

What is the General Music Festival?

The Eleventh Annual General Music Festival is sponsored by the Society for General Music in Massachusetts, the University of Massachusetts at Lowell, and individual districts throughout the state.

The festival is an opportunity for musically inclined children in grades 3-8 to come together for a day of singing, dancing, and instrument playing under the direction of some of the state's finest music educators.

The festival provides fellow educators the opportunity to observe peers in action, build their own repertoire of activities, songs, chants, dances, and other creative experiences, gain further insights into their students, earn PDPs, and more!

Featured Clinicians:

Dr. Tom Malone: World Music

Prof. Janet Welby: Vocal Music

Prof. Pam Yanco: Recorders

Schedule for the Day

9:00 - 9:30 Check in/warm up
9:30 - 10:30 Activity 1
10:30 - 10:45 Break/snack
10:45 - 11:45 Activity 2
11:45-12:15 - Lunch
12:15- 1:15 Activity 3
1:15- 1:30 Bathroom break
1:30-2:00 All Together Now!

Student Information

- Bring lunch, snacks and drinks
- Wear jeans and sneakers
- Each student will receive a recorder at the festival
- Be ready to move, sing and play!

Parent Information

- Please make checks payable to: SGMM
- The participation fee is \$15 per student if postmarked by April 21st and \$25 thereafter.
Cost of the recorder is included in this fee.

(Your teacher will mail all permission slips and fees in one packet for the entire school).

To Be Completed by Parent/Guardian

Child _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Grade Level _____

Parent/Guardian _____

(Relation) _____

Emergency Contact _____

(Relation) _____

(In the event that the parent/guardian cannot be reached)

*If your child has any health conditions that we should be aware of and/or will be bringing any medication with him/her to the festival, please enclose specifications on a separate sheet of paper.

I, _____ allow my child, _____

to participate in the Northeast District General Music Festival at the University of Massachusetts at Lowell on May 5, 2012. I understand that neither the University of Massachusetts at Lowell, the Society for General Music in Massachusetts, nor any representatives of either, will be held liable for any injuries that occur. Also, I give permission for video and photos of my child's participation at the festival to be used for educational/publicity purposes.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date _____

Registration Fee

\$15/student (includes recorder)

Checks payable to: SGMM

(\$25 if not postmarked by April 21)

Send one packet per school with checks, completed parent/guardian registration forms and completed teacher registration forms to:

An email letter of confirmation will be sent upon receipt of registrations.

For more information contact:

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To be completed by Music Teacher

(Fill out one to accompany all student permission slips. Please send all permission slips and fees in one packet per school.)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

District _____

School _____

Number of students attending _____

Will you be attending? ___ Yes ___ No

If not, name of chaperone(s)/head chaperone

(Teacher registration waived if attending with your students)

Total student fees enclosed \$ _____

All student permission slips and fees must be received prior to the day of the festival. Send packet to:

NE-GMF Registrar
Brian Spignese
9 Moss Street
Burlington, MA 01803

May 5, 2012

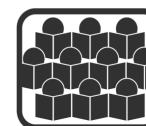
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