Welcome to Opus School of Music 2016/17 school year

Hello Opus families and welcome to our 2016/17 school year. We begin this fall with great excitement for our students and families. This has been our most successful fall enrollment in our ten-year history. There have been some changes to our registration process and policies and procedures. Here are the highlights.

Family Portal: we now have a family portal on our website. This allows access for current families to see their account history, which lesson/classes they are enrolled, review and sign our policies and procedures, and more. Our website is opusschoolofmusic.com, and the direct link to the portal is http://opusschoolofmusic.com/existing-student-information-opus-school-of-music/

Auto-Pay: our families have requested it, we have been needing it, and it is now here. All our tuition processing is now going through our Auto-Pay service on the first of each month. We can use either debit or credit cards

Missing a Private Lesson: if you miss a lesson, give more than 24-hour notice, but the instructor is unable to offer a make-up, no problem. We now offer a make-up class every three months, which gives families four possible make-up classes a year. They are on Saturday mornings at 11:30, an hour long, and are in the spirit of a jam session. Parents can sign up through the office and will be given details as the make-up class date approaches. The first make-up class is November 12th.

Stopping Lessons/Classes: families simply communicate with the office by the 7th of the month to stop lessons for the upcoming month. There is a withdraw form that can be picked up at the office and filled out to make it official. Don't forget to get the form. Our office staff can easily get it for you.

Fall Concert: our fall concert is called The Autumnal and is scheduled for Sunday, November 20th at 2:00-4:00. We will be combining both locations at this point. We might end up having two separate shows to accommodate the students prepared to perform. The location is The Old Liberty Theater in Ridgefield, WA. Tickets are $10 per seat and can be purchased in advance or at the door.

Website: our website has all the details on classes, schedules, and tuition fees. We also have information of all the instrument lessons that we provide, including how to start your lessons off right, frequently asked questions, and more.

Bands: one of the unique classes that we offer at Opus is student bands and combos. Similar to a University, students can join a band or combo of students working toward a set of songs to perform at The Autumnal, gigs around the community, or simply just for the experience of playing in a group. Band/Combo rehearsals begin the week of October 10th.