



# Student Awards Gala

**Saturday, June 7th at 3:00 PM & 4:15 PM**  
**HARTLEY MANSION: 2320 Rucker Ave, Everett, WA 98201**

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**4:15 PM**

## 2024 TIME ERA FESTIVAL: Classical Era

*The Time Era Festival was created to help students appreciate the differences between the Baroque (1600-1750), Classical, (1750-1820), The Romantic (1820-1900) and the Modern (1901 to Present). The time period for for 2022 is Modern which includes any composer regarded as Impressionistic or 20th Century.*

- Eliana Cho, Teacher: Yelena Balabanova
- Miyako Berman, Teacher: Yelena Balabanova
- Alvin Lee, Teacher: Allan Park
- Yiling Sun, Teacher: Yelena Balabanova
- Jane Kwon, Teacher: Allan Park
- Radmila Sabirova, Teacher: Yelena Balabanova
- Minjae Kim, Teacher: Allan Park
- Kaitlyn Gia Lee and Alexander Vollmer, Teacher: Allan Park

## 2024 JAZZ, RAGS AND BLUES FESTIVAL

*The purpose of this festival is to encourage the exploration of Jazz, Rags, and Blues. The festival will take place in a masterclass setting in which each performer will perform and receive feedback by the adjudicator. Each student will receive a brief written evaluation and achievement certificate. The festival also features a workshop to teach improvisation and jazz techniques.*

- Yuxin Sun, Best of Festival for Rags, Junior (teacher: Yelena Balabanova)
- Perrie Lam, Best of Festival for Jazz, Junior (teacher: Yelena Balabanova)
- Tinsley Xu, Best of Festival for Blues, Junior (teacher: Shaoming Greene)
- Annie Marston, Best of Festival for Blues, Senior (teacher: Frances Goei)
- Kate Nguyen, Best of Festival for Blues, Senior (teacher: Marie Wollam-Mergler)
- Jacob Sohn, Best of Festival for Jazz, Senior (teacher: Suzetta Glenn)
- Aisha Beydoun, Best of Festival for Rags, Junior (teacher: Yelena Balabanova)
- Khoa Tran, Best of Festival for Jazz, Junior (teacher: Angela Michael)
- Gavin Liu, Best of Festival for Blues, Junior (teacher: Maria Khavin)
- Zara Do, Best of Festival for Jazz, Senior (teacher: Frances Goei)
- Aria Melvin, Best of Festival for Rags, Senior (teacher: Cathy Baylor)
- Allison Lin, Best of Festival for Blues, Senior (teacher: Yelena Balabanova)

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