



## Lacombe and District Performing Arts Newsletter October 2022

Dear Participants, Parents & Teachers:

The Lacombe and District Music Festival Committee is alive and well. We are pleased to report that four ladies have joined the music festival committee. Each one brings enthusiasm, ideas, experience, talent and skills. Already their contributions are being noticed, and with their involvement our committee has become that much stronger. The music festival committee invites aspiring vocalists, speakers, musicians and dancers to participate in the LACOMBE & DISTRICT PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL in the spring.

Congratulations to our representatives from Lacombe in the Provincial Music Festival 2022! Nathan Bautista won first place in 12 & under classical guitar, and Anya Delafield and Holly Parker won first place in 16 & under chamber group!

### 2023 Festival Information

The festival committee has been contacting adjudicators and securing contracts for the spring festival. The Alberta provincial syllabus is available at <https://www.albertamusicfestival.org/syllabus>. And our local addendum is available at [AMFA and Festival Rules | Lacombe and District Performing Arts Festival \(lacombemusicfest.com\)](#).

**2023 Lacombe & District Performing Arts Festival will be March 13-17 2023.** All venues have been secured.

**Feb 1-10, 2023 is when registration will be open for all events.** The schedule will be posted by March 1.

The Grand Concert will be held on March 19 at 2:00 pm at St. Andrew's United Church  
Please mark these dates on your calendars and make plans to be involved!

### Volunteers

The festival is grateful for the help and support of all the volunteers who help the program to run smoothly. 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 us at [lacombemusicfestival@gmail.com](mailto: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 (particularly for our new festival genres of fiddle and dance), please email [lacombemusicfestival@gmail.com](mailto: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 festival website at [www.lacombemusicfest.com](http://www.lacombemusicfest.com) Links to the registration page, the syllabus, the newsletter and other important information is included there. The committee's programming software has been improved to reduce issues experienced last year and expanded to accommodate those registering in Fiddle and Dance. Hopefully, registration will be a pleasant experience this spring.

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