**Music Notes**

***From the studio of Stephanie Parker Spring 2018***

Spring is near and that means looking at important dates for the rest of the school year. Here are some key dates for your planning purposes:

April 2-6: No lessons (spring break)

May 11th: final day of lessons for spring semester

May 12th – Spring Recital 11:00 AM and 1:00 PM (choose one)

If you are interested in summer lessons, please let me know. Lessons will be on Wednesday morning/early afternoon during June and July. The format will be 30 minutes of individual instruction at $35.00 per lesson. This is a great way to continue progressing through the summer and students will have the option to pursue some different types of music for a fun challenge.

Looking way, way, way ahead….there are ***no lessons in August*** while students transition back to a new year of school. Tuition rates will remain the same as this past year.

Did you know?

Part of our approach in lessons is to tackle the toughest parts of a song first!

This teaches students how to problem-solve on their own when they are at home. Sometimes you will see highlighted sections of music or numbers or words written on the music. These are tools that help pianists look ahead and know what to do! The students are becoming quite skilled at marking up their music with the information that they need.

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