

Julian Gröndahl, an eighth grader at Eastchester Middle School, has studied organ with Vaughn Mauren since the age of 10 and has gained experience performing in recitals and church services in Bronxville and White Plains. A piano student since the age of six, Julian was a 2013 semi-finalist for admission into the prestigious Lang Lang Foundation Junior Music Camp in Germany. In addition to his keyboard studies, Julian is an experienced singer and actor, having sung the role of Hughie Chrome in Benjamin Britten's *The Little Sweep*; the title role in *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*; Scarecrow in *The Wizard of Oz*; and Fagin in *Oliver!* Currently an eighth grader at Eastchester Middle School, Julian's extracurricular activities include flying RC planes and playing badminton.