



## Summer Camps & Classes 2017 Descriptions and Schedule

### **HARMONY ROAD CLASSES**

Parents can learn and play music along with their children in our Harmony Road Classes. Our trained and certified teachers will guide you and your child through an exciting and comprehensive music program that is carefully constructed for students to learn the language of music, step by step. Studies have shown that children who learn music early are more likely to perform well in school and in life. Don't miss this great opportunity to enrich your child's world. **Parental involvement is required for all Harmony Road courses.** Sign-up for classes today!

**TODDLER TUNES (ages 18 months-3 years):** A joyful first music experience. Tots and parents share in a music-making program of rhythms, finger plays, active movements, keyboard exploration, and singing. Parent involvement is required in class and at home.

**Wednesday – 10:00am – begins June 14<sup>th</sup> – Joyce Buchholz, Instructor**

**Fees: \$135.00 (includes materials) 8 week course, 30 minutes each**  
**LOCATION: Meridian Music School's Goodwin Hall**

**MUSIC IN ME (ages 3.5-4 years):** Music in Me is a dynamic readiness program for young children with emphasis on ear training, solfege, singing, movement, keyboard activities, and pitch and rhythm awareness. Creativity is stressed! Parent involvement is required in class and at home.

**Monday– 11:00am – begins June 12<sup>th</sup>– Hillary Blake, Instructor Tuesday – 5:30pm – begins June 13<sup>th</sup>- Joyce Buchholz, Instructor Saturday – 11:30am – begins July 8<sup>th</sup> – Joyce Buchholz, Instructor**

**Fees: \$200.00 (includes materials) 8 week course, 45 minutes each**  
**LOCATION: Meridian Music School's Goodwin Hall**

**MORE MUSIC IN ME (ages 4-5 years):** Music Time is an introductory course for students interested in Harmony Road 1. Areas of emphasis are ear training,

solfege singing, solo and ensemble keyboard playing, rhythm activities, movement, and music creativity. This exceptional course develops the student's "inner hearing", which allows them to easily access the skills of transposing, improvisation and composition during their musical studies.

Parent involvement is required in class and at home.

**Thursday – 4:30pm – begins June 15<sup>th</sup> – Joyce Buchholz, Instructor**

**Saturday – 10:30am – begins July 8<sup>th</sup> – Joyce Buchholz, Instructor**

**Fees: \$200.00 (includes materials) 8 week course, 45 minutes each**

**LOCATION: Meridian Music School's Harrison Classroom**

**MUSICAL THEATER CAMP (AGES 6-teen):** In this two-week camp, students will experience all aspects of producing a musical! Students will learn the parts of the stage, the audition process, acting techniques, singing, and movement, set design, costuming, makeup, and more. Students will put all these skills together by producing and performing a live show on the last evening of camp. This year students will present **The Wizard of Oz!** In order for us to prepare and have a better understanding for the age and ability of our cast, we will have a placement auditions on **Saturday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> and Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am.** Please sign up for the placement audition that works best for your schedule.

**June 12<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>– 9:00am-2:00pm – Jane West, Instructor (Performance Time: TBA (will be Friday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>))**

**Fees: \$300.00 (includes materials) LOCATION: Meridian Music School**

**NOTE: We will be offering an optional extension of the Theater Camp from 2:00-4:00pm each day. Students will be charged an additional \$25.00 for each extended day. No extended day will be offered on Friday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

**JUNIOR BEGINNING GUITAR CAMP (ages 9-12):** This junior camp is geared towards the younger aspiring guitar student. During the camp, we will look at the foundational acoustic guitar skills that will be covered in the Teen class, but will incorporate games and activities to facilitate learning for this age group. The student will be exposed to basic strumming patterns, chords, tuning, playing the chromatic scale in first position, reading simple chord charts and some songs. As in the Teen Camp, the pace of instruction will be largely determined by the students. Most of the time will be group instruction, but there will be time for some individual attention; we will have a great time playing.

**Session 1**

**June 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> – 10:00am-11:00am – Katie Fansler, Instructor  
Fees - \$100.00 LOCATION: Meridian Music School**

**Session 2**

**July 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup> –10:00am-11:00am – Katie Fansler, Instructor Fees - \$100.00  
LOCATION: Meridian Music School**

**BEGINNING GUITAR CAMP FOR TEENS (ages 13-17):** Purpose: to learn basic guitar skills in a group setting. During the camp, the student will be exposed to foundational acoustic guitar skills that will include strumming and picking patterns, basic chords, tuning with and without a tuner, playing the chromatic scale in first position, reading chord charts and playing some songs. Most of the time will be group instruction, but there will be time for some individual attention; we will have a great time playing guitars together!

**Session 1**

**June 19<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> – 9:30am-11:00am – Katie Fansler, Instructor Fees: \$150.00  
LOCATION: Meridian Music School**

**Session 2**

**July 24<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> –9:30am-11:00am - Katie Fansler, Instructor Fees: \$150.00  
LOCATION: Meridian Music School**

**BEGINNING GUITAR FOR ADULTS:** The purpose of the adult beginner guitar class is to have fun learning basic guitar skills together in a group setting. It is also a great prep course for those who wish to take private lessons. In the weekly one hour sessions, we will cover foundational acoustic guitar skills that will include strumming and picking patterns, basic chords, tuning with and without a tuner, playing the chromatic scale in first position, reading chord charts and playing some songs. If you are ready to make music and have some fun, please join me!

**Wednesday 7:00pm – begins June 14<sup>th</sup> – Katie Fansler, Instructor Fees:  
\$129.00 (includes materials) 6-week course LOCATION: Meridian Music  
school**

