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Love The Arts!



“Discover The Power Of Christian Music”

Online Community and Calendar

Love The Arts! has launched its Online Community on the World Wide Web for 2008. The online community consists of a [Forum](#) and [Calendar](#). You can now find a performance and speaking schedule, lesson schedule, master class schedule, and other days of importance on the [Calendar](#). The online [Forum](#) is where you can ask questions, leave comments, give advice, and learn about music education, instruments, instrument repair, and much more or just hang out in the garage and talk after a long hard practice. The online community is to help motivate and inspire anyone that loves music, music education, music performance, or wants to learn from and share their experience with others. You will also find a prayer request and praise area where you can ask for prayer or pray for someone in need.

The [Forum](#) and [Calendar](#) are secure; so, only registered users can post. Both are monitored daily by an administrator - Mr. Mancini and moderators of each forum topic - Mr. & Mrs. Mancini. Others will be asked to assist as the community grows. It is simple to register for and post on the forum; plus, it keeps the forum safe from unwanted posts. Please, take a minute or two to register and join us in this exciting and inspiring new online community. It is a place to be inspired and give inspiration through your love of music.

The [Forum](#) and [Calendar](#) can be found at www.LoveTheArts.com

Pro Level Artist Endorsement



Philip with his Barcelona CT-5 CE
Photograph by Kyle Stengline

Congratulations goes out to Philip Mancini for receiving an endorsement from the Samick Music Corporation as a Pro Level Artist. Philip has been endorsed as a Classical guitarist for the Barcelona series of guitars designed by Greg Bennett built by Samick. You can hear Philip play the Greg Bennett designed Barcelona CT-5 CE Classical guitar on his solo album “Time to Pray”. You can buy “Time to Pray” at Love The Arts! and preview some of the tracks at www.LoveTheArts.com where you will hear it playing when you open the web page.

Want to make a special event unforgettable? Philip is available for private parties, house concerts, weddings, and commercial venues. Contact him at 570-451-0248 for bookings.

Samick Instruments

Love The Arts! has been a proud distributor of Samick instruments since 1994. Samick only distributes directly to independent music stores leaving out the middle man. This means you get one-on-one treatment from owners and employees that are interested in you and meeting your needs as a musician. You can find out more about Samick Music Corporation’s line of instruments on their web site www.gregbennettguitars.com and at www.LoveTheArts.com or test them out at Love The Arts! in Old Forge.

Music & Photography

Kyle Stengline, a guitar and piano student, can now add photographer to his list of accomplishments. Kyle recently directed and shot Philip Mancini’s Samick Artist photo shoot. Kyle’s outstanding work will appear in Samick’s promotional items featuring Philip as a Classical Pro Level Artist. More of his work can be seen on the web at www.myspace.com/PhilipMancini. Contact Kyle for your photography needs at 570-862-7012.

Happy Birthday

Mario M., Julia B., Emily H., Lloy S., Mrs. Mancini



Students of the Month

Congratulation to our November and December “Students of the Month”

November – Allison D. is a piano student and has been studying for three months under Mr. Mancini.

December – Maggie R. has been playing guitar for two years and has been studying Classical guitar and voice-accompaniment playing styles for two months under Mr. Mancini.

T-Shirt Sale



Love The Arts! has redesigned their T-Shirt logo and is offering a large selection of T-shirts for \$10 each. These shirts will feature Love The Arts! on the left front chest and the full logo on the back. Shirts are screen printed in your choice of white or red and on your choice of over 40 different color shirts. Orders will be taken until 2/16/08; you may place your order by stopping in the studio.

Don't forget to pick up your embroidery orders, they are now ready and available in the shop. You say you missed out of the embroidery order? Embroidered spring and summer items will be available in mid April.

Recommendation Rewards

Students can earn 1 month (4 lessons) free! Recommend us to your friends and family. When they sign up and pay for 2 months (8 Lessons), we will credit your account with your free lessons. This is our way of saying thank you to our many loyal students!

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Love The Arts! Opus

Master Classes

Love The Arts! is pleased to announce the introduction of “Master Classes”. These will be held twice a month at Love The Arts! studios in Old Forge. Classes are the second and fourth Saturday of the month from 10:30am until 12:00pm. You can register for the class by phone, email, or in person at the studio. The cost for each class is \$40. Love The Arts! students are **FREE**.

So what will you do in a Master's Class? Classes can consist of group playing, solo performances, theory lessons, history lessons, technique, special guest artists, recording opportunities, song writing, and anything else the instructor may see fit to teach to the participants of the class.

All levels of ability are invited to attend. Lessons will be geared for all levels to gain knowledge, motivate, and encourage further study. Questions can be asked during class; after class, questions can be asked of the instructor on our Forum topic “Master Class” at LoveTheArts.com.

Space is limited for each class; please, reserve you spot by calling (570) 451-0248, emailing us at LoveTheArts@verizon.net, or stopping in the studio.

Studio Hours

Monday - Thursday - 10am - 7pm
Friday & Saturday - 10am - 3pm
other times by appointment

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