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THE AGM
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AUGUST 10 – 12

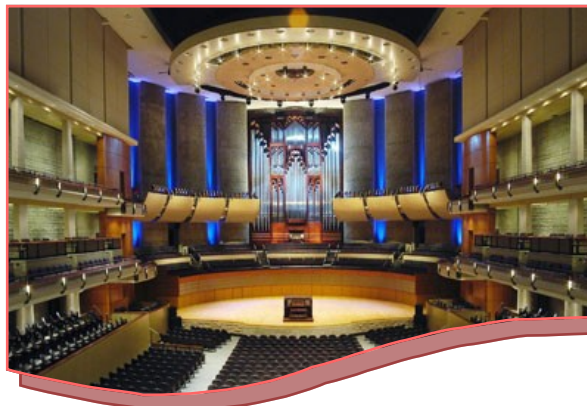
THE NATIONAL FESTIVAL
THURSDAY TO SATURDAY
AUGUST 13 – 15

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WELCOME TO EDMONTON

As President of the Alberta Music Festival Association and Chair of the Host Committee for the 2015 FCMF National Music Festival, it is my pleasure to welcome you to Edmonton, Festival City (and one of the 10 places to visit this summer according to National Geographic) for the 45th National Music Festival in August. The festival venue, MacEwan University's Alberta



College Campus is well-equipped with grand pianos in all the performance rooms and the theatre, and is located across the street from the Chateau Lacombe, the official festival hotel. Some

sessions will also take place at McDougall United Church, located between the Chateau Lacombe and Alberta College. The Francis Winspear Centre for Music, where the Grand Award Concert
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PRESIDENT'S WELCOME

As I write this, Provincial Festivals are taking place, and young musicians are being chosen by adjudicators across the country to perform in our 45th National Music Festival in Edmonton in August.

The Alberta host committee has been hard at work all year preparing for this festival, and we anticipate a very well-run festival, with conveniently close venues,

accommodation across the street, and the Grand Award Concert in the Francis Winspear Centre for Music. We have a group of outstanding adjudicators lined up, and we look forward to working with them.

I am looking forward to hearing the performances, meeting the performers, and experiencing the inspiration which inevitably comes with both. I also anticipate a productive AGM, renewing

old friendships and making new ones among the delegates who devote part of the summer to helping ensure that the Federation of Canadian Music Festivals continues to thrive, and continues to offer important opportunities for our most talented and hard-working young musicians: our country's future artists.

– Marilyn Wiwcharuk
President, FCMF

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will be, is a wonderful theatre and close enough for those with smaller instruments and flat shoes to walk there. [Downtown Edmonton](#) is pretty much connected by a pedway system so the weather shouldn't be an inhibiting factor.

Edmonton is the host of many festivals so you may want to extend your stay in the city before and/or after our festival. You can check these out on the following websites:

www.travelalberta.com (15 Coolest Things to Do in Edmonton);
www.heritagefestival.com;
fringetheatre.ca;

edmontonfolkfest.org. Other places of interest to visit: experiencealbertahistory.com; fortedmontonpark.ca; ukrainianvillage.ca. As well there are shopping malls that are easy to get to from the hotel. Within walking distance is the City Centre Mall. LRT access across the street from the hotel takes you to Southgate Mall (shopping, food court, no entertainment) in minutes. Transit goes to West Edmonton Mall (shopping, food courts, restaurants, and entertainment, and you can even take an [historic streetcar over the High Level Bridge to Old Strathcona](#).

Our Executive met in Edmonton on September 26th and 27th, 2014, and we are very excited to have the festival coming to Edmonton. Host committee members confirmed so far are Anne Carrier, Beth Cook, Esther Madsen, Heather Bedford-Clooney, Dianne Johnstone, Kent Sutherland, and Wendy Durieux. Our AMFA AGM was October 17th and 18th, 2014, and we had the opportunity there to enlist further members and volunteers for the actual festival time.

– Norma Jean Atkinson
Chair, Host Committee



An historic streetcar goes over the top of the High Level Bridge in Edmonton, AB

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**as of June 11, 2015/jusqu'à 11 juin 2015*

WHERE ARE THEY NOW...?

Two former competitors at the National Music Festival recently competed in **The 2015 Shean Strings Competition** in Edmonton, AB. **Mari Coetzee, violoncello** (3rd Place – strings, 2013) and **Esther Hwang, violin** (1st Place – chamber [Forza Quartet], 2014) were two of the six competitors (chosen from 20 submitted entries) vying for the top prize of \$8,000 and an opportunity to play with the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra at a future date.

On Saturday, May 16, 2015 – after two days of amazing and very high calibre competition –

years old), originally from South Africa (with ties to Brooks, AB) and currently studying at Mount Royal University Conservatory in Calgary with John Kadz and Johanne Perron, was awarded the **\$8,000 top prize in The Shean Strings Competition**. She has also won the opportunity to play with the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra at a future date. **Mari** also won the **\$1,000 Paul J. Bourret Memorial Award for Best Performance of the Test Piece – *Variations on a Theme by Rossini, H. 290* by Bohuslav Martinů**.

Esther Hwang, violin, from Vancouver and currently studying at the Vancouver

Academy of Music under Dale Barltrop, Nick Wright, as well as Gerald Stanick, took home 2nd Place and \$5,000.

The adjudicators for this year's Competition were **David Hoyt**, Chair; **Nathan Cook**, violoncello; and **Gil Sharon**, violin.

More information (and full results) can be found on The Shean Strings & Piano Competition website: www.sheancompetition.com.

You can also follow The Shean Strings & Piano Competition on Twitter [@SheanComp](https://twitter.com/SheanComp).



Mari Coetzee, violoncello



Esther Hwang, violin

MAP OF DOWNTOWN EDMONTON



- ★ Chateau Lacombe (Host Hotel)
- ★ Alberta College Campus, MacEwan University
- ★ McDougall United Church
- ★ Francis Winspear Centre for Music

Full size map available for download [here](#).

SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 9th
 Alberta Host Night Welcome
 & Dutch Auction
 River Valley Room,
 Chateau Lacombe • 7:00pm
 Cash Bar & Refreshments

Monday, August 10th
 AGM
 River Valley Room,
 Chateau Lacombe • 9:00am

Choral Presentations
 Royal Parlour,
 23rd Floor, Chateau Lacombe
 5:30pm-7:30pm

Federation Dinner
 La Ronde,
 24th Floor, Chateau Lacombe
 7:30pm-9:00pm

Tuesday, August 11th
 AGM Continues
 River Valley Room,
 Chateau Lacombe

Competitor Briefing
 Muttart Hall, Alberta College
 7:00pm

Wednesday, August 12th
 AGM Continues, if needed

Thursday, August 13th
 Competitions
 (Alberta College Campus,
 MacEwan University
 & McDougall United Church)

Friday, August 14th
 Competitions continue
 Host Night
 West Edmonton Mall
 (Pizza to follow in the basement of
 McDougall United Church)

Saturday, August 15th
 Master Classes – Morning
 First Place Announcements
 Muttart Hall, Alberta College

Grand Award Concert
 Francis Winspear Centre for
 Music • 7:30pm

NOTICE OF MEETING

FEDERATION OF CANADIAN MUSIC FESTIVALS Annual General Meeting – 2015

This is a notice to all members of the Federation of Canadian Music Festivals that the 2015 AGM will begin August 10, 2015 at 9:00am in the River Valley Room of the Chateau Lacombe in Edmonton, AB. Agenda will follow closer to the meeting.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

I. NOTICE OF MOTION: DELETION OF PERCUSSION CLASSES

*(Submitted by the Executive
Committee)*

The Executive Committee recommends to the AGM that percussion classes at the National Music Festival cease at the end of the 2015 Festival.

Rationale:

Acting on a request from some provincial festival associations, Percussion Classes were established as part of the National Festival beginning in 2010. Since that time, there have been a total of 10 entries, or an average of 2 including none in 2014. The expenses incurred are significant for such a limited number of entries.

In at least some of those years, procuring the basic kit the Federation is committed to providing has been a significant problem for the Festival.

For the 2015 Festival, there has been no commitment for awards for any of the Percussion Classes. If there are entries, awards will have to come from the Federation's other revenue sources.

II. NOTICE OF MOTION: APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE(S) TO EXAMINE VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THE FEDERATION OF CANADIAN MUSICAL FESTIVALS AND ITS NATIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

(Submitted by Jerry Lonsbury)

THAT the Board of Directors appoint a committee or committees to examine and make recommendations on each of the following topics:

1. The goal, vision, and purpose of the Federation and its National Music Festival.
2. The organizational structure of the Federation of Canadian Music Festivals.
3. A sound financial plan that will enable the Federation to meet its future obligations.

The committee or committees will submit a report(s) at least 60 days prior to the 2016 AGM for inclusion in the pre-meeting package of information.

Rationale:

1. Given the rapidity of changes that technology has enabled, does the organization need to review its priorities? Far fewer young people are studying music as part of their childhood experiences. Will the organization be able to survive a decreasing pool of participants? Does the organization need to broaden its definitions of "classical music"? Should it be considering other types of music?
2. There have been concerns expressed by some provincial associations about the make-up of the Executive Committee, or about having equal representation from each province. Should these or other options be considered? Who are the advocates for the Federation and the Festival?
3. The Federation continues to struggle with a shortage of financial resources. The current strategy appears to be to cut back on expenses and consequently services or classes. Have we reached a point where further cutbacks endanger the ability of the Federation to meet its goals?

Over a period of years, some of these topics have been a part of round table discussions. While these provide a venue for expressing concerns, concrete actions directed by motions of the Board are seldom an outcome. It is hoped that the committee or committees will prepare reports that will make concrete motions for discussions and votes.

III. NOTICE OF MOTION: DATE OF THE NATIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

(Submitted by the Federation of Music Festivals of Nova Scotia)

Be it resolved that the Federation of Music Festivals consider changing the date of the National Music Festival to the last week of August.

Rationale:

Senior competitors employed during the summer months, or involved in summer programs, may find it easier to make the National Festival a priority in their schedules.

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GRAND AWARD	NRS FOUNDATION THROUGH THE VICTORIA FOUNDATION, BC	\$5,000.00
CLASS 1 1 st Voice	GAIL ASPER & MICHAEL PATERSON, MB	\$1,500.00
2 nd Voice	OLDS & DISTRICT MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$1,000.00
3 rd Voice	½ FREDERICTON MUSIC FESTIVAL, NB ½ PERFORMING ARTS BC FESTIVALS SOCIETY, BC	\$250.00 \$250.00
CLASS 2 1 st Piano	½ DR. PHYLLIS FORSYTH, ON ½ MAREK JABLONSKI ENDOWMENT FUND, AB	\$750.00 \$750.00
2 nd Piano	THE SHEAN PIANO COMPETITION, AB	\$1,000.00
3 rd Piano	STEPHEN & PENNY MCCAIN, NB	\$500.00
CLASS 3 1 st Strings	PAST-PRESIDENTS' AWARD, CAN <i>Pam Allen, ON; Steven Fielder, ON; Gérald Goguen, NB; Dianne Johnstone, AB; Mac Jones, AB; Kathleen Keple, BC; Liz Lupton, BC</i>	\$1,500.00
2 nd Strings	THE SHEAN STRINGS COMPETITION, AB	\$1,000.00
3 rd Strings	MARY ROSS & JIM O'KEEFE, AB	\$500.00
CLASS 4 1 st Classical Guitar	GAIL CARLETON, NB	\$1,500.00
2 nd Classical Guitar	DR. PHYLLIS FORSYTH, ON	\$1,000.00
3 rd Classical Guitar	½ NEW GLASGOW MUSIC FESTIVAL, NS ½ PROVOST MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$250.00 \$250.00
CLASS 5 1 st Woodwinds	WENDY & HARLEY MACCAULL, NS	\$1,500.00
2 nd Woodwinds	NORMA JEAN ATKINSON, AB	\$1,000.00
3 rd Woodwinds	SASKATCHEWAN MUSIC FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION, SK	\$500.00
CLASS 6 1 st Brass	⅔ GRANDE PRAIRIE & DISTRICT ENCANA MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB ⅓ OILSANDS ROTARY MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$1,000.00 \$500.00
2 nd Brass	½ LAKEHEAD FESTIVAL OF MUSIC & THE ARTS, ON ¼ KAMLOOPS FESTIVAL OF THE PERFORMING ARTS, BC ¼ KEITH & JEAN ROBIN, AB	\$500.00 \$250.00 \$250.00
3 rd Brass	½ DR. PHYLLIS FORSYTH, ON ½ RHÉAL & ISABEL FOURNIER, NB	\$250.00 \$250.00
CLASS 7 1 st Percussion	\$44 CELEBRATION DONORS	\$1,500.00
CLASS 8 1 st Chamber	CANADIAN MUSIC FESTIVAL ADJUDICATORS' ASSOCIATION, CAN	\$1,500.00
2 nd Chamber	ALBERTA MUSIC FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION - 37 LOCAL FESTIVALS, AB	\$1,000.00
3 rd Chamber	BRENDA & DOUG BAUMAN, AB	\$500.00

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CLASS 9	1 st Musical Theatre	JOY McFARLANE-BURTON & RICK BURTON, SK	\$1,500.00
	2 nd Musical Theatre	OILSANDS ROTARY MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$1,000.00
	3 rd Musical Theatre	PICKERING GTA MUSIC FESTIVAL, ON	\$500.00
GRAND CHORAL AWARD PAUL BOURRET		FRIENDS OF PAUL BOURRET	\$500.00
1 st CLASS 100 HONOURABLE BARBARA A. HAGERMAN		ONTARIO MUSIC FESTIVALS ASSOCIATION, ON	\$500.00
2 nd CLASS 100		COLD LAKE MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 101 CITY OF LINCOLN		DRUMHELLER & DISTRICT MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$500.00
2 nd CLASS 101		DEON ERASMUS PROFESSIONAL CORPORATION, AB	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 102 GEORGE S. MATHIESON		STETTTLER & DISTRICT MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$500.00
2 nd CLASS 102		GLORIA NICKELL, SK	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 103 PAUL J. BOURRET		ALBERTA MUSIC FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION, AB	\$500.00
2 nd CLASS 103		FAMILY OF PAUL BOURRET, AB	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 104 RICHARD W. COOKE		½ VANCOUVER KIWANIS MUSIC FESTIVAL, BC ⅓ ANONYMOUS ⅕ MIRAMICHI REGIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL, NB	\$250.00 \$150.00 \$100.00
2 nd CLASS 104		½ BEDFORD FAMILY, AB ½ EDMONTON KIWANIS MUSIC FESTIVAL, AB	\$125.00 \$125.00
1 st CLASS 105 DR. & MRS. J.F.K. ENGLISH		½ ONTARIO MUSIC FESTIVALS ASSOCIATION, ON ½ MARILYN WIWCHARUK, BC	\$250.00 \$250.00
2 nd CLASS 105		KIWANIS MUSIC FESTIVAL OF GREATER TORONTO, ON	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 106 DAVID OUCHTERLONY		KIWANIS MUSIC FESTIVAL OF GREATER TORONTO, ON	\$500.00
2 nd CLASS 106		JUNE CHITTICK, AB	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 107 MARGARET WHARTON MEMORIAL		2014 FCMF DELEGATES	\$500.00
2 nd CLASS 107		BETH COOK, AB	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 108 FLORINE DESPRÉS		LA FÉDÉRATION DES FESTIVALS DE MUSIQUE DU NOUVEAU-BRUNSWICK/NEW BRUNSWICK FEDERATION OF MUSIC FESTIVALS, NB	\$500.00
2 nd CLASS 108		NORMA JEAN ATKINSON, AB	\$250.00
1 st CLASS 109 BARBARA CLARK		½ ONTARIO MUSIC FESTIVALS ASSOCIATION, ON ½ AVAILABLE	\$250.00 \$250.00
2 nd CLASS 109		KAMLOOPS FESTIVAL OF THE PERFORMING ARTS, BC	\$250.00

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 Norma Paulgaard
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 Bev Sweet

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 Kathleen Keple

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 Performing Arts
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Manitoba

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 Judy Urbonas

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Bridgewater Music Festival
 Queens County Music Festival
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 Gwen Beamish
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 Darlene Ewing
 Rachel Ewing
 Dr. Elaine Keillor (6)
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 Pickering GTA Music Festival
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Diane Campbell

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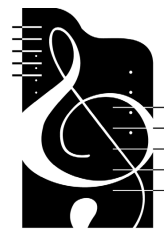
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NOMINATION FORM

The procedure for nominating someone for a position on the Executive is as follows:

Nominator fills in the name of Nominee and signs the form, then sends it to the nominee for his/her signature to agree to the nomination. The nominee then forwards the completed form, together with a short biography/candidate statement to the following address:

Pam Allen
Past-President, FCMF
1422 Bayview Avenue, Unit A
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Positions open in the 2015 elections are: **President** (two year term), **Vice-President** (two year term), **TWO Directors** (both one year terms), and **ONE Director** (two year term).

NOMINATION FORMS MUST BE RECEIVED IN TORONTO BY JULY 20, 2015.
NOMINATIONS MAY ALSO BE MADE FROM THE FLOOR OF THE AGM.
THE CANDIDATE MUST HAVE A BIOGRAPHY/CANDIDATE STATEMENT READY TO DISTRIBUTE.

I wish to nominate: _____

For the position of: _____

Date

Signature of Nominator

I agree to allow my name to stand for the position of _____ and have included a short biography/candidate statement.

Date

Signature of Nominee



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2015 FCMF MEMBERSHIP FORM

Dear Festival Supporters:

To our members, thank you for your past support of our organization! We invite you to renew your membership for 2015 at this time, if you have not already done so.

To those of you considering membership in our organization, we encourage you to take out a 2015 membership now to help support the young classical musicians of our country. This membership is valid from November 1st, 2014 – October 31st, 2015.

We also welcome donations in any amount to the Trust Fund or to the general operating of the National Music Festival.

Membership in FCMF means that you will receive the Annual Digest Report, our Più Mosso newsletters, the Syllabus and Annual General Meeting information, plus full recognition in all our publications and on our website. Donations also receive an official receipt for income tax purposes.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Federation of Canadian Music Festivals office at 1-877-323-3263 or fcmf@shaw.ca should you have any questions.

Thank you again for your support!

Please fill out the information below, include your cheque and mail to:

FEDERATION OF CANADIAN MUSIC FESTIVALS

c/o Heather Bedford-Clooney, Executive Director

14004 – 75 Ave NW, Edmonton, AB T5R 2Y6

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MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES:

PATRON MEMBER of the Federation

☐ \$200

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☐ \$100

MEMBER of the Federation

☐ \$50

DONATION CATEGORIES:

Donation to the National Festival Trust Fund

☐ \$ _____

Donation to the Festival 2015 General Fund

☐ \$ _____

Please contact me about award opportunities

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An Official Receipt for Income Tax Purposes will be issued for all donations.

The 2015 National Music Festival will be held in Edmonton, AB

from August 13th–15th.

Your support is vital to our future!

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"We envision a world that appreciates music.

*We provide a step in the journey towards excellence in
music performance, with educational opportunities for
students and teachers.*

*We strive to develop well-rounded individuals with positive
skills who will give their gifts back to the community,
ensuring that the arts will flourish."*

- Federation of Canadian Music Festivals,
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