



Please make sure your parent or guardian reads this newsletter! This year it will also be emailed.

**Remember to wear or bring your socks
(No bare feet on the new Studio carpet)**

**IF YOU ARE SICK!!!!!!STAY HOME !!!
YOU CANNOT SING !**

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

**November 2 Saturday (Sold Out)
Raymond Salgado performs at
JDRF Gala Parksville**

November 17 Sunday

- Carol Rehearsal for Cottonwood Dinner Theatre
- Off Book MandatoryAll Studio
- Time.....6:30 PM
- 5:30 PM: Solo Rehearsals for the 3:15 lesson slots
Zoe and Rachel

November 19 - 21 Christmas Solo Rehearsals

- in lesson time with Chelsea. Off book!!!!

November 28 & 29 "Seussical the Musical"

- Kirkwood Production @ The Port Theatre 7 PM
- Chris Wood as "Horton", Jessica Langelier as "JoJo",
Nasya Moore as the "Grinch", and Zoe Chow.

COTTONWOOD CHRISTMAS DINNER THEATRE DECEMBER 5, 12, & 19th.

- YOU MUST CALL Cottonwood 250 245 5157 to make
a reservation.
- Do it NOW as some of the evenings WILL sellout!!!!
- Tickets: \$30 (11 and older) \$15 (10 & under)

Cottonwood Dinner Theatre

- One Christmas Solo and the Group Carols.
- Dress code is Red, or Black, or Red and Black.
- Performer call is 5:45 for Carol run-through.
- You MUST gift Chelsea for volunteering her time for
this!!!!

December 5 Thursday

Cottonwood Dinner Theatre 5:45

- Performers (in order) are Kate Krynowsky, Morgan
Burke, Rachel Scheibel, Anne-Marie Walker, Daniel
Knapp, Melissa Kahan, Taylor Johnstone, Raymond
Salgado
- Lessons after 5:15 will move to
Monday December 2

December 2 - 6----FESTIVAL FEES DUE!

- Payable to Andrea Bertram (I pay the online
registration from my PayPal)
- The \$ amount will be written in your books!!!

December 7 Saturday

St. Paul's Anglican Sanctuary
Crystal and Samantha Cashmore
In Concert with Special Guest Artist
Raymond Salgado
CANCELLED.

- Crystal and Samantha received a scholarship
through to June 2015 allowing them to continue
their education straight through.
- They will eventually present a "Graduation
Recital".

December 10 - 13 "Guys and Dolls"

Dover Bay Theatrix

- See Melissa Kahan as Adelaide.
- Also featuring Anne-Marie Walker, Morgan Burke and
Kate Krynowsky.

December 12 Thursday

Cottonwood Dinner Theatre 5:45

- Performers (in order) Nasya Moore, Katelyn Wigmore,
Tallia Rogers, Britta Olesen, Kyra Vance, Jessica
Langelier, Mady Crow, Zoe Chow
- Lessons after 5:15 will move to Monday December 9

December 13 Friday "The Grinch"

Tempo Dance, Port Theatre

December 14 Saturday

Allison Crowe "Tidings"

- Performers (in order) Daniel Knapp, Melissa Kahan, Taylor Johnstone, Raymond Salgado
- (You must be in school, K-12, and have attended an Allison Crowe Concert in the past. You must be available that day from 1 PM to the end of the Concert.)
- Concert Dress
- Tickets (\$25 in advance, \$20 for students/seniors; \$30/\$25 at the door) and Posters will be in the Studio by November 1st. Performers may have 2 names on the comp list.
- Again, it is appropriate to gift Chelsea for her time!

December 19 Thursday

Cottonwood Dinner Theatre 5:45

- Performers (in order) Chris Wood, Kody Dennison, Mady Crow, Melissa Kahan, Taylor Johnstone, Gina Damaso, Raymond Salgado.
- Lessons after 5:15 will be moved to Monday December 16

December 20 - Closed for Christmas Break**January 4 Saturday**St. Paul's Anglican Hall 7PM
Taylor Manns In Concert

- Guest Artists. Nasya Moore, Kyra Vance, Tallia Rogers, Mady Crow, Jessica Langelier, Zoe Chow open for Taylor at 7 PM
- Details. Full Dress rehearsals with Chelsea and with costumes 1PM till we are done. The Classical pieces will be first and then you will need to immediately change for your musical theatre numbers. I have the order in the Studio. For program flow, some of the costume changes must be done quickly. Performer call 6:15.
- Tickets and posters will be available shortly.

Festival Rehearsals are scheduled for Jan. 7-10th and 20-24th, Feb.17-21st and 24-28th, Mar.3-7th.

- These are the maximum rehearsal times. You may not require all of them.
- Chelsea will keep a running total and bill you at your last rehearsal. You must pay her at your first Festival session or before.
- The better you know your work, the fewer sessions of rehearsal you will require.

March 8-13th UIMF Vocal Festival.

- My time at Festival is your lesson for that week.
- You must attend at least 30 minutes before the session starts.
- General Adjudications will be at the end of each session.
- We will discuss your personal sheets in your lessons after Festival.

Dance Gala is Saturday, April 12th

Port Theatre at 7 PM.

The Honours Performance is Sunday, April 13th

St. Andrew's United Church at 2 PM.

June 4-7th 2014, Performing Arts BC Provincial Finals

Penticton

- (This is a Wednesday-Saturday, with Registration on the Tuesday)
- Studio Closed

June 14th Cabaret Nite 2014

- Details TBA

Yours in singing,

Andrea Bertram