# Music Elements



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Newsletter

The Beat is What Counts~

# We're Proud!

We are so proud of our Band, The Elements, that we decided to organize and put together 2 more!

Music Elements' Drum Instructor and accomplished musician, Dylan Jack, will be teaching this new and exciting class: "Drum Stomp!" Students will be playing rhythms and beats using everyday objects, percussion instruments and their own body to create the sounds!

Appropriate for all ages.

Our new Pop/Rock Ensemble began and we are looking forward to hearing their music at upcoming shows. Mike Loce is the instructor and the group meets on Friday evenings from 7:00pm - 8:00pm. We are looking for a bass player if anyone wants to join!

We are proud of our adult ensemble that meets every other Tuesday with John Anthony.

Our ensembles need band names. If anyone has any creative ideas, feel free to share with us! The winner will receive a Dunkin Donuts Gift Certificate!



#### Got some news that you would like to share'

Let us know if there is something you have to share in our newsletter and we will post your accomplishments so that everyone can share in the news!

#### Be sure to follow us on social media!



Twitter: @MusicElementsMA



Instagram: @MusicElementsMA



Music Elements Teachers Public Performances
Dylan released his own CD. It is all original music written by Dylan and he is real excited to share it with everyone. You can listen to one of the tracks, Geometry, here: <a href="https://dylanjackquartet.bandcamp.com">https://dylanjackquartet.bandcamp.com</a>
Students and parents who are interested in seeing Dylan Jack perform can visit <a href="http://www.dylanjackmusic.com/">http://www.dylanjackmusic.com/</a>
Laura has released a new single. It's called "No Good" Please give a listen to her and feel free to share! <a href="https://soundcloud.com/ellorela/no-good-prod-david-altenor">https://soundcloud.com/ellorela/no-good-prod-david-altenor</a>
Students and parents who are interested in seeing Mike locke perform can view upcoming events at: <a href="https://mikeloce.com/upcoming-performances/">https://mikeloce.com/upcoming-performances/</a>
Dan Webster, our piano instructor, performs with Mike Payette at the 110 Grille every third Thursday of the month.



## Student Birthdays In January

Ava Dis a vocal student with Laura

Caroline K. is a vocal/piano student with Laura

Peregrine V. is a vocal student with Laura

Julia F. is a guitar student with John

Ellie M. is a vocal student with Laura

Megan L. is a piano student with Ben



### Famous Musicians who also share Birthdays in January

- 3: Thomas Bangalter (Daft Punk) (1975)
- 3: John Paul Jones (Led Zeppelin) (1946)
- 4: Michael Stipe (R.E.M.) (1960)
- 5: Marilyn Manson (1969)
- 7: Kenny Loggins (1948)
- 8: <u>Sean Paul</u> (1975)
- 8: Robby Krieger (The Doors) (1946)
- 10: Rod Stewart (1945)
- 11: Tom Dumont (No Doubt) (1968)
- 18: Jonathan Davis (Korn) (1971)
- 20: Rob Bourdon (Linkin Park) (1979)
- 22: Steve Adler (Guns N' Roses) (1965)
- 24: Neil Diamond (1941)
- 26: Eddie Van Halen (Van Halen) (1955)
- 27: Mike Patton (Faith No More) (1968)
- 28: Sarah McLachlan (1968)
- 30: Phil Collins (1951)
- 31: Jason Cooper (The Cure) (1967)

Music Elements has T-shirts for sale! They can be purchased at the music school for \$15.00 each.



If you don't find your name in this month's newsletter, we will try to catch you next month. Be sure to share with your instructor about your activities.

# Happy New Year

anita, dylan, john, laura, peter, dan, mike, amanda, karen, martha, steve & ben

