



**ABOVE PIANO LESSONS STUDIO
PRESENTS SPRING
Recital 2026
SPRING SINGING AND RINGING**

Tanya Otto

Prelude in D Minor (I. Albeniz)

Sai Suresh

On the Trampoline (L. Niamath)

Two brothers enjoy warm spring day jumping on the trampoline: the old bro first and the younger one joins him. Then they notice two bunnies jumping in the grass copying them! What a funny game for all four of them!

Lara Fernandes

Lullaby (J. Brahms)

Duet with Tanya Otto

My little brother is sleepy, so I play him a lullaby while Mommy sings along. He climbs into bed and recalls his busy spring day, surrounded by warm breezes and fragrant blooms. He begins to fall asleep to the sound of singing birds.

Liber Liao

The Juggler (N. Faber)

Finally its sunny, so me and my brother are playing soccer in the park. I'm kicking the ball and its rolling under the bush and we got it out. Then my brother takes his turn passing the ball close to me. In a distance we spot a little bunny curious about our play. Its getting closer just about to join our team! The ball is rolling to the bunny so poor baby is scared running away.

Dessa Peterson

Minuet in F Major (L. Mozart)

It is the first ball of the summer season, set within a formal French garden. Artists from across the land arrive to the sound of welcoming music. They start dancing and showing off their costumes and jewelry. Diamonds sparkle on the dance floor. The King and Queen arrive at the ball, and fine dining is served. No one eats before the royal couple. Everyone is invited to watch the fireworks at the end of the ball.

Maisha Vellore

Tamborine Party (N. Faber)

What a big Spring party in our neighborhood! All the kids bring their instruments to make music and dance! Then its time to play "hide and seek". They tip toeing around til the game is over and my mom brings a big cake. We finish the party with a firework!

Riaan Limaye

Minuetto (J. Hook)

At the Kings birthday he throws a big ball at his big palace! He is opening the ball dancing with his Queen. Everyone admired her slender and gracefully moving around. You can notice diamonds sparkling in her tiara. The doors to the ballroom are wide open but then they close them as crowd keeps coming as fireworks are planned at the grand finale of the Celebration!

Zane Daniel

Curious Cat (T. Richert)

Mama Cat is teaching her Kitten how to hunt food. Little Kitten is doing his best to follow mamas guide. They move farther and farther into the forest. Then the big thing is coming when the Kitten gets a big fat mouse! After a feast they are heading back home.

Surya Suresh

Oranges and Lemons (English Folk Song, arr. B. Berlin)

Nothing can be better and refreshing in the summer than oranges and lemons! I always pick oranges fresh and my brother likes lemons. My mom treats us baking an orange pie and a lemon pie! Yet, seems having fruits fresh is the best choice: like you pick them from a tree!

Sylvia Murray

Calico Cat (H. Marlais)

A cat sees a bird getting higher and higher, and climbs the tree all the way to the top... It quietly gets closer and closer. It snatches it thoroughly. It climbs down the tree and slowly walks to a field of grass. It feasts on the bird and leaves the field with a full stomach.

Melanie Ayodeji

Old French Song (P. Tchaikovsky)

In the nice and warm summer evening its a pleasure to stay close to a canal in the old french town. I hear 2 voices from a boat gliding down- someone is singing a melancholy tune. They repeat it again from a distance as the boat is moving. The wind is coming and the canal gets choppy, yet the boat and the song keep moving on. Those two enjoy the ride and music until the boat sails back to the shore.

Isabella Zhang

The Merry-Go-Round (B. Berlin)

At the summer carnival, everyone was outside enjoying the sunshine, music, and games. Adults chatted with friends while kids ran around laughing and playing. Suddenly, a little boy dropped his ice cream onto the ground and burst into tears. Seeing this, a kind adult nearby smiled and bought him a brand new ice cream cone. The little boy's face lit up immediately, and soon everyone was happy again, enjoying the fun summer day together.

Andres Sanchez

Cradle Song (C. Gurlitt)

Kinsley Cao

Pierrot Skipping (H. Chretien)

The Pierrot is performing on the stage. He is trying his best by skipping and making fun movements to make audiences happy. He is working so hard but his not getting support and good feedback from the audience for his performance. He becomes very sad and as he turns around from the audience, I notice his tears dropping from his face. He wipes his tears, takes a deep breathe and turns back to face the audience. His performance continues, but this time, so as his sadness.

Ciaran O'Sullivan

Winter Morning (from Album for the Young, P. Tchaikovsky)

I climb out of the truck and put on my gear. I head up the mountain. I realized this will be a difficult journey. I begin to slow down realizing this will be a tough climb. The ice crunches under my boots. As I move forward the wind feels like shards of ice. At the summit the clouds part and the sun shines, for a moment the wind stops. I rest and soak in the views. I put on my skis and head down the slope.

Nathan Sigleton

Farewell (A. Gretchaninov)

Leo Sun

Chastushka (D. Kabalevsky)

In the bustling streets of St. Petersburg, a group of children is playing and giggling on a snowy street. Snowballs are flying back and forth and the snow fight gets intense. Horses pass through the street with their bells jiggling here and there as everyone tries to escape the frost. Only the kids running don't care about the cold laughing and playing until it gets dark.

Stephanie Emidy

Little Music for the Piano #5 (from Songbook, G. Kancheli)

Heng Chen

Italian Song (from Album for the Young, P. Tchaikovsky)

Anmol Prashanth

Barcarolle (C. Chaminade)

Khanh Pham

Night Song (from Lyric Preludes in Romantic Style, W. Gillock)

May Xu

Spice of Life (T. Gerou)

In the harsh, cold, Alaskan coast, there shines a beacon of warmth. A saloon, it's windows bright and doors unlocked. Jazz plays and people dance, glad for this place of happiness, stark in contrast with the cold world outside. For in this saloon, there is no biting cold, only the flavor of the spice of life.

Mugdha Singh

Harmony of the Angels (J. Burgmuller)

In the bright early morning, warm waves rise and fall on the ocean shore of the Bahamas. A storm brings bigger, ever-changing waves, but it passes through quickly. The warm ocean goes back to being calm under the golden sunshine. As the sun sets, it brings pelicans closer and closer, soaring above and beyond the ocean. As nighttime falls, everything falls asleep... even the ocean.

Enrique Corona

Sunset in Rio (M. Springer)

Esther Sun

Periwinkle (C. Gounod)

Naomi Baumann

Spanish (A. Grondahl)

Abhinav Iyer

Alla Reminiscenza (N. Medtner)

FEEDBACK NOTES

**Thank you to all the students for their hard work and making
this music warm and emotional!**

**Congratulations to
Maisha Vellore and Nathan Singleton on their recital debut in the
studio!**

**Happy Spring in every
sound of your piano!**

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