



# Jennifer Jin Cello Studio Recital

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582 Upper Gulph Rd, Strafford, PA 19087

# Program

1. Harper Wang

Go tell Aunt Rhody & Allegro

2. Priscilla Liu

French Folk Song & Song of Wind

3. Justin Liu

Bach: March in G & Paganini Theme from witches'  
Dance

4. Daniel Fan

Bach: Minuet in C & Minuet no. 2

5. Brynne Richardson

Bach: Minuet No. 2 & As long as he needs me from Oliver

6. Amy Pan

Bach: Minuet No. 2 & Latin night

7. Ethan Soong

A. Carse: Minuet & H. Purcell: Come, ye Sons of Art

8. Claire Yu

Bach : Minuet no. 3

9. Margaret Wu

Paganini: Theme from "Witches Dance" &

Scumann: The two Grenadiers

10. Natalie Wong

Marcello: Allegro & C. Collins: My old man

11. Olivia Michalsky

Squire: Danse Rustique

12. Antonia Sun

E. Mollenhauer: Boy Paganini

13. Simon Ye

Goltermann: Rondo

14. Ivan Lin

Squire: Tarantella

15. Shalika Bhattacharyya

Goltermann: Rondo

16. Jeffrey Zhang

Breval: Sonata 1st mvt

17. Sophia Ma

Squire: Tarantella

18. Emily Wang

Breval: Sonata 1st mvt

19. Grace Hu

Saint Saens: Allegro Appassionato

20. Jason Zhang

Goltermann: Rondo

21. Markus Johnson

Eccles: Sonata Largo & Allegro

22. Kevin Li

Saint Saens Cello Concerto 1st mvt

23. Claire Chen

Haydn Cello Concerto 1st mvt

24. Matthew Lo

Elgar Cello Concerto 4th mvt

25. Deana Yuan

L. Delibes: The flower Duet & Coldplay: Viva La Vida

26. Sophia Cui

Haydn Cello Concerto in C major 1st mvt

27. Jason Chen

Popper: Hungarian Rhapsody

28. Daniel Loza

Dvorak Cello Concerto 1st mvt

29. Cello Trifecta: Jason Chen, Matthew Lo, Kevin Li

Popper: Requiem for three cellos

A special thanks to Pianist:  
Gareth Haynes

## Studio News 2023-2024

I am thrilled that all of my student groups won in the **Tri County Music Competition** this year. The Tri County competition selects one group each for first and Second place, followed by Honorable Mention. It is a highly competitive competition for dedicated players.

### **Senior Ensemble**

Second Place :Rising Crescendo Trio: Elena Lin, piano; Lauren Wu, violin; Daniel Loza, cello

Honorable Mention: Cello Trifecta: Jason Chen, cello; Matthew Lo, cello; Kevin Li, cello

Downingtown Duo: Zoe Zhang, violin; Joseph Zeng, cello

### **Junior Ensemble**

First Place: Scarlett Cello Duo: Grace Hu, cello; Johanna Zeng, cello

Honorable Mention: Con Brio Piano Trio: Alan Liu, piano; Kathy Wu, violin; Claire Chen, cello

### **PMEA All State Honor Orchestra**

Congratulations to Daniel Loza and Jason Chen for making it into the PMEA All-State Orchestra. The competition is always tough for cello students in PMEA All State auditions, with only the top four cellos chosen from PMEA Regional 6 this year. Daniel ranked #2 and Jason Ranked #3.

In the past 10 years, my students have been selected for the PMEA All-State Orchestra every year. Before the pandemic, only the top 2 cellos were chosen from PMEA Regional 6. Last year, both Owen Li and Pietro Rumossi were selected for the All-State Orchestra. I am glad that they now offer 4 seats for PMEA Regional 6.

Aila MacCaskill is the Assistant Principal in 2024 **Delaware Music Educators Association (DMEA) All State Honor Orchestra.**

## **PMEA Middle School String Fest**

Congratulations to Sophia Ma for being selected as the Principal Cello in PMEA District 12 Middle School Orchestra. Claire Chen is being selected as the Principal Cello at 2024 PMEA String Fest.

### **2024 PhMTA Dr. Kiszely's Audition.**

The Rising Crescendo Piano Trio and Cello Trifecta made their debut at Carnegie Hall last Saturday as the winner of 2024 PhMTA Dr. Kiszely's Audition.

**2024 Bosendorfer Music Competition-** a highly competitive and selective music competition.

Sophia Cui won the silver medal in the middle school solo division.

Rising Crescendo Piano Trio won the bronze medal in the Chamber Music Division.

Antonia Sun won the bronze medal in Elementary school solo division.

### **2023 Opus Competition**

Sophia Zhou got the 1st Prize in 2023 Opus Competition All State Level and advanced to 2024 OPUS National Music Competition.

Daniel Loza got the 2nd Prize in 2023 Opus Competition All State Level and advanced to 2024 OPUS National Music Competition.

### **Carnegie Hall Performance**

Congratulations to the student who performed at Carnegie Hall as the winner of Crescendo International Music Competition

- Penn Elite Strings: Emily Wang, Claire Chen, Joe Lin, Andrew Stein, Jugad Singh, Danyan Yang, Damon Swaner
- Downington Duo: Joseph Zeng and Zoe Zhang
- DCYO String Quartet: Aila McCaskill, Elizabeth Yeh, Vincent Zhu, Johnny Knap



## **Crescendo International Music Competition**

First Place Winners:

Penn Elite Strings: Emily Wang, Claire Chen, Joe Lin, Andrew Stein,  
Jugad Singh ,Danyan Yang ,Damon Swaner

Violin & Cello Duo: Joseph Zeng and Zoe Zhang

Cello Duo:Markus Johnson and Edward

String Quartet: Aila McCaskill, Elizabeth Yeh, Vincent Zhu,Johnny knap

Second Place Winners:Johanna Zeng, Candice Xu

Congratulations to the students who go into **PMEA District 12 Honor Orchestra!**

Joseph Zeng:1st Place

Jason Chen: 5th Place

Daniel Loza: 7th Place

PMEA District 12 serves Delaware, Chester and Philadelphia County. About 40 cello students participated in the PMEA District 12 audition this year. The top 12 cello students are invited to the PMEA District 12 honor orchestra.

## **ABRSM Performance Exam**

Bravo to Daniel Loza who got Merit in Associate of Royal Schools of Music Diploma. (missed distinction by 1 point)

That is quite an achievement to take the ARSM exam. In the assessment the student performs a 30-minute program of music. The level of the pieces are challenging and at the professional level.

Grace Hu got Distinction in Grade 5.

Simon Ye got Distinction in Grade 5.

Joel Kwon got Merit in Grade 5.

Edward Cheung got Pass in Grade 5.

Olivia Michalsky got Distinction in Grade 4.

Candice Xu got Merit in Grade 4

Johanna Zeng got Merit in Grade 4.

Antonia Sun got Distinction in Grade 3.

Shalika Bhattacharyya got Merit in Grade 3

Natalie Wang got Merit in Grade 3.

## **2024 PHMTA Spring Fest**

Congratulations to the students who attend Spring Fest.

Olivia Michalsky, Brynne Richardson, Simon Ye, Grace Hu, Ivan Lin, Sophia Zhao, Antonia Sun, Margaret Wu, Sophia Cui, Candice Xu

## **Triumph Music Competition**

Congratulations to the students who performed in Triumph Music Competition's winner concert in Kimmel Center Campus -Academy of Music on Sept. 30.

Candice Xu, Kevin Li, Matthew Lo, Sophia Cui, Ivan Lin, Grace Hu, Antonia Sun, Emily Wang

Congratulations to the students who got superior and performed at the PhMTA Honor Recital!

Candice Xu, Amy Pan, Ivan Lin, Sophia Cui, Antonia Su, Markus Johnson, Claire Yu, Simon Ye, Sophia Ma, Jason Chen, Claire Chen, Katelyn Xu, Grace Hu, Justin Liu, Joel Kwon

**Congratulations to the students who performed in PhMTA Performance Festival!**

Candice Xu, Amy Pan, Ivan Lin, Shalika Bhattacharyya, Sophia Cui, Antonia Su, Daqian Jan, Markus Johnson, Claire Yu, Simon Ye, Sophia Ma, Jason Chen, Claire Chen, Katelyn Xu, Grace Hu, Justin Liu, Joel Kwon

**Community Outreach Concert**

**Devon Brightview Senior Living** on Jan. 2024

Brynne Richardson, Margaret Wu, Claire Yu, Sophia Zhao Amber, Simon Ye, Antonia Sun, Jason Zhang, Claire Chen, Matthew Lo Daniel Loza, Jason Chen, Kevin Li and Sophia Cui

**Wayne Senior Center** August 2023

Sophia Cui, Antonia Sun, Johanna Zeng, Sophia Ma, Kevin Li, Daniel Loza, Joseph Zeng, Jason Chen, Emily Wang, Grace Hu, Claire Chen performed in Wayne Senior Center last Thursday. The seniors loved the performance and are looking forward to the students' concert next year! Thank you so much for your service in the community.