

# Musical Notes

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## Performance Master Class

### “Concept to Concert”

This semester brings a new Master Class for the students of Love The Arts! School of Music. Students will study performance from “Concept to Concert”. All classes are held on Saturdays from 10am until noon at Love The Arts! School of Music and a light lunch is provided. Class dates are set for September 20, October 4 and 18, November 1 and 15, December 6. The concert will be held on Saturday December 13, 6pm at Love The Arts! School of Music. As always, you can check out the Love The Arts! [Calendar](#) on the web for all the latest dates and events.

Class space is limited; please, contact Love The Arts! to reserve your spot in this semester’s performance class as soon as possible. The cost for each class is \$40 for non-students of Love The Arts! School of Music and as always Love The Arts! students are **FREE**.

### “From Concept to Concert”

This Master Class will teach students how to: organize, practice for, advertise, work together as a group, prepare for a concert and much, much more. In addition to the preparation and practice, students will also learn

from the experiences of a working musician. Mr. Philip Mancini’s twenty plus years of performing experience encompasses a wide range: high school choir and jazz band, garage band, working band, solo and duet performing, Mansfield Universities touring Concert Choir, writer and arranger, and endorsed artist. Students will gain an insight from the first hand experiences Mr. Mancini will share with them.

This semester’s Master Class will be an exciting and enjoyable musical journey ending with a concert performed by the members of the class for specially invited guests. Reserve your spot now for this exciting class “**Concept to Concert**”.

## Concerts

The NEPA fall concert series is back in full swing. Students, parents, and friends are all invited to attend concerts with Love The Arts!. We encourage all to mark their calendars and check the Love The Arts! [Calendar](#) web site for all the latest concert events we will be participating in or just enjoying together.

Love The Arts! School of Music is a proud sponsor of the “**Classical Guitar Society of North Eastern Pennsylvania**”. Our first concert field trip will be on Saturday, September 20th to hear Classical Guitarist Jérôme Ducharme at the Scranton Cultural Center sponsored by the CGSNEPA. Anyone interested in attending this concert please call Love The Arts! we will leave the studio, as a group, at 6:45pm.

## Classical Guitar Society of North Eastern Pennsylvania Concerts Announced

**9/20/08-8pm-Jérôme Ducharme**—Shopland Hall, Scranton Cultural Center.  
\$15 General, \$12 Members/Students

<http://www.jeromeducharme.ca>

**11/15/08-Sweeny-Steveskey Guitar Duo**-Shopland Hall, Scranton Cultural Center

<http://www.jaysteveskey.com>

**1/17/09-Roland Dyens**-Shopland Hall, Scranton Cultural Center

<http://www.rolanddyens.com>

**3/28/09-Jorge Caballero**-Marian Chapel, Marywood University

<http://www.jcaballeroguitar.com>

**CGSNEPA membership applications are available at Love The Arts!**

## New Look and Features on our Forum

[Love the Arts! Forum](#) has been updated. Make sure to check it out and register. You will find all the latest news about concerts, education, instruments and equipment, recording, and Fishin' Musician. The forum can be used to ask questions, discuss Master Class topics, or to just keep in touch with all your musical friends via the world wide web.



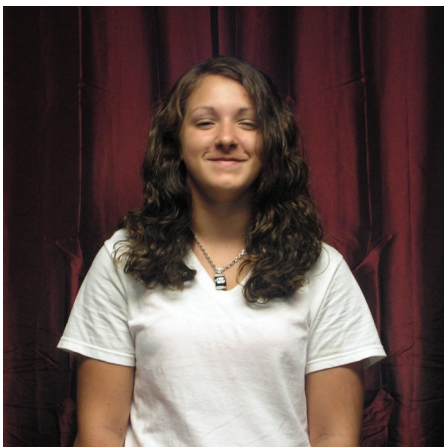
### Happy Birthday

Julia Burgess 9-9, Nicole Piloni 9-19, Mary Waters 9-27, Sandy Turonis 9-30,  
Emmet Nealon 10-1, Laurel Nestor 10-15, Maggie Rainey 10-31

### Students of the Month

Congratulation to our August "Student of the Month"

Amber McCracken



Amber has studied voice at Love The Arts! School of Music under the instruction of Mr. Mancini since March of 2008; this is her first Student of the Month Award. She completed the Love The Arts! Master Class last spring; for which, she earned a certificate of completion. Amber is home-schooled and in the 6<sup>th</sup> grade. She enjoys singing at family events and would like to one-day sing in a band. Her favorite artist is singer, songwriter and country artist Taylor Swift. In addition to music, Amber enjoys playing softball.

## Love The Arts! Opus

Saturday August 16th was our annual Love The Arts! Picnic. The Lord provided us with great weather, fantastic food, and fellowship. All the kids enjoyed



playing games in the yard, pool, and taking motorcycle rides. The adults, on the other hand, enjoyed sitting under the carport in the shade fellowshiping and eating all the great deserts brought. We would like to thank everyone for coming and look forward to next year's picnic. The date is already set for next year—Saturday, August 15, starting at 1pm.

Please, put it on your calendars now. To see more picture visit

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