

The Ann Arbor Area Piano Teachers Guild Foundation is a 501c3 non-profit, volunteer organization whose purpose is to support music education for piano teachers and students and promote cultural awareness in Ann Arbor and the surrounding communities.

Teacher Enrichment Grants provide funds for individual teachers to pursue personal musical interests through continuing education.

General Grants provide funds to support group-oriented efforts such as music camps, theme recitals and more.

Your contributions provide welcome support for creative and industrious piano teachers who undertake projects for the benefit of their own students along with those of colleagues and others in the music community.

Contributions are tax deductible and can be made by mailing a check to:

Friends of the AAAPTGF POB 3139 Ann Arbor, MI 48106

Or donate online at aaaptgf.org

Foundation Grants Awarded in 2018-2019

Thanks to proceeds raised from last year's Spring Fling, Halloween Hoot and Annual Campaign, the Foundation was able to award three grants for the following musical endeavors:

1. A general grant was awarded to the 2018 Summer Ensemble Camp, organized by Guild member Beatrice Ellis. The ensemble camp, in its 5th year this spring, is a week-long summer intensive which provides opportunities for intermediate and advanced pre-college pianists to study and perform chamber music repertoire in a collaborative setting with outside master teachers as well as local coaches. The camp takes place locally at the Faber Piano Institute (Packard and Platt).



2. A general grant was awarded to the 2019 Brightmoor Summer Music Arts program, which was begun by a UM piano major in response to the Detroit Public Schools defunding of school arts programs. The month long day camp, held in the Detroit area, provides instruction in piano as well as other instruments to bring arts education to an underserved community. The camp also received a grant from the Foundation in 2016.



3. The third grant was for teacher enrichment, awarded to Betsy McCabe to aid in the preparation of a series of concerts to be performed locally. Betsy's concerts are open to the public.



For more information about these projects, and the AAAPTG Foundation, please visit the News section of the Foundation Website (aaaptgf.org).

The Ann Arbor Area Piano Teachers
Guild Foundation Presents

Just for Fun!

SPRING FLING



Sunday, April 14, 2019 12:30 PM

Kerrytown Concert House Ann Arbor, Michigan

A benefit recital for the AAAPTG
Foundation
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Moonlit EveningGoldston	Margaret	Knights of the CastleLiya Zha	•
Olivia Liao			
		Distant Chimes	Jon George
Midnight Gallup	Cornelius Gurlitt	William Dodds	
Colette Riggs			
		Little Piece	Alexander Gedike
Haunted Harp	Christine Donkin	Zilan Chen	
Max Lobert			
		Dandelion Fluff	Julie Knerr
Sneaky SamMelody Bober		Michael Grbic	
Ivan Kacvinsky			
		Swans on the Lake	
Curious Kumba	Wynn-Anne Rossi	Roshan Malani	
Bruce Li			
		Angelfish	Anne Crosby Baudet
Bingo	arr. Julie Knerr	Doby Guo	
Thomas Grbic			
		Rainbow Colors	
Crazy Comics	Christine Donkin	Maya Lobert	
Sifei Duan			
		Mia and Sebastian's Theme	Justin Hurwitz
Little Song	Dmitri Kabalevsky	(From LaLa Land)	
Nina Malani			
		Akhil Manchanda, Cello	

Surya Raghavendran, Piano



Spring Fling Group Photo @ 2016



Piano duo bows after performing at the 2015 Fling

Students performing today are from the studios of:

Tracey Baetzel/Emily Katynski
Amy Cheng
Eva Peng
Renee Robbins
Elena Tsai

Program

River Pham, Jed Gascho, Johan Landis-Lewis
Ancient RuinsJulie Knerr Dance of the Merry SeahorseJulie Knerr Nina Bonenberger
DanceAlexander Reinagle Christian Lee
Flamingo DancersJulie Knerr Hakan McGee
Star Warsarr. Nancy Fabe Skater's Waltzarr. Nancy Fabe Tessa Rober
ShadowsDennis Alexande Dana Guo
Ladybug MorningRandall Hartsell Lucas Brooks
Shadows at DuskJulie Knerr