

Application Form

New memberships or renewals can be processed at www.aptaonline.net and payment made with Visa or Mastercard. If you prefer to pay by cash or cheque, please fill out the form below.

Name _____

Mailing address _____

District/Neighborhood _____

E-mail address _____

Home Phone _____

Studio Phone (if different) _____

Fax _____

Other phone (specify) _____

I am a new member

I am renewing my membership

I would like to be listed in the online directory at www.aptaonline.net

I give my permission for photographs in which I appear (taken at APTA events) to be published online or in our newsletter

Signature _____

Please mail this portion of the brochure along with a cheque payable to APTA for \$45 to

Juanita Stauffer
11612 32a Avenue NW
Edmonton, AB
T6J 3G8

Our Credo

We believe:

Teaching is a lifelong learning process. We respect and support teachers at all stages of their professional development.

The rural teacher is just as important as the urban teacher.

It is important for teachers to cooperate with other music educators in the community.

The teacher's role includes promoting the value of music in the lives of students, their families and their communities.

Our Website:
www.aptaonline.net

Contacts

President: president@aptaonline.net

Newsletter editor: editor@aptaonline.net

Newsletter advertising: advertising@aptaonline.net

Memberships: membership@aptaonline.net

Lending Library: librarian@aptaonline.net

Conference: conference@aptaonline.net

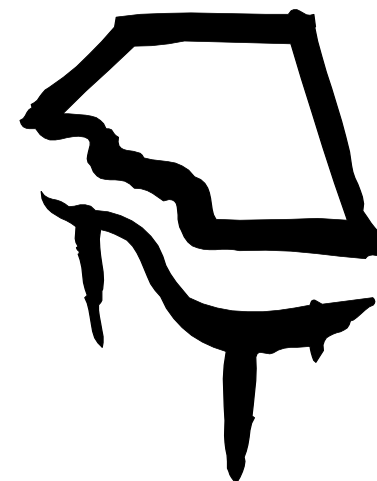
Scholarships & Bursaries: education@aptaonline.net

Continuing Education: education@aptaonline.net

For all other inquiries, contact

Alberta Piano Teachers Association
PO Box 89, Stn Main
St. Albert, Alberta T8N 1N2
780.980.1763

Membership Information



apta
alberta
piano teachers
association

What is APTA?

The Alberta Piano Teachers Association (APTA) is an affiliation of piano teachers either actively teaching or interested in teaching piano.

Our mission is to provide encouragement, inspiration and educational opportunities for all piano teachers in an atmosphere of co-operation and mutual respect.

Membership fees are \$45 per person or \$60 for corporate members.



Workshops

Our continuing education program helps with workshops designed to suit the particular needs and interests of teachers across the province. We also have a mentorship program for new teachers. Call Andrew at 780.708.2051.

Calgary and Edmonton Festivals

Each spring, we hold a non-competitive music festival in Calgary which is separate from other provincial festivals. Click on our website link or call Lynn at 403.730.5013. For information on the Edmonton Student Showcase, call ReINETTE 780.708.5091 .

Newsletter

Members receive an educational and informative newsletter, the APTA News & Views, published quarterly. Members have the opportunity to share their teaching knowledge by contributing to the newsletter or by becoming a workshop clinician.

Video Lending Library

We have an ever-growing library of DVDs which we mail directly to members' homes. A small rental fee covers shipping and handling. Our website lists each title by category along with a link so you can see each item and read reviews. Please phone Moira at 780.998.3005.

Creative Music Writing Competition

This competition is open to students studying with APTA teachers. Each submission is critiqued by a qualified adjudicator and winners are invited to perform at the annual APTA conference. Check our website or call Michelle at 780.650.6560 for complete rules, categories, entrance fees and requirements.

Conference

Each fall we hold a two-day conference in Red Deer with special discounted rates for APTA members. Many teachers consider this conference to be the highlight of their year.

Scholarships

In order to encourage and support our teachers in their professional development, we offer several scholarships for continuing education. Details are available on the website or by calling Joan at 780.458.5771.

APTA (Written Pedagogy) - \$150

APTA (Viva Voce) - \$150

Dorothy Buckley (Theory) - \$250

Don's Piano Warehouse - 2 full conference packages, including accommodation

Long & McQuade (Continuing Education) - \$300

Piano Centre (Performance) - \$300

Rideau Music (New Teacher) - \$200

St. John's Music (Grade 9 or 10 exam) - \$300

Dale Wheeler (History) - \$100

Membership Survey

Please provide the following information so APTA can best serve your needs in newsletters, workshops and conferences:

Levels and subjects you teach:

Your specialties in the music field, i.e. theory subject, church musician, jazz, etc.

Please check areas of teaching you would like addressed in workshops:

- Accompanying/ensemble skills
- Advanced repertoire
- Beginner repertoire
- Intermediate repertoire
- Jazz
- Music theory
- Rhythm
- Sight reading and Ear training
- Technique
- Technology
- Other topic(s):

Would you be interested in helping to organize a workshop in your area?

