

IA 77 MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER JAZZ BAND CAMP JULY 20–24, 2020



Open to any student entering grades 6 – 9 with at least one year of school band or private lessons experience.

New Location: Prairie Point Middle School
\$299–includes all classes, teaching materials, and final performance. A meal plan is also available.

Scholarships Available

Visit www.kcck.org/jazzbandcamp or call **319-398-5446** for eligibility and application information.

Course/Class Number: CLYO-2900 36010100.

Register online at www.kirkwood.edu/ce or call **1-800-332-8833**.



Since 2006, KCCK and Kirkwood Community College have offered a jazz band camp experience geared exclusively toward middle school students to improve their technique and experience, and to help them form good habits that will lead them to early success in high school band. Nearly 400 students have participated through the years, with many returning each year they are eligible. Alumni have become leaders in high school, making All State Jazz Band, and many have gone on to win musical awards and scholarships.



WHO ARE THE TEACHERS?

Valerie Shanley leads the camp faculty as our Director. Val is a jazz educator with 20 years experience teaching middle school band. The rest of the faculty is comprised of professional teachers, with experience at the middle school, high school, and/or collegiate level. They are assisted by college and high school students (many of whom are camp alumni) who are studying music performance or music education.



WHO IS JAZZ BAND CAMP FOR?

Students interested in improving their technique or wanting a taste of what jazz band will be like. Jazz Band Camp may be especially helpful in preparing students for high school jazz band if there is no jazz band at the student's middle school. Guitar and bass players as well as piano students who participate in their school music programs are also encouraged to attend.

WHAT HAPPENS AT CAMP?

Sessions are offered for brass, woodwinds, and the rhythm section in:

- Theory
- Improvisation
- Big Band
- Combo
- Sectionals
- Jazz Listening
- Private Lessons

HOW DO I KNOW IF MY CHILD IS READY FOR CAMP?

Camp is open to any student entering grades 6 – 9, with at least one year of school band and/or private lessons. Students who do not play a traditional jazz band instrument can also benefit from camp and are welcome.

If you have questions about whether jazz camp will be a good fit for your child, talk to your band director, private lessons teacher, or contact Mrs. Shanley at valshanley@gmail.com.

For questions about registration or camp administration, email jazzcamp@kcck.org.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

2020 Sessions will be held at Prairie Point Middle School

MONDAY – FRIDAY

Drop-off/Warm-Ups	8:30 a.m.
Big Band	9 a.m.
Jazz Theory	10 a.m.
Big Band	10:30 a.m.
Lunch	11:45 a.m.
Faculty Jam	12:15 p.m.
Big Band	1 p.m.
Jazz History	2 p.m.
Sectionals	2:30 p.m.
Big Band	3 p.m.
Pick-up	4 p.m.

(supervision provided until 5 p.m.)

FRIDAY

Student Big Band 5:30 p.m.
and Combo Concert

Students will be under appropriate adult supervision by teachers and staff at all times.

Questions? Contact 88.3 KCCK-FM
at 319-398-5446 or jazzcamp@kcck.org.

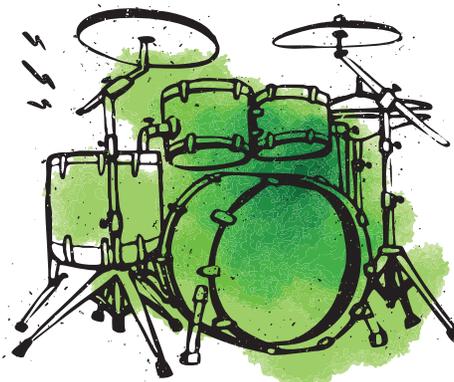
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