Performing Fine Arts of Sealy

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General Music classes offered at Small World

Private Lessons offered in Piano, Voice, Guitar, and Woodwinds

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Kay Kenner Ashcraft, Owner

Bachelor of Fine Arts from Stephen F. Austin State University

41 years in music education

Experience:

Hardin-Jefferson ISD – Elementary Music

Snyder ISD - Elementary Music

Lubbock, ISD – Elementary Music and organizer for the first Lubbock All-City Children's Choir

Sudan ISD - Elementary Music and Band

Sealy ISD - Choir, Band, Elementary Music, Dance Team

Private lessons in Piano, Voice, Guitar, and Dance

Colonial Hill Baptist Church, Snyder – Girls' Ensemble Director

Bacon Heights Baptist Church, Lubbock – Children's Choir Director and Church Music Camp Director and Curriculum author

First Methodist Church, Sealy – Choir Director and Church Accompanist

Mrs. Ashcraft's students have consistently won awards at UIL Solo and Ensemble Contest and several have been chosen as top vocalists at the UIL State Vocal Solo and Ensemble Contest. Her choirs have earned Sweepstakes awards and won several spring festival awards, including bringing home the First Place Trophy from the New Orleans DC Festival. Many of her vocalists have won FFA and 4H competitions and several have auditioned for "America's Got Talent", "American Idol", and "The Voice". In 1990, she was the Color Guard Director for the Sudan High School Band which won the UIL State Marching Contest. In 1994, the Sudan HS band placed 4th in the same contest.

Advocacy:

Music is a necessity in life. Not only does music speak to emotions and teaches culture, but its study and understanding helps to develop reading and math skills. Music students consistently score higher on standardized tests than their counterparts. Toddlers who are exposed to music before the age of 5 demonstrate better coordination than those without the benefit.