

RCM MUSIC FOUNDATION

ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

1994 - 2008

- * **1994 FOUNDING YEAR** of RCM Scholarship Foundation;
Since then 4 - 8 music scholarships awarded annually
- * **“SPOT & ADOPT”** Talent Search Concert, 1994
- * **“MEET THE ARTIST”** interview with Monty Alexander, 1994
- * **ALL ISLAND FREE CONCERT TOUR** with Cuban guitarist
Alfredo Panebianco and Rosina Christina Moder, 1994
- * **“IT’S SHOW TIME”** Concert, Duke Ellington Show Choir, 1994
- * **“MAKE THYSELF CLEAN MY HEART “**, Concert, 1995
- * **“CHILDREN-SKANIVAL”** Costume & Dance Party, 1995
- * **SCHOLARSHIP RAFFLE** and Grand Finale Show, 1995
- * **“INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT”** for TV, 1995
- * **“MUSIC FOR A WHILE”**, Free Concert Tour, held at Anglican
Churches island wide, 1996
- * **“tu tu tu tu” Caribbean Beginner’s Work Book for
Soprano (Descant) or Tenor Recorder - book launch**
of second edition, 1996
- * **“SANTA CLAUS IS SUPERMAN”**, RCM scholarship
students perform in Children’s Homes & Hospitals, 1996
- * **FRANZ SCHUBERT** - Bicentennial Anniversary Concert,
1997
- * **“JOY & PEACE THROUGH THE ARTS”** workshops at the
Junior Centre, Institute of Jamaica, 1996-1998
- * Establishment of **“UN Sung HEROES FUND”**, assisting
Senior composer & writer CLYDE HOYTE, 1998 – 2003
- * **“COMING HOME”** Concert, featuring Jamaican – American
pianist Roy Eaton, 1999
- * RCM sponsored student, vocalist **ROUAL COUSLEY** wins
First prize at “STAR SEARCH AT TRAXX” competition,
2000
- * **“HALLELUJAH”** Jamaican - German Free Choir Concert
Series, featuring late baroque oratorio **“JONAH”**, by Jamaica’s
first documented composer SAMUEL FELSTED, 2000
- * **“FI MI LOVE HAVE LION HEART”** Concert, honouring
outstanding senior musicians Carmen Verity, Clyde Hoyte and
John Sears, 2002
- * **SAMUEL FELSTED** - Bicentennial Anniversary Concert, 2002

- * **“KINGSTON CELEBRATES!”** Music of Samuel Felsted, 1743 - 1802, Jamaica and Esteban Salas, 1725 – 1803, Cuba, June 2003
- * **“THE RECORDER IN THE CARIBBEAN”** lecture concert, at Association Caribbean Music Educators meeting, Antigua, 2005
- * **“MUSICAL DELIGHTS”** in Golden Age Homes, performed by RCM scholarship students, 2006
- * **“CELEBRATION OF MUSICAL ANNIVERSARIES and their CARIBBEAN CONTEMPORARIES, Samuel Felsted, Esteban Salas and Le Chevalier de Saint Georges”**, Chamber Music Concert in collab. with German Embassy, 2006
- * **“MOZART AND THE CARIBBEAN CONTEMPORARIES” Concert and Lecture Series**, University of Southern Maine, 2007
- * **“The RECORDER ENSEMBLE IN THE CLASS ROOM”** Seminar for Ministry of Education, St Lucia, 2007
- * RCM sponsored Classical Guitar student **SHAWN RICHARDS**, Awarded **5 year scholarship from ‘Fundacion Conservatorio Vicente Emilio Sojo’**, Barquisimeto, Venezuela
- * **“MUSICIANS FOR MUSICIANS” FUNDRAISING DRIVE** for Music Scholarships, 2007
- * **“HEART to HEART”** Free Valentine’s Concert at Devon House 2008, featuring students of the Edna Manley College, School of Music and a new generation of bands
- * Production assistance with **“REGGAE to RHAPSODY”**, Fundraising Gala for the “Jamaica Early Childhood Development Foundation”, May 2008, chaired by the Hon. Lorna Golding
- * Coordination of participation of Jamaican choir **‘NEXUS’** at the **5th WORLD CHOIR GAMES**, Graz, Austria, July 2008
- * **“MARLEY MEETS MOZART” – MUSICAL MARATHON** at **‘Jamaica Day Graz 2008’** on July 12, 2008
- * Founding and Coordination of the new **JAMAICA FESTIVAL CHOIR & ORCHESTRA**, Inauguration concert – **GRAND INDEPENDENCE GALA**, August 6, 2008
- * Coordination - appearance of Choir **‘NEXUS’** at Welcome Reception for outstanding Olympian **USAIN BOLT**, Sept. 2008
- * Coordination of performances of **JAMAICA FESTIVAL CHOIR & ORCHESTRA** and **NEXUS** at the **GOLDEN GALA CONCERTS**, in honour of Olympians, at the National Stadium in Kingston and Cricket Stadium in Trelawny, October 2008