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## August 10, 2022 - Newsletter

Dear Patrons,

I hope you will take a moment to quickly read through this newsletter detailing changes to how VCGS handles membership, our affiliate link with Tapestry Music and announcing our first 2 Pyatt hall concerts of the season.

Before all that, I would like to put a special spotlight on one of our “local listings” for an upcoming concert this Sunday, August 14, 6:00 pm featuring local violinist/violist Larisa Lebeda & (until recently) local guitarist Anna Pietrzak. The event will be at St. Patrick’s Roman Catholic Parish (Shamrock Hall). Admission is by donation.

[More info](#) ➡

Thank you for your continued support  
Alec & the VCGS Team

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## VCGS Members Areas

We are updating the way we handle membership. Click the button below for

access to special "members-only" events.

New Membership Info

## Tapestry Music Affiliation

Click on the link below or in the top right corner of our website before making a purchase at tapestry music. When you do, VCGS will receive a portion of your sale. Please note, shopping must be done **after** clicking this link. We hope you will support the local music store that helps support us!

<http://www.tapestrymusic.com/default.aspx?affiliateID=10052>

The screenshot shows the website for the Vancouver Classical Guitar Society (VCGS). At the top, there are navigation links for 'EVENTS', 'CLUBS', and 'PODCAST', along with social media icons for Facebook, Mail, YouTube, and Instagram. A 'Sign in' button is in the top right corner. Below the navigation, there is a search bar and a main content area. A large red text overlay reads 'Click this image BEFORE Doing your online shopping' with a red arrow pointing to a 'TAPESTRY MUSIC' affiliate link. The link text says 'Click here to shop or rent and help us as an AFFILIATE PARTNER!'. Below the link, there is a small text box that says 'When you shop at Tapestry after clicking the image above, a portion of your purchase will help support the VCGS. Shopping in person? mention the VCGS at checkout :)'. The main content area also features event listings, including 'MRU GuitarFest West 2022' and 'Anna Pietrzak and Larisa Lebeda at St. Patrick's Church'.

## ChromaDuo (Oct.22) & Duo Rendezvous

The first two concerts of our 2022/23 season are now on sale. Early bird purchases made before September 22 will receive a 10% discount. We will be releasing a more detailed newsletter highlighting the artists closer to the dates, but you can read all about them on our events page.

[Oct. 22, 2022 - VCGS Presents: ChromaDuo featuring Tracy Anne Smith & Rob MacDonald](#)

[Nov. 25, 2022 - VCGS Presents: Duo Rendezvous featuring Jasper Wood & Daniel Bolshoy](#)

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## Local Listings and News

[Aug. 13 at 7:00pm - Jacob Cordover at Phillip T. Young Recital Hall \(Victoria, presented by the Victoria Guitar Society\).](#)

[Aug. 14 at 6:00pm, - Anna Pietrzak & Larisa Lebeda at St.Patrick's Church. Admission by donation.](#)

### LOCAL NEWS

[Congratulations to Aaron Han for placing first in the "Canada West Perform Arts Festival".](#)



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