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Welcome

The Rowan University Summer Camp Program is quickly becoming the musical experience of the region for young musicians of various ages. With opportunities for beginning and advanced student musicians, each of our camps offer a unique, inspiring, and musically rigorous experience in a safe, nurturing, and supportive environment.

We look forward to welcoming hundreds to campus this summer to play, write, sing, compose, design, and perform music. Join us!

Dr. Robert Rawlins, Department Chair

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Important Contact Information

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- Strings, Dr. Timothy Schwarz: schwarzt@rowan.edu
FAQ

Q: What should I pack for camp?
   A: See packing list on page 11.

Q: What & where will I eat at camp?
   A: All meals are served in the campus dining hall; buffet style, and a dedicated section for gluten free/allergy needs. All foods are labeled with ingredients and allergy information. Residents receive breakfast lunch and dinner daily. Commuters receive lunch and dinner daily.

Q: Do I have to walk alone?
   A: Never! We travel as groups under camp counselor, director and coordinator supervision.

Q: What will I do during evening activities?
   A: In addition to evening recitals and concerts, campers will also enjoy: teambuilding activities, indoor pool, ice cream social, frozen yogurt trip (on campus), indoor/outdoor games, scavenger hunt, social time with other campers.

Q: Where will I live on campus during camp?
   A: All residents live in the Rowan BLVD Apartments on-campus apartment style dorms during camp. The apartments have 4 individual bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 1 living room and 1 kitchen. Each camper will have their own keypad code for their bedroom door and room swipe card for their apartment door. Females and males will be separated by floors. Requests are available (up to 3 camper names will be honored per apartment) please complete the request in the camp registration form.

Q: What else can I expect about living in the dorm during camp?
   A: There are elevators and air-conditioning. Toilet paper will be provided. Refrigerators are available and can be used however microwaves are not permitted. You are required to bring your own bed linens (twin extra long), pillows, blankets and bath and pool towels.

Q: Do I need to bring any required forms on check-in day?
   A: YES! There following forms are required to bring to camp on check-in day: July 21st. (Medical Care Form, Medicine Distribution Form, Media Release Form, Camp Policy Form and Request to Leave Camp Form)

Q: Should I bring money?
   A: Cash is optional. Vending machines are located in the music building and campers are allowed to visit them during breaks throughout the day and during evening activities. We will also visit the FroYo! (Frozen Yogurt on-campus business) one evening and campers are allowed to purchase their own frozen yogurt.
Registration and Payments

Registration

STEP 1: To register and make payments please click here and select the camp for which you wish to register.

STEP 2: Click on the "Deposit and Registration" blue link. (This should be the first link). You will be provided with deposit and registration specific information and a light blue button on the left bottom of the page (login to purchase).

STEP 3: Please enter your email address to create a new account and click the light blue button: Continue or if you already have a username and password for Rowan Marketplace please that one. (Please use an email address you wish to use to enter your password and name information and click the light blue button: Create New Account. You will be prompted to complete the registration information and click the light blue button: Add to Cart. You will then be prompted to pay with an online payment method.

Registration & Payment Deadline: June 1, 2019

Payments

All camp payments (including deposits and payment for private lessons) are to be paid online at the above website at the time of registration. Only online credit/debit card payments are accepted. All deposits are non-refundable and are required in the amount of $100. You are required to pay the $100 deposit at the time of registration and will be able to log in to your account and pay the remainder of the camp balance before June 1, 2019. After a payment is submitted you will receive an email confirming your camp registration and payment.

Band, Choral-Vocal, Composition/Theory, and String Camp:

Resident: $725
Commuter: $625

Music Industry/Technology Camp:

Resident: $800
Commuter: $700
Medical Needs

Required Forms

A required medical care form and medicine distribution form are located under the 'Forms and Camp Policies' section of this packet. Please print, complete and bring those forms with your child to the registration check in table on July 21st. If there are any specific questions/concerns or serious medical needs please email us at musiccamps@rowan.edu so the camp coordinators can prepare the staff accordingly. Please refer to the section 'Allergies & Special Dietary Needs' under the Supervision, Housing, Meals & Packing List title of this packet for more information.

Medications

Campers are required to self-administer their appropriate dosage of medicine. Campers are required to know what their medication is, be able to recognize it, know the dosage, and when to take it. Camp staff will only be able to provide reminders of when medication is to be taken. Due to possible side effects, the first dose of any new medication must be taken 24 hours prior to attending camp. All medications taken during program hours must be in their original pharmaceutical container with prescription dosage and name clearly marked. Campers are not allowed to bring more than two weeks of medication. The amount is to be verified in writing by camp staff and the parent/guardian. Inhalers and Epi-Pens are considered prescribed medications.

In the event of an emergency, all illnesses or injuries requiring medical attention will be referred to Jefferson Memorial Hospital, in Washington Township, New Jersey (less than 4 miles from campus). If your child requires immediate assistance, the contact information provided on the Medical Care Form will be contacted by one of the camp coordinators as soon as possible. A parent and/or guardian’s signature is necessary to provide medical care. The camper’s personal medical insurance plan will be responsible for payment of all medical services.

If there are any concerns/questions before or during the week of camp – please do not hesitate to contact us using our camp phone number or camp email listed at the beginning of the packet.
Supervision, Housing, Meals & Packing List

Supervision

Your child's safety is our utmost priority. While at camp, your child is required to follow the camp schedule at all times. All campers will be supervised 24/7 and will travel in large groups accompanied by counselors, directors and camp coordinators. Attendance is taken at all rehearsals, sectionals, meals, concerts and at the dorms. In addition to our camp staff supervision the Rowan University Campus Police patrol the campus 24/7.

Commuters

Commuters receive lunch and dinner meals daily. Commuters are expected to arrive at 8:45am at Wilson Hall (music building). Commuters will report to the Rowan BLVD Apartments at the specified registration check-in time on Sunday morning. Commuters may be picked up 9:00pm in Wilson Hall loading dock. Directions to the Wilson Hall downstairs loading dock are below. To request a different location, please notify one of the camp coordinators. (Camp phone or camp email) The evening activity to the frozen yogurt (FROYO!) business on campus will require all commuters to be picked up at 9:30pm on Rowan Boulevard; Dates TBD.

All commuters will be signed in and out by a head counselor every day and must be picked up by the specified parent/guardian name given at check in on July 21st. If anyone other than the specified parent/guardian picks up or drops off a commuter, notice must be given to one of the camp coordinators (Rachel Michel or Joe Akinskas) prior to the pick-up/drop off time. All commuters must be dropped off and picked up at the Wilson Hall loading dock.

Directions to the Wilson Hall loading dock: From Bowe Blvd turn onto North Campus Drive, pass Lot D on your left and through the Engineering building overpass (above you). Turn right (4th entrance) into the Wilson Hall loading dock. Please be sure to pull along the sidewalk with hazard lights on. Walk on the sidewalk towards the glass door, where our head counselor in charge of commuters will be checking campers in and out.

Resident Campers

Residents receive breakfast, lunch and dinner daily. Up to 3 roommate requests will be honored. Each camper will have their own room with individual keypad locks on each bedroom door. There are 4 campers per apartment. Each apartment includes 2 bathrooms, 1 living room and 1 kitchen. Campers are allowed to use the refrigerator, cabinets and sink. Campers are strictly prohibited from using the oven and stove. All campers are required to bring their own bed sheets (twin extra long), blankets, towels (bath and pool), pillow and sleeping bag. Paper towels and hand soap are not provided in the apartments; however, toilet paper will be provided. Lights out every night at 11:00pm. If a dorm key is lost, a $25 charge will incur when camp concludes.
Allergies and Special Dietary Needs

Please be sure to fill out the medical/dietary needs form under the forms and camp policies section and bring them to the check-in table on July 21st. If your child has any serious allergies or dietary/medical needs we should be aware of prior to camp, please email us at musiccamps@rowan.edu. If your child requires an epi-pen prescribed by their doctor, they are required to carry it with them at all times. If your child has an allergic reaction, requiring their prescribed epi-pen, they will need to be able to administer it at the appropriate time. If your child takes any medication (in addition to an epi-pen) for allergies, please refer to the 'medications' section under Medical Needs on page 8. The Rowan University Registered Dietician, Melissa Hudock, RD is able to assist all camper requests and medical dietary needs during the week of camp. Click here for more information!

Meals

All meals are served buffet style in the University dining hall located in the Chamberlain Student Center. All foods are listed with ingredients on a tag in front of the food and include if the foods are vegan, vegetarian, gluten free, dairy free, etc. There is a dedicated gluten free section in the dining hall as well. The Rowan University Registered Dietician: Melissa Hudock is also available upon request at meals for specific assistance. The dining services receives a list of all camper dietary needs/concerns one week prior to camp to help prepare foods to accommodate all camper's eating needs. Please be sure to specify any food allergies or dietary needs in the initial deposit registration form. You may also email us at musiccamps@rowan.edu. There are two vending machines in Wilson hall available to all campers for snacks and bottle beverage purposes. Campers are encouraged to bring their own (non-microwavable & non-refrigerated) snacks to camp. All water fountains have a filtered water option for reusable water bottles.

Packing List

Below we have put together a suggested packing list for your week at camp! July weather is sometimes unpredictable and include high humidity. Please keep in mind the dorms and all other buildings on campus are air-conditioned. Please be sure to bring a good pair of sneakers! Make sure all of your belongings are marked with your name and contact information and do not bring any valuables to camp. Please be sure to pack: a pillow, pillowcase, two sheets, bath towel, hand towel and washcloth and blankets/sleeping bag.

Packing list is located on the next page.
Packing List

***Concert attire: black dress shoes, black pants/skirt and black dress shirt (string, vocal, composition and band campers ONLY) Music Industry campers do not need to wear concert attire.***

All campers are required to bring their own bed sheets (twin extra long), pillow, blankets, towels (bath and pool) and sleeping bag.

Water bottles or refillable bottle (there are filtered water fountains in the music building)
Backpack/bag
Pajamas
Blankets/sleeping bag/Extra Long Twin size bed sheets
Pillow
Toiletries
Hand soap
Paper towel roll
Sneakers (a good pair)
Flip-flops/good sandals
Socks
Shirts
Sunscreen
Light jackets
Sweatshirt
Shorts/pants
Undergarments
Instrument
Music (for band, string and vocal placement auditions)
Pencils (for marking music)
Bath & pool towels/washcloths/hand towels
Bathing suit
Snacks
Necessary medications
Umbrella/rain poncho
Board/card games
Money (purchase ice cream and food/drink from vending machine and our evening activity walk to the on campus YoGo Factory - Frozen Yogurt)
Headphones (Over the ear) (for music industry/technology campers only) Suggestions from our Music Industry Director:
-Cheaper - Monoprice
-Mid-Level - Sennheiser
-Pro – Audio-Technica
Check-In and Check-Out

*Check In - Sunday, July 21, 2019*

Please arrive to registration check in between 8:30-9:45am at the Rowan BLVD Apartments located off of Rowan Boulevard from Route 322. Please see the maps at the end of this packet. **Commuters and Residents will check in at the above time and location.**

Please park in the Rowan BLVD Parking Garage, first level. Camp staff will be available to direct you and your child (with luggage) to the check in location at the Rowan BLVD Apartments.

All campers are required bring the following printed and signed forms with them to registration: Medicine Distribution Form, Camp Policies Form, Media Release Form, Request to Leave Camp Form and Medical Care Form. Campers should also bring any necessary/required prescribed medications (including inhalers and epi-pens). Please see the 'Medical Needs' section for more detailed information medical care and prescriptions.

Campers are strongly encouraged not to bring valuables to camp. All campers are responsible for their personal belongings brought to camp.

All resident campers will receive a camp T-shirt in their dorm rooms and all commuter campers will receive their t-shirt at check in. All t-shirt sizes given to campers will be the requested size stated on their original online registration form.

*Check Out - Thursday, July 25, 2019*

Campers check out of dorms only. Parents are not needed to assist with camper check out. All campers will be required to pack their items, clean out trash from their dorms and return the room key to the RU Housing staff. Campers will be charged for any lost room keys in the amount of $25 when camp concludes.

Camp staff to Wilson Hall will transport all luggage during the afternoon of Thursday, July 25th. Luggage will be secure and locked in classrooms in Wilson Hall until the end of the final concert. Campers and parents will be able to pick up luggage after the final concert only.
Camp-Specific Schedules & Information

(All schedules and evening activities are subject to change)

In addition to the below schedules some camps have special master class opportunities, counselor recitals (current Rowan Music majors), large and small group rehearsals and individual practice time.

(following the evening concert):

**Sunday, July 21st** - Ice Cream Social & Team-Building Games

**Monday, July 22nd** - Scavenger Hunts for Vocal, String & Industry; Frozen Yogurt (FROYO) for Band and Composition campers

**Tuesday, July 23rd** - Frozen Yogurt (FROYO) for Industry campers; Outside games & Social time for Band, Vocal, Composition and String campers

**Wednesday, July 24th** - Frozen Yogurt (FROYO) for Vocal and String campers; Outside games & Social time for Composition, Band and Industry campers

**Band**

8:00am Breakfast
9:00am Warm-up, Ensemble Rehearsal, Sectionals
1:00pm Lunch
2:30pm Special Session/Master class, Ensemble Rehearsal
5:30pm Dinner
6:30pm Ensemble Rehearsal
7:30pm Evening Concert
8:45pm Evening Activities

**Choral-Vocal**

8:00am Breakfast
9:00am Warm-up, Ensemble Rehearsal, Sectionals
1:00pm Lunch
2:30pm Special Session/Master class, Ensemble Rehearsal
5:30pm Dinner
6:30pm Ensemble Rehearsal
7:30pm Evening Concert
8:45pm Evening Activities
Composition/Music Theory

8:00am Breakfast
9:30am Theory, Resources and Compositional Techniques
10:30am Viewing through Orchestration
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Composition Lecture
3:30pm Score Analysis, History and Stories
5:30pm Dinner
6:30pm Individual Composition Time
7:30pm Evening Concert
8:45pm Evening Activities

Music Industry/Technology

Headphones are required for all Music Industry/Technology campers.

8:00am Breakfast
9:00am Music Business, Michael McArthur
10:30am Music Technology, Mat Gendreau
12:30pm Lunch
1:00pm Music Business, Michael McArthur
3:30pm Recording Studio, Barbara Adams
5:30 Dinner
6:30 Project Time
7:30pm Evening Concert
8:45pm Evening Activities

String

8:00am Breakfast
10:15am Ensemble Rehearsal
10:30am Ensemble Coaching (Dr. Erwin observes group A)
11:20am Special Topic: Finding Your Pulse (Dr. Erwin)
12:30pm Ensemble Coaching (Dr. Erwin observes group B)
1:30pm Lunch
2:45pm Orchestra
4:00pm Masterclass
5:00pm Individual Lessons/private practice time
5:30pm Dinner
6:30pm Ensemble Rehearsal
7:00pm Evening Concert
8:45 pm Evening Activities
Final Concert

Overview

Concert Attire: (Band, Vocal, Composition and String campers only) Black pants, skirt or dress and black shirt. Music Industry Campers will not need to wear concert attire.

Band

Choral-Vocal

Composition/Music Theory

Music Industry/Technology - A video of the week's activities and camper completed projects will be showcased.

String
**Forms and Camp Policies**

Please print, complete and bring all forms to registration check-in. Failure to bring these forms with you to registration check-in on Sunday, July 21, 2019 will delay your child's registration completion.

**MEDICINE DISTRIBUTION FORM**

- All medication is self-administered by participant. (including Epi-pens and inhalers)

- Participant must know what their medication is, be able to recognize it, know the dosage, and when to take it.

- The camp staff will only provide reminders of when medication is to be taken.

- Due to possible side effects, the first dose of new medicine must be taken 24 hours prior to attending camp.

- All medications taken during program hours must be in their original pharmaceutical container with prescription dosage and name clearly marked.

- Camp staff will accept no more than two weeks of medication, the amount to be verified in writing by camp staff and the parent/guardian.

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Camper Name: _________________________________________ Age_____
Parent/Guardian Emergency Contact(s) information

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(Medicine Distribution Form continued on the next page.)
List any allergies:__________________________________________________________

Doctor’s Name:__________________________________________________________

Doctor’s Phone Number:____________________________________________________

Prescribed Medicine(s):

Amount(s) to be disbursed:

Time(s) to be disbursed:

Parent or Guardian’s Signature: _______________________________ Date:__________
MEDIA RELEASE FORM

I ______________________________ give permission for my child

g ______________________________ to have their picture and video taken during Rowan
University Music Camps July 21-25, 2019. I also give permission to post their picture and video
online for Rowan University Music Camp promotional purposes.

Parent/Guardian Signature_____________________________    Date__________________
CAMP POLICIES

Parents and campers: Please read all policies below, sign & date.

1. Campers must wear their nametag at all times around their neck with the name facing outward.

2. Campers' social and moral behavior is of paramount importance to the success of the entire camp. Campers need to respect themselves, their fellow campers, the staff, the faculty and the facility. Campers must be punctual and adhere to the camp schedule.

3. Campers may not leave campus without the written permission of the Camp Coordinator and Director as well as their parent/guardian.

4. Campers must notify a counselor before leaving any room for any reason and will leave under the supervision of a counselor. Campers may not cross Route 322 and may not be unaccompanied at any time.

5. Cell phones, pagers, or other electronic devices are not to be used during classes, rehearsals or concerts. Campers who break this rule will have those devices confiscated for the duration of the camp.

6. Alcoholic beverages, smoking and drugs are strictly prohibited on campus and during camp.

7. The use of the oven and stove in the dorms is strictly prohibited. Any camper defacing or abusing university property will be liable for damages and subject to immediate dismissal from camp.

8. All residential campers must adhere to the camp curfew. Lights out every night will be at 11:00pm. Campers need to be courteous to other campers and be prepared for the next day.

Campers violating any of the above policies may be subject to dismissal from the camp.

___________(Please initial) I have read the above rules and agree to abide by them for the duration of the Rowan University Summer Music Camp.

Camper Signature __________________________________ Date: ______________

Parent/Guardian Signature ______________________________ Date________________
MEDICAL CARE FORM

Illnesses or injuries requiring medical attention will be referred to Kennedy Memorial Hospital, in Washington Township, New Jersey (less than 4 miles from the campus). A parent and/or guardian’s signature is necessary to provide medical care. The camper’s personal medical insurance plan will be responsible for payment of all medical services.

I hereby authorize the Rowan Music Camp to take my child to a physician or hospital should the need arise.

Camper's Name: ________________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian's Name: ______________________________________________________

Emergency Telephone Numbers: ________________________________________________

Medical Insurance Company: ___________________________________________________

Policy Number: _______________________________________________________________

Please note any conditions of which we should be aware:

Current medications and dosages:

Signature of Parent/Guardian: ___________________________ Date: ________________
REQUEST TO LEAVE CAMP FORM

Please complete this form if your child will be leaving camp (Rowan University Glassboro campus) **between: 8:45am on Sunday, July 21, 2019 through 8:00pm on Thursday, July 25, 2019.** Your child will NOT be permitted to leave camp without this form completed and completion of the sign in-sign out form (when you drop off and pick up) with a head camp counselor or one of the camp coordinators.

Camper Name(s)__________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Name____________________________________________________

Camper out date______________________________ and time____________________

Camper return date______________________________ and time____________________

Reason for leaving camp________________________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

Camper Signature(s) __________________________ Date________________________

Parent/Guardian Signature __________________________ Date____________________
Maps

Rowan University Campus Map

Rowan BLVD Apartments (Number 48)

Wilson Hall

View a full map PDF of the Rowan University campus here!
Parking and Check-In on Sunday, July 21st.

Off of Route 322, enter the circle and make a right onto Rowan Boulevard. At the stop sign make a left and then a right into the Rowan BLVD Parking Garage. Park on the first level of the parking garage and down the sidewalk towards Rowan BLVD Apartments.
Rowan BLVD Apartments (Check-In)
Rowan BLVD Apartment Pictures (Inside)
Rowan BLVD Apartment Pictures Continued (Inside)
Culminating concerts in Pfleeger Concert Hall

Pfleeger Concert Hall

Wilson Hall -- Loading dock (Commuter dropoff and pick up)

Inside Pfleeger Concert Hall

Outside Pfleeger Concert Hall