SAVE THE DATE!
"A Day with Mr. A"

FEATURING
Dennis Alexander

Date:
Saturday, October 26, 2013

Location:
Benedicta Arts Center
at College of Saint Benedict / Saint John's University

For More Information:
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CSB/SJU Music Department presents
a Workshop with Dennis Alexander
“A Day with Mr. A.”

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Benedicta Arts Center, College of St. Benedict
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Dear Piano Colleague,

The College of St. Benedict/St. John’s University Music Department is delighted to host a workshop with composer, teacher and pianist, Dennis Alexander, “A Day with Mr. A.” The workshop will take place on Saturday, October 26, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Benedicta Arts Center at the College of St. Benedict. Registration for the workshop is $25.00. An optional lunch will be served at the Gorecki Center for an additional $11.50, including tax.

Mr. Alexander will present two sessions:

“Teaching the Romantics to Young Pianists” and
“Purposeful, Practical, and Plentiful - the Music of Dennis Alexander”
(An overview of Dennis Alexander’s extensive library of teaching materials at various levels, festival, contest, and recital repertoire, and personal “favorites!”)

Dennis Alexander’s music will be available for purchase at the workshop. The day will conclude with a signing session and photos with Mr. A.

Since his affiliation with Alfred Publishing Company in 1986 as a composer and clinician, Dennis Alexander has earned an international reputation as one of North America’s most prolific and popular composers of educational piano music for students at all levels. Professor Alexander retired from his position at the University of Montana in May 1996 where he taught piano and piano pedagogy for 24 years. Upon moving to California, he has taught privately in addition to serving on the faculties of Cal State Fullerton and Cal State Northridge. He currently lives in Albuquerque, NM where he maintains an active composing and touring schedule for Alfred Publishing Company.

To register for the workshop and lunch option, please go to the link below or print off the form and mail in:

[Online Registration Form]
[Printable Form]

It promises to be an exciting and worthwhile day for all of us teaching piano. Please encourage your students to attend if they would like (students may attend for free). Mr. Alexander is a wonderful composer, musician and colleague - we are proud to have him on campus and sponsor this workshop.

If you have questions or would like further information please don’t hesitate to contact:

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From the Twin Cities:
Take I-94 West to St. Joseph, approximately 57 miles, exit #160, County Road 2.
Turn right onto County Road 2 at the bottom of the exit.
Take the next right onto Minnesota Street, which brings you into St. Joseph.
Turn right on College Avenue (2nd stop sign).
Proceed to the sign marking the south entrance to the College of St. Benedict. Turn right and follow the road to the right until you reach Parking Lot 8.

From Northern Minnesota (Hwys 371 and 10)
From Hwy 10, take the Hwy 15 exit into St. Cloud.
Turn right on Division Street.
Take Division Street (County Road 75) west to St. Joseph.
Turn left onto College Avenue/County Road 2 (Holiday Station is on right).
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