



*Transforming Lives
Building Community*

**WORLD
MUSIC
DRUMMING
FOR KIDS**
ENTERING GRADES 4 - 8



JULY 6-10, 2009

LEESBURG, VIRGINIA

HARPER PARK MIDDLE SCHOOL



What is World Music Drumming?

World Music Drumming is an acclaimed music curriculum (taught in the Loudoun County Schools) based on West African and Caribbean drumming and singing. Established in 1996 by Dr. Will Schmid, Milwaukee, WI, World Music Drumming is now being taught in thousands of schools worldwide. In recent years World Music Drumming has expanded its circle of cultures to include the Middle East, Europe, Asia, Native America, South America, and popular styles such as rock, hip-hop and blues.



Where is the workshop?

Harper Park Middle School, 701 Potomac Station Dr NE, Leesburg, VA 20176 (back of Holiday Inn Carradoc Hall on Hwy 7). World Music Drumming for Kids is being held at Harper Park M.S. during the same week as a World Music Drumming workshop for Teachers.

Who is it for?

Students entering grades 4 through 8 are eligible for the workshop. Classes (maximum 30 per class) will be separated by age. No prior drumming experience is necessary.

Who are the teachers?

The World Music Drumming Teaching Staff includes music teachers from Florida to Washington State who have been teaching drumming for more than 10 years. All classes will have both a national World Music Drumming staff teacher and an assistant teacher from the Loudoun County Schools.

What is the schedule for July 6-10?

Students can sign up for either one or both sessions (content will be different) —

- Morning Session: 9:00a-12:00p Mon., Tue., Wed., Thurs., Fri.
- Afternoon Session: 1:30-4:30p Mon., Tue., Wed., Thurs., Fri. 9a-12p (see below)

Friday 9:00a-12:00p will be a *Sharing Session for All* (both AM and PM classes). Family members are welcome to attend the Sharing Session for All.

Students attending both Morning and Afternoon Sessions should bring their lunch.



WORKSHOP DETAILS

What is the cost?

\$200 for each Morning or Afternoon Session. Students signing up for both Morning and Afternoon Sessions pay \$400. Transportation and lunch are not provided.

Do I need a drum or books?

No. All drums and other musical instruments (rattles, xylophones, Latin percussion) are provided. Everything is taught through oral tradition.

How do I sign up?

Fill out the last page of this brochure and FAX or MAIL the form with payment as soon as possible. Enrollment is on a first-come, first-served basis.



Is enrollment limited?

YES. The Morning Session (9:00a-12:00p) is limited to 90 (three sections of 30 each), and the Afternoon Session (1:30-4:30p) is limited to 90 (three sections of 30 each).

How do I know if the workshop is still open?

Go to the www.worldmusicdrumming.com website. The Home Page will have up-to-date information about whether the workshop is open or closed.

If I choose the afternoon session will I be behind?

No. We will teach each Session as a separate class with different music.



Do I have to drum like this guy?

No, but a go-for-it attitude is a big plus. You will have a great time at the workshop, so come ready to dive into some high energy music. You will be drumming, singing, moving, playing xylophones, and really learning to play together as part of an amazing ensemble. You will also have the chance to break into small groups and make up your own drum pieces. On Friday morning at the Sharing Session for All, maybe one of your pieces will be chosen to share with the whole workshop.

REGISTRATION FORM

Name _____ Nametag 1st Name _____

Street _____

City _____ St _____ Zip _____

E-mail (home preferred) _____

Home Phone (_____) _____

Gender (circle) male female

I am entering (circle) grade: 4 5 6 7 8

✓ World Music Drumming for Kids

Sign me up for the following sessions (check one or both):

Morning Session 9:00a-12:00p Mon. through Fri. \$200

*Afternoon Session 1:30-4:30p Mon. through Thurs.; 9:00a-12:00p Fri. \$200

*Please note the Fri. morning time for the Sharing for All Session. Students who cannot attend on Friday morning may still sign up for the M-Th class (\$200).

✓ Choose Method(s) of Payment (you may combine several):

Visa MasterCard American Express (no Discover Card, please)

Credit Card # _____ Exp. date _____

Signature _____ Cardholder's ZIP code _____

Personal Check enclosed (to "Music Workshops, Ltd.")

Morning Session (\$200) \$ _____

Afternoon Session (\$200) \$ _____

TOTAL: \$ _____

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Or **FAX** (secure) to:
414-332-2766
(credit card only)

Music Workshops, Ltd. will confirm your registration by email and mail.