

The Community Music School at Southwestern College

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Dear friends and musicians,

It has been such a pleasure to experience music making and learning growth with the students and teachers of the Community Music School this semester. This year, we took a crucial step in our community presence through a new partnership with the Winfield Public Library and performances at College Hill Coffee. Events of this nature are integral to our work in enriching and nurturing the fine arts community of South Central Kansas. Thank you to any and all that helped to make these events a success. And most of all, thank you to all of our wonderful parents who make music possible for our students.

Dylan Moore, Director

Teachappella at College Hill Coffee Review:

On November 19th, current CMS students, the Southwestern College Brass Quintet, and Teachappella-a local Sweet Adeline group, performed at College Hill Coffee. It was a fun-filled night with great support from our community!



Gail Ranger, CMS voice student, performs May It Be from *Lord of the Rings* in our College Hill Coffee concert. She was accompanied by Beth Hite.



Upcoming Events

December 15th at 6.00pm

CMS Winter Recital A

Messenger Recital Hall

*Reception to follow in the Lobby. Please bring one dessert, punch will be provided.

December 15th at 7.30pm

CMS Winter Recital B

Messenger Recital Hall

*Reception to follow in the Lobby. Please bring one dessert, punch will be provided.

OPEN CALL FOR CHORUS MEMBERS!

The Community Music School at Southwestern College is producing Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Sorcerer", a comic English opera, on March 4th-5th, 2017.

Contact Dylan Moore at 620.229.6188 or at Dylan.moore@sckans.edu by Monday, December 12th to express interest and to schedule a hearing time for placement that will occur December 12th-14th.



Sunday Expressions Review

On November 20th, the JourneyKids Choir, consisting of students in grades 3-6, performed pieces during an art showing of Carl and Mary Lou Martin's private art collection. The choir's performance was accompanied by solo performances from CMS piano students.



Strategic Planning Process:

The CMS is currently undergoing its strategic planning process to ensure that we are able to serve the community for decades to come. We are extremely interested in having a couple of parents participate in the process and provide feedback from their perspective. If interested, contact the CMS Director by phone or email. We will also be sending out a customer satisfaction survey to all families via email to provide an opportunity for all parents and families to provide feedback which will inform our planning process.

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CMS Piano Student, Kinnley Flower, performs *Classic Dance* and *Paper Airplanes* by Faber and Faber at our Sunday Expressions Concert on November 20th.



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