

FIDDLE BAKE-OFF

There are always outstanding entries in the Fiddle Bake-off contest. Any student who wishes to bake a dessert with a musical theme should bring it to the March String Fest. Last year, cakes, cookies, pizzas and candy were made into shapes of violins, music stands, books, etc. Let your imagination run wild! Winners will be selected by a panel of judges.



To Enter:

Check off the box on the registration form.

Schedule

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| 12:30 | Registration |
| 1:00 | Orchestra |
| 3:00 | Guest Performance |
| 4:00 | Orchestra |
| 5:00 | Fiddler's Bake-Off |



RAFFLE

Every year music stores and schools support the March String Fest by donating musical items for prizes.

All participants will have their names placed in a box and our guest artists will draw the winning names for exciting musical gifts.

Prize recipients must be present at the drawing to qualify to receive a prize.

March String Fest '10
Karla Mahoney
99 Pinehurst Ave
Billerica MA 01821



THE 31st ANNUAL MARCH STRING FEST

Sponsored by
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Saturday, March 6th 2010
12:30pm – 5:30pm

Marshall Middle School
17 Floyd St
Billerica, MA 01821

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GUEST ARTIST

Our talented guest artist is the Teacher Trio, consisting of Anna Anderson, violinist, Irina Naryshkova, violist, and Alexander Badalov, cellist.

Anna Anderson began the piano at the age of four and a half. By the age of six she was admitted to a music magnet school in Ukraine. After completing seven years there, she immigrated to the United States and studied with Nanette Levy at the prep school at Mannes College of Music in Manhattan while attending high school. Mrs. Anderson received her Bachelors' degree in violin and music education from Boston University in 2000, and master degree in music education in 2003. She has been teaching general music and strings in the Concord Public Schools and privately for ten years.

Irina Naryshkova began her music education in Russia, where she graduated from Novosibirsk State Conservatory. In 1997, she graduated from Boston University receiving her Masters in music. She was a member of the American Russian Youth Orchestra, attended the Tanglewood and Pacific Music Festivals. Currently Mrs. Naryshkova is an assistant principal violist at the Nashua Music Festival Symphony, and the Cape Cod Symphony as well as an active freelance violist in the Boston area. She teaches strings at Westwood and Walpole Public Schools.

Alexander Badalov began his musical career at the age of fourteen. In 1992, Mr. Badalov graduated from Tbilisi State Conservatory where he was a student of Professor Revaz Machabeli and Professor Eldar Isakadze. Since completing his post graduate studies in 1994, he has been teaching and performing. After moving to the United States in 1995, Mr. Badalov graduated from the Longy School of Music in 1998, with an Artist Diploma. In addition to his performing career, he has performed in master classes with Natalya Gutman and Yo Yo Ma. He currently teaches cello in the Worchester Public Schools, and is the music director of the All City String Orchestra in Worchester.

The workshop is for string players who want to get together and make friends, enjoy music and share in the FIDDLE BAKE-OFF.

There are three Orchestra Levels:

Orchestra I

For advanced players who read well and have lots of ensemble experience

Orchestra II

For intermediate players who have experience but are not fast readers

Orchestra III

For beginners/second year players who are just starting to play and have some or minimal reading skills and experience



There will be no charge for parents and teachers who would like to spend the afternoon watching and enjoying the activities. Come and have a good time!!

Questions?

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REGISTRATION

Please Print Clearly!

Student's Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Email Address _____

School Attended _____ Grade _____

String Teacher in School _____ String Teacher's Phone # _____

Recommended Orchestra Level - 1st/2nd Violin, etc
(Determined by String Teacher)

This is my _____ year of study on the _____.
(First, second, etc.) (String Instrument Played)

I want to bake a winner!

Shirt Size: _____ (Adult S, M, L, XL; Youth L)

Deadline for Registration Form and Fee:

February 10, 2010

Pre-Registration Fee: \$20.00
Registration fee at the door is \$25.00

Please Make Checks Payable to: FASE, Inc.
Refunds are not available.

Send this form, together with payment to:
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