Lacombe and District Performing Arts Festival Newsletter

February, 2020

Excitement is building as plans for the 2020 Festival are nearing completion. Top-notch adjudicators have been recruited and are anticipating the performances in the Festival in April.

Registration

As you prepare to complete registration forms, please check your schedule for the last two weeks of April and submit requests for specific dates or times with your registration form. These requests will be considered but may not be able to be granted. Once scheduling is completed, changes will be considered in emergency situations only. Please take note of the dates for each discipline when entering and note other classes or disciplines that you or your student may be involved in. Try to anticipate sports activities and other possible conflicts. Late registrations will not be accepted – please plan and register early.

Dance and Fiddle Registrations

Dance registrations must be submitted via email BEFORE March 1st by emailing to <u>lacombefestivaldance@gmail.com</u> Fiddle registrations must be submitted via email BEFORE March 1st by emailing to <u>lacombemusicfestfiddle@gmail.com</u>.

Volunteers

The festival is grateful for the help and support of all the volunteers who help the program to run smoothly. Toward the end of March, Cheryl Kay, Festival Volunteer Coordinator, will be calling volunteers to assist again this year. If you or others you may know would like to volunteer to be a secretary at one of the sessions, or to welcome participants, family, and audience members at the door, please get in touch

with her at lacombemusicfestival@gmail.com

Sponsors

The Awards Committee is contacting sponsor businesses and individuals for financial support again this year. Anyone interested in financially supporting the festival or in sponsoring an award for participants, please email

lacombemusicfestival@gmail.com. A heart-felt thank you is expressed to all sponsors for your faithful support of the Festival throughout the years.

Website

Please check out the new festival website at <u>www.lacombemusicfest.com</u> Links to the registration page, the syllabus, the newsletter and other important information is included there.

2020 Festival Schedule		
Discipline	Date	Venue
Band & Instrumental	Thursday, April 23	St. Andrew's United Church
Choral	Tuesday, April 21	Lacombe Memorial Centre
Dance	Monday - Tuesday April 27 - 28	Lacombe Memorial Centre
Fiddle	Monday, April 20	St. Andrew's United Church
Guitar	Thursday, April 23	Lacombe Memorial Centre
Piano - Junior (Beginner to Gr. 5)	Monday - Wednesday April 27 - 29	College Heights Seventh-day Adventist Church
Piano - Senior (Gr. 6 and up)	Thursday - Friday April 30 & May 1	College Heights Seventh-day Adventist Church
Speech	Wednesday, April 22	Lacombe Memorial Centre
Strings	Monday - Wednesday April 20 - 22	St. Andrew's United Church
Vocal & Musical Theatre	Monday - Thursday April 27 - 30	Lacombe Memorial Centre