

**Hemet Valley Music Teachers**  
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## **Sound Waves**

Summer, 2008

Hemet Valley Music Teachers concluded its 2007-2008 season on Saturday, May 31 with student recitals, senior honors, and reception. Those seniors honored were Melissa Barnhill(voice), Claire Cozad(piano), Jennifer Knelange(voice), Rachel Larsen(voice and piano), Khoa Truong(piano), and Dustin White(piano). Receiving the HVMT scholarship for 5 or more years of study were Cozad, Larsen, Truong and White. Barnhill and Larsen were also honored with local scholarships from the Diamondaires and Happy Harmoniers. Congratulations to these students and their teachers Jane Atherstone and Virginia Pritchard. Julie Adams was also honored with a plaque for her 12 years of dedicated service to HVMT. She will be greatly missed as she moves to Fargo, N. Dakota.

We wish to welcome a new member, Elona Mollon, who teaches piano and voice.  
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New officers were elected for the 2008-2009 year.

Remaining as President: Jane Atherstone  
Remaining as V.Pres.: Virginia Pritchard  
Recording Secretary: Elona Mollon  
Treasurer: Michi Swanson

Appointed Offices:

Publicity and Scrapbook: June McLaughlin  
Piano Caretakers: Jane Atherstone/Michi Swanson  
Newsletter: Virginia Pritchard (Carole Hull resigned due to illness)  
Piano and Ensemble Auditions: Virginia Pritchard  
Student Recital Programs: Elona Mollon

2008-2009 Calendar of Events

November 15 - - Piano and Ensemble Auditions, held at Swanson studio  
Deadline for entries, Oct. 25 to chair, Pritchard  
December 13 - - Student Recitals (chair, Atherstone)  
Deadline for entries, Nov. 22, send to Elona Mollon  
January (TBA) - Southern Piano and Ensemble Festival  
February - - - CAPMT Conference in San Mateo  
March 21 - - Student Recitals (chair, Pritchard)  
Deadline for entries, Feb 28, send to Mollon  
May 16 - - Student Recitals, Senior Honors and Reception (Pritchard/Swanson,chairs)  
Deadline for entries April25, to Mollon

June McLaughlin, our fearless scrapbook keeper, reminds us to save and send her any newspaper articles about HVMT events. The articles appear due to her tireless efforts at publicity in our local papers. Thank you, June.

Virginia now houses the HVMT audio and video library. The videos include Performance Practices in Baroque through Late 20<sup>th</sup> Century Music by Maurice Hinson. The audio tapes are the Greenberg Lectures on How to Understand and Listen to Great Music, from the Ancient World through Modernism. This could be a rewarding activity during the summer months. If you want to borrow anything, contact Virginia.

Special thanks to Michi Swanson for assuming the duties of Treasurer with the departure of Julie Adams.

Special thanks to Elona Mollon for jumping in, as a new member, to be our Recording Secretary as well as Student Recital Program scheduler and editor.

The next SoundWaves will be sent in September. Please send articles to Virginia before the end of August.

Everyone have a happy and relaxing summer.