

The Fantasy of Film



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~March 7th @ 2pm~
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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Greetings friends! It is wonderful to know that many of you follow La Jeunesse from all over the world through our livestreams. For those of us in Southern Ontario, we have been revelling in the deep and fluffy snow (so much better than wet and heavy snow, I think) and I'm sure our members had lots of extra opportunities to practice with several snow days in the past months.

LJYO members enjoyed some games and special treats from Happenstance Bakery in Port Hope during the last rehearsal before the Christmas break. Since then, every Saturday rehearsal has been amplifying their anticipation of our next concert. New music comes out the week after the previous concert, and our March concert is going to include songs you know from movies and small screens.

If you spent any time watching the Olympics and cheering for Canada in your favourite sport, remember that the discipline to succeed in music requires similar effort as success in sports. Some of our current members will go on to music as a career, whether teaching, playing, or managing an arts organization, and your presence at our concerts helps support their development now. I hope you have your ticket already or will go online to purchase as soon as you finish reading. I look forward to seeing you all on March 7th.

Lisa McIsaac, President

GREETINGS FROM THE MUSIC DIRECTOR

Greetings,

Our 2nd concert of the year is approaching fast! The Fantasy of Film is going to be a very fun concert for us to perform, featuring music from Disney's *Tangled*, *The Avengers*, *The Mask of Zorro*, *Pirates of the Caribbean*, and more! We are also featuring our talented flute players on this program, showcasing their skills in both *Concertino for Solo Flute* by Chaminade and Vivaldi's *Concerto for Two Flutes*. The program won't only feature movie music; classical lovers will be pleased to know that we will also be performing the 2nd movement of Dvorak's *8th Symphony*, one of my personal all-time favourites. The movement highlights the sensitivity and range of our players and provides opportunities for each section of the orchestra to truly shine. After such a successful Christmas concert, I am hoping to keep the energy and enthusiasm of our wonderful community alive and have you coming back for more! I am very much looking forward to presenting LJYO's next concert and to giving these hardworking students another big audience to perform for!

-David Shewchuk



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Auditions:

Auditions are held throughout the season. Interested musicians are welcome to sit in on a rehearsal!

Auditions will take place on Zoom or in person and will be 15 minutes long

**Contact Frank Gallimore
manager@ljyo.ca or 905-373-8994
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Coach Bio: Introducing Linda Shewchuk

Lynda Shewchuk was born and raised in Oshawa. She then went to Western University, graduating with a Bachelor of Music and a Bachelor of Education.

Moving to Bowmanville in the early 1970s, Lynda taught music at Bowmanville High School and gave private music lessons in flute, clarinet, sax, piano and theory. Lynda played in the Oshawa Symphony for thirty years. She also played in a trio and quartet, performing at weddings, banquets and other special occasions.

Lynda has performed in about thirty musicals with Oshawa Little Theatre playing piccolo, flute, clarinet and sax. Concert band experience includes playing piccolo and flute with the Clarington Concert Band and Concert Band of Cobourg.

Presently, Lynda Shewchuk is the musical director for Lakeshore New Horizons where she conducts three concert bands. These are concert bands based in Bowmanville for retired adults. She also conducts the Wildwind Flute Choir, a large flute group of about fifteen including piccolo, flute, alto flute and bass flute.

As parent of David and Brian Shewchuk, alumni of LJYO, Lynda has enjoyed coaching the flute section for about fifteen years. She is excited to work with Fiona, Crystal, Kiril, and Josie, our four excellent flutists this year.



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