

Cedar Rock's Proposed Musical Programs

Music has been enriching the lives of individuals throughout the world for centuries, and the continuation and expansion of this trend is one of the cultural mandates of Cedar Rock.

From music theory and education to performance, Cedar Rock will have musical programs to suit all age levels and abilities. With a variety of venues from which to perform, students can benefit from studying with some of the finest local and visiting world-class instructors. Seminars, short workshops and conferences are also available.

Private Music Lessons:

Accordion
Banjo
Bassoon
Cello
Clarinet
Double Bass
Drums
Flute & Piccolo
French Horn
Harmonica
Harp
Guitar (Acoustical & Electric)
Keyboard & Organ
Oboe
Piano
Saxophone
Trombone
Trumpet
Tuba & Euphonium
Viola
Violin
Voice
Xylophone

Dates: to be announced

Instructors: to be announced

Fees: hourly rates to be determined by each instructor

Music Theory Courses:

Curricula are designed based on Royal Conservatory of Music or Conservatory Canada theory examinations. Private and group lessons are offered in all levels of Music Theory, Counterpoint, Harmony and Analysis.

Complete Rudiments 101:

Basic Harmony 101:

Pre-requisite: Complete Rudiments 101

Intermediate Harmony 201:

Pre-requisite: Basic Harmony 101

Advanced Harmony 301:

Pre-requisite: Intermediate Harmony 201

Analysis 401:

Pre-requisite: Advanced Harmony 301

Counterpoint 101:

Pre-requisite: Analysis 401

History 1: An Overview 101:

History 2: Middle Ages to Classical 201:

Pre-requisite: History 101

History 3:

Pre-requisite: History 201

Dates: to be announced

Instructors: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Choirs:

These programs offer performance opportunities for all ages and abilities from the inexperienced to the most seasoned singers.

Children's Choir (Age 6-9):

This primary choir gently launches young singers into the world of shared singing, vocal production, sight-singing, and ear training.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Children's Choir (Age 10 -14):

This choir is for those who wish to further develop their choral abilities. Musical development is nurtured through training in vocal production, sight-singing, ear training, music theory and general musicianship.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Women's Choir:

This choir welcomes female singers aged 18 years and older who simply love to sing. Emphasis is on the development of healthy voices, sight singing and musicianship, with a focus on exploring treble voice repertoire from the Renaissance to the 20th Century.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Men's Choir:

This choir welcomes male singers aged 18 years and older who simply love to sing. Emphasis is on the development of healthy voices, sight singing and musicianship, with a focus on exploring tenor, baritone and bass voice repertoire from the Renaissance to the 20th Century.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Lunch Time Mixed Choir:

This choir welcomes singers of all ages who want to get together for short impromptu performances and on special occasions and holidays.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Barbershop Quartet:

For those individuals who love the nostalgia of the barbershop quartet, here is an opportunity for small groups of men to jam together. And watch for those amazing haircuts!

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Strings Ensemble:

This ensemble provides young string players with an opportunity to gain performance experience in a group setting and to enhance their musicianship skills. Students meet weekly to rehearse, practice, and enjoy making music with others.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Acting For Singers:

Students learn the basics of acting, expression, staging, movement, theatre etiquette and stage presence through monologue work, scene study and improvisation. In this course, students bring the finishing touches to their musical performances in a fun, supportive and creative environment.

Pre-requisite: age 15 or older

Dates: to be announced (3 hour classes per week)

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Music in Early Childhood:

Music is readily discovered by pre-school children (ages 3 to 6) through nursery rhymes, traditional chants, singing games, folk songs, and movement activities. In this course, small groups of children learn to build a foundation that will help them succeed in all areas of life.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined

Opera:

This course focuses on the essential music and theatre skills necessary for every professional singer. Under the guidance of leading theatre and music instructors, students will engage in intense musical and dramatic investigation of a master work. Students will learn and apply new ideas and methodologies to acting and movement, while emphasizing the importance of body alignment, breath, diction, and speech.

Dates: to be announced

Instructor: to be announced

Fees: to be determined by each instructor

Cedar Rock's Fall Music Festival Competition

Every second week in November, Cedar Rock's music teachers invite their students to a friendly competition that encourages them to develop their technical and performance skills.

As an annual week-long event, held early in the instructional year, students are inspired to incorporate the valuable comments provided by the adjudicators into their studies. Friends, family members and guests are welcome to attend as the performances, which are held in the Marquee Royale Theatre. Registration is required by October 15th.

Music & Theatre Workshops:

A variety of short, intensive professional development workshops are offered each summer. These workshops provide opportunities for emerging and established artists and practitioners to take part in programs in the inspiring community of Cedar Rock, while developing new skills, interacting with workshop faculty and participants, and exploring specific areas of focus in the performing arts.

Dates: to be announced

Instructors: to be announced

Fees: to be determined