

Family Fiddle Fest

For all violin students, all ages, all abilities....and their families!

Join our guest fiddler Scott Hafferkamp, and guest teacher Rebekah Cassinari, for a fun filled day of fiddling classes, technique class, practice strategies to take home, rhythm and movement, family choir, parent discussion on motivation, and more!

Saturday Feb 18th 9:30-2:00 At:

Seacoast Academy of Music 

Centennial Hall, PO Box 726, 105 Post Rd

North Hampton, NH 03862

For further info: seacoastacademyofmusic.org

Return bottom half with payment of \$50.00 per student (families come free), to SAM, teacher, or mail to SAM PO Box 726 North Hampton, NH 03862

Please indicate below the best way for group b or c student to receive music. (i.e. mailing or email)

Parent name: _____

address: _____

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Home ph_____cell

ph_____email:_____

Student name:_____age:_____

Family members attending:

Check one:

group A – student plays on open strings, twinkle variations or other beginner pieces

group B – student plays beginning half or equivalent of, Suzuki vol 1, and reads notes group C – student plays latter half or equivalent of Suzuki vol 1 or above and can sight read

Guest Teacher Bios

Scott Hafferkamp has been playing violin since beginning with the Twinkle Variations at age 9. He studied with Alison Bailey of Nashua, and graduated from all ten books of the Suzuki Violin Method. Scott continued to pursue music while attending Wheaton College in Norton, MA where he served as section leader in the school's chamber orchestra and played in multiple ensembles. During his college years, he was a featured soloist with the Lakes Region Symphony Orchestra and performed Bach's Concerto for Two Violins in D minor. While studying abroad in Edinburgh, Scotland, Scott discovered a passion for traditional Celtic music, and began fiddling with local musicians. He continued to develop his fiddling upon returning to Wheaton by studying with award-winning Irish fiddler Sheila Falls-Keohane. Most recently, Scott taught fiddle at Sandy Island Suzuki Camp and enjoys playing at the Scottish pub near his home in

Vermont.

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Rebekah Cassinari began violin studies at age 11 with Jean Brandt. She continued her studies with Sandy Collins and Moshe Neumann through high school. While in high school Rebekah served as concertmaster and assistant principal second in the Great Miami Youth Orchestra and the Cincinnati Symphony Youth Orchestra, respectively. She won the Keuzer scholarship of Hamilton Ohio two times, winning a total of \$1100.00 to further her studies. She took her Suzuki teacher training with Moshe Newman, of CCM in Cincinnati, OH. Rebekah most recently took her violin on a one year missions trip to 11 countries, where she played with the people of such places as Turkey, Israel, Uganda, and Cambodia.

Sam Violin Teacher, Laura Cassinari, Event Co-ordinator

Laura Cassinari has studied the Suzuki method of violin for ten years with Jean Brandt and Moshe Newman. She took her Suzuki teacher training for two years with Moshe Neumann, of CCM in Cincinnati, OH, who studied with Dr. Suzuki and John Kendall. Laura helped start and run a successful string program in Ohio for seven years, including several well attended summer string workshops. This program now boasts 350 students. She has four grown children who are accomplished string players and are teachers of violin, viola, and cello. Laura has been growing a Suzuki program at the Seacoast Academy of Music in North Hampton.