



# Donovan Piano Studios

# May Newsletter 2016

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## Important Dates:

<b>May 1</b>	<b>Tuition due</b>		
<b>May 14</b>	<b>National Guild Auditions</b>	<b>9:00–5:00</b>	<b>Atkinson</b>
<b>May 15</b>	<b>Sunday MVMTA Honors Recital</b>	<b>2:00 pm</b>	<b>Andover</b>
<b>May 21</b>	<b>Adult Student Recital</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>studio</b>
<b>May 30</b>	<b>Memorial Day</b>	<b>studio closed</b>	
<b>June 1</b>	<b>Tuition due</b>		
<b>June 18</b>	<b>Saturday Spring Recital</b>	<b>5:30 pm</b>	<b>Haverhill</b>
<b>June 24</b>	<b>Friday Spring session ends</b>		
<b>July 5</b>	<b>Tuesday Summer Session begins</b>		



## The National Piano Teachers Guild Audition Saturday, May 14th

You should have received your Audition appointment time by now. If not please let me know ASAP. Students need to practice all their guild pieces and scales DAILY by memory. Students should arrive 15 minutes before their scheduled audition time, with all their music. Please dress nice and have short, clean nails. Please remember to bring your music!



## May 15th MVMTA Honors Recital:

Congratulations to **Michelle Muir and Allison Lam** who were chosen to perform at the Merrimack Valley Music Teachers Association Honors Recital sponsored by the Memorial Hall Library, 2 No. Main St, Andover .

The recital is at 2:00 and open to the public. It will feature intermediate and advanced pianists from throughout the Merrimack Valley. Although tickets are free, you must register with the Memorial Hall Library website to reserve your seats. Go to [www.MHL.org](http://www.MHL.org). Click on calendar of events, select May 17, click: register. Enter your name/contact info for each person registering (one person per form) .



## Adult Recital:

The annual adult recital will be held on **Saturday, May 21<sup>st</sup>** at the studio beginning at 7:00 pm. This recital is by invitation only since we have limited seating.



## Spring Recital:

Please mark your calendar for **Saturday, June 18th at 5:30pm** for our annual Spring Recital. All students are invited to perform. The recital will be held at the Universalist-Unitarian Church on Kenoza Avenue in Haverhill.

**Tickets are \$10 each and will be available at the studio ONLY beginning on May 1<sup>st</sup>.** Information and directions will be emailed with this newsletter and a paper copy will also be sent home.



**Summer Classes:** Please check the available times in the schedule and email me your preferences as soon as you can.

**Registrations for the summer session are due before June 1<sup>st</sup>**

Summer session is July 5- August 19  
Class times are available on the following days:

**Tuesdays 8:30 am- 12:15 and 2:00-7:00pm**

**Wednesdays 8:30 am-12:15 and 2:00-7:00pm**

**Thursdays 8:30 am-12:15 and 2:00- 4:00pm**

You may choose any 5 weeks that work best with your summer schedule.

## KITS testing:

Those students achieving a grade of 90 or above will be entered into the KITS National Honor Roll and have their names published in the Keyboard Independent Theory Tests newsletter & received special recognition at the spring recital. All participating students who pass the test will receive certificates.

## Tuition:

Tuition was due on May 1st. Please include a \$10 late fee for those payments not received at the studio by Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup>

**Happy Birthday to: Daniel Gealow ( 5/30)**