Pittsburgh / Western PA Music Studios Edition

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Do Rae Mi Press

Online News from the Lisa Rae Music Studios, LLC



The response to our inaugural online Do Rae Mi Press was tremendous! Thanks everyone for the positive and productive comments.

Our spring sessions is just about to begin, so please take a moment to select the best lesson package for your family. Stay tuned for exciting news from the studio in 2008. And of course, keep those photos and good music news coming!

Sincerely,

Lisa Rae Vaughan, Executive Director Lisa Rae Music Studios, LLC

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

12/15/07 Spring Session Lesson Package Enrollment Begins

12/20/07 Montour Holiday Music Piano "Pre-concert" 6 p.m. D.E.W.

12/22/07 Last day of lessons for 2007

12/23/07 Thru 1/1/08 Studio closed for the holidays. Limited services available.

12/28/07 Budget plan payments for JAN lessons due

01/01/08 Spring Session Begins and runs thru April 30th

01/02/08 First Day of Lessons for 2008

SPRING SESSION BEGINS JAN 1st - Four Lesson Packages Available

Our spring session begins Jan 1, 2008 and runs thru April 30th. 17 Weeks.

Please email Ami Little at the PGH studios no later than 12/28/07 with any changes to your current package or to help in selecting the combination of scheduling and billing that's best for you.

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Be sure to include the following information:
a) Package name and quantity of each



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Local Piano, KBD Dealers offer deals to students

Welcome New Students

Pride in Performance: Sri Raksha Rao

Pride in Performance



Congratulations to the many local students who auditioned for and took top spots in their school district musicals. Sri Raksha Rao (pictured above), a vocal and piano student of the Lisa Rae Music Studios, LLC was selected for the lead role of "Willy Wonka" in the Montour Middle School production, "Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory" scheduled for performance in the spring 2008. Rao, an 8th grader, performs regularly for studio-

- b) Weekly, Bi-weekly, or Flexible Scheduling
- Budget billing (4 equal monthly payments) OR
 Prepayment with up to 7% discount for packages of 8.0 hours or more
- e) Dates of any foreseeable vacations, schedule conflicts
- f) No changes needed / same package as Fall Session 2007

The "BAROQUE" - 3.0 Hours \$ 120. Available as (6) 30 minute, (4) 45 minute, (3) 60 minute lessons, or Flex.

The "CLASSICAL" - 8.0 Hours \$ 305 (prepayment) or \$ 80 / month. Available as (16) 30 minute, (12) 45 minute, (8) 60 minute lessons, or Flex. Best choice for young students or single instruments. DEFAULT PACKAGE IF NONE IS SELECTED.

The "ROMANTIC" - 12.0 Hours \$ 455 (prepayment) or \$120 / month. Available as (16) 45 minute, (12) 60 minute, or Flex. Best choice for advanced students or those with dual instruments.

The "MODERN" - 25.0 Hours \$ 945 (prepayment) or \$250 / month. Best choice for families. Call for schedule.

ANNUAL STUDIO MEMBERSHIP FEE - \$25 per student (1st student) and \$10 per additional family member appears ONLY on the first statement of each year.

LOOKING TO PURCHASE PIANO, KBD?

It's that time of year again, holiday shopping, and we are frequently asked where to purchase digital pianos and keyboards for the beginning and advancing student.

Many of these retail outlets offer discounts if you mention that you are a student of the Lisa Rae Music Studios, LLC. Let them know you were referred by Lisa Rae Vaughan since they don't know all of the teachers we have by name.



Bruce's Music 412-369-7985 (Northway Mall). Speak to Bruce.

Hollowood's Music Store 412-771-3060 (McKees Rocks). Speak with Tony Aiello or Don Hollowood. Watch for the "Midnight Madness Sale" in mid-December.

Modern Piano, Westmont Buildings, 12703 Perry Hwy, Wexford, PA. 724-935-5397. Talk to Dan Bayus

Affordable Piano Warehouse, div. Of Gerrero Music. 412-490-9090. Talk to Terese G.

Trombino Music Centers, McKnight Rd. 412-367-1431. Talk to Kevin Twisdale. (*Please call LISA RAE MUSIC STUDIOS FIRST if you plan to visit this store so we can inform them of your visit).*

Valley Piano & Organ, 800-762-0672 (Hermitage, PA). Talk to Tom Bayus. About 45 minute drive from the airport, but they are extremely

wide recitals and piano evaluations.

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MON - THU 8 am - 8 pm FRI 8 am - noon CLOSED MAJOR HOLIDAYS

CANCELING LESSONS FREQUENTLY?

If you think you may have to cancel more than 1 or 2 lessons during the upcoming session, we recommend

- a) "Flexible" scheduling instead of weekly. Choose 30, 45, or 60 minute lessons on the days and times that work best for you.
- b) A smaller family lesson package. For instance, consider the Romantic 12.0 hour package rather than two, Classical 8.0 hour packages for each.

Additional lesson hours can always be purchased later "a la carte" as needed in increments of 1.0 hours

Please remember that for lesson plans of 8.0 or more hours, there is limit of 2 lesson credits per session available for student-initiated cancellations or time change requests.

helpful. Parkway West turns into Rt. 60 (Beaver Valley Expressway) to I80. Store is North of I80 near Sharon. (Please call LISA RAE MUSIC STUDIOS FIRST if you plan to visit this store so we can inform them of your visit)

Welcome New Students!

If we missed anyone, please let us know!

Kushar Bogga - Kindergarten, Glen Montessori Schools



For lesson plans with fewer than 8.0 hours - 1 lesson credit limit. Cancellations or time change requests in excess of the limit are charged as time used, even with the minimum 24-hour notification.

"Good Teachers... Great Lessons ... Happy Students!"

The Lisa Rae Music Studios, LLC is a leading provider of private music lessons to youth, adults, and special needs students living in: **ROBINSON TOWNSHIP**, **THE PITTSBURGH AIRPORT CORRIDOR**, **BRIDGEVILLE**, **GIBSONIA** and other nearby communities in Western Pennsylvania.

Our professional staff of instructors offer classes in: PIANO, VOICE, FLUTE, OBOE, TROMBONE, VIOLIN, CLARINET, & SAXOPHONE.

Call or e-mail Ami Little for information about our flexible scheduling, budget payment plans and nearest Lisa Rae Music Studios, LLC teaching studio. 412-638-7598 / 888 LISA RAE

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