

# performance

(pər-fôr' mæns) n.

The act of performing a play, piece of music/musical, drama or other entertainment presented before an audience.

## Performance Group Schedule Winter/Spring Semester 2012

• 18 weeks • Jan. 31 - June 18 (CLOSED Feb. 20-25, Apr. 16-21, May 28)

S	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	F	Saturday
	<b>Marimba</b> <i>Instructor: Sheree Seretse</i> <b>Advanced Youth</b> <i>Grade 4 - HS - 6:30 - 7:25pm</i> Cost: \$231.00  <b>Advanced Adult</b> <i>Adult - 7:30 - 8:55pm</i> Cost: \$339.00	<b>Community Band</b> <i>Instructor: Faculty</i> <b>Grade 5-Adult - 4:00-4:55pm</b> Cost: \$236.00  <b>Community Youth Choir</b> <i>Instructor: Denise Mimura</i> <b>Grades 1 - 4 - 5:00 - 5:55pm</b> Cost: \$236.00	<b>Brass Ensemble</b> <i>Instructor: John Groves</i> <b>Grade 4 - Adult - Time: TBA</b> Cost: \$241.00	<b>Jazz Advanced Ensemble</b> <i>Instructor: Faculty</i> <b>Grades 6 - Adult - 6:00-7:00</b> Cost: \$236.00		<b>Community Youth Drama/Choir</b> <i>Instructors: Denise Mimura &amp; Olisa Johnson</i> <b>Grades 5-8 - 12:00 - 12:55pm</b> Cost: \$236.00

**Performance Groups/Ensembles may start at anytime during the semester! TUITION will be pro-rated.**

### Performance Group & Ensemble Descriptions

#### Brass Ensemble

Brass ensemble is available to all levels interested in gaining group performance experience. Mixed brass instruments come together and learn music from a variety of periods and styles.

#### Community Band

Come get your chops in shape! Experience elation and excitement of community band performance. The band will perform songs from a variety of genres as well as multi-cultural and original material.

#### Community Youth Choirs NO AUDITIONS-ALL WELCOME!

Children will experience the joy and excitement of choral music and performance, learning vocal and stage technique, practical microphone use and control, dynamics, stylization, movement and performance skills. The choir will learn songs from a wide spectrum of genres to include contemporary, traditional, jazz, blues, show tunes as well as multi-cultural and original material.

**Performance groups are by teacher approval, we have no "drop-in" availability.**

#### Jazz Ensemble

Join the fun of jazz, pop, rock & world music and learn performance & solo techniques. All instruments are welcome. Participation requires basic instrument competence, music reading, knowledge of key signatures & scales. Participants will perform with faculty's ensemble doing professional gigs in the community. Individuals must also be studying privately. Informal audition with instructor.

#### Marimba Ensemble

Ensembles play a variety of marimbas: soprano, tenor, baritone, bass, & hosho or gourd shakers. The marimbas are handcrafted. The keys are fine tuned to reflect the tones played in African societies. Each key sits above a resonator with a vibrating membrane to amplify the sound & add a unique "buzz" to the music. Informal audition with instructor.

### Performance Group & Ensemble Registration Process

**Ensembles & performing groups must have instructor pre-approval before participation & have a minimum enrollment number,**

1. Fill in registration form completely (available online or in office).
2. Pay \$40 deposit to ensure requested spot.
2. You will be contacted by phone to confirm your enrollment.
3. You will receive a printed invoice by e-mail or mail as confirmation of processing.

*Work-study & sliding scale may be available to those who qualify. Proof of income required.*

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**nurture life skills,**  
**foster joy**  
**& celebrate creativity**  
**through the arts.**