

See you next year!



A graphic for 'Save the Date' for Spring Musicale '25. The background features a top-down view of musical instruments: a violin, drumsticks, a maraca, and a tambourine, along with sheet music. The text 'SAVE THE date' is written in orange, with 'date' in a large, cursive font. A white circle contains the event details.

**SAVE THE
date**

**SPRING
MUSICALE '25**

May 1 & 2
Prairie College
Three Hills, AB

ACSI
WESTERN CANADA



A poster for Spring Musicale 2024. The background is a dense pattern of grey musical notes and symbols. The title 'Spring MUSICALE' is prominently displayed in the center, with 'Spring' in blue cursive and 'MUSICALE' in orange block letters. Below the title, a white box with an orange border contains the dates and location.

**Spring
MUSICALE**

MAY 2-3, 2024
PRAIRIE COLLEGE • THREE HILLS, AB



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- Prairie College students are still living on campus and attending classes — please be considerate of their study times, lights out, etc.
- Washrooms are available all day in the RDAC (gym) on the main and second floor, in the Dining Hall, and until 4 pm in the Maxwell Centre.
- Students should wear their name tag and leave it on for the remainder of the day. Schedules can be found on the back for easy reference.

MEET THE GUEST CONDUCTORS

JAMES CASWELL—Sr. Band Conductor

James is the Fine Arts Coordinator at White Rock Christian Academy. He has been active in music ministry and education for over 30 years. An instrumental specialist, James has taught music in Manitoba and BC for 20 years and his ensembles have won numerous awards.



CHARLENE HEINS—Jr. Band Conductor

Charlene has taught band and choir for 30 years in schools and community groups. This year she has started a new position at Providence Christian School teaching choir and hopes to start an instrumental program in the future. Her groups have successfully competed in many festivals. She loves sharing her joy of praising God through music with her students.



ELSIE EELHART—Choir Conductor

Elsie is a retired schoolteacher having taught in BC and Alberta for over 40 years. During this time, she has participated in and led school, church, and community choirs. Her choirs have received numerous awards and enjoyed going on tour both locally and provincially. Currently, she works as a substitute teacher with Lethbridge School Division.



Special Thanks To...

Prairie Bible College

Facility, Food Service, Audio Visual Support

Guest Conductors

James Caswell, Charlene Heins, Elsie Eelhart

Piano Accompanist

Lisa Wever

Musicale Coordinator

Jen Eklund



Various donations including student folders and prizes

School Directors & Chaperones

- Campbell River Christian School (Campbell River, BC)**—Lynay Parker-Dow
Cedars Christian School (Prince George, BC)—Shoshanna van Dijk
Chinook Winds Adventist Academy (Calgary, AB)—Karenda Swain
Glenmore Christian Academy (Calgary, AB)—Jen Eklund
Immanuel Christian Secondary School (Lethbridge, AB)—Scott Martin
Lethbridge Christian School (Lethbridge, AB)—Graeme McFarlane
Living Waters Christian Academy (Spruce Grove, AB)—Zach Smith
Regent Christian Academy (Surrey, BC)— Jason Strain
Rocky Christian School (Rocky Mountain House, AB)—Jacquelyn Magnus
Taber Christian School (Taber, AB)—Wendy Peters
Taber Christian High School (Taber, AB)—Juliana Richard / Brenda Kuyper
Westside Academy (Prince George, BC)—Lynn Giesbrecht

The Mass Concert is **Friday, May 3** from **6:30 to 8:00 pm**.

- All bands and choirs to perform in the Rick Downs Athletic Centre.
- Arrive in Concert dress

6:00 PM Guests Start Arriving
6:30 PM Concert Start (Emcee: Jen Eklund)

JR. BAND

Conductor: Charlene Heins

- Alleluia—*Arranged by Elliot Del Borgo*
- Afterburn—*Randall D. Standridge*
- Psalm 42— *Hazo*
- Gentle Song and Jubilation—*Richard L. Saucedo*

CHOIR

Conductor: Elsie Eelhart

Accompanist: Lisa Wever

- Hallelujah—*Words & music by Leonard Cohen, Arranged by Roger Emerson*
- Wade in the Water—*Arranged by Mark Hayes*
- Da Pacem, Domine—*John Purifoy*
- All the Little Rivers of Canada—*Larry Nickel*

SR. BAND

Conductor: James Caswell

- El Zorro Rojo (Concert March)—*Randall D. Standridge*
- Hymnsong from “Mannin Veen”—*Haydn Wood, arranged by Robert Longfield*
- Palette—*Randall D. Standridge*

Your school’s help with stacking chairs and returning music stands after the concert is appreciated.

THURSDAY, MAY 2

7:30 – 8:30 AM	Breakfast— <i>Wednesday Arrivals Only</i>
8:30 – 9:30 AM	Choir & Band Setup
9:00 – 9:30 AM	Check-In— <i>Maxwell Centre</i>
9:45 – 10:15 AM	Welcome/Worship— <i>RDAC</i>
10:30 – 11:45 AM	Mass Rehearsal #1 <i>Jr. Band—RDAC</i> <i>Sr. Band—Kirk Chapel</i> <i>Choir—FH #302</i>
11:50 – 12:45 PM	Lunch— <i>Pickup in Dining Hall</i>
12:45 – 4:05 PM	Adjudications / Free Activity Time <i>*See adjudication schedule in program*</i>
4:15 – 5:30 PM	Mass Rehearsal #2 (same locations)
5:45 – 6:45 PM	Dinner— <i>Dining Hall</i> <i>*Dress for Concert*</i>
6:45 – 8:15 PM	Showcase Concert—RDAC
8:30 – 10:30 PM	Free Activity Time <i>*Pool booked from 8:45 – 10:15 PM*</i>
10:45 PM	In Dorm Rooms— <i>Lights out at 11:00 PM</i>

FRIDAY, MAY 3

7:30 – 8:15 AM	Breakfast— <i>Dining Hall</i>
8:30 – 9:00 AM	Worship & Devotions / Long & McQuade Give away— <i>RDAC</i>
9:15 – 10:30 AM	Sectionals <i>*See sectional locations in program*</i>
10:30 – 10:40 AM	Break
10:40 – 11:50 AM	Mass Rehearsal #3 (same locations)
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch— <i>Pickup in Dining Hall</i>
1:00 – 2:15 PM	Mass Rehearsal #4 (same locations)
2:30 – 3:30 PM	Sr. Band Rehearsal—RDAC <i>Free Activity Time for Jr. Band & Choir</i>
3:40 – 4:30 PM	Jr. Band Rehearsal—RDAC <i>Free Activity Time for Sr. Band & Choir</i>
4:30 – 5:45 PM	Dinner— <i>Dining Hall</i> <i>*Sr. Band Dress for Concert*</i>
5:45 – 6:15 PM	Sr. Band Rehearsal—RDAC <i>*Jr. Band & Choir Dress for Concert*</i>
6:30 – 8:00 PM	Mass Concert—RDAC

Chaperone Reminders:

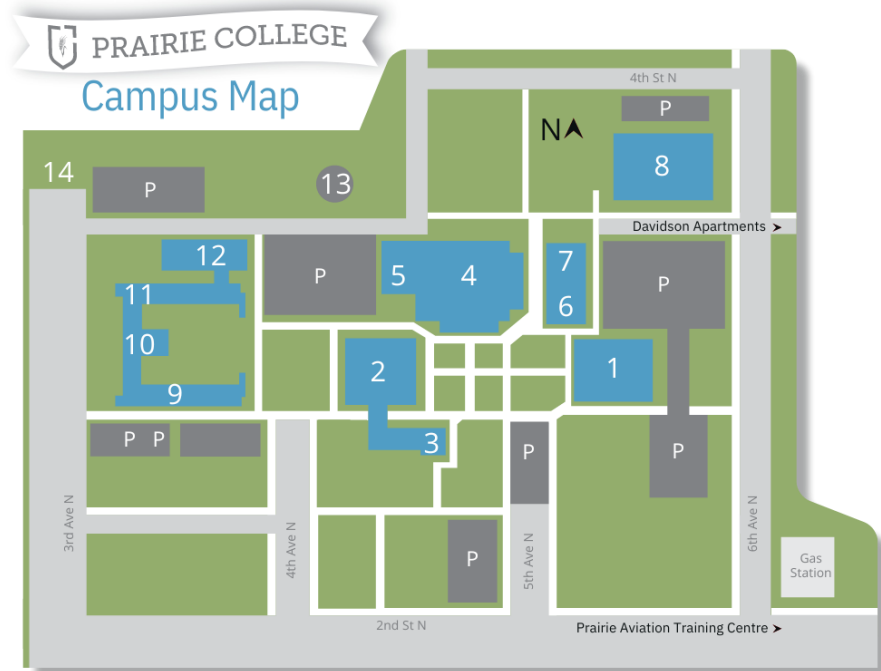
- There will be a mandatory meeting for all chaperones **Thursday, May 2 at 11:00 AM**, in the Loft Student Lounge.
- Chaperones are required to attend every rehearsal with the students (Except during the chaperone meeting). Chaperones are asked to be available to the guest conductor should he/she require assistance.
- All chaperones are required to be present during free time activities as listed on the schedule.
- Students are not allowed in the Loft Student Lounge without a chaperone. The Loft Student Lounge will only be open to students on Thursday & Friday.
- In the case of an emergency at Spring Musicale, please refer to the emergency contacts on the next page.

Free Time Activities:

- The Loft Student Lounge on the second floor of the Dining Hall will be available for use on Thursday & Friday.
- Swimming is on Thursday, May 2nd; allotted blocks are as follows: *(including change times)* **1st:** 8:30pm-9:30pm & **2nd:** 9:15-10:15pm
Chaperones must be in attendance
- Outdoor recreation options *(weather permitting)*: include outdoor basketball nets, soccer, frisbee, or other sporting items your school may have brought along to enjoy.
- There may be a disc golf course available, with a limited number of discs available for borrowing.
- There is a convenience store across the street for purchasing additional snacks and drinks if desired.

Dorm Accommodation Reminders:

- Lights out by 11:00 pm is to be enforced.
- When packing up, please ensure dorms are left the same way as when you arrived. Garbage bags should be tied and left just outside the doorway in the hallway. Please ensure that students have not left any belongings behind.
- Collect and return all student/chaperone keys and fobs to the Prairie College delegate in the Maxwell Centre after the Mass Concert on Friday evening.



1— Maxwell Centre (MC)

Check-in and washrooms

2—Founders Hall (FH)

Classrooms for sectionals (Friday only) & choir rehearsals/adjudications

3— Music & Worship Arts Building (MA)

Classroom for Sr. Band Flute / Oboe Sectionals (Friday Only)

4— Dining Hall (DH)

Food Service / Loft Student Lounge / Jr. Band Low Brass / Bass Guitar Sectionals

5—Media & Technology Oasis

Tenor / Bass Choir Sectional (Friday Only)

6—Parable Place (PP)

Sr. Band Trombone / Euphonium Sectional (Friday only)

7—Kirk Chapel (KC)

Sr. Band Rehearsals / Adjudications / Percussion Sectionals

8—Rick Down Athletic Centre (RDAC)

Jr. Band rehearsals / Percussion Sectionals / adjudications | Showcase Concert | Mass Concert

9—Dearing Hall

(first floor dorm lounge) Sr. Band saxophone Sectionals (Friday only)

Sectionals are **Friday, May 3** from **9:15am to 10:30 am**.

- Locations and assigned Directors listed below.
- Chaperones are required to attend sectionals with the students, and to be ready to assist directors if needed.
- Please reference campus map on next page to find your location.

JR. BAND SECTIONALS

INSTRUMENT	DIRECTOR	LOCATION
Flute	Graeme McFarlane (LCS)	FH #301
Clarinet	Wendy Peters (TCS)	FH #303
Saxophone	Lynn Giesbrecht (WA)	FH #232
Trumpet / Horn	Scott Martin (ICSS)	FH #307
Low Brass / Bass Guitar	Jacquelyn Magnus (RCS)	DH
Percussion	Charlene Heins	RDAC

SR. BAND SECTIONALS

INSTRUMENT	DIRECTOR	LOCATION
Flute / Oboe	Lynay Parker–Down (CRCS)	MA #202
Clarinet	Jason Strain (RCA)	FH #230
Saxophone	Jen Eklund (GCA)	Dearing Hall
Trumpet / Horn	James Caswell	FH #244
Trombone / Euphonium	Shoshanna van Dijk (CCS)	PP
Tuba / Bass Guitar	Brenda Kuyper (TCHS)	LSL
Percussion	Zach Smith (LWCA)	KC

CHOIR SECTIONALS

VOICING	DIRECTOR	LOCATION
Soprano / Alto	Elsie Eelhart	FH #302
Tenor / Bass	Karenda Swain (CWAA)	FH #306 / Oasis

There is a map in your program to help you find your way on campus. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask.

Campus Facilities & Housekeeping

Nancy Toews (204.841.0199)

On call after hour facility emergency (403.443.3033)

Campus Security After Hours

403.443.4596

Musicale Dorm Masters

These chaperones from Cedars Christian School have a master key to all dorm rooms, and can assist you if you get locked out of your dorm room.

- Female: Kristina Scott (Rm #419)
- Male: Darcy Franco (Rm #478)

Musicale Related Questions

ACSI Western Canada Office (403.948.2332)

Phil Hills (403.818.5766)

or text questions (403.830.4596)

Medical Emergencies

Three Hills Health Centre (403.443.2444)

SCAN ME!

Prairie College
Campus Safety
Information &
Online Reporting



LOCATION: Kirk Chapel
ADJUDICATOR: James Caswell

*Warm up 10 minutes prior outside or at indoor location TBA.

TIME	SCHOOL / DIRECTOR
12:45–1:15 PM	Living Waters Christian Academy / Zach Smith
1:25–1:55 PM	Taber Christian High School / Brenda Kuyper
2:05–2:35 PM	Glenmore Christian Academy / Jen Eklund
2:40–3:10 PM	Regent Christian Academy / Jason Strain
3:15–3:35 PM	Campbell River Christian School / Lynay Parker-Down
3:40–4:05 PM	Cedars Christian School / Shoshanna van Dijk

LOCATION: Rick Downs Athletic Centre (RDAC)
ADJUDICATOR: Charlene Heins

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TIME	SCHOOL/DIRECTOR
12:45–1:15 PM	Westside Academy / Lynn Giesbrecht
1:25–1:55 PM	Taber Christian School / Wendy Peters
2:05–2:35 PM	Lethbridge Christian School / Graeme McFarlane
2:40–3:10 PM	Immanuel Christian Secondary School / Scott Martin
3:15–3:35 PM	Rocky Christian School / Jacquelyn Magnus
3:40–4:05 PM	Chinook Winds Adventist Academy / Karenda Swain

LOCATION: Founders Hall Classroom #302
ADJUDICATOR: Elsie Eelhart

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TIME	SCHOOL/DIRECTOR
12:45–1:55 PM	Immanuel Christian Secondary School / Scott Martin
2:05–3:10 PM	Chinook Winds Adventist Academy / Karenda Swain

Watch and support at least one other school group during adjudications!

The remainder of your time is for Free Time Activities.

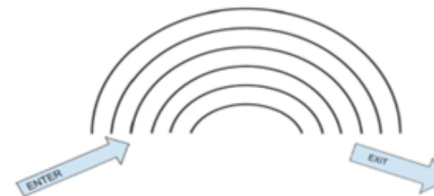
The Showcase Concert is **Thursday, May 2** from **6:45 to 8:15 pm** in the Rick Downs Athletic Centre (RDAC).

- Each band & choir will perform **1 to 2 pieces** of their choosing (for a combined maximum of 5mins)
- *Please ensure that your students change into their concert dress immediately following dinner, and that they arrive on time, performance ready.*

ORDER OF PERFORMANCES

**This order is considered tentative, and is subject to change at the decision of the Directors and Guest Conductors.*

SCHOOL / DIRECTOR
Taber Christian School Grade 8 Band / Wendy Peters
Chinook Winds Adventist Academy Jr. Band / Karenda Swain
Westside Academy Jazz Band / Lynn Giesbrecht
Taber Christian High School Sr. Band / Juliana Richard
Lethbridge Christian School 7 & 8 Band / Graeme McFarlane
Rocky Christian School Jr. High Band / Jacquelyn Magnus
Taber Christian High School 9–11 Band / Brenda Kuyper
Immanuel Christian Secondary School Sr. Choir / Scott Martin
Chinook Winds Adventist Academy Sr. Choir / Karenda Swain
Living Waters Christian Academy Concert Band / Zach Smith
Immanuel Christian Secondary School Sr. Band / Scott Martin
Cedars Christian High School Band / Shoshanna van Dijk
Glenmore Christian Academy Grade 9 Band / Jen Eklund
Regent Christian Academy Sr. Band / Jason Strain
Campbell River Christian School Secondary Band / Lynay Parker-Down



Bands will **enter stage right** for their performance.

Bands will **exit stage left**, beginning with percussion and then front row.