



NEWSLETTER

March 2007

Leslie Kennedy, President

♪ Notes from the President ♪

We had another interesting meeting last month with Pam Smith who told us about the Suzuki Piano Method. We look forward to learning about Russian music with our own Tanya Krislasky at the March 15, 2007 meeting!

Thanks to Kathy Ackerman for chairing the Local Auditions this year! She has been doing a great job preparing and it should be excellent! Thanks also to Wade Wright and Eriko Ishikawa for being on the committee.

Believe it or not, the year is almost ending and it's time to start thinking about how many seniors you have graduating in your studio. Please let me know how many senior certificates you will need, either by email or at the March meeting.

The first collaborative conference ever is coming up in Toronto on March 23-27, 2007 with MTNA, The Canadian Federation of Music Teachers' Associations and the Royal Conservatory of Music! Check out MTNA's website at: www.mtna.org for all the information you need! It should be a great conference!

I hope everyone plans on coming to the March 15th meeting!

Leslie Kennedy, NDMTA President

March Meeting

Date: Thursday, March 15, 2007

Location: Steinway Piano Gallery

Time: 9:30am - Coffee/Social
10:00am – Business
11:00 am – Program

Program: “Russian Music”
-Tanya Krislasky-

Hostesses: Jean Champness and Frances Yao

2007 Local Auditions

We have 108 students and 19 teachers participating!

Good Luck to all the students!

Program Highlights 2006-2007

2007		
Thursday, March 15	“Russian Music”	Tanya Krislasky
Thursday, April 19	“We Do It!”	<i>NDMTA members</i>
Thursday, May 17	Spring Luncheon and Installation of Officers	TBA



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www.ndmta.com

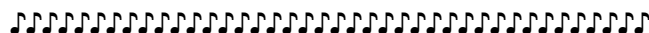
 **Upcoming Events** 

(See Yearbook or Website for complete listing.)

March 3, 2007	ABRSM Theory Examinations
March 10, 2007	North DeKalb Music Teachers Association Local Auditions - Piano Works, Duluth, GA
March 19, 2007	Postmark deadline for GMTA Spring Auditions (No pre-college piano and piano concerto.)
March 23-27, 2007	MTNA National Convention, Toronto, Canada
April 9, 2007	Postmark deadline for GMTA Auditions application for pre-college piano, piano concerto, and Theory testing
April 14, 2006	GMTA Spring Auditions (No pre-college piano and piano concerto.) - UGA, Athens, GA
April 19, 2007	Deadline for Applications for Jo Evans Scholarship Audition
April/May 2007	National Guild of Piano Teachers Auditions
May 11-12, 2007	GMTA Spring Auditions for Pre-College Piano, Piano Concerto & Theory – UGA, Athens, GA
May 19, 2007	Jo Evans Scholarship Audition – Rehoboth Baptist Church, Tucker, GA
May/June 2007	ABRSM Practical Examination
June 16, 2007	ABRSM Theory Examination
June 30, 2007	Deadline for MTNA, GMTA, NDMTA dues
July 1, 2007	Deadline for Certification Renewal (in the year your National Certification expires)

Happy Birthday!

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Announcements

❖ **All Bach Baroque Recital:** With our own Raisa Parmentier on Harpsichord!

Oglethorpe University Museum of Arts
4484 Peachtree Road, N.E.
Atlanta, GA 30319-2797
March 11, 2007, 4 p.m.
Tickets 404 364-8555
General Admission - \$20
Seniors - \$15
Students - \$5

❖ Please send announcements for the Newsletter by the 7th of each month to Leslie Kennedy: lkmusic@bellsouth.net

