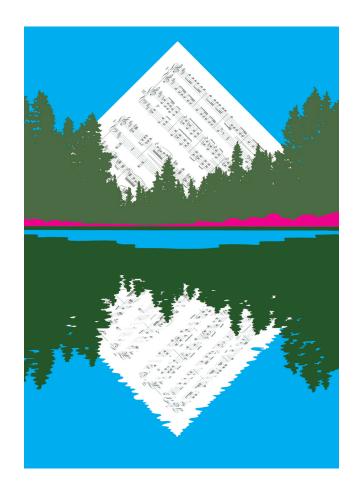




- "This camp is amazing for all band students wanting to improve their skills on their instruments." ~ Lucas W.
- "I have learned how to be a better musician as an individual and gained confidence in my playing."
  ~ Reagan W.
- "This camp is the highlight of my year!" ~ Liv K.
- "I have learned how to perform with grace and how to interact with my ensemble mates in a meaningful way." ~ Moe K.
- "Tve had so much fun at camp learning from true professionals. All the great lessons the faculty members have taught me are sure to stick throughout college and the rest of my life." ~ Jack S.
- "The outstanding concerts gave me so much more passion for music." ~ Zoey C.
- "If you had told me a week ago that I would do an improv solo during a concert, I honestly would have laughed. Never in my wildest dreams could I have imagined just how amazing this camp would be." ~ Taylor W.



59<sup>th</sup> Season



June 1-9, 2024

A Special Musical Experience



### Dear Music Student:

This year marks the 59<sup>th</sup> Season of the Red Lodge Music Festival. If you have just finished the seventh grade, are just graduating from high school, or are somewhere in between, you may attend the 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Red Lodge Music Festival. When you come to Red Lodge June 1-9 you will experience a unique blend of music performance and fun!

With the backdrop of the stunning Beartooth Mountains, you will be involved in musical performances in chamber music and larger groups such as wind ensembles, jazz ensembles, and orchestras. Your teachers will be talented performers from universities, colleges, and symphony orchestras from across the nation. They are selected for their ability to share their musical skills which you will hear in five evening recitals. Year after year, students leave the Festival praising the faculty.

These professional musicians will work with you in master classes and coach you as you prepare for performances in small ensembles, full orchestra, and wind ensembles. The director of Orchestras will be Luis Millán, orchestra director at the University of Montana. Peter Haberman, Concordia College, Minnesota, will conduct the bands. Greg Gatien of Brandon University and Scott Jeppesen of Montana State University-Billings will conduct the jazz bands. Zach Harmon will conduct the jazz combo.

Something very special happens as the week progresses and you get together with students and faculty to make music. You will make friends with students and faculty from Montana and other states and develop greater skills in music performance. Your nine days at the Red Lodge Festival will be an experience you will cherish as a happy memory.

If you want to learn to play great music from professional musicians while staying in a scenic wonderland just an hour from Yellowstone Park, come to Red Lodge Music Festival this summer. Come to Music in the Mountains!

Students must have completed seventh grade with two years playing experience recommended and not have attended college at time of application.

# **Festival Auditions**

All students audition for ensemble and orchestra placement when they arrive at the Festival on Saturday, June 1, 2024. Audition materials for all instruments will be posted on the internet in the spring of 2024 at www.rlmf.org. Participation in orchestra by wind and brass students will be determined by their auditions at the Festival on June 1<sup>st</sup>.

All piano students must audition in person when they arrive at the Festival on June 1<sup>st</sup>. Pianists should indicate if they wish to play piano only or play other instruments in some of their ensembles or master classes.

# **Festival Fees**

The fees for attending the Festival include board and room, tuition, and a colorful Festival T-Shirt. If you send your full payment of \$599 by **April 29, 2024**, you will receive the EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT of \$20.

On Campus: \$649.00 (includes \$20 non-refundable registration fee) EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT TOTAL \$629.00 (if paid by April 29th) You save \$20.00

Off Campus: \$520.00

No refunds given after May 25th.

Financial aid based on need is available.

#### Contact:

Lynn Jensen 3501 Briarwood Blvd. Billings, MT 59101 (406) 256-5210 for financial aid information

> 2024 HONOR STRING ENSEMBLE Please watch the 2024 website for details Auditions open to grades 9-12 Applications due 2/26/2024 Details at rlmf.org

We at the Red Lodge Music Festival embrace diversity, equity, and inclusion. We strive to make music study and music performance accessible to all qualified students. We do not tolerate hate speech or hateful conduct intended to bully, vilify, humiliate, or incite hatred against a group or person because of their race, gender identity, sexual orientation, physical ability, cultural identity, religion, or socio-economic status.

### **Faculty Members**

Sarah Hansen, Cello Bradley University, IL

Karen Becker, Cello University of Nebraska

**David Carter,** Clarinet Tulsa Symphony, OK

**Chris Dickey,** Tuba/Euphonium Washington State University

Mark Fenderson, Trumpet Montana State University Billings Billings Symphony Orchestra

**Greg Gatien,** Saxophone Jazz Band Brandon University, MB Canada

**Mitchell Giambalvo,** Piano University of Utah

**Peter Haberman** Conductor of Bands Concordia College, MN

**John Harmon**, Jazz Improv Composer in Residence Winneconne, WI

Zach Harmon, Percussion Jazz Combo Menasha, WI

**Carrie Krause,** Violin Concertmaster, Bozeman Symphony Orchestra

Brian Hodges, Cello Boise State University, ID

**Scott Jeppesen,** Saxophone Jazz Band Montana State University Billings

Marcia Henry Liebenow, Violin Bradley University, IL Concertmaster, Peoria Symphony Orchestra

**June Huang,** Violin Director of Strings George Mason University, VA

**Megan Murphy Kenny,** Violin Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra, NC **Sue Logan,** Oboe Billings Symphony Orchestra

**Loren Marsteller,** Trombone/Euphonium Los Angeles, CA

**Jay Mauchley,** Piano Professor Emeritus University of Idaho

**Jennifer Cooper,** Flute Indianapolis, IN

**Zo Manfredi,** Violin Loveland, CO

Luis Millán Conductor of Orchestras University of Montana

**Aaron Miller,** Double Bass Brigham Young University Rexburg, ID

**Del Parkinson,** Piano Boise State University, ID

**Leslie Perna,** Viola University of Missouri

**Carl Rath,** Bassoon Professor Emeritus Lawrence University, WI

Rich Rulli, Trumpet University of Arkansas Symphony of Northwest Arkansas Arkansas Philharmonic Orchestra

**Bill Scharnberg,** Horn Professor Emeritus University of North Texas

**Jennifer Smith,** Viola String Orchestra of the Rockies, MT

Mary Wells, Percussion Lodi Public Schools, CA

**Stephanie Zickau,** Piano Spokane, WA

