut Atlantic Music Prize***

**RECIPIENT: Katya McBeth**

### **\$500 *Bravura Nova Scotia – Annie DesBrisay Award***

Presented to a musician from the Senior classes who has displayed exceptional ability in all performances.

**Supported by the Bravura Nova Scotia DesBrisay Endowment**

**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang (*violin*)**

### **\$300 *Halifax Ladies' Musical Club Junior Award***

**RECIPIENT: Jenny Chen**

### **\$200 *Bravura Nova Scotia Award***

Best brass, string, or woodwind performance by a student of any age.

**RECIPIENTS (*tie*):**

**Andrea Xing (*woodwinds*)**

**Alex Yang (*violin*)**

### **\$250 Alex Cain Memorial Award**

**DONOR: Kiwanis Club of Dartmouth**

**RECIPIENTS (*tie*):**

**Max LindenSmith**

**Lucy Zhang**

### **\$100 Avis Ritcey & Austen Gough Family Music Award**

**DONOR: Halifax Ladies' Musical Club**

**RECIPIENTS: Echan & Ena Yoon**

**\$200 Rear Admiral Desmond Piers Memorial Award**

Presented to a family group for most joyful performance.

**DONOR: Averill Piers Baker**

**RECIPIENTS (tie):**

**Euen & Michelle Li**

**Alan & Kaden Shen**

**\$500 Fountain School of Performing Arts Scholarship**

To be awarded to a high school music student, selected by the adjudicator, entering any music degree program in the Fountain School of Performing Arts.

**RECIPIENT: Noam Koubi**

**\$50 Award in Honour of Denise Djokic**

**DONOR: Sibylle Ruppert**

**RECIPIENT: Echan Yoon**

**FESTIVAL TROPHIES**

**\$700 Kiwanis Club of Dartmouth Presidents' Cup Award (see above)**

Presented to an outstanding musician who has entered in and competed in at least three solo classes plus one sight reading class in the same discipline.

**RECIPIENT: Alex Yang (piano)**

**Christine Webber Memorial Trophy**

Presented to the outstanding brass player.

**DONOR: Family of the late Christine Webber**

***not awarded - no entries***

**\$100 Halifax Chapter of the NSRMTA Trophy**

Presented to a student or child of a member of the NSRMTA Halifax Chapter who receives the highest point total for the Festival: 3 points for a 1<sup>st</sup> Place finish, 2 points for 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, and 1 point for 3<sup>rd</sup> Place.

**RECIPIENT: Echan Yoon**

**Royal Canadian College of Organists Halifax Centre Trophy**

Presented to the most outstanding organist.

***not awarded - no entries***

*The Nova Scotia Kiwanis Music Festival reserves the right, on the advice of the Panel of Adjudicators, not to award any given prize in any given year.*