

AWARDS, CERTIFICATES AND TROPHIES

THE FORT WILLIAM ROTARY CLUB SENIOR BALLET CUP: Presented by the Fort William Rotary Club. It will be awarded to the winner of competition between the winners Classical Ballet, 16 years and under, 18 years and under. There must be a minimum of two contestants for the Cup. It may be won only once by any contestant.

THE FORT WILLIAM ROTARY CLUB JUNIOR BALLET CUP: Presented by the Fort William Rotary Club, it is a Junior award and will go to the winner of a competition in Classical Ballet. Age qualification is limited to 12 years and under, 14 years and under. This cup may be won only once by any contestant.

GOLD CUP: This prestigious award is sponsored by an anonymous donor. The winner will be chosen by the Adjudicators. The cup will be presented to a young teacher (age 18 to 25) who has shown promise as a choreographer of dancers of all ages. Candidates must complete and submit a "Gold Cup Candidate Form" to the Festival Coordinator by Saturday, March 16, 2024. This cup may be won only once by any contestant.

Sylvia Horn Young Scholarship: The winner of this substantial scholarship will be a young adult who is enrolled as a full-time student in a university or college pursuing a post-secondary degree; or a senior dancer who is a graduating high school student committed to attending a post-secondary facility next fall. The recipient of the Sylvia Horn Young Scholarship must have resided in Thunder Bay for the majority of their life. This individual continues to strive for a higher level of excellence in his/her dance accomplishments; he/she has been an exemplary mentor to younger dancers; he/she is developing skills as a teacher/choreographer; and at the same time, is successfully maintaining an honourable standard of academic achievement. The recipient must also have danced at a local Studio for a minimum of five years. As agreed by all parties responsible for the yearly distribution of this ample endowment, the Sylvia Horn Young Scholarship can ONLY BE WON ONCE by an individual candidate. The winner of the "Sylvia Horn Young Scholarship" is chosen by the Adjudicators

ALL-AROUND JUNIOR DANCE AWARD & ALL-AROUND SENIOR DANCE AWARD: The Awards are presented to one competitor from each Division who received the highest combined total of 3 marks for approved dance forms. Candidates must submit an "All-Around Dance Bowl Application" and be a current Society Member to qualify. Both Bowls can ONLY be won ONCE by an individual while competing in either Divisions.

THE ROSE BOWL: Sponsored by the Fort William Rotary Club. The Rose Bowl will be awarded to the winner of a competition between the winners of the Vocal, Piano, Strings, Woodwinds and Brass who have entered three different classes (in Piano 3 different selections) at the Grade 10 level and higher. There must be a minimum of two competitors for the Rose Bowl and an age limit of 28 years. The Rose Bowl may not be won two consecutive years by any contestant.

THE AIRTH BOWL: Sponsored by the Fort William Rotary Club and will be awarded to the winner of a competition between the winners of Grade 7, 8 and 9 Vocal Classes. Competitors will qualify by competing in a minimum of three classical classes but must win one Grade 7, 8 or 9 vocal classes. Their must be a minimum of two competitors in the Airth Bowl Class. The Airth Bowl may not be won two consecutive years by any contestant.

THE FORT WILLIAM ROTARY CLUB JUNIOR MUSICAL THEATRE AWARD: Sponsored by the Fort William Rotary Club. Competitors will qualify by competing in both the Golden Era and Contemporary Musical Theatre categories. Competitors for Junior will be from 12 & Under and 14 & Under. This award can ONLY be won ONCE by an individual vocalist in the Junior Division.

THE FORT WILLIAM ROTARY CLUB SENIOR MUSICAL THEATRE AWARD: Sponsored by the Fort William Rotary Club. Competitors will qualify by competing in both the Golden Era and Contemporary Musical Theatre categories. Competitors for Senior will be from 16 & Under and 18 & Under. This award can ONLY be won ONCE by an individual vocalist in the Senior Division.

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THE KATHY SCHMIDT PIANO PERFORMANCE AWARD: The Piano Performance Award will be awarded to the winner of a competition between competitors in the Piano D competition. The Award may not be won two consecutive years by any contestant. The competitors must also have qualified by meeting the scholarship requirements outlined in the Piano Division.

ORMTA TROPHY: The ORMTA Trophy will be awarded to the winner of a competition between top performers, Adjudicator's Choice, in Piano A, B, C and D.

DR. GEORGE E. LISTER MEMORIAL STRINGS SENIOR BOWL: Open to string competitors, Grade/Level 7 and higher, who have entered **at least** three different classes at the same grade/level, placing 1st place in more than one class and selected at the discretion of the adjudicator. The recommendation to compete is based on the overall performance at the Festival. There is no restriction on how many times this award may be won by the same person but cannot be won in two consecutive years. The winning of any other bowl or tray at the same Festival does not affect a competitor's eligibility to win this bowl.

FORT WILLIAM ROTARY CLUB JUNIOR STRINGS BOWL: Open to string competitors, Grade/Level 3 to 6, who have entered **at least** three different classes at the same grade/level, placing 1st place in more than one class and selected at the discretion of the adjudicator. In the event of younger grades where no third category is available, the contestant will be chosen at the discretion of the adjudicator if the performance was outstanding and showed high quality and potential. The recommendation to compete is based on the overall performance at the Festival. There is no restriction on how many times this award may be won by the same person but cannot be won in two consecutive years. The winning of any other bowl or tray at the same Festival does not affect a competitor's eligibility to win this bowl.

*There are no scholarships associated with the above bowls and trays.

*The Rose Bowl, Airth Bowl, Fort William Rotary Club Musical Junior and Senior Musical Theatre Awards, Fort William Rotary Club Silver Tray, Dr. George E. Lister Memorial Senior Strings Tray and Fort William Rotary Club Junior Strings Bowl cannot be won two consecutive years.

POP VOCAL AWARDS – PLAQUES FOR ELEMENTARY, JUNIOR, INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR/OPEN: Sponsored by Applauze Productions. An average mark will be taken from the three highest marks of competitors who have placed 1st or 2nd in at least three classes of the Festival. The competitor receiving the highest average will be the recipient of this award. This award can ONLY be won ONCE by a vocalist in each age category.

THE LAKEHEAD MUSIC FESTIVAL CERTIFICATE: Will be awarded to the winner in each Instrumental class provided he/she has received a mark of 80% or over. A red seal, denoting Honors, will be affixed to the certificate of those winners receiving a mark of 75-82% in each test piece. A silver seal will be affixed to the certificate of those winners receiving 83-87%. A gold seal, denoting Distinguished Performance, will be affixed to the certificate of those winners receiving 88% marks or more in each test piece.

LFMA MEDALS, PINS & RIBBONS: Sponsored by the Lakehead Festival of Music and the Arts. Instrumental: Medals are awarded to a mark of 90 or higher. Dance: Pins indicating high silver, gold, high gold, and platinum are awarded to all dancers for Solos, Duets, Trios, Groups, Lines and Productions. One diamond award is given to each dance for solos, duets and trios as well as Groups, Lines and Productions. Ribbons are awarded to each competitor for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.