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Asia Pacific Electone Festival (APEF)
- September 2011

Yamaha Piano Course (YPC) Official Launch - Oct/Nov 2011



Yamaha Piano Course Official Launch - Northern Region



Asia Pacific Junior Original Concert (APJOC)- October 2011



Yamaha Piano Course Official Launch - Southern Region



Yamaha Piano Course Official Launch - Central Region



Editorial Page

Season Greetings to all readers especially Yamaha students, parents and teachers.

On reflection, 2011 has been an exciting and historic year for us at Yamaha Music School. With the launches of Yamaha Music Portal and Yamaha Piano Course, we hope to continue to provide value added services and to stay relevant to our teachers, students and parents.

2011, was also the first time that Yamaha held a Guitar Concert for about 100 students and a Drum Camp with 150 participants. Learning music is about sharing and making music together and these activities are also really good opportunities to make new friends too, irrespective of their age and gender.

We are proud of our students for being chosen to perform in concerts organised by The Chopin Society in conjunction with the week-long Classical Music Festival held in Maya Hotel and Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre in November 2011. While in the International music scenes, our dear seven years old, Bridget Yee's composition was chosen from among thirty thousand original compositions to perform at the International Junior Original Concert in Japan. We are very pleased with the progress of Yamaha students and are proud of Malaysians for making it to the International acclaimed Yamaha Electone Concours for three consecutive years. This time, Foo Wei Fung has been chosen to perform at the highly competitive Yamaha Electone Concours in Japan in early February 2012. We wish him success and may he accrue many experiences from his participation in this international event.

The success of our teenage students who have demonstrated their strong foundation in music through their creativity and versatility in performing on more than one musical instruments, is testimonial of the effectiveness of Yamaha Music Foundation System (YMES) in providing a holistic and comprehensive music education. Many of the participants of the Band Idol Season 2 are

students from the YMES programme. The confidence that they eluded during their performances are stepping stones towards successful lives and life long love for arts and culture.

We promised that 2012 will be yet another exciting and eventful year. To name a few, we have in store for all our music enthusiasts the yearly Electone Festival, Junior Original Concert, the all new and rewarding Piano Prize, etc., etc. Coming to the Malaysian shore after five years is the ASIA PACIFIC JUNIOR ORIGINAL CONCERT (APJOC) at Dewan Filharmonik PETRONAS, Kuala Lumpur. This is a lifetime chance to watch the APJOC which will be performed by students below the age of 15 years old from seven countries. It is even more rewarding to be selected to perform in this prestigious hall. We hope all teachers and students are gearing towards the APJOC 2012.

Keep a date* with us and book your ticket early.

- Yamaha Junior Original Concert on 25 March 2012 at MaTic Hall, Kuala Lumpur
- Yamaha Electone Festival Finals on 01 July 2012 at MaTic Hall, Kuala Lumpur
- Yamaha Piano Prize on 29 July 2012 at MaTic Hall, Kuala Lumpur
- Asia Pacific Junior Original Concert on 6 November 2012 at Dewan Filharmonik PETRONAS

Yours musically
Editorial

* Date and venue is subject to change.

SPECIAL THANKS

to all who have contributed to this newsletter

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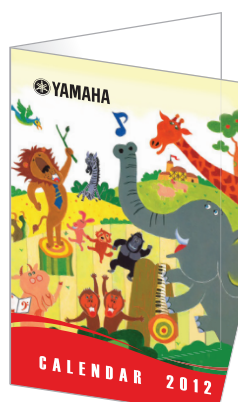
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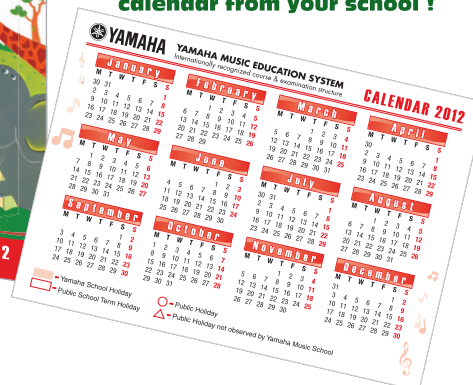
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Yamaha Pocket Calendar 2012

Collect your Yamaha pocket calendar from your school!





NEW

Yamaha Piano Course

For over 50 years, Yamaha music has established itself as the pioneer in the field of music education in our country. With music programmes and courses ranging from group and individual, from electone to piano, violin to guitar, Yamaha Music School is the brand name that parents and children would associate with. With over 6 million students graduated in over 44 countries worldwide, our courses are based on our internationally-acclaimed music education system.

In addition to our successful courses like Music Wonderland, Junior Music Course etc, in October 2011 we introduced our brand new Yamaha Piano Course (YPC).

This is a new comprehensive music curriculum that is based on Yamaha philosophy and concepts. Our education system cultivates musical ability, creativity, and the life long love of music.

Through YPC, students learn to listen, sing, play, read, understand and appreciate every aspect of music. As they advance, children apply the fundamental skills that they have acquired in their earlier studies through performance, improvisation and composition.

Why Yamaha Piano Course (YPC)?

- Teachers: Our faculty has a genuine commitment to teaching and are certified by Yamaha Music Malaysia through our extensive training, seminars and professional development programmes
- Fun and Rewarding: Students can have fun and achieve a high level of music proficiency, including hearing, singing, playing, reading and composing
- Play: Performance opportunities are available in a wide variety of settings, from recitals to national concerts and competition
- Course Curriculum: Materials include 12 textbooks and 8 CDs that combine decades of experience with the most recent research in music education
- Examination: Our textbooks compliment all examination boards



It's finally here! The fun and exciting Yamaha Music Video has finally arrived!

This great video will bring you and your child on a musical adventure, where you will be introduced to the music course that the Yamaha Music Schools offers.

So come on board and let your lives be enriched through the joy of music!



Yamaha Grade Examination Results

Yamaha Higher Grade Examination Results - June 2011

Name	Type	Grade	Name	Type	Grade	Name	Type	Grade
Celestine Yoong Qian Yi	Piano	5	Celestine Yoong Qian Yi	Fundamental	5	Lim Yu Xin	Fundamental	5
Cheong Yew Hong	Piano	5	Cerene See Ru En	Fundamental	5	Loh Pin Zhuang	Fundamental	5
Chloe Soh Shen Mun	Piano	5	Chan Jia Yee	Fundamental	5	Loke J-Lynn	Fundamental	5
Emma Jane Shum Min Li	Piano	5	Chang Wai Mun	Fundamental	5	Loo Yang Xian Jade	Fundamental	5
Ezra Lu Xih Ann	Piano	5	Chee Yie Hua	Fundamental	5	Megan Tam Mun Teng	Fundamental	5
Farah Adnina Bt Zulkifli	Piano	5	Cheng Chi Chui	Fundamental	5	Ng Heng Young	Fundamental	5
Gan Shao Qi	Piano	5	Cheong Sook Ling	Fundamental	5	Ng Kai Qin	Fundamental	5
Grace Lam Ern Tse	Piano	5	Chern Li-Xuen	Fundamental	5	Ong Wei Wei	Fundamental	5
Grace Tan Shu Ting	Piano	5	Ching Weng Ni	Fundamental	5	Onn Jian Yaw	Fundamental	5
Joyce Tan Shu Yuan	Piano	5	Ch'ng Tze Yu	Fundamental	5	Peh Jie Chee	Fundamental	5
Khoo Wei Ning	Piano	5	Chong Jia Suan	Fundamental	5	Philip Yung Chun Fai	Fundamental	5
Law Ley Kuan	Piano	5	Chu Xue Ying	Fundamental	5	Rachelle Wong Rui En	Fundamental	5
Lee Pei Qi	Piano	5	Chung Yuen Loong	Fundamental	5	Roy Lam Phoung	Fundamental	5
Lim Jin Hui	Piano	5	Crystal Gan Ai wen	Fundamental	5	Sak Guo Bin	Fundamental	5
Lim Wan Ern	Piano	5	Esther H'ng Tse Hui	Fundamental	5	Samantha Chang Ai Jia	Fundamental	5
Lim Yi Zen	Piano	5	Fong Pui Ying	Fundamental	5	Samantha Chloe Anthony	Fundamental	5
Ng Yenlin	Piano	5	Goh Paul Lyn	Fundamental	5	Sarah Ong Wen Qi	Fundamental	5
Peh Jie Ying	Piano	5	Heng Fook Wei	Fundamental	5	Shawn Hiew Siu Ping	Fundamental	5
Priscilla Wong Xin Yi	Piano	5	Ho Lee Wan Yi	Fundamental	5	Sheryl Teo Jing Ning	Fundamental	5
Rachelle Phua Xin Hueii	Piano	5	Hoi Shun-Yeen	Fundamental	5	Sophia Lee Ren Huey	Fundamental	5
Cheah Poh Xiang	Electone	5	Hoi Xen Ping	Fundamental	5	Stephanie Ong Yuen Yaen	Fundamental	5
Deedee Lee Yi Xin	Electone	5	Jacqueline Lim Wen Ching	Fundamental	5	Su Chui Xi	Fundamental	5
Jessie Lee Suan Cui	Electone	5	Jade Wong Jee Xuan	Fundamental	5	Tan Hwai Kian	Fundamental	5
Khoo Wei En	Electone	5	Jason Ong	Fundamental	5	Tan Jia Yin	Fundamental	5
Tan Yi Zhen	Electone	5	Jeanne Ch'ng Phei Shen	Fundamental	5	Tan Jye Yin	Fundamental	5
Teng Sin Yong	Electone	5	Kerryn Lee May Xin	Fundamental	5	Tan Shau Yuan	Fundamental	5
Teo Ze Fei	Electone	5	Khoo Swee Yen	Fundamental	5	Tan Win Li	Fundamental	5
Thye Chuan Hwei	Electone	5	Khor Zyeh Lyn	Fundamental	5	Tan Xuan	Fundamental	5
Jessie Lee Suan Cui	Fundamental	4	Kuan Li Jean	Fundamental	5	Teh Ying Wen	Fundamental	5
Jocelyn Wong Lixian	Fundamental	4	Kung Yi Ying	Fundamental	5	Tiew Xue Kuan	Fundamental	5
Yeoh Shuen Min	Fundamental	4	Kwok Ting Sheng	Fundamental	5	Vincent Ong	Fundamental	5
Amanda Yek Jia Wen	Fundamental	5	Lee Hui Sze	Fundamental	5	Winnie Chong Yee Nie	Fundamental	5
Ang Tse Huey	Fundamental	5	Lee Pei Yi	Fundamental	5	Wong Hao Ying	Fundamental	5
Au Yong Sue Anne	Fundamental	5	Lee Shin Minn	Fundamental	5	Wong Lai Teng	Fundamental	5
Audrey Felicia Susai Nathen	Fundamental	5	Lew Jia Yi	Fundamental	5	Wong Lap Hou	Fundamental	5
Audrey Poh Sze Huey	Fundamental	5	Li Xing Yi	Fundamental	5	Yeo Wan Lin	Fundamental	5
Audrey Sim Si-Min	Fundamental	5	Liao Jia Yuin	Fundamental	5	Yeoh Yuan Qi	Fundamental	5
Cassandra Wong Mei Yin	Fundamental	5	Lim Wan Sim	Fundamental	5	Zoe Lynn Chitty	Fundamental	5

Yamaha Grade Examination System Schedule 2012

Grade 13-6

Examination Dates	ZONE		APPLICATION DATES
	GRADE 13-11	GRADE 10 -6	
12 Mar - 16 Mar	A,B	A	12 Dec 11- 13 Jan 12
28 May - 1 June	A, B & Sabah	B & Sabah	13 Feb - 16 Mar 12
13 Sept - 17 Sept	A,B	A	14 May - 15 June 12
11 Nov - 15 Nov	A,B, & Sarawak	B & Sarawak	13 Aug - 14 Sept 12

Grade 5-3

Examination Dates	APPLICATION DATES
28 May - 1 June *	1 February - 29 February 2012
11 Nov - 15 Nov 2012 #	1 August - 30 August 2012

* For zone A, B, & Sabah only

For zone A, B, & Sarawak only

ZONE	STATES
A (Central & East Coast)	Selangor, FT, N.Sembilan, Malacca, Pahang, Kelantan
B (North & South)	Perlis, Penang, Perak, Johor

IMPORTANT

- Registration for YMES & YPMC students for respective course/s only.
- All registrations are governed by Rules and Regulations stated in the application form.