

Welcome to UW-Green Bay Middle School Band, Orchestra, Choral, and Piano Camp! July 12-17, 2020

This information letter should be kept for reference. **No other information will be sent prior to your arrival.** Please share this letter with your parent/guardian. You should have received a receipt confirming your payment and any balance due. Balance **MUST** be paid by **June 15, 2020**. You can make your payment online using the payment link on our website, by sending a check written out to UW-Green Bay to the Summer Camps Office, or by calling 920-465-2775 with your credit card.

COMMUTERS:

Campers who will be commuting to campus each day.

- -Check-in: Check-in is between 1:30-3:00pm on Sunday, July 12 in the Studio Arts Building. Please park in the Studio Arts Parking Lot. (See Camp Map-follow the directions for "E").
- **-Drop Off/Pick up Policy:** Parents are advised to drop off/pick up your camper promptly at 8:30am and 3:40pm. Staff are on site from 8:00am-3:55pm. Failure to pick up your camper on time will result in a supervisory charge of \$15 per hour.
- -Commuter campers are not allowed in the University Housing area.

RESIDENTS:

Campers who will be staying in campus housing.

- **-Check-in:** Check-in is outside **Robert Warren Hall** (rain backup: first floor lounge) **1:00-2:30pm** on **Sunday, July 12**. Park in the adjacent parking lot. (See Camp Map-follow the directions for "D"). You will receive your room assignment and directions to your room. **There will be no check-in prior to 1:00pm.** 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 Camp Housing Handbook, which contains camp rules and regulations. It also provides information on what you should bring with you to camp (fan, sheets, towels, etc.).
- -Messages: These can be left 24/7 at the Head Counselor's Office at 920-465-2742.
- -Camp Dance: Will be held on Thursday, July 16 for Resident Campers only.
- **-Evening/Special Events:** Scheduled for Resident Campers each night from 6:30-9:30pm and may include games, movies, pizza parties, and/or field trips to various attractions around Green Bay. It is recommended that campers bring a minimum of \$30-\$40 for snacks and activities.
- -Check-Out: Parents/guardians please meet your camper at his/her dorm between 4:45-5:30pm on Friday, July 17 to properly check-out with their floor counselor. Check-out must be completed before 6:00pm Friday. The Head Counselor's Office closes at 6:30pm.

ALL CAMPERS:

-Meals: Each day campers will eat in the Cloud Commons cafeteria and will have two hot meal options, a full salad bar, and dessert bar. Campers are not allowed to leave campus for meals, or at any other time during the day. Commuters: All lunches are included in your camp fees. You are welcome to bring your own lunch, but there is no discount on camp fees.

Residents: Sunday dinner will be the first meal served. Your parents/ guardians are welcome to eat with you after Sunday check-in. The cost of each meal will be approximately \$8.00. The last meal is Friday dinner before the concert.



- **-Dietary Needs:** If your camper has food allergies, or needs alternative meals prepared, please let us know at least two weeks before camp begins at camps@uwgb.edu or 920-465-2775.
- **-Health Information:** Our camp **Health Forms** are now electronic! You will receive an e-mail closer to camp that will prompt you to fill out your Health Form online. Health Forms must be filled out online before your camper checks-in to camp.
- -Auditions: Sunday placement auditions will run between 1:30-4:00pm in the Studio Arts Building and will be administered by the camp instructional staff. Instrumental/Piano Auditions: will consist of sight-reading, common scales, and a short prepared solo or etude. A prepared festival solo would be appropriate. Vocal Auditions: evaluate vocal range only, and will consist of vocal exercises and may include a short excerpt. All auditions are for placement only and are not for admittance into the camp.



- -General Meeting: Following auditions, a General Meeting is scheduled from 4:00-4:30pm in the University Theatre.

 Attendance is required. You will be given additional information regarding camp procedures and the week's schedule. We ask that all parents/guardians stay through the afternoon until the 4:00pm meeting begins.
- **-Dress:** Dress for the weekdays of the camp session should be appropriate, comfortable, lightweight summer clothing. Classrooms are air-conditioned, although campus housing is not. **Dress for the final concert** will be dark pants/skirts and the Camp t-shirt. Your t-shirt will be supplied during the camp week.

-Supplies:

- -Bring at least two pencils with erasers.
- -All **instrumentalists** will be required to bring folding music stands to some classes. Identify each detachable section of the music stand with your name. (Use adhesive tape to label).
- -Locked instrument storage will be available for large instruments only. The University is not responsible for lost, damaged, or stolen instruments and equipment. We suggest that your parents/guardians include coverage for your personal instrument on a homeowner's insurance policy, supplying brand, model, serial number, and cost.
- -Percussion Campers: Bring snare drum and stand, sticks, and mallets (timpani, bell, xylophone, yarn). The University will provide large percussion instruments.
 - -Cello and String Bass: Players must bring a floor rock-stop.
 - -It is very important that your instruments be in top-notch playing condition with an ample supple of reeds, oils, etc. Instrument repairs will be billed to your parents/guardians by a local music store.
- **-Concert:** The Friday evening Final Concert begins at **6:00pm**. The concerts are free, with general admission seating. Parents, please plan to meet your camper in the lobby after the concert. Each ensemble performs on the 1/2 hour, with the Orchestra starting at 6:00pm, Bands at 6:30pm, then the Choirs starting at 7:30pm. The **Piano Camp** will perform starting at **6:00pm** concluding at approximately 7:30pm.
- -Daily Class Hours: 8:30am-3:40pm



We look forward to seeing you at the 2020 Middle School Music Camp! Please let us know at least two weeks in advance if you have a disability and require special accommodations.

QUESTIONS?: Contact Andrea Felmer at 920-465-2775 or feel free to send an e-mail to camps@uwgb.edu.