



FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

DIANE'S PIANO STUDIO

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FEBRUARY LESSONS

February has been a very productive month in piano. All of our students are progressing through their books. Some have gotten new books and more will be getting a new one soon.



Rachel, Paige, and I recently met...yes, it was an "eating meeting" 😊 ... to go over plans for the second half of the piano year and to begin the selection of recital music for each student.

MARCH SCHEDULE

March 5 -6 Mardi Gras holiday. No lessons on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Thursday, March 7: Regular Thursday classes will meet with

Rachel. **Tuesday classes** will also meet on this day with me in the other room at the studio.

Friday, March 8: Wednesday classes will meet.

I will send a reminder for the Tuesday and Wednesday change for the students' lesson day.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, April 12 Railroad Days Festival Parade, 3:00 p.m. Students are invited to ride on the piano studio float. We will meet at Nichols parking lot at 2:30 p.m.

PIANO RECITAL The recital will be held on Thursday, May 16, 7:00 p.m. at The DeQuincy United Methodist Church. Rehearsal for the recital will be on Wednesday, May 15. Details about the rehearsal schedule as well as the regularly scheduled piano classes for that week will be coming in the next newsletter.

PIANO WEBSITE

Please go to www.dianeenglepianostudio.com

to visit our website. There is a photo gallery with all the students' pictures. I have a few more to add this week and I will be updating the website each month, so look for new pictures. Videos that we took of the game songs will be added soon. The monthly newsletter will also be on the website.

MUSIC - GREAT FOR ALL LEARNING

"I would teach children music, physics, and philosophy; but most importantly music, for the patterns in music and all the arts are the keys to learning." PLATO

I love this quote! It confirms many of the studies that positively compare music instruction to academic success. Let's keep playing!

Diane Engle