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Commemorative Performances for 2013 TonenGeneral Children's Culture Award and Music Awards

The TonenGeneral Group presented commemorative performances by the recipients of the 2013 TonenGeneral Children's Culture Award and Music Awards on November 21 at Kioi Hall in Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo.

The award recipients, previously announced, are listed below. The awards were presented at a ceremony held on September 13 at the Imperial Hotel.

48th TonenGeneral Children's Culture Award

KADONO Eiko Author

43rd TonenGeneral Music Awards

Japanese Traditional Music	IMAFUJI Hisayuki	<i>nagauta</i> vocal
Western Classical Music	KOYAMA Michie	Piano
Western Classical Music Promotion	Quartetto Classico	String quartet

Ms. Kadono presented a reading of her popular work "Kiki's Delivery Service". Mr. Imafuji performed "Echigojishi" in an ensemble of 11 musicians. Quartetto Classico performed the first movement of Bartok's String Quartet No. 5 Sz102 BB110 and other selections interspersed with brief explanations of the works presented and the quartet's activities. Ms. Koyama performed Chopin's Heroic Polonaise No. 6 in A-flat major. The superb performances were attended by around 650 people, 100 of whom had received tickets through a drawing open to the public.

About the TonenGeneral Group

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TonenGeneral Children's Culture Award and Music Awards commemorative performances



Children's Culture Award: Eiko Kadono (author)



Japanese Traditional Music: Hisayuki Imafuji (*nagauta* vocalist)



Western Classical Promotion: Quartetto Classico (string quartet)



Western Classical Music: KOYAMA Michie (piano)



The awardees with Representative Director and President Jun Mutoh

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