

MULTI ARTS CAMP (Ages 12-15)

2 Week Program

Dates: July 19 - July 30

Period	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3
First	Contemporary	Video Comedy	General Sports
Second	Songwriting	Hip Hop Fusion	Knitting
Third	Groove School	Noontime Show Production	Costumes
Lunch			
Mon, Tues, Thurs: Festival / Wed, Fri: Noontime Show			
Fifth	Rock Band	Dungeons & Dragons	Learn to Sew
Sixth	Clay	Girls Rock Band	Jazz Dance

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Contemporary Dance	1	This class is designed for students with a minimum of one year training of any dance style. We will focus on understanding body alignment, coordination, rhythmic phrasing, sense of weight, flow and expression through movement. This class also incorporates technical styles of Horton, Limon, Graham. A lyrical/contemporary dance will be taught and performed displaying the beautiful technique the campers will learn.
Video Comedy	1	Knock-Knock... Who's there? It's Video Comedy! And it's starring you! Comedy in recorded format has been around for many years. Over that time it has taken on many forms. As a student in this class you'll get a chance to explore the evolution of comedy in a variety of formats. From Charlie Chaplin to Tina Fey to the YouTube stars of today, you will learn the nuts and bolts of comedy. Working in small groups, you will write and produce your own short videos utilizing the styles and techniques that have been making people laugh for nearly 100 years.
General Sports	1	We'll play outdoor sports and games depending on what the group wishes to do. Join us and have a great time playing on the beautiful, well groomed fields on the Park School campus. Get some fresh air and exercise!

Songwriting	2	Have you ever tried writing your own song? Have you ever wanted to? We will spend the entire class writing songs and figuring out how to transform your ideas into a song. We will cover everything from getting an original idea for a song to structure and rhyme. We'll also experiment with writing in different styles. This class is for all levels. Playing an instrument is by no means required, but if you play one, bring it!
Hip Hop Fusion	2	Hip Hop, one of the most popular dance styles today, is the kind of dance that a lot of the kids are doing - either making up their own steps to the latest or old school hip-hop and R&B music or learning a routine taught by a dance teacher or friends. So whether you've never hip hopped before or you think you're a master at it, this is the class for you. Come join the fun and have the opportunity to freestyle, learn today's latest moves and more for an awesome, flashy routine that will be performed!
Knitting	2	Would you like to live in a fantastic world made out of colorful yarn? In this fun and exciting class we will be exploring the wonderful and zen world of knitting! Campers will work on a series of projects made with all different styles and colors of yarn. All levels of knitters are welcome! Campers will not only learn the basics of knitting with traditional fibers, but will have the chance to work with some truly unconventional and wacky materials.
Groove School	3	Always wanted to play drums in a band? Fulfill your dream to play drums this summer! Beginners, intermediate or advanced drummers learn the real deal on how to play together and make drum beats super groovy and fun in a group setting. Learn new styles, fills and play along with your favorite songs. "Rudiment Boot Camp" and daily warm-ups get your chops blazin'!
Noontime Show Production	3	Ever wonder how the noontime show is produced? Get a behind the scenes look at how the show comes together, gets recorded on video and ultimately broadcast for the entire world to see! In this premier course offering you will learn how to plan, produce, record and direct your very own live performance. Through hands-on activities and team building exercises, you will have an opportunity to hone the skills necessary to work together as part of a real live video production unit. Be a part of something exciting and brand new! Come hang out and learn the ins and outs of live broadcast television in this fun and fast paced video class.
Costumes and Props	3	Join our design team as we create the costumes for our summer productions! We welcome all sorts of creativity as you'll learn how to design costumes for kinds of performance. Within our fast paced classes, we begin by sketching, searching within our in- house costume and fabric stocks, and learn to make our 2D designs come to life! Help with cutting fabric, stitching by hand, painting, decorating fabrics, and sewing on the sewing machine! Some prior sewing experience is always helpful but certainly not necessary. Come join our costume construction crew!
Rock Band	5	Join together to rock the camp with this electric band! Blues, Rock and Pop tunes will be rehearsed and performed by members of the group. There will be two sets of drums and an electric bass available. Guitarists need to provide their own instruments! Students should have experience

		on the instruments they will play in the band. Please specify the instrument(s) you play, and for how many years, on the class schedule.
Dungeons & Dragons	5	Welcome, adventurers! Dungeons and Dragons (D&D) is a fantasy role playing game (RPG) in which players create characters and embark on epic journeys with the hopes of making memorable moments and, most importantly, finding that sweet-sweet loot. Taking traditional elements from the fantasy genre, D&D presents players with a virtual stage on which to create and control an imaginary persona in a fictional landscape. You and your friends will learn the basic rule set that governs the gameplay as well as how to develop your own short format campaign to present to your classmates. At it's most basic, D&D is collaborative storytelling; at it's most complex, it is only limited by the scale and scope of your own imagination!
Learn to Sew	5	Calling all individuals with any interest in sewing! In this class, we will improve both our hand sewing and sewing machine skills. Unlike the Costumes class, we will not be designing or directly making costumes for this summer's various productions. No experience is required for this class, but any experience is welcome. Each individual will identify areas they'd like to work on or a new skill they'd like to learn. Various skills include, but are not limited to runner's stitch, whip stitch, hiding finished edges, attaching a button, adding an elastic, making a ruffle, following an embroidery pattern, following a clothing pattern, sewing machine basics, practicing comfortability on the machine, and advanced machine work such as sewing on a zipper. Each individual will walk away from class with a product that showcases the new skills they've gained! Come join the fun and Learn to Sew!
Clay	6	We'll use basic hand-building construction (coil, pinch and slab methods) to create functional and fanciful pieces. We'll also experiment with surface textures and glazing techniques.
Girls Rock Band	6	Girl's Rock Band is where ladies can use their singing, percussion, guitar, bass, or keyboard skills and join their friends to form an awesome rock band! You should have prior experience playing an instrument or a willingness to learn a new instrument. We will help you get better! Guitarists and bassists need to bring your own instrument and cable.
Jazz Dance	6	This dance class is for campers interested in an emphasis placed on body alignment, stretch, muscle control, shifts of weight and directional change. Students will learn the basic jazz dance vocabulary which will be incorporated into a dance.

DAILY SCHEDULE

TIME	WHAT'S HAPPENING
8:50-9:05	ARRIVAL
9:05-9:10	GATHERING
9:10-10:10	PERIOD 1
10:10-10:20	BREAK
10:20-11:20	PERIOD 2
11:20-11:30	BREAK (SNACK)
11:30-12:30	PERIOD 3
12:30-1:00	LUNCH
1:00-1:40	NTS/FESTIVAL
1:40-2:40	PERIOD 5
2:40-2:50	BREAK
2:50-3:45	PERIOD 6
3:45	DISMISSAL