

New Ulm Suzuki School of Music

Newsletter

August 2019

Registration Night

- When: August 26
- Time: 6:00PM
- Where: United Church of Christ

Come and find out what's happening for the new school year. We will review calendars, review our tuition agreement and talk about upcoming events. We are excited about the new year and look forward to seeing you all. Please share this event with anyone interested in starting lessons. We would love to meet with them. Registration and sign up for events will follow after a short meeting starting at 6:00. See you there.

Calendar updates

Calendars are being updated right now so check back to our website often to see what events you need to get on your calendars. Final updates will be complete by September 1.

Lesson Schedules and Group Lesson Rosters

Watch your email for lesson schedules and group lesson rosters. We apologize for the deluge of emails that you are getting from us right now, but the beginning of the school year always requires changes and updates. We hope to have everything finalized by September 1. We thank you for taking the time to read the information and being flexible.

Parent Workshop

- When: January 11, 2020
- Where: United Church of Christ
- We will share more details as they become available.

Every year we have a Suzuki workshop for our students. This year we are having a workshop for our Suzuki parents. While having additional workshop for our students is wonderful we don't want to minimize the importance of the parents – so here we go.

We are thrilled to announce that we have secured Ed Sprunger to come and give a workshop on his book "Helping Parents Practice". Ed Sprunger is a world renowned speaker in the Suzuki world and has presented throughout the country. We are so excited that he will be coming to New Ulm to share his insight into practice and children.

Please put the date on your calendar. You will leave ready to tackle the challenging job of not only practicing with your children but raising them in general. His tactics work throughout your life as your family grows.

Each family is asked to purchase his book so that we can begin reviewing it in our parent groups this fall. We will have them available to you before the first parent group that will be discussing this book on October 28. We will add the cost to your monthly bill. If you already own one please let us know by emailing – office@newulmsuzuki.org.

This is a wonderful opportunity for all of our families to get some wonderful encouragement and training. We hope that most, if not all, of our families to take advantage of this opportunity. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask.

Parent Groups

We will once again be having our parent groups where we will cover all kinds of topics. We will begin our year with our newer families. Here is the schedule.

- September 16 – New Parent Group – Intro to NUSSM
- October 7 – New Parent Group – Intro to the Suzuki philosophy
- October 28 – All Parent Group – ‘Helping Parents Practice’
- November 18 – All Parent Group – “Helping Parents Practice”
- December 2 – All Parent Group – “Helping Parents Practice”

Special Events

We are looking at several special events to make available to our Suzuki families. We hear again and again how those experiences formed families into avid concert and art events attendees. That is our hope!! We will give more specifics at Registration Night.