



# Cumberland Valley School of Music



2009 Fall  
Program Schedule  
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A nonprofit member of the National Guild of Community Schools of the Arts, providing musical arts education and performances throughout the Cumberland Valley, with locations in Chambersburg, Waynesboro, Mercersburg, PA and Hagerstown, MD

## Pre-School



### Musical Kaleidoscope

For 4 -5 years. (Class size is limited)

Building on the child's innate musical ability, this imaginative class cultivates a love of music with varied and satisfying musical experiences. The students will have an exposure to exploring sounds vocally and instrumentally, moving creatively, and listening to classical music. Active musical learning is combined with enjoyable shared musical experiences. This class provides a musical learning environment that is fun, relaxed, and appropriate for the developmental age of the young child. **Instructor:** Susan Whitelock  
**Dates & Time:** Thursdays, September 10 – December 17, 4:45 - 5:30 PM (no class November 26) • **Fee:** \$168 for 14 weeks

### Music Together

18 months- 5 years. Siblings younger than 18 months can attend at no charge. (Class size is limited)

This class explores music in a warm, low-key atmosphere, making music a part of everyday life, setting in motion a life-long love of and participation in music. Basic music skills will be developed through song, creative movement, and rhythm instruments. Parents or caregivers are asked to participate in order to learn how to nurture their child's musical development. The emphasis will be on the child, parent, and teacher experiencing the joy of making "Music Together." **Instructor:** Susan Matson

**Dates & Times:** Wednesdays, September 9 – December 9, 5:15 – 6:00 PM  
Parent/Caregiver class, September 30<sup>th</sup> (No student classes September 30, November 4 & 25)

**Fee:** \$175 for 11 weeks of children's classes and 1 week parent/caregiver class (includes CD, song book and education materials)



## School-Age

### Cumberbunds Children's Chorus

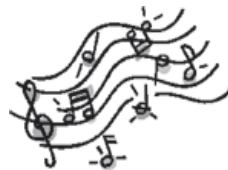
Grades 4– 8 (unchanged voices)

Cumberbunds will develop a child's natural singing voice, cultivating a love of music in an entertaining and educational atmosphere. Participants receive instruction and rehearse weekly; learn to sing comfortably throughout their range; are introduced to part-singing & simple choreography; and become more comfortable performing in front of an audience. The group will perform two songs at the CVSM Gala Showcase Concert, Sunday, October 25 at the Capitol Theatre and will perform their full program at the CVSM recital held on December 17<sup>th</sup>. The group may perform in a limited number of Community functions.

**Director:** Jeffrey Noll • **Fall Dates & Time:** Thursdays, September 10 – December 17, 4:30 – 6:00 PM, Saturday rehearsal, November 21, 9 AM – noon. Brief parents' meeting at 5:45 PM, September 17<sup>th</sup>. Students missing more than 2 rehearsals per semester are required to attend make-up rehearsals. (no class 11/26)

**Spring Dates & Time:** Thursdays, January 14 – May 13, 4:30 – 6:00 PM, Saturday rehearsal April 17, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
Spring Concert Thursday, April 29, 7 PM (no rehearsal 4/01)

**Fee:** \$225 for full year; \$135 for Fall or Spring semester only + \$25 uniform fee (deduct 25% if student is also enrolled in private lessons at CVSM.)



### Individual Instruction Offered For All Ages

Accordion • Banjo • Baritone • Bass • Cello • Clarinet  
Euphonium • Flute • French Horn • Guitar • Harmonica • Mandolin  
Organ • Percussion • Piano • Saxophone • Suzuki Piano  
Trombone • Trumpet • Tuba • Viola • Violin • Voice

#### Private Lessons

1/2 hour lessons: \$288 (based on \$18 per lesson) *Some teachers may charge at a higher rate.*  
3/4 hour lessons: \$432 (based on \$27 per lesson)  
1 hour lessons: \$576 (based on \$36 per lesson)

#### Registration Information

**Tuition Payments.** After confirming placement with CVSM, a registration form and full payment must be mailed or delivered to the CVSM office. Payments may also be made over the phone using Visa, MasterCard, or Discover cards. No spots are held until payment is received, and no lessons will be taught without prior payment.

**Payment Plans** are available upon request.

**Registration Fee.** A registration fee is charged once per student during the academic year. Individual rate is \$25, or \$40 for families (includes parents and all dependent children living in their household). This fee is nonrefundable.

*Not all instruments are taught at each location. Please check with the CVSM Registrar for more information.*

## Teens & Adults



### Audio Recording Course

For teens through adult (basic computer skills helpful)

This introductory course will be taught at the M & M recording studio in Chambersburg. The basics of acoustics and digital signal processing will be covered as well as hands-on instruction with state of the art recording equipment. Students will learn about microphone choice and placement, effect devices and listening. A recording will be made and each student will 'mix' his or her own version of the song to take home.

**Instructor:** Mark Miller • **Fee:** \$195.00 for 12 Weeks

**Dates and Time:** Thursdays, September 17 – December 10, 7:00 – 8:00 PM (no class November 26<sup>th</sup>) • **Location:** M & M Studio, Chambersburg

### Making a Scene: An Actor's Workshop

Teens and adults

Students will learn about acting through theater games, improvisation, and the rehearsal and performance of scenes. Emphasis will be put on basic techniques such as voice projection, stage movement, posture and on the development of acting scenes: creating character, analyzing the meaning of a scene and finding physical movement to enhance the scene.

**Instructor:** Richard Shoap • **Fee:** \$130 for 8 weeks

**Dates and Time:** Wednesdays, September 30 – November 18, 7:00 – 8:30 PM; Final Performance on November 19, 7:00 PM



### Upcoming Events

Tues, Sept. 8	CVSM Fall Classes & Lessons Begin
Sun, Sept. 27	"Stages of Love" Musicale
Sun, Oct. 25	20th Annual Gala Showcase Concert
Sat., Dec. 5	"Christmas at Coldbrook Farm" Musicale
Fri, Dec. 18	"Unexpected Song: Broadway's Greatest Love Songs"
Sat, Feb. 20	CVSM Dinner Dance & Auction
Sat, Mar. 20	PERFORMATHON 2010
Sat., June 5	CVSM 2nd Annual Neighborhood Chefs' Walk

## CVSM Community String Orchestra

This ensemble is open to violin, viola, cello and string bass performers who are comfortable playing in 3<sup>rd</sup> position (first violin to 5<sup>th</sup>) and would enjoy participating in an ensemble that would require a minimum time commitment.

**Conductor:** Herm Hopple • **Fee:** FREE

**Fall Concert:** Rehearsals - Tuesdays, October 13, 20, 27, November 3; 7:00 – 8:30 PM; Thomson Alumnae Chapel, Wilson College

**Performance:** Tuesday, November 10; 8:00 PM, Thomson Alumnae Chapel, Wilson College



## CVSM Community Symphonic Band

For High School students and adults

This band is designed for the proficient player (graded band music at Level III or IV) who would enjoy the opportunity to play concert band repertoire, but can't devote one night a week throughout the year. Based on a limited time commitment, the band performs twice a year and rehearses several weeks prior to each performance.

**Conductor:** David Wenerd • **Fee:** FREE

**Winter Concert:** Rehearsals - Sundays, January 10, 17, 24; 2 – 4 PM, CAMS Auditorium

**Performance:** Sunday, January 31, 3:00 PM, CAMS Auditorium

All classes and programs are located at CVSM's primary studios on the 2nd & 3rd floors of Thomson Hall, Wilson College, 1015 Philadelphia Avenue in Chambersburg, unless otherwise noted.

CVSM awards a number of scholarships for lower-income students. Please do not hesitate to ask for financial assistance, if needed. Scholarship applications for the Fall semester are due in the CVSM office by Monday, August 17th. Visit our web site for more information at [cvsmusic.org](http://cvsmusic.org) or call the office at (717) 261-1220.

### Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name(s) if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Course Desired/ Instrument	Location	Day/ Time	Teacher	Tuition
_____	_____	_____	_____	\$ _____
_____	_____	_____	_____	\$ _____
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Additional 3% of tuition if opting to use payment plan \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Annual registration fee: \$25 individual/\$40 family \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL DUE:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

School Grade: \_\_\_\_\_  New Student  Check Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

VISA/MC/DISCOVER: # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Group Instruction

## Beginning Guitar Class

For Ages 12 – adult

Beginning instruction will include tuning, 1<sup>st</sup> position melody playing, chords, rhythms through 8<sup>th</sup> notes, strumming, and ensemble playing. Students must provide their own guitar.

Class size limited. **Instructor:** Tresa Paul

**Dates & Time:** Thursdays, September 17 – December 10, 7:00 – 8:00 PM (no class Nov. 26th)

**Fee:** \$144 for 12 weeks (includes price of book)



## Voice Class

For teens and adults

This class focuses on basic vocal technique, including correct breathing, placement, posture and diction. Class will include vocalizes, group and individual singing. Basic knowledge of the physiological processes of singing will also be included.

Class size is limited. **Instructor:** Elisabeth Turchi

**Dates & Time:** Mondays, September 14 – December 21, 7:00 – 8:00 PM (no class November 30th)

**Fee:** \$140 for 14 weeks

## Building Keyboard Skills

- an introduction to the piano

This class takes a maximum of five beginning students. Each student will work on a Yamaha digital keyboard. The group approach cultivates positive spirit that stimulates and reinforces learning and provides incentive to practice. Classroom interaction makes understanding basic music skills such as theory, technique, and rhythm more interesting and enjoyable. Playing successfully in an ensemble situation requires greater attention to accurate rhythms and steady tempo, which helps to cultivate musicianship. Age appropriate games and drills will be used to enhance musical skills and understanding. A minimum number of students is required to run each class. **Instructor:** Marie Hershey

**Fee:** \$168 for 14 weeks (includes price of book)

**Dates and Time:** Mondays, September 14 – December 21, 7:00 – 8:00 PM (no class November 30th)



## NEW! Finale® Music Notation Software: A Class by Yourself!!

Under the guidance of qualified instructor, Tim Gotwald, learn to compose, arrange, notate, and print engraver quality sheet music using Finale®, the world's most powerful music notation software. These private lessons are ideal both for the novice and educators, worship leaders or song writers. Students should be able to read notated music and have a working knowledge of the piano keyboard.

**Instructor:** Tim Gotwald • **Fee:** \$390 for (13) thirteen, 45 minute sessions

**Dates and Time:** Call the CVSM Registrar (717.261.1220) to schedule your lesson time.



## CVSM Music Store



We provide the best in instrument rentals & sales, musical accessories (such as valve oil, strings, rosin, reeds, stands, etc.), printed music, and repairs. And best of all, profits from the store help support CVSM, your community school of music! Gift certificates available!

2nd floor of Thomson Hall on the Wilson College Campus, Chambersburg  
Store Hours: Mon: 10AM–6PM; Tues–Fri: 10AM–5PM

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