



Band and Orchestra instruction in a Christian environment

Fall 2020

Program Director: Eric (Rick) Brown www.ohbo.org for general questions: info@ohbo.org

Due to the COVID-19 situation, all of the details in this flyer will be subject to change that are beyond our control. Please be flexible!

Rehearsals - Tuesday Afternoons

Beginning Band	1:00-2:25	Beginning Orchestra	1:00-2:25
Intermediate Band	2:30-3:55	Junior Intermediate Orchestra	1:00-2:25
Advanced Band	4:30-5:55	Senior Intermediate Orchestra	2:30-3:55
		Advanced Orchestra	4:00-5:25

Additional sections and sectionals scheduled as necessary See reverse for calendar

Dress code for rehearsals: Please dress modestly (no low neckline, no bare midriff or bare back, no undergarments showing; no short skirt or short shorts) and neatly (no ripped or torn clothing). See reverse for concert dress code.

Location – **Grace Central Church 344 North 115th St, Omaha NE**

Ensemble Directors:

Advanced and Intermediate Bands

Rick Brown: Music Ed degree UNO, 30 years teaching music
402-227-2147 eric.brown@ohbo.org

Beginning Band

Angie Bock: Music Ed degree Northwestern of Iowa, Masters in Music Ed UNO
402-980-1814 angela.bock@ohbo.org

Advanced and Intermediate Orchestras

Becky Gafford: Music Major at Grace University, Music teacher and performer
712-310-7234 becky.gafford@ohbo.org

Beginning and Intermediate Orchestras

Michelle Sargent: Studied music at IWCC, teacher and performer
402-595-0003 michelle.sargent@ohbo.org

Kaylin Wymore: Violin Teacher and performer
402-290-3715 kaylin.wymore@ohbo.org

Registration Information

Semester Cost:

\$135 for first student in any ensemble

\$90 for each additional student in the family (Fifth or more student or ensemble FREE!)

\$90 for each additional ensemble

Due September 8, 2020

Please write checks to Omaha Homeschool Band and Orchestra or OHBO

Contact: info@ohbo.org www.ohbo.org

Required Method Books:

Beginning Band: *Accent on Achievement, Book 1*

Beginning Orchestra: *Essential Elements-Strings2000, Bk 1*

Intermediate Band: *Accent on Achievement, Book 2*

Junior Intermediate: *All for Strings Book 2*

Advanced Band: *Foundations for Superior Performance*

Senior Intermediate: *Essential Technique for Strings--Intermediate Technique Studies*

Advanced Orchestra: No method book, sheet music provided in class

Materials available through Schmitt or Dietze Music, jwpepper.com or sharmusic.com

Fall 2020 Calendar

- **July 25**, OHBO Social – Meet and greet
6:30-8 pm at the Brown's home: 5110 54th St Nehawka NE
- **August 11**, FREE Demonstration day: **2-4 pm** for beginners who have not chosen an instrument. **4-5:30 pm**: Auditions for placement or to advance to senior intermediate orchestra, or advanced band or orchestra
- **August 25**, regular rehearsals begin
- September 1, regular rehearsals
- September 8, regular rehearsals
- September 15, regular rehearsals
- September 22, regular rehearsals
- September 29, regular rehearsals
- October 6 regular rehearsals PLUS *Full Orchestra* rehearsal (**for Advanced ensembles only**) **4:30 to 5:00**
- October 13, regular rehearsals
- October 20, **Fall Break**
- October 27, regular rehearsals and auditions for concert prelude soloists and ensembles
- November 3, regular rehearsals, PLUS *Full Orchestra* rehearsal (**for Advanced ensemble members**) **4:30 to 5:00**
- November 10, regular rehearsals
- **November 17**, regular rehearsals. 7 pm-Fall Concert for **Beginning band, Beginning orchestra, Intermediate band, Jr Intermediate Orchestra**. Grace Central
- **November 24**, 7 pm-Fall concert for **Senior Intermediate Orchestra, Advanced Orchestra and Advanced Band**.

Concert dress:

Beginners and Intermediates: Shirt and tie, slacks for boys. Modest dress, shirt and skirt or slacks for girls

Advanced men: black dress pants, black dress shoes and socks, a long sleeve black dress shirt, and purchase a long necktie from OHBO.

Advanced Women: floor length black dress, short or long sleeved, with a modest neckline, or a floor length black skirt with a long or short sleeved black blouse.