

KFPA FESTIVAL 2025 SCHOLARSHIPS/ENCOURAGEMENT/SPECIAL AWARDS

CHORAL

Marian Owens Choral Excellence Award

- Youth Choir

Lucille Nelson Memorial Award for Adult Choir

- Top Mark

Kamloops Thompson Honour

Choir 12 Years and Under

Desert Sounds A Cappella+

DANCE

Ballet

Scholarship - Junior Ballet

Scholarship - Senior Ballet

Anna Grandia Memorial Award -

Junior Encouragement Award Ballet

Senior Encouragement Award Ballet

Mia Carranza

Sara Grecoff

Peyton Brunton

Brooke Young

Modern

Scholarship - Junior Modern

Scholarship - Intermediate Modern

Scholarship - Senior Modern

Junior Encouragement Award Modern

Intermediate Encouragement Award Modern

Senior Encouragement Award Modern

Own Choreography Ballet/Modern

Encouragement Award

Alexandra Cavaliere

Gabby Kinvig

Payton Mitchell

Adrianna Randell

Mylah Bates

Hannah Hunter

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Stage

Junior

Intermediate

Emme Smith

Izzy-Rae Smith (Tie)

Xyla Wilkinson (Tie)

Senior

Neive McKelvie

Junior Encouragement

Kaitlyn Walker

Intermediate Encouragement

Anna Begin

Senior Encouragement

Cadence Campbell

INSTRUMENTAL

Grade 3/4

Alexander Zinkovski (Tie)

Vitaly Zinkovski (Tie)

Grade 5/6

Saya Thomson

Grade 7/8

Lilah Thompson

Encouragement Award

Taylor Tymchyna

JUNIOR PIANO

Grade 1/2

Joshua Kronhardt

Grade 3/4

Kelly Li

Grade 5/6

Vitaliy Zinkovski

Marilyn Wiwcharuk Encouragement Award

Jingyi Cheng

SENIOR PIANO

Grade 7/8	Kenneth Jin
Grade 9/10	Lucas Jin
Marilyn Wiwcharuk Memorial Adjudicators Choice Award	Robert McBain

SPEECH ARTS

Under 10 Years - Iain Neighbour Memorial Award, KFPA	Emily Dormer
11 to 13 Years - Shashi Mohan Sharma Memorial Award	Lucia Magliocchi
14 to 16 Years - Rasheda Petersen Memorial Award, KFPA	Lola Cameron
17 to 18 Years - Shashi Mohan Sharma Memorial Award	Alya Van Laer
Junior - 13 Years and Under Encouragement	Meer Daneyaal Abidi
Senior - 14 Years and Over - Encouragement Award	Gray Edwards
Bregoliss Family Original Poem Award	Alya Van Laer
WCT Stage One	Avalene Newbery

STRINGS

Grades 3/4	Euan Kwok
Grade 5/6	Jiayin Guo
Grade 7/8	Yan He
Grade 9/10	Christina Mah
Junior Encouragement	Charles Weathermon
Senior Encouragement	Hugh Weathermon
Recommended to advance to next level for Kamloops Symphony Mentorship Award Program	Autumn Sunderland

VOCAL - CLASSICAL

Primary/Elementary	Arabella Ward
Junior	Abigayle Kotyk
Intermediate A, B, C	Gray Edwards
Intermediate D/Senior/Open	Anika Howell
Junior Encouragement Award	Daniella de Guia
Senior Encouragement Award	Evje Knutson

VOCAL - MUSICAL THEATRE

Most Promising Primary, Elementary, Junior	Abigayle Kotyk
Most Promising Intermediate A, B, C	Gray Edwards
Most Promising Intermediate D/Senior	Rebekah Bamford
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