



March Newsletter

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President's Message



Dear DMTA Members,

I want to thank all of you who are doing your part to provide a wonderful musical experience for your students!

I want to thank and applaud those of you who also spend extra time doing work that supports all the DMTA students, not just your own. Without you we would not have the great array of festivals, contests, tests, and recitals that are available to students of DMTA members.

There are many who have not only given their time to enrich DMTA but have volunteered to carry out the work of TMTA for not only our Dallas students, but for all of those in Texas who wish to participate.

While I am expressing gratitude for all our servant leaders, I want to mention three very special teachers who have been giants in their service to TMTA.

I was so blessed to have participated with each of them as we carried out the work of TMTA.

All three attended our last TMTA Conference in Waco, but now they have left our world, free from cancer, to receive their eternal rewards.

Roy Wylie was the source of wisdom and knowledge regarding all things TMTA.

Heather Rathnau, writer of "Theory Time," taught me how to serve as TMTA Vice President of Student Activities.

Naulene Pittman served TMTA Student Affiliate in more ways than I can list.

Keep on doing good!
Carol

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2024-2025 DMTA Yearbook



Have Questions? Check out this Welcome Packet for FAQ's

Code of Ethics

The principles and aspirations found in the Code of Ethics are not conditions of membership, but are goals and ideals that DMTA members should strive to make an essential part of their professional commitment to students, to colleagues and to society.

Commitment to Students

- The teacher shall interact with students and families in a professional manner.
- The teacher shall respect the personal integrity and privacy of students unless the law requires disclosure.
- The teacher shall clearly communicate the expectations of the studio.
- The teacher shall encourage, guide and develop the musical potential of each student.
- The teacher shall treat each student with dignity and respect, without discrimination of any kind.
- The teacher shall respect the student's right to obtain instruction from the teacher of his choice.

Commitment to Colleagues

- The teacher shall maintain a professional attitude and shall act with integrity regarding colleagues in the profession.
- The teacher shall respect the reputation of colleagues and shall refrain from making false or malicious statements about colleagues.
- The teacher shall refrain from disclosing sensitive information about colleagues obtained in the course of professional service unless disclosure serves a compelling professional purpose or is required by law.
- The teacher shall participate in the student's change of teachers with as much communication as possible between parties, while being sensitive to the privacy rights of the students and families.

Commitment to Society

- The teacher shall maintain the highest standard of professional conduct and personal integrity.
- The teacher shall accurately represent her professional qualifications.
- The teacher shall strive for continued growth in professional competencies.
- The teacher is encouraged to be a resource in the community.

Achievement Auditions deadline has been extended to March 20th!

"Romantizm in Piano Music from Germany to Russia"

Program by DMTA member Elena Tsvetkova

Sunday, March 9th 2:00 pm

Northaven United Methodist Church

[11211 Preston Road, Dallas, TX 75230](#)

Free admission, donations are welcome



Studio Openings

Please contact Logan Herod at herod.logan@gmail.com if you would like to post any studio openings.

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Thank you!

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is a happy child.*



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