



44th Anniversary - 2025

Kiwanis Music Festival of Guelph

Welcome to the 44th annual Kiwanis Music Festival of Guelph.

Many thanks to our participants, adjudicators, visitors, donors and sponsors, organizers, volunteers, Board and Committee members, media guests, and venues. We look forward to another wonderful Festival and hope you enjoy this valuable contribution to the cultural life of Guelph and Wellington County.

Please remember that the performers need absolute silence and you must wait to enter or leave the hall until there is a break in the performance. Please turn off all cell phones and other electronic devices. Photos and videos of performances may be taken if the performer has given their permission, but no flash photography and absolutely no recording of the adjudication is permitted. Please remain in your seat and be discreet while recording.

**Please join us for the Highlights of the Festival Concert & Awards Ceremony
on Saturday, May 10 at St. George's Church at 7 pm.**

**It will feature some of the finest performances heard during the Festival,
as well as the presentation of medals and scholarships.**

Tickets: \$20/Adults, \$5/Students & Children – Visit gkmf.ca/events

Senior Piano Adjudicator

Angela Park

Canadian pianist Angela Park has been praised for her “stunningly beautiful pianism” (Grace Welsh Prize, Chicago), “beautiful tone and sensitivity” (American Record Guide), and for performing “with such brilliant clarity it took your breath away” (Chapala, Mexico). Angela’s versatility as both soloist and chamber musician has led to performances across Canada, as well as in the United States, Europe, Japan and Mexico. She is a founding member of the JUNO award-winning Ensemble Made In Canada, a group she performed with from 2006-2020. Angela has numerous projects with her duo partner, cellist Rachel Mercer, including the Mercer-Park Duo, St. John-Mercer-Park Trio with violinist Scott St. John, and the Seiler Trio with violinist Mayumi Seiler. Angela is also lucky to collaborate frequently with artists including clarinetist James Campbell, soprano Leslie Fagan, violinist Moshe Hammer, violist Rivka Golani, and violist Sharon Wei. Angela has recorded solo albums, and collaborative discs with cellist Rachel Mercer, St. John-Mercer-Park Trio, and Ensemble Made In Canada for labels including NAXOS Canadian Classics, Centrediscs, Leaf Music, and Enharmonic Records. From 2011-2014, Angela was Visiting Assistant Professor of Collaborative Piano-Woodwinds at Indiana University’s Jacobs School of Music. She is currently Assistant Professor of Piano and Collaborative Piano at Western University in London, Ontario. She is also co-Artistic Director of the 5 at the First Chamber Music Series in Hamilton, Ontario. www.angelapark.com



Kiwanis Music Festival of Guelph

Monday, April 14, 2025 - Morning

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

9:00 AM CLASS P307

Solo Concert Group "A" - Open - ARCT & Above

Own choice of minimum of 2 works.

Time limit of 25 minutes.

1. **Wayne Lu** - Mississauga
2. **Richard Long** - Oakville
3. **Xinyi Ran** - Oakville
4. **Sebastian Brunner** - Burlington

11:00 AM CLASS P155

20th & 21st Century - Open - ARCT & Above

Own choice from List D. Time limit of 10 minutes.

1. **Xinyi Ran** - Oakville

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Monday, April 14, 2025 - Afternoon

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

1:00 PM CLASS P121

Classical Era (1750-1825) - Open - ARCT & Above

Own choice from 1750 to 1825.

1. **Richard Long** - Oakville

1:25 PM CLASS P330

Etudes - ARCT

One concert etude. Time limit of 12 minutes.

1. **Kevin Kang** - Mississauga
2. **Richard Long** - Oakville
3. **Olivia Wang** - Oakville

2:00 PM CLASS P141

Romantic Era (1825-1900) - Open - ARCT & Above

Own choice from 1825 to 1900.

1. **Doris Liu** - Oakville
2. **Olivia Wang** - Oakville
3. **Kevin Kang** - Mississauga

3:00 PM CLASS P101

Baroque Era (1600-1750) - Open - ARCT & Above

Own choice from 1600 to 1750.

1. **Olivia Wang** - Oakville
2. **Sebastian Brunner** - Burlington

3:30 PM CLASS P156

20th & 21st Century - Open - ARCT & Above

Own choice from List E. Time limit of 10 minutes.

1. **Olivia Wang** - Oakville

3:40 PM CLASS P281

Sonata/Sonatina - Open - ARCT & Above

Any Sonata/Sonatina from any era.

1. **Sebastian Brunner** - Burlington
2. **Olivia Wang** - Oakville

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Tuesday, April 15, 2025 - Morning

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

9:00 AM CLASS P262

Music from Around the World

20 & Under - Level 10

Own choice of one piece from any era by a composer from outside North America.

1. Samuel Han - Guelph

9:15 AM CLASS P103

Baroque Era (1600-1750) - 20 & Under - Level 10

Own choice from 1600 to 1750.

1. Ryan Dong - Oakville

2. Claire Lee - Oakville

3. Samuel Han - Guelph

4. Peiyi Chen - Oakville

5. Fanyong Kong - Oakville

10:10 AM CLASS P123

Classical Era (1750-1825) - 20 & Under - Level 10

Own choice from 1750 to 1825.

1. Julia Zhu

2. Peiyi Chen - Oakville

3. Claire Lee - Oakville

11:05 AM CLASS P172

Canadian Composers - 20 & Under - Level 10

Own choice. Time limit of 10 minutes.

1. Claire Lee - Oakville

11:15 AM CLASS P159

20th & 21st Century - 20 & Under - Level 10

Own choice from List D. Time limit of 10 minutes.

1. Rocky Xu - Oakville

2. Samuel Han - Guelph

3. Ryan Dong - Oakville

4. Peiyi Chen - Oakville

5. Yuqiao (Joyce) Chu - Oakville

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Tuesday, April 15, 2025 - Afternoon

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

1:30 PM CLASS P143

Romantic Era (1825-1900) - 20 & Under - Level 10

Own choice from 1825 to 1900.

1. Julia Zhu

2. Scott Zachary Alejo

3. Peiyi Chen - Oakville

4. Rocky Xu - Oakville

5. Ryan Dong - Oakville

6. Samuel Han - Guelph

7. Yuqiao (Joyce) Chu - Oakville

8. Fanyong Kong - Oakville

3:05 PM CLASS P160

20th & 21st Century - 20 & Under - Level 10

Own choice from List E. Time limit of 10 minutes.

1. Julia Zhu

2. Peiyi Chen - Oakville

3. Ryan Dong - Oakville

4. Xiantai Luo - Mississauga

5. Yuqiao (Joyce) Chu - Oakville

6. Fanyong Kong - Oakville

4:10 PM CLASS P144A

Romantic Era (1825-1900) - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice from 1825 to 1900.

1. Kevin Wang - Guelph

2. Scott Zachary Alejo

4:30 PM CLASS P343

Sight Reading - Level 9

1. Scott Zachary Alejo

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Tuesday, April 15, 2025 - Evening

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

6:00 PM CLASS P352

Quick Study - ARCT

1. Dylan Sanchez - Oakville

6:10 PM CLASS P563

Music from Around the World - Level 9 - N/C

Own choice of one piece from any era by a composer from outside North America.

1. Kwame Badoe - Guelph

6:20 PM CLASS P231

Popular Selections - Open

*Own choice of one popular piece from any era or genre, including movie and video game music.
Time limit of 12 minutes.*

1. Dylan Sanchez - Oakville

6:30 PM CLASS P322

Concert Group "A"

Own choice, at Associate level, as prescribed by the Syllabus. Time limit of 25 minutes.

1. Yufei Zhou - Cambridge

7:10 PM CLASS P171

Canadian Composers - Open - ARCT & Above

Own choice. Time limit of 12 minutes.

1. Dylan Sanchez - Oakville

7:25 PM CLASS P325

Sonata

*A complete Sonata, Associate level.
Time limit of 30 minutes.*

1. Yufei Zhou - Cambridge

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Wednesday, April 16, 2025 - Morning

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

9:00 AM CLASS P174B

Canadian Composers - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice. Time limit of 8 minutes.

1. Helen Ma - Oakville
2. Katie Chai - Guelph

9:15 AM CLASS P125B

Classical Era (1750-1825) - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice from 1750 to 1825.

1. Charles Wang - Milton
2. Eric Zhang - Oakville
3. Helen Ma - Oakville
4. Justin Dong - Oakville
5. Patrick Yu - Oakville
6. Selina Fee - Mississauga

10:05 AM CLASS P162

20th & 21st Century - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice. Time limit of 6 minutes.

1. Tianshu Van Altena - Cambridge
2. Justin Dong - Oakville
3. Selina Fee - Mississauga
4. Katie Chai - Guelph
5. Patrick Yu - Oakville
6. Alvin Gao - Mississauga
7. Charles Wang - Milton

11:20 AM CLASS P105B

Baroque Era (1600-1750) - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice from 1600 to 1750.

1. Charles Wang - Milton
2. Elyes Mrabet - Breslau
3. Katie Chai - Guelph
4. Selina Fee - Mississauga
5. Tianshu Van Altena - Cambridge

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Wednesday, April 16, 2025 - Afternoon

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

1:30 PM CLASS P145B

Romantic Era (1825-1900) - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice from 1825 to 1900.

1. Alvin Gao - Mississauga
2. Patrick Yu - Oakville
3. Selina Fee - Mississauga

2:00 PM CLASS P673

Etudes - Level 8 - N/C

Two contrasting etudes. Time limit of 8 minutes.

1. Jiayu Liang - Guelph

2:10 PM CLASS P190

Level 8 - Ages 17 & Up

Own choice - Romantic Era (1825-1900).

1. Clara Tung - Guelph

2:20 PM CLASS P443

Romantic Era - Level 9 - N/C

Own choice from 1825 to 1900.

1. Jiayu Liang - Guelph

2:30 PM CLASS P458

20th & 21st Century - Level 8 - N/C

Own choice from 1900 to present.

1. Jiazhou Li - Guelph

2:40 PM CLASS P474

Canadian Composers - Level 8 - N/C

Own choice by any published Canadian composer.

Time limit of 8 minutes.

1. Jiayu Liang - Guelph

2:50 PM CLASS P534

Popular Selections - 16 & Under - N/C

Own choice of one popular piece from any era

or genre including movie and video game music.

Time limit of 8 minutes.

1. Jiazhou Li - Guelph

3:00 PM CLASS P584

Sonata/Sonatina - Level 8 - N/C

Any Sonata/Sonatina from any era.

1. Jiayu Liang - Guelph

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Wednesday, April 16, 2025 - Evening

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

5:30 PM CLASS P174A

Canadian Composers - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice. Time limit of 8 minutes.

1. **Sylvan Janleigh**
2. **Jennifer Lee** - Cambridge

5:45 PM CLASS P105A

Baroque Era (1600-1750) - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice from 1600 to 1750.

1. **Jacob Ma**
2. **Justin Zeng** - Guelph
3. **Jennifer Lee** - Cambridge
4. **Derek Cheng** - Guelph
5. **Samantha Nikhil** - Guelph

6:25 PM CLASS P125A

Classical Era (1750-1825) - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice from 1750 to 1825.

1. **Justin Zeng** - Guelph
2. **Jennifer Lee** - Cambridge
3. **Joyeeta Saha** - Guelph
4. **Jacob Ma**
5. **Samantha Nikhil** - Guelph

7:10 PM CLASS P145A

Romantic Era (1825-1900) - 16 & Under - Level 8

Own choice from 1825 to 1900.

1. **Justin Zeng** - Guelph
2. **Jennifer Lee** - Cambridge
3. **Derek Cheng** - Guelph
4. **Joyeeta Saha** - Guelph
5. **Jacob Ma**

8:00 PM CLASS P304

Concerto - Intermediate (Ages 13 - 14)

One fast movement from any Concerto.

Time limit of 15 minutes.

1. **Kevin Kang** - Mississauga
2. **Wayne Lu** - Mississauga

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Thursday, April 17, 2025 - Morning

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

9:00 AM CLASS P354

Quick Study - Level 9

1. Xuyi (Lauren) Zheng - Guelph

9:10 AM CLASS P332

Etudes – Level 9

Two contrasting etudes. Time limit of 10 minutes.

1. Xuyi (Lauren) Zheng - Guelph
2. Henry Zhang - Puslinch

9:35 AM CLASS P161

20th & 21st Century - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice. Time limit of 6 minutes.

1. Xuyi (Lauren) Zheng - Guelph
2. Emily Yu - Oakville
3. Bryden Chan - Oakville

10:05 AM CLASS P144B

Romantic Era (1825-1900) - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice from 1825 to 1900.

1. Xuyi (Lauren) Zheng - Guelph
2. Ocean Lee - Oakville
3. Yifei Ethan Gong - Guelph
4. Henry Zhang - Puslinch
5. Emily Yu - Oakville
6. Bryden Chan - Oakville

11:15 AM CLASS P292

Duets - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice.

1. Audrey Xu & Jerome Liu - Oakville
2. Emily Yu & Yifei Wang - Oakville

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Thursday, April 17, 2025 - Afternoon

GUELPH YOUTH MUSIC CENTRE

Adjudicator - Angela Park

1:30 PM CLASS P173

Canadian Composers - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice. Time limit of 8 minutes.

1. Derek Cheng - Guelph

1:40 PM CLASS P124

Classical Era (1750-1825) - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice from 1750 to 1825, excluding Scarlatti.

1. Xuyi (Lauren) Zheng - Guelph
2. Ocean Lee - Oakville
3. Yifei Ethan Gong - Guelph
4. Henry Zhang - Puslinch
5. Derek Cheng - Guelph
6. Bryden Chan - Oakville

2:45 PM CLASS P104

Baroque Era (1600-1750) - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice from 1600 to 1750.

1. Xuyi (Lauren) Zheng - Guelph
2. Bryden Chan - Oakville
3. Yifan Evan Gong - Guelph
4. Henry Zhang - Puslinch

3:25 PM CLASS P263

Music from Around the World - 18 & Under - Level 9

Own choice of one piece from any era by a composer from outside North America.

1. Lydia Xu - Oakville

3:35 PM CLASS P310

Solo Concert Group "A" - Level 8

Own choice of minimum of 3 works.

Time limit of 15 minutes.

1. Eve Arnold - Guelph

3:55 PM CLASS P308

Solo Concert Group "A" - Level 10

Own choice of minimum of 2 works.

Time limit of 25 minutes.

1. Lydia Xu - Oakville
2. Alden Li - Mississauga