

SUMMER MUSIC PROGRAMS

DON'T WASTE YOUR INVESTMENT:
KEEP YOUR CHILDREN PLAYING OVER THE SUMMER MONTHS!

KEEP IN MIND:

- The Bellingham Friends of Music offers scholarships to students who attend summer music programs. The application is attached.
- As in years past, Bellingham parents can coordinate carpools to and from these camps each day.

Summer Instrumental Music Camp (SIMC)

RECOMMENDED FOR ALL GRADES 5-9 STUDENTS

The Summer Instrumental Music Program for wind, string, and percussion students, entering grades 5 through 9 will be held from June 29th through July 17, 2015 (July 3rd will be off due to Independence Day). The camp hours will be from 8:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Monday through Friday.

It is our goal for all participants to receive a positive musical experience in a variety of group performance areas including: Concert Band, Orchestra, Small Group Sections, Chamber Music Ensembles, Instrumental Technique, Elements of Music and Jazz Band.

In order to provide a well balanced camp experience, the daily schedule will include recreational activities such as: Kickball, Capture the Flag, Frisbee, Volleyball, and a Scavenger Hunt.

Parents will be responsible for transporting students to and from the Instrumental Music Program. Snacks are available for purchase during break time. The cost of registration for this camp starts at \$170, this fee includes a Camp T-shirt for each participant.

Family members are invited to attend a concert to be held at 10:00 a.m., to be held on the last day of camp.

Dates – June 29th through July 17, 2015 (July 3rd will be off due to Independence Day).

Time – 8:15 AM to 12:15 PM

Location – John J. Ahern Middle School (Directions)

TUITION

3 weeks – \$240.00 per student

2 weeks – \$205.00 per student

1 week – \$170 per student

www.simc.info

Summer Music Festival - South Shore Conservatory (Hingham)

RECOMMENDED FOR ALL GRADES 5-12 STUDENTS

July 6-17; Monday - Friday. Day begins at 8AM.

South Shore Conservatory's Summer Music Festival (SMF) offers wind, brass and percussion students in middle school through college the opportunity to perform in high quality wind band, chamber and jazz ensembles. This two-week summer program brings together student musicians from across southeastern Massachusetts in an intense, supportive, collaborative and music-focused learning environment. Through daily one-on-one interactions with a dedicated team of talented educators, SMF students are empowered to improve their technical ability, musical sensitivity, listening skills, analytical techniques and overall confidence. Students are placed in one of three large ensembles, All-Star Band (ASB), Summer Wind Ensemble (SWE) or Festival Wind Ensemble (FWE) based on their placement audition. Auditions will be held at BMMS with Mr. Glynn per appointment.

Personally, I attended this camp as a student and am now a teacher there. I have such a tremendous amount of respect for the staff and administration there, and cannot encourage you enough to take part! It really is life-changing.

Financial aid is available for those who can document financial need. Please direct all questions regarding financial aid to Danielle Perry at (781) 749-7565 x27. The deadline to apply for financial aid is June 10, 2014.

TUTORIAL

Festival Wind Ensemble (FWE) - TYPICALLY GRADES 10-12

8 am - 12 noon

\$490

Summer Wind Ensemble (SWE) - TYPICALLY GRADES 6-10

8 am - 12 noon

\$490

All-Star Band (ASB) - TYPICALLY GRADES 5-6

8 am - 10 am

\$245

Summer Music Festival Jazz Ensemble - Any student who has an interest in Jazz

12:30 - 2:30 pm

\$180 (when also enrolled in SMF)