

- **Check-Out:** X-Band students will need to check out of the dorms **before** 9:30 a.m. Saturday to allow for the concert warm-up (in the Studio Arts building) and to be ready for the X-Band concert.
- **Health Information:** You **must** bring the completed and **signed** "Health Information Form" to check-in. **Participation will not be permitted without it.**
- You may not leave the camp premises at **any** time during the camp day. **PARKING: Campers who bring a vehicle to camp are required to purchase a \$3 parking permit.** The permit can be purchased at the Music Camp Office on the first day of camp.
- **Dress:** Dress for the weekdays of the camp session will be school-appropriate, comfortable, light-weight, summer clothing. Classrooms are air conditioned, although campus housing is not. Dress for the final Saturday concert will be dark pants/skirts and the Camp T-shirt (dark jeans are acceptable). T-shirts will be distributed in the classroom midweek.
- **Supplies:** Bring at least two pencils with erasers. All instrumentalists will be required to bring a folding **music stand** for some of your classes. Identify each detachable section of the music stand with your name. The University is not responsible for lost, damaged or stolen instruments and equipment. **Percussion campers:** bring snare drum and stand, sticks and mallets (e.g.: timpani, bell, xylophone, yarn). The University will provide large percussion instruments. **Cello and string bass** players must bring a floor rockstop.
- **Daily Class Hours:** 8:30 a.m. to 3:40 p.m.

- **It is very important that your instrument be in top-notch playing condition with an ample supply of reeds, oils, etc.**
- **Concert:** The Saturday morning Final Concert begins at 9:00 a.m. at the Weidner Center. The concert is free and has general admission seating. Each camp band, orchestra, and choir will perform on the 1/2 hour, starting with orchestra at 9:00 a.m. and ending with the choirs. **The X-band students will perform in the Weidner Center at 10:30 a.m.** A warm-up will precede their concert in the Studio Arts Building. **(This concert time will be confirmed on the master schedule that you will receive on Sunday afternoon.)**
- **Pick-up:** Resident Campers **must** be checked-out of Housing **before** the concert. See check-out info on the preceding page. Please plan to meet your camper in the lobby of the Weidner Center after the performance.

We look forward to seeing you at the 2009 Middle School X-Band Camp! Please let us know at least two weeks in advance if you have a disability and require special accommodations.

QUESTIONS?:

Contact Andrea Didlo at (920) 465-2775 or (800) 892-2118 or feel free to send us an e-mail at summercamps@uwgb.edu.

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Welcome to UW- Green Bay Middle School X-Band 2009!

(Band Students entering grades 6 & 7)

July 12-18, 2009



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Congratulations on your acceptance to the UW-Green Bay Middle School X-Band Camp! This information letter and packet should be kept for reference. No other information will be sent prior to your arrival at camp. Please share this letter with your parent or guardian. **Note:** Enclosed with this letter is a receipt confirming your payment and any balance due. Balance **must** be paid by July 10, 2009. You may call in your payment with a credit card to 800-892-2118 or send a check to the Summer Camps Office.

Sunday Schedule for X-Band

- 12:00-1:45 p.m: Check-In
- 2:00-3:45 p.m: Orientation meeting and rehearsal for students with instruments and parents/guardians.
- 4:00-4:30 p.m: Tour
- 4:30 p.m: Housing students go to dinner. Commuters can go home with parents/guardians.

All X-Band Campers:

- ****NO AUDITION!** Campers will be assigned automatically to X-Band, our beginners band.
- **Check-In:** Check-in begins on Sunday, July 12. Please read the appropriate Commuter or Resident section for more information.
- **Orientation Meeting:** An X-Band Orientation Meeting will be held in the University Theatre from 2:00 to 3:45 p.m. **REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR INSTRUMENTS!!**

What you will learn at the meeting...

- How the X-Band Camp works
- Your daily schedule and weekly schedule
- What you will need to bring to class
- Meet your instructors
- Have your first open rehearsal with your instrument.
- **Tour:** 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. X-Band parents/guardians and students will tour the camp rooms, camp headquarters, and their homeroom in the Studio Arts building.

****A camper entering grade 6 or 7 may choose to audition for another band with a recommendation by both a music instructor and parent/guardian. To request an audition, please call the Summer Camps Office at (920) 465-2775. Music instructors may send in a letter of recommendation or an e-mail to recommend a student. (summercamps@uwgb.edu)**

Commuters: (Campers who will be driving to campus each day)

- **Check-In:** Check-in will be held from 12:30 to 1:45 p.m. on **Sunday, July 12** in the Studio Arts cafeteria. Please see your map for directions "C" to the **Studio Arts Parking Lot (Blue Lot)**. Once you have parked, walk to the nearest building which will be Studio Arts.
- **Meals:** Bring your own sack lunch or money to purchase food from vending machines. You will not be allowed to leave campus for lunch or at any other time during the day. Optional weekly lunch passes for the Cloud Commons cafeteria will be available for purchase at check-in for \$35.
- Commuter campers are not allowed in the University Housing area.



Resident Campers: (Campers who will be staying in campus housing)

- **Check-In:** Check-in is in the University Union Phoenix Rooms from 12:00 to 1:30 p.m. on **Sunday, July 12**. Please park in the adjacent visitors parking lot. See your map for directions "B". There you will get your room assignment and directions to your room. **There will be no check-in prior to 12:00 p.m.** Arrival to and departure from the campus is your responsibility. Transportation is not provided from bus stations, airports, etc.
- **Housing Handbook:** You and your parent/guardian must read the enclosed Housing Handbook, which contains camp rules and regulations. It also provides information on what you should bring to camp with you (fan, sheets, towels, etc.).
- **First Meal:** Sunday dinner will be served in the Cloud Commons cafeteria, located in the University Union. Parents/Guardians are welcome to join us. The cost of each all-you-can-eat meal will be around \$7-8.
- **Messages:** These can be left at the Head Counselor's Office at (920) 465-2742.
- **A camp dance** will be held (Resident Campers only) on Friday, July 17.
- **Evening/Special Events** are scheduled for Resident Campers each night from 6:30-9:30 p.m. and may include volleyball games, movies, pizza parties, and/or field trips to various attractions around Green Bay such as Bay Beach Amusement Park and Miniature Golf. It is recommended that campers bring \$25-\$30 for activities.

