

UPBEAT! Downtown (UPBEAT!) is Peterborough’s new fully subsidized after-school music program. It is a fun ensemble-based program of the Kawartha Youth Orchestra (KYO), through which children learn and perform music within a supportive community of music educators, mentors, and volunteers. The KYO is a charitable organization that strives to make its programs available to all families.

UPBEAT! classes are held from 3:45-5:30 p.m., Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday each week, from September to June, in All Saints’ Parish Hall (235 Rubidge St.). There is no cost to take part in the program, but your child **must** participate on all three days. Spaces are limited.

UPBEAT! is focused on investing in the success of children with an interest in music and who also face barriers to participation in enrichment activities due to family challenges and/or financial limitations. This program is not intended for children with prior musical training or the strongest academic track record. UPBEAT! aims to create opportunity.

Admission to the program will be based on a recommendation from your child’s school or a community organization and the number of available places in each class. In the case that your child cannot be admitted to the class immediately, they will be placed on a waiting list.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY & COMPLETE BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM

If you need help completing this form, contact Ann Millen, Social Impact Coordinator (contact information at bottom of page).

Fiddlesticks (ages 8-9 as of Dec. 31, 2021) – music fundamentals, choir, beginner strings (violin)

Your Information Will Be Kept Private

The information collected on this form is strictly confidential and will be used only by KYO for the purposes of assigning classroom spaces in the various programs and for general statistical purposes. The only person this information will be shared with is the Principal of your child's school (or their delegate).

Child Information – PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

First Name	Last Name	Gender	Birthdate
Name of School	Child’s Home Address	Postal Code	
Tell us about your child:			



Parent/Guardian Information – PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Parent/Guardian #1		
First Name	Last Name	Email Address
Relationship to Child	Home Address	Postal Code
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Work Phone
Parent/Guardian #2		
First Name	Last Name	Email Address
Relationship to Child	Home Address	Postal Code
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Work Phone

I confirm that the information above is accurate and give my permission to contact my child’s school.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

UPBEAT! and COVID-19

- All children and families will be required to follow the protocols set by the Federal, Provincial, and Municipal Governments in conjunction with their local health departments with regard to COVID-19 and social distancing
- Additionally, children and families will have to agree to comply with safety protocols as outlined by the KYO, put in place to specifically deal with COVID-19 as they apply to the safety of children in the UPBEAT! program.

Please scan and email this form to UPBEAT@kawarthayouthorchestra.org, or drop it off at All Saints’ Anglican Church or the New Canadians Center **as soon as possible** to reserve your spot.

Successful applicants will be contacted about times for September registration.

