

Twilight

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Below is a brief bio about each member of **Twilight**:

Mary Kennedy is the lead vocalist and piano player for **Twilight**. She has a Chemical Engineering Degree from McMaster University with a minor in music. She has been involved singing, playing piano and flute since she was very young. Mary has been a member of the 22 Wing Volunteer Concert Band for several years and played flute with the N.B.S.O. since 2013. She has been involved since 1998 in musical theatre evolving through student performer on stage, pit band performer, assistant choral director to band director in charge of conducting five shows which include: "FAME", ALL SHOOK UP", "LES MISERABLES" "ANYTHING GOES" and "Catch Me If You Can". She performs regularly with Dreamcoat Fantasy Theatre and had a solo spot as Alice in the very successful North Bay World Premiere of "Ebenezer" which was adapted and directed by Paul Tessier with music by Mark Allan and Ted Chase

Neil Kennedy began a 31 year career teaching music at St. Joseph-Scollard Hall for the N.P.S.C.D. School Board in 1977. Neil was recognized three times for "excellence in teaching". He has played clarinet and saxophone in several dance/jazz/big bands. He currently plays in **Twilight** and the **Restoration Jazz Band**. He is a charter member of the N.B.S.O. wind section. Neil has played with the 22 Wing Volunteer Concert Band since 1992 and has been a member of the pit bands for several musical shows. He is co-conductor of the J.O.Y. Bands (Just Older Youth adult community concert bands) and plays in the Nipissing University Eddy Band. In May of 2013 Neil was inducted into the North Bay and Area Musician's and Entertainer's Hall of Recognition.

Bob Bartlett plays bass and also does some vocals for **Twilight** and the **Restoration Jazz Band**. He has performed for many years with a variety of bands playing bass, guitar and banjo. In recent years in North Bay he has played bass in the 22 Wing Volunteer Concert Band, The Continentals Big Band and a number of smaller groups including Nightshift and Manhattan. A former high school teacher, Bob taught a variety of subjects including music. He has worked as a farrier and blacksmith since 1990.

Charlie Zavitz is the drummer for **Twilight**. He has been classically trained as a percussionist and has performed in symphonies, wind ensembles, pit bands for musicals, show bands for Cabarets, 1950 style big bands, rock bands and presently with **Twilight** and the **Restoration Jazz Band**. Charlie performs with the 22 Wing Volunteer Concert Band. He has a Bachelor of Arts in Music and Geography and a Masters of Education. He taught and was principal in the NNDSB for 29 years and enjoys his new career as drummer and time keeper for **Twilight** and the **Restoration Jazz Band**. Charlie is a Co-founder of "Sticks 335" Drummers' Symposium.