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NEW OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

I am pleased to welcome Rebecca to the Key Mobile Music family. She joined us in August and is doing a wonderful job taking care of our students and teachers. Here are some interesting Facts About Rebecca:

- * Bachelor of Music from The Kings University.
- * She has worked as an office administrator since 2007, and in 2017 began her own administrative support company providing Virtual Office Assistance.
- * She has worked in several music studios around the city both as a piano teacher and receptionist and now continues to teach piano lessons from her own home.
- * In her free time, she enjoy reading, gardening and camping with her family.

Welcome Rebecca!



SENIORS RESIDENCES RECITAL TOUR

Four locations!

Four dates!

There's still time to register! Here is the link to the registration form:

[Recital Registration](#)



New Students & Teachers

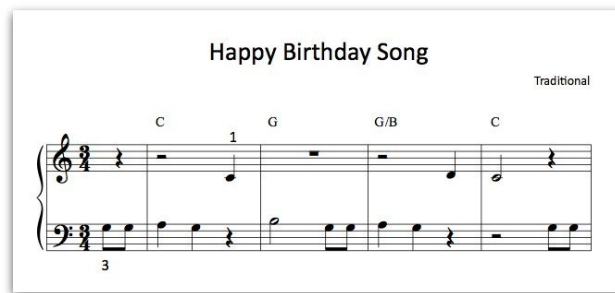
A warm welcome to our new students (and their families) and teachers who joined the Key Mobile Music family in the past few months!

New Students:

Alexander S, Anderson G, Anjola O, Aolani D, August W, Aven L, Ayden D, Caroline M, Celeste L, Colette K, Dan O, Dax B, Delilah L, Devilliers J, Dior S, Elin S, Elizabeth K, Emilie O, Evianne T, Felix P, Jackson M, Jadalyn T, Jason S, Jeanrich J, Jonathan M, Kalie D, Kate P, Kunbi O, Leo D, Makai D, Mannix B, Meighan J, Molly B, Moses K, Nadine D, Naomi I, Nashe M, Nola D, Nora S, Olivia T, Ophelia L, Sebastian W, Sierra F, Sojoud M, Stella H, Sullivan S, Vincent O, Yeisha R, Yhumi R

New Teachers:

Alicia P, Canga J, Colleen D, Janet K, Jonathan M, Kami V, Mitchell B, Stephanie T, Steven G, Thomas M, Yewon H



Birthdays

Happy Birthday to our students and teachers who celebrated a birthday in September, October, November, December!

Abigail T, Alex C, Alexa M, Alicia T, Ava S, Aven L, Ayva P, Bernadette L, Brady W, Brandon M, Colleen D, Darshan K, Delilah L, Elin S, Esta R, Eton K, Evianne T, Hannah C, Heidi Z, Isla C, James V, Jasper J, Jonathan M, Kaden T, Karla K, Kebria M, Kiefer R, Kunbi O, Leah H, Leo V, Lily C, Marc M, Meighan J, Muskaan P, Nadine D, Natalie H, Noelle D, Nolan P, Olivia T, Portia H, Quinn P, Quinn C, Robert B, Safa N, Samuel H, Samuel L, Sarah B, Sophia S, Steven G, Thomas M, Tracey B

Don't see your name here? Let us know your birthday month and we'll be sure to include you in future newsletters.

Teacher Musical Achievements & Celebrations

Irina GORIN



Tales of a Musical Journey

Handbook for Piano Teachers

Bernadette Laberge-Walker:

Bernadette received a "Tales of a Musical Journey" teacher certificate from an Irina Gorin teacher workshop. "Tales of a Musical Journey" blends Russian and world's teaching methods to prepare beginning piano students for a classical repertoire. Translated into fifteen languages, copies of this publication have been sold in more than sixty countries. It is suitable for ages four to adult. Workshops are held in the USA, Canada, Puerto Rico, Italy, UK, Germany, Spain, Portugal, China, Hong Kong, Japan, Malaysia and Singapore. Further information on the method is available on Irina Gorin's website: [Piano Tales](#)

SPLISH! SPLASH!

Born in the Bath!



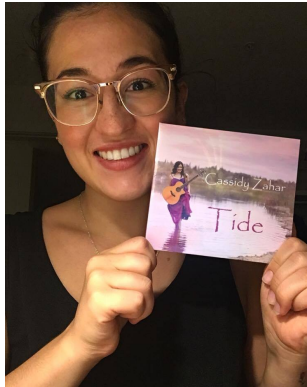
Written By: Michelle Eliason
Illustrations By: Katherine Olenic

Michelle Eliason:

Michelle recently released her first children's illustrated book, "Splish Splash Born in the Bath."

The plan is to have the baby at the hospital. The plan is to have a water birth with

the midwife and her assistant but the baby has other plans. Delight in talking with your own kids or grandkids about their stories of where they were born.



Cassidy Zahar:

Cassidy recently released her album "Tide" to all online streaming platforms (iTunes, Spotify, Google Play, Amazon music, etc). She played the Edmonton International Film Festival and Amplify Music Festival in October. She often plays at Halley's Club in the Starlight Casino of West Edmonton Mall on weekend evenings. On New Year's Eve she will be playing the Glow Edmonton Festival. She's currently finishing her degree in Music Performance at Macewan and will be graduating in June.



Steven Greenfield:

Steven will be appearing as 'Piano Player' in the Citadel Theatre's upcoming production of A Christmas Carol. Production details can be found here: [A Christmas Carol](#)



Kami Van Halst:

Kami the house band at Edmonton's Glow Gardens Festival this year. She'll be performing 3-4 times a week throughout the festival. It's a great family-friendly

event and tickets are on sale right now. Here's the website: [Edmonton Glow Gardens](#)

Feedback from Parents

Sarah: My daughter Brooke and I are both taking lessons from Sarah Brett and it has been a wonderful experience. Sarah is fun; whether it is myself or Brooke, she has a special way of teaching that involves learning, laughing and creating beautiful musical memories. Thank you Sarah ~ *Heidi*

Alicia & Dillon: Emilie and Alex are really happy with their teachers (Alicia and Dillon). They are great teachers and we hope they will stick around for many years. Overall, we are very happy with Key Mobile Music. Thank you so much. *Martine*

Quinn: Thanks to Quinn Carter for being a great Teacher! *Sonja*

Robert & Sarah: Both teachers we have had are inspirational, motivating, and supportive. Also appreciate the flexibility. *Jasmin*

Robert: Robert and Brodie are doing well together. We enjoy Robert as our music teacher. He is a great guy! *Shelly*

Trevor: Trevor has been wonderful in providing guitar lessons to my son. He is a gentle and patient teacher, and very encouraging. Logistics for lessons have always been clear, and I receive plenty of notice if time of the lesson needs to change that day. Great service and great teaching!

Hannah: A big thank you to Hannah, our piano teacher, who is always willing to listen and adjust our lesson accordingly. Also to Key Mobile for listening to our suggestions and concerns in the past.

Robert: We LOVE Rob. *Cristina*

Michelle: Really enjoying the lessons in home - fantastic!

Joseph: We have had our piano teacher (Joe) for a while now. We love him. He is so good with my kids. My daughter Sofia has switched from learning just to learn to now wanting to take her level 1 royal conservatory. So she is doing that and my son is going for level 3. Joe has become a family friend and a welcome visitor every week. Listening to the kids play piano is such a joy. *Vanessa*

Jonathan: My son Moses is happy with his teacher. He is learning fast with the friendly and consistent attitude and encouragement of the teacher. It is very

convenient having a teacher come home to provide the lessons. *Joseph*

Michelle: Michelle is doing an amazing job with our daughter Aleah in her piano lessons. Aleah has come a long way thanks to the encouragement and patience that Michelle has shown her. Overall we are very happy with our experience at Key Mobile Music. *Jeff*

Bernadette: The kids are really enjoying their lessons with Bernadette! She has really structured the lessons to Molly very well and it's been something Molly looks forward to each week. Mannix is catching on very quickly and I don't need to pester him each week to practice, he practices often on his own! Bernadette has really sparked their desire to learn! *Jen*

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