

2024 MITCHELL OPTIMIST MUSIC FESTIVAL COMMUNITY SPONSORS

STEP DANCING SECTION

Step Dancing, 10 & under-Harry & Betty Greenwood
Step Dancing, 12 & under-Bob & Carolyn Harris
Step Dancing, 15 & under Clog, Jig & Reel-Jackie Campbell & Family
Step Dancing Open Clog, Jig and Reel-Kathy Vivian-Independent Beauty Consultant
Step Dancing Junior Group (13 & under)-Larry & Helen Cook
Step Dancing Youngest Dancer Award-Laurie Otten & Leanne Scherbarth

INSTRUMENTAL SECTION: PIANO

Pre Gr.1 Piano Solo-Knights of Columbus Council 9252
Gr.1 Piano Solo-In Tribute to Ron, Verlyn & Lowell Skinner
Gr.4 Piano Solo-Deck Family Dentistry
Gr.5 Piano Solo-Mitchell Veterinary Service
Gr.7 Piano Solo-Tudor Lodge 141 GRC
Piano Solo-Own Composition-DNA Farms David & Annamarie Murray
Highest Mark in Highest Grade Piano Audrey Vorstenbosch
2nd Highest Grade Highest Mark Piano Solo-Mark & Joanne Bannon
Best Pre Gr.1, Gr.1-3 Piano Solo-Rotary Club of Mitchell
Best Gr.4-6 Piano Solo-Bio Agri Mix
Best Gr.7 & up Piano Solo-Mary F. Dow and Family In Memory of Elmer
Gr.4 Piano Sight Reading-Mitchell Veterinary Services
Gr.7 Piano Sight Reading-In Tribute to Ron, Verlyn & Lowell Skinner
Best Piano Sight Reading-Lockhart Funeral Home

11 & 12 years old Pop Piano Solo-Monteith, Ritsma, Phillips LLP

13 & 14 years old Pop Piano Solo-Jackie Campbell & Family
Best Pop Piano Solo-West Perth Fire Fighters
Best Piano Own Composition DNA Farms David & Annamarie Murray
Quick Study for Piano Gr. 7-Rotary Club of Mitchell

INSTRUMENTAL SECTION: VIOLIN/FIDDLE

Violin Solo Beginner-Monteith, Ritsma, Phillips
Violin Solo Intermediate-Lockhart Funeral Home
Violin Solo Advanced-Beth Tubb
Violin Duet Intermediate-Lynn Simpson
Fiddle Solo Intermediate-Bio Agri Mix
Most Promising Performance in Violin/Fiddle-DNA Farms David & Annamarie Murray

INSTRUMENTAL SECTION: OTHER

Wind Solo Gr. 9-12 any yr. of Instruction-TD Canada Trust, Mitchell
Wind Sight Reading K.-Gr.12-Brad Carew & Family
Wind Quick Study-Mark & Joanne Bannon
Best Percussion/Wind Instrument Solo-West Perth Fire Fighters
Highest Mark in Vocal/Instrumental Sight Reading (other than Piano)-West Perth Singers

ELEMENTARY SECTION

Kindergarten Rhythm Band-Monteith, Ritsma, Phillips LLP
Kindergarten Chorus-Dianne Josling
Gr.1 Chorus-Lynn Hoegy
Gr.2 Chorus-Knights of Columbus #9252
Gr.3 Chorus-West Perth Singers
Gr.4 Chorus-Mitchell Lions Club
Gr.5 Chorus-Larry & Helen Cook
Gr.6 Chorus-Rita Christie
Gr.6 Drumming-Bio Agri Mix
Primary Choir-Vicki Williamson
Primary Choir-Main Street United Church Trophy
Junior Choir-Family of Ern & Betty Harley

Junior Choir-Mitchell Public School Legacy Trophy
 Gr.2 School Vocal Solo-Dianne Josling
 Gr.3 School Vocal Solo-Lynn Hoegy
 Gr.4 School Vocal Solo-West Perth Singers
 Gr.7 School Vocal Solo-Cheryl Davidson
 Primary (Gr.1-3) Contemporary Group-Rotary Club of Mitchell
 Junior (Gr.4-6) Contemporary Group-Rotary Club of Mitchell
 Junior Musical Theatre Solo-Rotary Club of Mitchell
 Intermediate (Gr.7&8) Musical Theatre Solo-Lockhart Funeral Home
 Best Elementary Musical Theatre Solo-Brad Carew & Family Shield
 Gr.5&6 Pop Vocal Solo-Glenys Steinbach
 Gr.7&8 Pop Vocal Solo-Vicki Williamson
 Junior (Gr.4-6) Pop Vocal Duo-TD Canada Trust, Mitchell
 Best Gr.5-8 Elementary Popular Vocal Solo-Michele & Kevin Nicholson Shield
 Primary (Gr. 1-3) Song from a Movie Vocal Solo-Tudor Lodge 141 GRC
 Junior (Gr.4-6) Song from a Movie Vocal Solo-KC's Kitchen
 Intermediate (Gr.7&8) Song from a Movie Vocal Solo-Kevin Ludington Plumbing
 K-Gr.8 Folk Vocal Solo-Jason Uniac Insurance

SECONDARY SECTION

Gr. 9-10 Junior Girls Vocal Solo-Tudor Lodge 141 GRC
 Gr. 11-12 Senior Girls Vocal Solo- DNA Farms David & Annamarie Murray
 Gr. 9-12 Popular Vocal Solo-Mitchell Legion Band
 Gr. 9-10 Musical Theatre Solo-West Perth Singers
 Gr. 11-12 Pop Duet - Walt's Pharmacy
 Gr. 11-12 Musical Theatre Solo-Mitchell Kinettes
 Gr. 9-12 Song from a Movie Vocal Solo-Municipality of West Perth
 Best Song from a Movie-Municipality of West Perth
 Best Musical Theatre Solo-West Perth Fire Fighters Trophy
 Secondary Popular Vocal Solo Optimist Club of Mitchell Trophy

CONSERVATORY GRADED VOCAL SOLO

Conservatory Grade 3 Vocal Solo-St. Vincent de Paul CWL
 Conservatory Grade 4 Vocal Solo-West Perth Fire Fighters
 Highest Conservatory Vocal Solo-West Perth Fire Fighters

OPEN TO ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY PARTICIPANTS

Sacred Music Vocal/Instrumental Solo Any Grade-Rita Christie
 Vocal Solo with Self-accompaniment-Jason Uniac Insurance
 Vocal Solo own choice-Bio Agri Mix
 Best Open Performance-The Chris Ellens Family
 Highest Mark in Sacred Music Performance-In Memory of Lorna McCallum by her Family
 Instrumental Solo-Tudor Lodge 141 GRC
 Highest Mark in Vocal Solo-Wendy Ewert
 Best Song from a Movie-West Perth Fire Fighters
 Class 2024-Municipality of West Perth
 Highest Mark in Class 2024-Municipality of West Perth
 Whistling-Mitchell Legion Band

ADULT CLASSES: Non-competitive

Open Adult (post-secondary) Cross Generational Solo or Group - Vocal or Instrumental
 Open Adult (post-secondary) Cross Generational Solo or Group - Sacred Music
 Open Adult (post-secondary) Cross Generational Solo or Group - Whistling

Adjudicators' Special Recognition

Delaney Family-Mary Ellen & Joseph Delaney Memorial Award

-In honour of families who, from one generation to the next, celebrate the love of music at home and in the Mitchell Music Festival community'

The Fell Family Award

-Individual with the highest number of points in individual and small group classes

Ed and Pam Rock

-Most outstanding group step dancing presentation

Sawyer Family Outstanding Step Dancing Trophy

-Outstanding step dancing

Mitchell Optimist Music Festival Award

-For Contemporary Music

Mitchell Optimist Music Festival Award

-For Unique Performance

Mitchell Optimist Music Festival Award

-For Memorable Performance

Mitchell Optimist Music Festival Award

-For Noteworthy Performance

Mitchell Lions Club Trophy

-Outstanding performance - elementary school vocalist

Mitchell Royal Canadian Legion Branch 128 Trophy

-Promising vocalist

Ted Schinbein's Family-Memorial Tribute

-Celebrating Effort & Enthusiasm

Walther's IDA Pharmacy Trophy

-Promising vocalist

Rotary Club of Mitchell Award

-Outstanding vocalist

West Perth Fire Fighters Trophy

-Most promising vocalist in the Secondary Section

Mitchell & District Kinettes Award

-Most promising pianist

Municipality of West Perth Award

-Most promising instrumentalist

In Tribute to Ern Harley, Founder of Mitchell Music Festival Shield

-For musicianship (instrumental and/or vocal)

Mitchell Optimist Music Festival Scholarship and Trophy

-Individual showing the most promise in the entire music festival. The recipient must be an active participant of our local Mitchell Optimist Music Festival community.