

**NEWSLETTER ARTICLE
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We had some exemplary performances from students in piano, guitar, violin and vocal who played to a good sized crowd of family, friends and teachers.

There were several crowd pleasers, but a few stood out, ironically many were Beatles hits... Jason Zhong, singing "I want to Hold your Hand" while playing the guitar (Gabe's student), Eesham Bhattacharyya singing "Hey Jude", Emad Kattan singing "Home", by Michael Buble, (Jordan's students), Alexandra En playing Fantasia in E Minor (Mike C's student), and Antinuke Laja playing Skating Waltz with a lovely improvisation in the middle (Kellie's student). We also had our best ever turn out of violin students! Well done everyone.

Our Art Auction was again a great success. Thanks to our very talented young artists we raised \$350 for Sick Kids Hospital. The highest priced painting created by Joy Nyarko, named *Mrs. Frog*, caused quite a battle and raised \$100! Mark did a great job as our auctioneer!

Thank you to Desiree and Mindy for all of their hard work organizing the recital and art auction. Thank you also to Mike C, Gabe, Nirari, and Jordan for all of their help setting up at the beginning and for helping with the amps and sound throughout and to Nancy and Kellie for handing out programs and ushering. Thank



you also to all of the other teachers who attended and gave their support to their students.

Please check out our facebook page PTA Music for pictures and videos to find out who the winners of our raffle for \$20.00 gift certificates are.

The next recital will be April 2011. We look forward to another successful event and hope to raise even more money for Sick Kids Hospital.

Did you hand in your **WIN! Tell Me More! slip????** We'll give you until December 21st to register... but then we'll have to give the **\$25.00 Gift Certificate** away to someone else!

"The woods would be very silent if the only birds that sang were those who sang best..." - Henry David Thoreau