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Music Institute Mission Statement

To provide opportunities for performance, study, and the therapeutic application of music for individuals in the Central Kentucky Region, regardless of age, race, gender, level of ability, or financial status; in a musically-enriching environment that encourages success, creativity, and personal integrity thus enhancing lives, broadening the base of support for the arts, and strengthening the community as a whole.

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FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



The Music Institute's fall semester begins on August 16, and we don't want to start without you!

This past Sunday, the Music Institute faculty had a dinner meeting in my home to kick off the new semester. We had a great time socializing outside of the workplace, and it was fun serving dinner to my colleagues. I enjoyed listening to the faculty talk about their students and their teaching, and we had wonderful conversations about how we can continue to enhance the learning experiences of the students at the Music Institute. I feel fortunate to be surrounded by such a talented faculty!

The Music Institute

faculty understand the importance of molding students into well-rounded musicians, and we strive to provide students with experiences that lead to musical success. Students enrolled here not only have the opportunity to participate in weekly private lessons and group classes, but they are also encouraged to interact with other students through studio classes, recitals, and masterclasses each semester.

These opportunities are important components of music study, as they (1) help students become comfortable performing in front of an audience, (2) provide an avenue through which students can share their music with others in our community, (3) enable students to hear performers at different levels of study, (4) expose

students to a variety of teaching styles, and (5) facilitate social interaction with other students who share the same musical interests.

As an avid Star Wars fan, I am sometimes reminded of the character named Yoda that teaches the young to be the best they can be. One of his famous quotes is "Do or do not...there is no try!" Please *do* join us, no matter what age or level, as we begin our 13th year serving Central Kentucky with the Ultimate in Music Instruction. You will find a special place here at the Music Institute, "Where Melodies and Magic Meet."

Mylinda K. Dockery

Mylinda K. Dockery,
Executive Director

FALL 2010: OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS

Masterclasses for Pianists, October 2

9:30am-10:30am: Studio Class, Pianists ages 6-7
11:00am-12:00pm: Studio Class, Pianists ages 8-10
1:30pm - 3:00pm: Middle & High School Pianists

Community Outreach Performance, October 30

2:00pm - 3:00pm Markey Cancer Center,
For students ages 5 - 18, Costumes Encouraged!

Masterclass for Vocalists, November 13

11:00am-12:30pm, Open to all voice students.

Masterclass for Strings, November 13

With Jo Nardolillo, 1:30pm-3:00pm, Open to all string students.

Winter Recitals, December 6-12

Music Institute students perform in winter recitals.

Music Institute FACULTY

Keyboard

Raleigh Dailey
Myllinda Dockery
DeLise Graham-Hill
Maria LeRose-Herndon
Nan Baker Richerson
Jeanine Wheeler

Strings

Shawna Curtis
Julianna Gunby
Leah Hagel
Gretchen Wilcox Tucker

Voice

Jenna McKinley
Wilhelmenia Smith

Brass & Woodwinds

Austin Bralley
Charles McKinley

Percussion

Joan Brannon
Paul Deatherage

Guitar

Matt Cook
Charles McKinley
Mike Shouse

Music Therapy

Jeanine Wheeler, MT-BC

Early Childhood

Dale Dufour
Myllinda Dockery
Jenna McKinley
Jeanine Wheeler

Faculty Spotlight: Mike Shouse, guitar



Mike Shouse, guitar

The Music Institute welcomes guitarist **Mike Shouse** to its faculty! Mike has been playing guitar for 23 years. He attended G.I.T. of Hollywood, CA in 1992, and is currently a full time art teacher in Georgetown. Mike has released two solo albums, most recently *Alone on the Sun*, which is getting superb reviews worldwide as well as radio airplay. Mike is a guitar columnist in *The Music Entertainment Magazine*, a monthly publication throughout the state, as well as an on-line guest columnist for publications such as guitar9.com. Although his area of specialty is Rock, he is also knowledgeable in Jazz, Classical, Flamenco and Blues. Mike has his own style of teaching guitar that simplifies modes, chords, arpeggios and theory in his one of a kind teaching strategy. Whether you are a beginner or professional musician, you will enhance your playing by studying with Mike.

Student Spotlight: Jeff Berry, guitar

Jeff Berry is fourteen years old and a freshman at Lafayette High School. Jeff has been studying guitar privately at the Music Institute for nearly four years, most recently with Matt Cook. Jeff spends most of his free time playing the guitar, and when asked about his favorite piece of music to play, he mentioned that it really just depends on his mood. His favorite part of practicing is using strategies to help himself improve. When considering his future career path, Jeff wants to be an entrepreneur and an investor. He is still in the process of deciding whether or not he would like to major or minor in music when he attends college.



Fall Registration: Win Free Lessons and Concert Tickets!

Don't delay registering for the Fall Semester! New students who register by **August 30th** will be entered into a drawing for two **free lessons** and **free tickets** to the *Little Feat* Concert on Sept. 23rd!



Returning Music Institute Students: Tell your teacher you are returning for the Fall Semester by **August 16th**, and you will be entered into a drawing for **free tickets** to the *Little Feat* Concert on September 23!

Now enrolling
for Fall!

Music Institute Fall 2010 Private Instruction for All Ages & Levels

Weekly lessons are scheduled for 30 minutes, 45 minutes, or 60 minutes.

Piano	Viola	Voice	Acoustic Guitar
Organ	Cello	Flute	Electric Guitar
Violin	Trumpet	Oboe	Bass Guitar
Fiddle	Trombone	Saxophone	Drums/Percussion

Fall 2010 Group Instruction For All Ages & Levels!

<p>Petite Pianists Ages 4-6 (6-week course) For young students curious about the piano!</p> <p><u>Afternoon Class</u> Day: Mondays Time: 4:30-5:15pm Dates: Sept. 13 - Oct. 18 Tuition: \$150 + materials Teacher: Jeanine Tiser</p> <p><u>Evenings: Petites in Pajamas</u> Day: Tuesdays Time: 7:00-7:45pm Dates: Sept. 7 - Oct. 12 Tuition: \$150 + materials Teacher: Dr. Nan Richerson <i>*Come in your pajamas!</i></p>	<p>Adult Group Piano for beginners (5-week course) For adults who have always wanted to take lessons! No prior experience required.</p> <p><u>Option #1:</u> Day: Tuesdays Time: 12:00-12:45pm Dates: Sept. 7 - Oct. 5 Tuition: \$120 + materials Teacher: Dr. Nan Richerson</p> <p><u>Option #2:</u> Day: Thursdays Time: 12:00-12:45pm Dates: Oct. 12 - Nov. 11 Tuition: \$120 + materials Teacher: Dr. Nan Richerson</p>	<p>Family Music 4 mos. - 5 yrs. (6-week course) Sing, dance, and play to help your child reach developmental milestones.</p> <p><u>Morning Classes</u> Wednesdays: 10:00-10:30am Thursdays: 11:00-11:30am Teacher: Dale Dufour</p> <p><u>Evening Class</u> Day: Mondays Time: 5:30-6:00pm Teacher: Jenna McKinley Wed. classes start Sept 8 Thurs. classes start Sept 9 Tuition: \$75 + materials</p>	<p>Cycle of Seasons Ages 3-5 (6-week course) Addresses age appropriate developmental goals along with musical skills</p> <p><u>Morning Classes</u> Wednesdays: 10:45-11:30am Thursdays: 10:00-10:45am Teacher: Dale Dufour</p> <p><u>Evening Class</u> Day: Mondays Time: 6:15 - 7:00pm Teacher: Jenna McKinley Wed. classes start Sept 8 Thurs. classes start Sept 9 Tuition: \$90 + materials</p>
<p>Garage Band Ages 13 - Adult (6-week session) Already in a band? Not in a band yet, but want to be? Tuition: \$165 per person</p> <p><u>Fall Coaching Sessions</u> -Rehearsals are scheduled at a time convenient to band members and their band coach. -Bands meet once a week for 90 minutes. -Guitar, keyboard, Vocals, Drums, etc. -Start your band from the ground up, or develop your already existing band!</p>	<p>Music Tech 101 Ages 13 - Adult (6-week course) Interested in recording & mixing? Enroll in this course to learn the basics.</p> <p><u>Class Information</u> 60-min. classes, days & times arranged between teacher & student</p> <p><u>Private Class:</u> \$50/week</p> <p><u>2-person Class:</u> \$45/week per student</p> <p><u>3-person Class:</u> \$40/week per student Teacher: Charles McKinley</p>	<p>Childbloom® Guitar Ages 5 - 12 (Enroll at Any Time!) Learn to play guitar in a group setting. Classes follow Childbloom® curriculum.</p> <p><u>Class Information</u> Mondays, 5:45-6:15pm Mondays, 6:30-7:00pm Mondays, 7:15-7:45pm Fridays, 5:30-6:00pm Fridays, 6:15-6:45pm</p> <p>Tuition : \$100/month Materials Fee: \$25 Teacher: Matt Cook</p> <p><i>Materials fee includes a book and CD for new students</i></p>	<p>Guitar Fundamentals Ages 13 - Adult (6-week course) Combines guitar technique with the study of modes, chords, arpeggios, composition, music reading, and music theory.</p> <p><u>Class Information</u> Day: Wednesdays Time: 5:00-5:45pm OR 6:00-6:45pm Dates: Sept. 8 - Oct. 6 Tuition: \$150 + materials Teacher: Mike Shouse</p>

Space is limited. Reserve your spot today! Call 859-273-9991 or visit www.musicforlexington.org

Little Feat to perform as Music Institute Fundraiser

With excitement building in downtown Lexington on the eve of the World Equestrian Games, the band that *is* Americana music, **Little Feat**, will start the party on **Thursday, September 23, 2010**. This special performance will take place on the stage of the historic Lexington Opera House. Completely underwritten by Alltech, the Opera House Fund, and Music Institute board member Warren Rogers, all proceeds from ticket sales are designated toward operational funds at the Music Institute. We look forward to presenting these fine, adventuresome artists on an electric evening as Lexington begins to fill with guests from more than 60 nations for the formal opening of the Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games.

Little Feat Tickets On Sale Now - Reserve Yours Today!

Ticket prices: \$35 - \$43

Lexington Center Ticket Office 859-233-3535 or
visit www.TicketMaster.com



Mark Your Calendar!

August 16	First Day of Fall Semester Private Lessons See pg. 3 for areas of study	October 2	Piano Masterclasses Ages 6-7, 9:30am Ages 8-10, 11:00am MS & HS, 1:30pm
September 7	First Day of Fall Semester Group Classes See pg. 3 for a list of classes	October 30	Community Outreach Recital Markey Cancer Center 2:00pm - costumes welcome!
September 23	<i>Little Feat</i> in Concert at the Opera House! Sponsored by Alltech Proceeds to benefit Music Institute	November 13	Voice Masterclass 11:00am
		November 13	String Masterclass With Jo Nardolillo 1:30pm

The Kentucky Arts Council, the state arts agency, supports the Music Institute with state tax dollars and federal funding from the National Endowment for the Arts. All Music Institute programs are made possible in part through the generous support of LexArts. Facilities provided in part by Trinity Hill United Methodist Church.

