

Phoenix Music Teachers Association 2011-2012 Calendar

AUGUST

- M 15 Newsletter articles due
Th 18 PMTA Board Mtg. (Jennifer Foxx' home, 9:30 am)

SEPTEMBER

- Th 8 General Meeting (Steinway Piano Showroom, 9:30 am)
"Burnout: The Journey from Exhaustion to Exhilaration"
Presenter: Shellie Ruge
Th 15 Ensemble Reading Open House (Sue Shiner's home,
10:00 am-12:00 pm)
Th 22 Ensemble Reading Open House (Jo Ann Smeltzer's
home, 10:00 am-12:00 pm)
Th 29 Sharing Plus (Carol Hill's home, 9:30 am) *"ASP Info"*
Th 30 Fall Festival registration due

OCTOBER

- Th 6 Performance Plus (Bobbi Stoutenburgh's home, 9:30 am)
Th 13 General Meeting (Az Piano, 9:30 am)
MTNA Certification Program
Presenter: Pam Allman, ASMTA Certification Chair
Sa 22 Fall Festival Auditions (Glendale Community College)
Su 23 Fall Festival Gold Medal Recital (GCC)
Th 27 Sharing Plus (Bobbi Stoutenburgh's home, 9:30 am)
"Arizona Study Program Theory Tips & Tricks"
M 31 Piano Ensemble registration due

NOVEMBER

- Tu 1 ASP Enrollment Forms due
Th 3 Performance Plus (Edith Marsh's home)
Sa 5 Student Recital Series (Steinway Showroom, 10:30 am)
W 9 Vocal Recital registration due
Th 10 Music at the Mall registration due
Th 10 General Meeting (Steinway Piano Showroom, 9:30 am)
*Rhythm-Based Events for Activities, Development and
Wellness*
Presenter: Frank Thompson, AZ Rhythm Connection
Tu 15 Piano Ensemble pictures due
Sa 19 Vocal Student Recital (Steinway Showroom, 11-12:15)

DECEMBER

- Th 1 Performance Plus (Paula Heil's home, 9:30 am)
Th 8 General Meeting (Steinway Piano Showroom, 9:30 am)
Holiday Social: *"Drum Circle!"* with Frank Thompson
Sa 10 Music at the Mall (Paradise Valley Mall & Arrowhead)
Sa 10 Student Recital Series (GCC, 4:00 pm)
F 30 Winter Newsletter articles due
Sa 31 Teacher Membership/General Grant applications due

JANUARY

- Th 12 General Meeting (Az Piano, 9:30 am)
*Awareness through Movement: Enhancing Your
Teaching & Performing*
Presenter: Barbara Barnes, Feldenkrais Practitioner
Th 26 Sharing Plus (Cheryl Studer's home, 9:30 am)
"Music Matters"

FEBRUARY

- Th 2 Performance Plus (Sara Rivers' home)
Sa 4 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
Tu 7 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals

- Th 9 General Meeting (Az Piano, 9:30 am)
*"Using Listening Examples to Teach Expressive Playing
Techniques"*
Presenter: Denny Coiro
Th 9 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
Sa 11 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
Tu 14 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
W 15 ASP - All Student Programs Due (Levels 5-12)
W 15 ASP - End of Late Enrollment
Th 16 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
Sa 18 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
Tu 21 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
Th 23 Piano Ensemble Rehearsals
24 & 25 Piano Ensemble Final Rehearsals
Sa 25 Piano Ensemble Concerts (Camelback HS, 6 & 8 pm)

MARCH

- Early Mar ASP Packet 2 (evaluation materials & info) mailed
Th 1 ASP McCurnin Grant application due
Th 1 Performance Plus (Pam Smith's home, 9:30 am)
Th 8 General Meeting (Musician's Union Hall, 1202 E. Oak St.)
*Improvisation A-B-C's: Teaching your Students to be
Creative and Play "Cool"*
Presenter: Deborah Offenhauser
Sa 10 Celebration of Music registration due
Sa 10 Student Recital (Steinway Piano Showroom, 4:00 pm)
W 14 Vocal Recital & Festival Registration Due
Th 22 Sharing Plus: *"Music Matters"* (Paradise Bakery, 9995
W. McDowell Rd., Suite 101, Avondale)
Sa 24 Vocal Students Recital (Steinway Showroom, 1:30-2:30)
Sa 24 Vocal Students Festival/Master Class (Steinway Piano
Showroom, 3:00-4:45 pm)
S-W 24-28 MTNA Conference (New York, NY see <http://mtna.org>)
Sa 31 Celebration of Music Auditions (Steinway Showroom)

APRIL

- Su 1 Celebration of Music Winners Recital (Steinway Piano
Showroom)
Th 12 General Meeting (Steinway Piano Showroom, 9:30 am)
"Music Therapy for Children with Special Needs"
Presenter: Kristin Hong, Music Therapist
Election of Board of Directors
Su 15 Senior Awards application due
F-Sa 27-28 ASP Evaluations (Az Piano & SCC)
M 30 ASP Evaluations pick-up (Carol Hill's home)
Honors Recital Registration (see <http://asmta.org>)

MAY

- Tu 1 Summer Music Camp application due
Th 3 Performance Plus (Jo Ann Smelser's home, 9:30 am)
Su 5 Student Recital Series (GCC, 4:00 pm)
Th 10 PMTA Board Mtg. & End of Year Luncheon
F 25 Spring/Summer Newsletter articles due
Honors Recital Evaluations/Auditions (see <http://asmta.org>)

JUNE

- ASMTA State Conference & Honor Recital (see <http://asmta.org>)