



# MUSIKHANDE PIANO STUDIO NEWSLETTER

## 2024-2025

Hello everyone!

Hope you all had a great summer! I have enjoyed working with those who were able to attend and really missed those who were not. Looking forward to having you all back!!!

A few items of business here...

First of all I want to thank you all for being so supportive and kind as I have moved and made this transition. I have been touched by your kindness.

Lessons will begin on August 27 and will end May 29

### SCHEDULES

Attached you will find a **Schedule Form** which will need to be **filled out and returned by August 19 (RECITAL DAY)**.

I will then have the schedules back to you in the next following days. Please be punctual so everyone can receive their times promptly and be able to plan their schedules.

Schedule Forms can to be returned via mail, email, text or in person.

I will do all I can to accommodate everyone😊

I am aware that some of you may not have all schedules for extracurricular activities, do the best you can and if needed, we will make adjustments later on.

I will be teaching Tuesdays and Thursdays, with an overflow on Wednesdays if needed.

### GROUP LESSONS

GROUP LESSONS are held once a month throughout the school year. This past year I have noticed that advanced students struggled somewhat at being present. Another thing that I have been taking into consideration is distance. We used to have 3 groups and the intermediate group seemed to have a little

overlapping over the other 2. Taking all this into consideration I have decided to have 2 groups, instead of 3. I will merge part of what was the 2<sup>nd</sup> group into GROUP 1 and part of it into GROUP 2 whichever is more appropriate for them. Lessons will be held on Fridays.

## WEBSITE

Please make regular use of the WEBSITE.

HOME page will have current info for parents

STUDENT page will have material for all students to use WEEKLY

FOLDER tab has individual mailboxes where occasionally material is uploaded for students (I will notify a student when that is the case)

Creating a **BOOKMARK** for the website may be a good idea, so that your student/s will be able to access it easily. Please talk with your children and decide with them **when** is a good time for them to get on the website weekly and **what device** they will be using, please make sure they are ready.😊

## COMMITMENT

STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO PUT A DILIGENT EFFORT IN PREPARING FOR THEIR WEEKLY LESSON. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY RESULT IN LOSING THEIR SLOT. This will only happen when there is an ongoing behavior, not the occasional circumstance.

## TUITION

Tuition is due the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month. **A monthly rate of \$108 applies for the months from September to May**, it includes 4 private lessons (some months may have 3 some 5) and a monthly group lesson.

June - August tuition will be \$25 per scheduled lesson.

If you are not able to attend, please let me know in advance and I will be very happy to reschedule your lesson at a more convenient time. Canceled lessons will not be refunded but rescheduled. No-shows are not eligible for rescheduling. Last moment cancellations may or may not be rescheduled.

In case of extended periods of absence due to illness, lessons can also be rescheduled virtually.

Last of all...thank you for sharing your children with me. They are such a highlight in my life and I love them dearly! Each one with their personality has a special place in my heart. There really are no words to describe the joy I feel as I watch them learn and grow. I consider myself very fortunate to work with them.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me anytime. 😊

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