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University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point

2016 American Suzuki Institute

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Welcome, Participants, to the 2016 American Suzuki Institute (ASI)!

For some of you, it's your first time and for others you're coming "home," and that's what ASI is about. It's about community, it's about family, it's about individual Suzuki triangles all hooked together who, for one week, form a nearly perfect world—to quote you, a "magical environment" that gives us hope that Dr. Suzuki's vision can be reality.

ASI is more than going to lessons. It's about relationships—parent and child, child and teacher, parent to teacher, teacher to teacher, camper to camper. It's about the environment— not just what happens in the lessons or how the lessons happen. It's about all that surrounds the lessons too—being immersed in a musical environment by going to concerts and recitals, the beauty of the physical and natural setting of the campus and all that Stevens Point offers, the modeling of good human interactions that we do with one another outside of lesson time, the leisure time to just savor the beauty of it all and having the luxury of time to let it sink down deep. It may take a day or two to fully leave behind all the stresses and busyness from home and become fully immersed in this relaxed and positive atmosphere, but it is precisely this slowing down that allows us to be present to the moment, open to a new point of view and a newly found focus that elicits an "I-can-try-anything" attitude.



Most everything you need to know is between these two covers (or, if you download it from www.uwsp.edu/suzuki/asi on your mobile device). Individual classes happen between 8 and 11 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. Any events that happen between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. and after 4 p.m. can be found here. The events change with each day so be sure to plan ahead. One of the unique features that ASI offers is the number of opportunities for parents to be renewed. Each day at 11 a.m. there are activities that your child may attend while you attend a lecture. Read about our philosophy regarding enrichment classes and recitals on pages 6.

Your evaluations each year give glowing remarks about the faculty that serve you here. That is why each year we present the Suzuki Chair Award. Through it we hope to acknowledge a person who has contributed in many ways to make the "magic" happen. This year's recipient is a pianist whose influence in the Stevens Point Suzuki world extends through many decades. She was one of the first piano teachers to teach at the Aber Suzuki Center beginning in 1978 and has been part of ASI since then, teaching and assisting in the office. She holds music degrees from Trinity College of Music-London, England, UW-Stevens Point and Baylor University-Waco, Texas. She also studied Suzuki piano pedagogy, graduating from the Talent Education Research Institute-Matsumoto, Japan in 1998. She founded the Summerstar Suzuki Institute-Bellingham, WA, the Dallas Suzuki Institute-Texas and the E-School of Music-Texas. She is a featured guest clinician at many institutes in the United States and Canada, where students have come to love her music theory games, her quiet wit and humor and her seeming "brusqueness" which is just a playful cover for her deep concern for the successful development of each child she touches. The recipient of the 2016 Suzuki Chair Award is Ethel Fang.

Pat D'Ercole, Director

General Information

American Suzuki Institute Office

NFAC 147 (Noel Fine Arts Center)

715-346-3033

Hours: Monday thru Friday, 7:30 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Emergencies: Dial 911

Abbreviations you may find in this book and on your schedules (A campus map can be found in the center of this book and additional copies are available in the office.)

CCC Collins Classroom Center (College of Letters & Science),
Number 7 on the map

CPS College of Professional Studies, Building 11 on the map

DUC Dreyfus University Center, Building 40 on the map

NFAC Noel Fine Arts Center (College of Fine Arts & Communication),
Building 9 on the map

@1800 Theater

Located in the Sentry Insurance complex, at the corner of Business 51 and North Point Drive. Go west from campus to Business 51 (Division Street). Take Business 51 North to the last traffic light before the Interstate and turn right. Use G2 entrance. There is ample parking on the ground level.

URGENT CARE/FIRST CARE INFORMATION:

St. Michael's Urgent Care Center, which is located adjacent to St. Michael's Emergency Center, is open seven days a week, 7:30 a.m.-10 p.m. The Urgent Care and Emergency Center entrances have been temporarily relocated to an entrance off Illinois Ave., east of the hospital building. The Urgent Care unit provides care for non-life-threatening injuries or illnesses that require immediate medical attention. Payment is required at time of service, either by check or credit card.

In case of serious injury, please inform the Suzuki Office (3033), Summer Conferences (2590), or Campus Security (3456).

Bicycles are prohibited inside all buildings and enclosed areas, with the exception that you may store your bicycle in your dorm room overnight, but not in any public area of the dorms. **Skateboards, rollerblades, scooters, and other wheeled devices** are permitted on campus, however they are **prohibited in buildings and enclosed areas, within 20 feet of doors and entryways, on ramps, stairs, curbs, ledges, loading docks, parking lots, benches, tennis courts, running tracks, and other permanent and/or constructed fixtures.**

We appreciate your efforts in complying with the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point's **recycling program**. Containers are available in every campus building for aluminum, glass, and paper.

Parking permits have been issued for lots J, P, and Q. Parking on city streets is prohibited from 2-6 a.m.

Report **lost and found** articles to the ASI staff in NFAC 147.

General Information

Meal Hours – DUC Food Court is In the Dreyfus University Center (DUC)-Building 40 on the campus map. The DUC Food Court accepts cash, credit cards or meal bar codes at all meals.

Sunday, July 17	Dinner	5-6:30 p.m.
Monday thru Friday	Breakfast	7-9 a.m.
	Lunch	11 a.m.-1 p.m.
	Dinner	5-6:30 p.m.
Saturday, July 23	Breakfast	7-9 a.m.
	Lunch	11 a.m.-1 p.m.
	Dinner	5-6:30 p.m.
Sunday, July 24	Breakfast	7-9 a.m.
	Lunch	11 a.m.-1 p.m.
	Dinner	5-6:30 p.m.
Monday thru Friday	Breakfast	7-9 a.m.
	Lunch	11 a.m.-1 p.m.
	Dinner	5-6:30 p.m.
Saturday, July 30	Breakfast	7-9 a.m.

Meal plans cover the following number of meals per week:

	Full Meal Plan	Commuter Meal Plan
Meals total	17	10

Additional meals may be purchased at the DUC using either Cash or Credit/Debit Card.

NOTE: Lost meal bar codes may be reissued at the Conference & Reservations Office (Dreyfus University Center, Room 240, Building 40 on the map) at a cost of \$5 each.

String instruments, repair and supplies:

NFAC 123. Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. -12 p.m. and 2- 5 p.m.

Representatives will be available as follows:

The Potter Violin Company: Monday-Friday, July 18-22 and July 25-29
(late drop-off by appointment)

Offbeat Violins: Monday-Friday, July 18-22

Claire Givens Violins, Inc.: Tuesday-Thursday, July 26-July 28

Stringworks: Monday-Friday, July 25-29

The American Suzuki Institute (ASI) Retail Store is in NFAC 126.

The store features a wide variety of books, music, CDs, souvenirs, mementos, apparel, figurines, jewelry, fine gift items and more! We now accept credit cards! Thank you for supporting our fundraising efforts.

Store hours are: Sunday 1-5 p.m., and Monday thru Friday 8 a.m.- 5 p.m.

Practice Rooms are located on the third floor of NFAC. Please restrict each practice session to 30 minutes. Practice rooms may be used from 6 a.m.- 11 p.m. daily. String players please use practice rooms without pianos when available.

General Information

Suzuki Association of the Americas membership forms can be found in the SAA Mini-Journal in your registration packet.

Residence Halls. Check out time is noon on Saturday. **Room keys and access cards must be returned to the hall's front desk by noon on Saturday, or fees will be assessed – no exception.** A fee of \$25/hour will be assessed if you are not checked out by noon.

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Lectures and Enrichment Classes. One of the unique aspects of ASI is the focus we give to parents. Each day at 11:05 am 3-4 lectures are offered to aid you in your role as home teacher. And to make it even easier for moms and dads to have their mind and spirit nourished we're offering free enrichment classes for the kids at the same time. Enrichment classes will start at 11:00 and lectures at 11:05. Lectures will end at 11:45 and enrichment classes at 11:50.

Now you will be able to attend a lecture while your child attends an enrichment class. Both will be offered in the NFAC and teachers will stay with children until parents have picked them up. Enrichment classes are meant to be a "taste" of other types of musical and/or experiences that require the same discipline. Because the primary purpose for attendance at ASI is to grow in one's instrumental skills, these 11:00 classes are one-time only experiences that are age and level specific. They are meant to be attended when your child has plenty of energy to make it through the day and omitted when your child needs down time. Other times, your child may benefit more by playing outside or taking a nap! Check the daily schedule for lectures and enrichment classes offered each day.

New for 2016! Lectures with titles italicized will be recorded and found on the Aber Suzuki Center YouTube channel. They will be available for viewing until Aug. 8, 2016.



Emergency Information

Medical



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Dial 911 (Seven seconds of silence may occur before you hear the line ringing. Do not hang up!)

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St. Michael's Hospital Emergency Service

900 Illinois Avenue
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Police



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715-346-3456 (24 hours)

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Non-emergency: 715-346-1500

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1500 Strongs Avenue
Emergency: 911
Non-emergency: 715-346-1400

Fire



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1701 Franklin Street
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Non-emergency: 715-344-1833

Fire Safety Action Plan

The University has instituted a fire safety action plan. Upon hearing a fire alarm, you must leave the building immediately – a civil citation may be issued up to \$500 if you fail to do so. If you are in a classroom at the time, you must follow the instructions of your teacher.

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The Role of Recitals at an Institute...

Dr. Suzuki taught that each piece requires three stages of learning—

- 1) the introduction of the particular technique(s) that a piece utilizes,
- 2) the fluency phase when students can play the piece from beginning to end from memory with all the correct rhythms, fingerings, bowings and technique, and
- 3) the artistic phase. This is the stage when the mechanics of the piece are so habitual that the performer can communicate a mood or character or a feeling through the music.

These are the performances that really speak to the audience's heart. Since the piece is well within the performer's skill level and the execution is effortless, there is surplus attention to give to the emotional content of the piece. Sometimes the amount of time between when a piece is fluent and when it becomes artistic can be as much as a year or two or when the student is well into the next book. Professional performers for example, never take their newest piece first to the concert halls in big cities with music critics. Instead, they hone their performing skills in much smaller venues until the piece becomes comfortable, easy and they feel confident.

True artists are hardly ever satisfied. They are always trying to improve and are reaching for the next level of playing. And that's why you're here—to learn how to get to the next level, how to become an artist. And what better way than to have five consecutive lessons where one can hardly practice a small task incorrectly? Secondly, since as Suzuki students we believe in the power of the environment, we are also here to be inspired by outstanding performers, both adults and students, who have achieved that level of communication in their performance. Occasionally, students will do that on the very first day of class and these are the students who are asked to perform on the 4:00 and informal recitals at ASI.

So the evidence of a successful institute experience is not whether students are selected to perform on a recital, but rather if they leave ASI with the tools and the motivation to be a more artistic player than when they arrived.



Schedule

Sunday, July 17, 2016

- 12-5 p.m. **Registration**, NFAC 147
- 4 p.m. **ASI "Survival Course."** This 45 minute tour and information session is especially valuable for first-time Institute families. Get oriented to the buildings with a quick tour and in addition learn about the schedule, considerations to help you prioritize your time and energy, how to find things to do, how to get to know people, etc. Janelle Severson and Mary Hofer. Meet at the ASI flag outside the NFAC northeast door.
- 5-6:30 p.m. **Dinner**, DUC Food Court
- 6:15 p.m. **Short Term Teacher Training Course Participant Meeting**, NFAC 221
- 7 p.m. **Welcome Ceremony**, Specht Forum/Sundial (just east of Building 9). The ceremony will include the presentation of the Faculty and the Suzuki Chair Award. Children should remain with their parents at this time. (Rain location NFAC Courtyard)
- 7:30-8 p.m. **Play-in**
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| Violin | Specht Forum/Sundial (Rain location NFAC Michelsen Hall) |
| Viola | NFAC 121 |
| Cello | NFAC 240 |
| Harp | NFAC 340 |
| Piano | NFAC Michelsen Hall (Rain location NFAC 337) |
- 8:00 p.m. **Getting To Know You.** A chance to meet fellow campers, have some fun and earn a snow cone before heading off to bed. NFAC Indoor Courtyard.
- 8:30 p.m. **Teen Dorm Residents Meeting**, Neale Study Lounge 005
- 8:30 p.m. **ASI Faculty Meeting**, NFAC 221
- 9 p.m.-7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.

Start thinking about how you'll spend your Wednesday afternoon free time!

Stop in the ASI Office by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday and sign up if you're interested in kayaking on Lake Joanis, or getting creative at Clay Corners Studio, since space is limited at these activities. See page 25 for information on all of the Wednesday free time activities.

Stop by the Suzuki Office (NFAC 147) today for the Talent Show audition sign-up sheets!

Auditions will be held in NFAC Michelsen Hall on Tuesday,
11:10 a.m.-12:10 p.m. and 5:10-6:30 p.m.
Terry Durbin will be the Master of Ceremonies.

Lecture & Recital Schedule

Monday, July 18, 2016

- 11 a.m. **Music on the Noel North Circle.** A play-in for violin students Book 5 and above. Kathy Rollings. Rain location NFAC Courtyard.
- 11 a.m. **Jewelry Making.** Join the Interim Dean for a class on making beaded jewelry. Must be aged 11 or older. Only 12 places available. Get your ticket at the ASI Office. Dean Rhonda Sprague. NFAC 164
- 11 a.m. **Taekwondo.** Develop mind-body coordination and self-discipline through this introduction to the martial arts. For ages 5-9. Limit of 30 students. Master Stephen Decker. NFAC 136
- 11:05 a.m. **Suzuki Association of the Americas Focus Group.** Required for all teachers and highly recommended for parents interested in supporting the Suzuki movement. Christie Felsing. Michelsen Hall.
- 11:05 a.m. **How Can We Get There From Here?** The Transition to Independent Learning. Ann Marie Novak. NFAC 221
- 11:05 a.m. **The Earn your Way to ASI Toolkit—What Works and What Doesn't.** Is ASI hard on your budget? Come and learn how to use this toolkit to get financial help from local merchants. This video was recorded by a panel of successful users who will discuss their strategies. For teachers and parents. NFAC 286
- 4 p.m. **Solo Recital.** All are encouraged to attend. General announcements will be made at the beginning of this event. NFAC Michelsen Hall

Immediately following the recital – ASI Faculty Photo, Michelsen Hall

- 5 p.m. **Cross-Instrumental Symposium: Teaching Violin Group Lessons.** Topic: Group lesson design—structure, frequency, length, levels and ages included. Violins required. Terry Durbin. NFAC 250
- 7:30 p.m. **ASI Guest Recital: RosCar Duo.** The Theater @1800 Free shuttle bus beginning at 6:45 pm in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 9 p.m.-7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.

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Lecture & Recital Schedule


Tuesday, July 19, 2016

- 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. **Milley the Trolley.** Meet in Lot E near the ASI flag outside the Noel Fine Arts Center or on Baldwin Circle to catch Milley the Trolley for a ride to Downtown Stevens Point and a chance to play on the square.
- 11 a.m. **Music on the Square.** A play-in for all bowed string students at the **Mathias Mitchell Public Square Downtown Stevens Point.** Pick up Milley the Trolley in Lot E near the ASI flag outside the Noel Fine Arts Center or on Baldwin Circle. The trolley will run every 15 minutes from campus to the Square. See the bus route on page 35. The play-in will begin at 11:15 a.m. and end at 11:45 a.m. Rain location for the play-in is in the Central Wisconsin Children's Museum. Others are welcome to ride the trolley and explore Downtown Stevens Point. Merietta Oviatt and Scott Conklin.
- 11 a.m. **Jewelry Making.** Join the Interim Dean for a class on making beaded jewelry. Must be aged 11 or older. Only 12 places available. Get your ticket at the ASI Office. Dean Rhonda Sprague. NFAC 164
- 11 a.m. **Dance Fitness.** Get active and learn the basic Latin dance steps (Cha Cha, Rumba and Salsa), cardio kickboxing, and stretching! Ages 5- 9. Taught by Colin Gaie, Beth Northuis and Jenna Fahrner. NFAC 283
- 11 a.m. **Theory Games with Ms. Fang.** NFAC 201
- 11:05 a.m. **The Alexander Technique.** Learn how to move with greater ease and flexibility, play or sing with less effort and stress, improve your balance and coordination and feel better generally. Sound interesting? Musicians and non-musicians are welcome. Brian Martz. NFAC 121
- 11:05 a.m. **Suzuki Association of Wisconsin: Networking For Teachers.** All teachers and especially Wisconsin teacher participants are invited to a get-acquainted session which will include a state association meeting conducted by SAW president Kari Gunderson. Bring your ideas and consider joining us for lunch afterwards. Kari Gunderson. CCC124
- 11:05 a.m. **Reading 101 for Parents.** This lecture will take the mystery out of the symbols used in music notation. Phala Tracy. NFAC 250
- 4 p.m. **Solo Recital.** All are encouraged to attend. General announcements will be made at the beginning of this event. NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 5 p.m. **Cross-Instrumental Symposium Teaching Violin Group Lessons.** Topic: Generating group ideas and developing a curriculum for the semester. What are the teaching points and how to adapt them to group class. Terry Durbin. NFAC 250

Lecture & Recital Schedule

Tuesday, July 19, 2016 (cont.)

- 5 p.m. **Choosing Proper Instruments And Bows To Accelerate Progress.** Even if you are just beginning your Suzuki journey, the quality of the instruments and bows can either accelerate or greatly retard your child's progress. Find out what you need to know to help them reach their goals. For parents of string students. Dalton Potter. NFAC 121
- 5 p.m. **Parents Teaching Teachers: How We Do Listening in Our Family.** This time will be spent **with parents sharing** with teachers and other parents their best tried and true methods for getting listening into the family schedule. Everyone contributes to and learns from the collective wisdom. Come and share your success! Delaine Fedson Leonard. NFAC 201
- 7:30 p.m. **Faculty Recital.** ASI teachers perform for you at the Theatre @1800. Free shuttle bus beginning at 6:45 p.m. in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 9 p.m.- 7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.




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Lecture & Recital Schedule Wednesday, July 20, 2016

Wear Your
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T-Shirt Day!

- 11 a.m. **Music on the Noel North Circle.** A play-in for harp students all books. Phala Tracy. Rain location NFAC Courtyard.
- 11 a.m. **Taekwondo.** Develop mind-body coordination and self-discipline through this introduction to the martial arts. For ages 10+. Taught by Master Stephen Decker. Limit first 30 students. NFAC 136
- 11 a.m. **Fiddling in D.** For violinists in Books 3 and up. Joanna Binford. NFAC 121
- 11 a.m. **Dance Fitness.** Get active and learn the basic Latin dance steps (Cha Cha, Rumba and Salsa), cardio kickboxing, and stretching! Ages 5- 9. Colin Gaie, Beth Northuis and Jenna Fahrner. NFAC 283
- 11:05 a.m. **Change the Environment, Not the Child.** Little tweaks or big changes that parents and teachers can do to maximize connection and empowerment Ann Montzka Smelser. Michelsen Hall
- 11:05 a.m. **Parents Teaching Teachers: Why I Make Time for Group Classes.** This time will be spent with **parents sharing** with teachers and other parents their reasons for making group class a priority in their busy lives. Everyone contributes to and learns from the collective wisdom. Come and share your success! Colleen Fitzgerald. NFAC 201
- 11:05 a.m. **Games for Making Practice Fun.** Janelle Severson along with home studio parent, Amy Reid, will demonstrate practice games for parents and children. NFAC 221
- 4-6 p.m. **FREE TIME** details on page 25
Some options include ... Kayaking, Art Projects at Clay Corners Studio, Hiking or Biking the Green Circle Trail, the Central Wisconsin Children's Museum, Swimming ... there's a lot to do in Stevens Point!
- 7:30 p.m. **CWact Improv** – Skits presented by the Central Wisconsin Children's Theatre. \$3.00 admission for both adults and children. NFAC Michelsen Hall.
- 9 p.m.-
7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.



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Lecture & Recital Schedule

Thursday, July 21, 2016

- 11 a.m. **Music on the Noel North Circle.** A play-in for violin students in Books 3 and 4, led by Jim Van Reeth. Rain location NFAC Courtyard
- 11 a.m. **Dance Fitness.** Get active and learn the basic Latin dance steps (Cha Cha, Rumba and Salsa), cardio kickboxing, and stretching! Ages 10+. Colin Gaie, Beth Northuis and Jenna Fahrner. NFAC 283
- 11 a.m. **Juggling.** For 7 years. years and up. The class is limited to the first 30 participants. Bean bags will be provided. Bean bags are also available for purchase in the ASI Store. Taught by Scott Price. NFAC 136
- 11:05 a.m. **10 Tips to Give You and Your Child Success.** Jennifer Burton. NFAC 221
- 11:05 a.m. **Parents Teaching Teachers: How We Do Review in Our Family.** This time will be spent with **parents sharing** with teachers and other parents their best tried and true methods for **getting review** into the practice routine. Everyone contributes to and learns from the collective wisdom. Come and share your success! Carol Waldvogel. NFAC 201
- 11:05 am. **Seven Habits of Successful Suzuki Families.** An overview of best practices of Suzuki students. Christie Felsing. Michelsen Hall.
- 1 p.m. **Tonight's Informal Recital** programs will be posted in the NFAC Courtyard.
- 3 p.m. **Tomorrow's Piano Festival** programs will be posted in the NFAC Courtyard.
- 4 p.m. **Solo Recital.** All are encouraged to attend. General announcements will be made at the beginning of this event. NFAC Michelsen Hall

Interest Survey drawing for free registration to ASI 2017

- 5 p.m. **Cross-Instrumental Symposium Teaching Violin Group Lessons.** Topic: Neuroscience, engaging the child, games, fun, and class management techniques. Violins required. Terry Durbin. NFAC 250



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Thursday, July 21, 2016 (cont.)

- 5 p.m. **Nurtured By Love.** Narrated by actor Noriyuku "Pat" Morita, this gold medal video tells the story of the life and work of Dr. Suzuki, how he developed his philosophy, the environment which played a part in bringing those ideas about and the history of the Suzuki movement in the U.S. (57 min.) NFAC 201
- 6:15 p.m. **Informal Recitals.** Plan to hear your favorite pieces and support your friends.
- 7:30 p.m. **Talent Show.** Terry Durbin, Master of Ceremonies. NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 9 p.m.-
7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.

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Lecture & Recital Schedule

Friday, July 22, 2016

PIANO FESTIVAL CONCERTS

are scheduled throughout the day in NFAC Michelsen Hall.
Programs will be posted in the NFAC Courtyard beginning 3:00 Thursday.

ALL ORCHESTRA CLASSES

will present a mini-concert during the last 15 minutes
of their scheduled class period today.

- TBA **Piano Festival and Ensembles Concert** NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 2 p.m. **Harp Festival Concert** NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 4:15 p.m. **Informal Chamber Ensembles** NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 6:30 p.m. **Tuning for Violin Festival Concert** The Theater @1800 Free shuttle bus beginning at 6:15 p.m. in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 7:00 p.m. **Violin Festival Concert** The Theater @1800 Free shuttle bus beginning at 6:15 p.m. in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 9 p.m. **Teen Dorm Dance** Open to teen dorm residents and counselors only.
DUC Food Court Fireplace
- 9 p.m.-
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Schedule

Saturday, July 23, 2016

12 p.m. **Residence Hall Check-Out Time**

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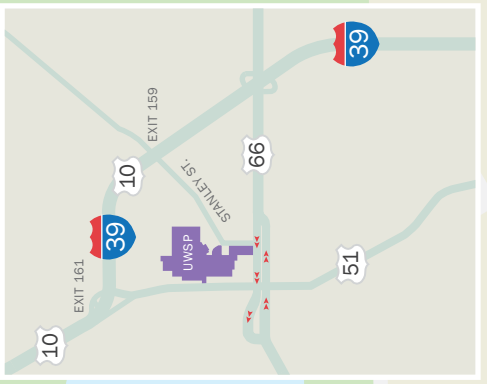
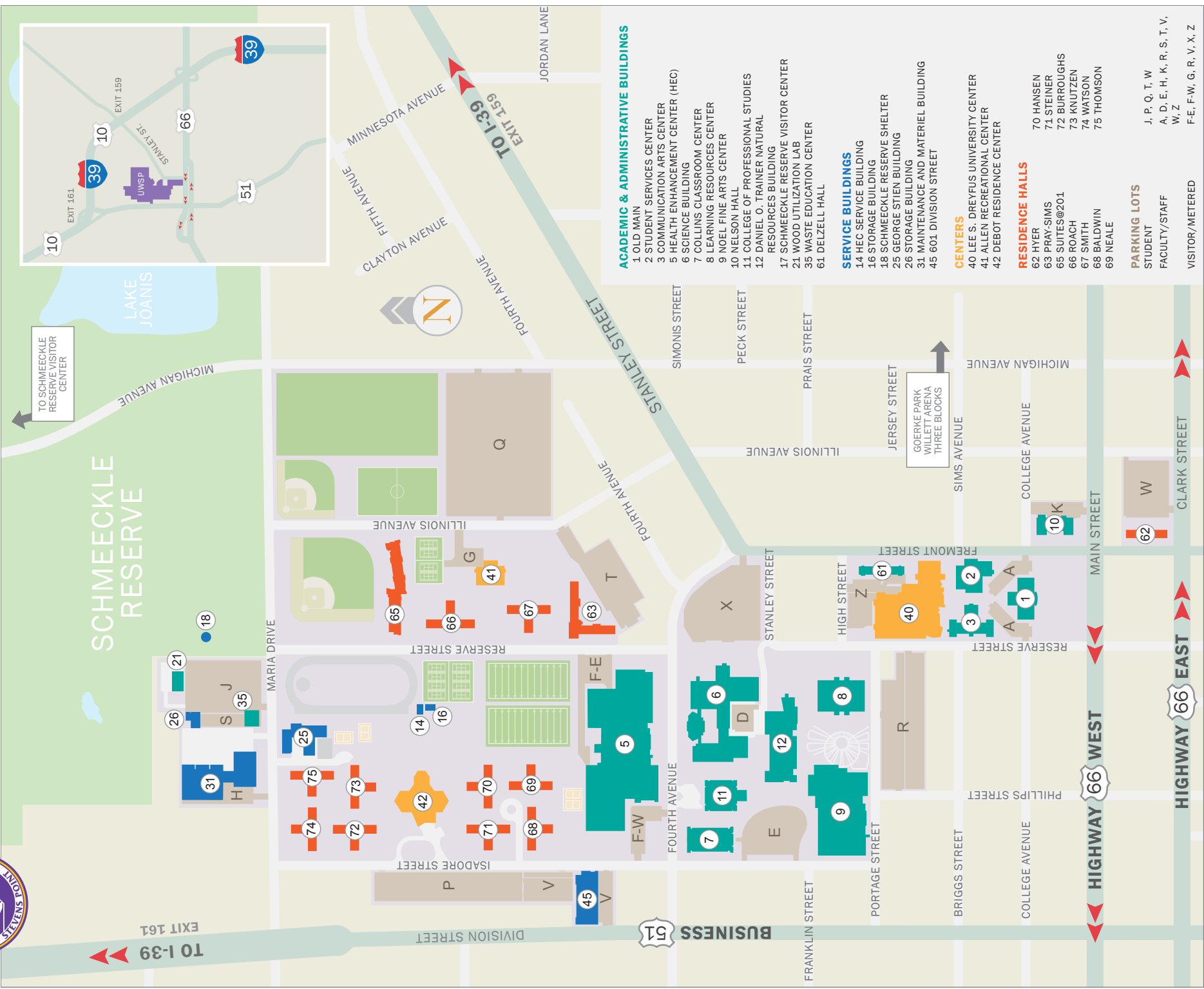
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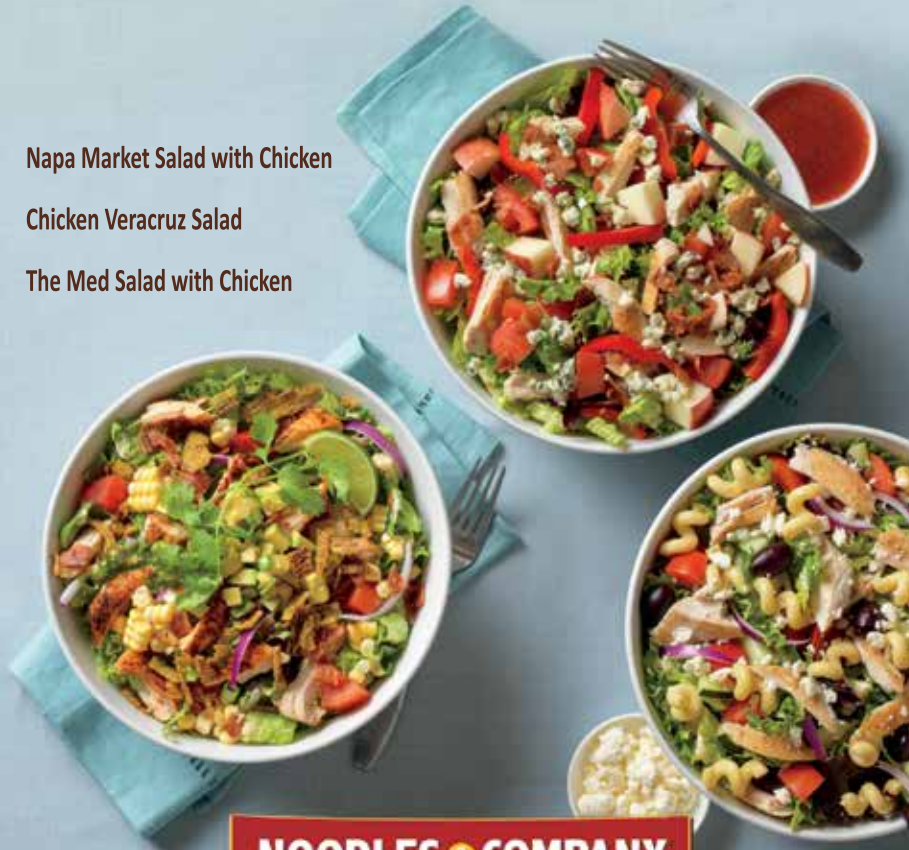


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EXPLORE DOWNTOWN STEVENS POINT. Take the Trolley Downtown and visit the local businesses and eateries. Milley the Trolley will run from 4-7 p.m. There's also a Band Concert at the Band Shell in Piffner Park at 7 p.m.

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HIKE OR BIKE THE GREEN CIRCLE TRAIL. The Green Circle Trail is a 30.5 mile hiking and biking trail that loops around the Stevens Point area. You can bike as much or as little as you'd like. The trail has 14 connecting segments that wind through forests, wetlands, and along rivers. Check the Green Circle Trail map you'll find in your Visitors Guide and plan your route! Rental bikes available from NatureTreks. See ad in this booklet.


SWIMMING. There are open swim times at the university pool in the Health Enhancement Center. Students under the age of 18 must be accompanied by parent or Teen Dorm Counselor. There is a \$4 fee for each visit. Hours are: Sunday, 6-9 p.m., Monday-Friday, 11 a.m.- 1 p.m., Monday-Thursday, 6-9 p.m.

The Stevens Point City Pool and Water Slide is just a short walk from campus! Stevens Point City Pool <http://www.stevenspoint.com/pool> OR Check out the swimming beaches at Buckholt or Iverson Parks. Pick up some food and have a picnic at the same time.

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Sunday, July 24, 2016

- 12-5 p.m. **Registration**, NFAC 147
- 3-5 p.m. **Chamber Music Student Orchestra rehearsals**
- 4 p.m. **ASI "Survival Course"**. This 45 min. tour and information session is especially valuable for first-time Institute families. Get oriented to the buildings with a quick tour and in addition learn about the schedule, considerations to help you prioritize your time and energy, how to find things to do, how to get to know people, etc. Janelle Severson and Carol Oureda. Meet by the ASI flag at the NFAC Northeast entrance.
- 5-6:30 p.m. **Dinner**, DUC Food Court
- 6:15 p.m. **Short Term Teacher Training Course Participant Meeting**, NFAC 221
- 7:00 p.m. **Welcome Ceremony**, Specht Forum/Sundial (just east of Building 9). The ceremony will include the presentation of the Faculty and the Suzuki Chair Award. Children should remain with their parents at this time. (Rain location NFAC Courtyard)
- 7:30-8 p.m. **Play-in**
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| Violin | Specht Forum/Sundial (Rain location NFAC Michelsen Hall) |
| Viola | NFAC 250 |
| Cello | NFAC 240 |
| Piano | NFAC Michelsen Hall (rain location NFAC 337) |
| Bass | NFAC 340 |
- 8 p.m. **Getting To Know You**. A chance to meet fellow campers, have some fun and earn a snow cone before heading off to bed. NFAC Indoor Courtyard
- 8:30 p.m. **Teen Dorm Residents Meeting**, Neale Study Lounge 005
- 8:30 p.m. **ASI Faculty Meeting**, NFAC 221
- 9 p.m.-7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours**. Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.

Start thinking about how you'll spend your Wednesday afternoon free time!

Stop in the ASI Office by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday and sign up if you're interested in kayaking on Lake Joanis, or getting creative at Clay Corners Studio, since space is limited at these activities. See page 25 for information on all of the Wednesday free time activities.

Stop by the Suzuki Office (NFAC 147) today for the Talent Show audition sign-up sheets!

Auditions will be held in NFAC Michelsen Hall on Tuesday,
11:10 a.m.-12:10 p.m. and 5:10-6:30 p.m.
Terry Durbin will be the Master of Ceremonies.

Lecture & Recital Schedule

Monday, July 25, 2016

- 11 a.m. **Music on the Noel North Circle** A play-in for violin students Book 5 and above. Kathy Rollings. Rain location NFAC Courtyard.
- 11 a.m. **Taekwondo**. Develop mind-body coordination and self-discipline through this introduction to the martial arts. For ages 5-9. Limit of 30 students. Taught by Master Stephen Decker. NFAC 136
- 11 a.m. **Fiddling in D**. For students in Books 3 & 4. Joanna Binford. NFAC 250
- 11:05 a.m. **Suzuki Association of the Americas Focus Group**. Required for all teachers and highly recommended for parents interested in supporting the Suzuki movement. Sarah Bylander Montzka, SAA Board Chair. Michelsen Hall.
- 11:05 a.m. **How Can We Get There From Here?** The Transition to Independent Learning. Ann Marie Novak. NFAC 221
- 11:05 a.m. **The Earn your Way to ASI Toolkit—What Works and What Doesn't**. Is ASI hard on your budget? Come and learn how to use this toolkit to get financial help from local merchants. This video was recorded by a panel of successful users who will discuss their strategies. For teachers and parents. NFAC 286
- 4 p.m. **Solo Recital**. All are encouraged to attend. General announcements will be made at the beginning of this event. NFAC Michelsen Hall

Immediately following the recital – ASI Faculty Photo, Michelsen Hall

- 7:30 p.m. **ASI Guest Recital: Cellist Peter Thomes, assisted by Linda Perry**. The theatre @1800. Free shuttle bus beginning at 6:45 p.m. in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 9 p.m.-7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours**. Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.



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Tuesday, July 26, 2016

- 10:30 a.m. **Milley the Trolley.** Meet in Lot E near the ASI flag outside the Noel Fine Arts Center or on Baldwin Circle to catch Milley the Trolley for a ride to Downtown Stevens Point and a chance to play on the square. 11 a.m.
- 11 a.m. **Music on the Square.** A play-in for all bowed string students at the **Mathias Mitchell Public Square Downtown Stevens Point.** Pick up Milley the Trolley in Lot E near the ASI flag outside the Noel Fine Arts Center or on Baldwin Circle. The trolley will run every 15 minutes from campus to the Square. See the bus route on 35. The play-in will begin at 11:15 a.m. and end at 11:45 a.m. Rain location for the play-in is in the Central Wisconsin Children's Museum. Others are welcome to ride the trolley and explore Downtown Stevens Point. Merietta Oviatt and Scott Conklin.
- 11 a.m. **Dance Fitness.** Get active and learn the basic Latin dance steps (Cha Cha, Rumba and Salsa), cardio kickboxing, and stretching! Ages 5- 9. Taught by Colin Gaie, Beth Northuis and Jenna Fahrner. NFAC 283
- 11 a.m. **Theory Games with Ms. Fang.** NFAC 201
- 11:05 a.m. **Suzuki Association of Wisconsin: Networking For Teachers.** All teachers and especially Wisconsin teacher participants are invited to a get-acquainted session which will include a state association meeting conducted by SAW president Kari Gunderson. Bring your ideas and consider joining us for lunch afterwards. Janelle Severson. CCC 124
- 11:05 a.m. **The Suzuki Basics: "Why are they so Important?"** Beth Titterington. Michelsen Hall
- 4 p.m. **Solo Recital.** All are encouraged to attend. General announcements will be made at the beginning of this event. NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 5 p.m. **Choosing Proper Instruments And Bows To Accelerate Progress.** Even if you are just beginning your Suzuki journey, the quality of the instruments and bows can either accelerate or greatly retard your child's progress. Find out what you need to know to help them reach their goals. For parents of string students. Dalton Potter. NFAC 121
- 5 p.m. **Parents Teaching Teachers: How We Do Listening in Our Family.** This time will be spent with **parents sharing** with teachers and other parents their best tried and true methods for getting listening into the family schedule. Everyone contributes to and learns from the collective wisdom. Come and share your success! Rebecca White. NFAC 201
- 7:30 p.m. **ASI Faculty Recital.** The theatre @1800. Free shuttle bus beginning at 6:45 pm in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 9 p.m.-
7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.

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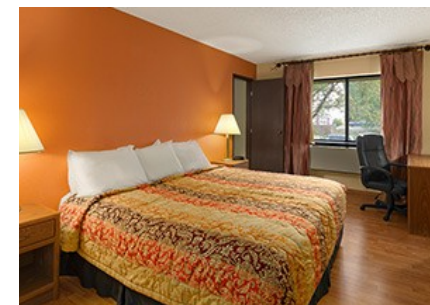
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Wednesday, July 27, 2016

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- 11 a.m. **Music on the Noel North Circle** A play-in for viola, cello and bass students—all levels. Cellists ring your own chair. Lawrence Leviton. Rain location NFAC Courtyard.
- 11 a.m. **Dalcroze Eurhythmics.** For ages 10+. Sarah Bylander Montzka. NFAC 250
- 11 a.m. **Taekwondo.** Come and develop mind-body coordination and self-discipline through this introduction to the martial arts. For ages 10+, Limit of 30 students. Taught by Master Stephen Decker. NFAC 136
- 11 a.m. **Dance Fitness.** Get active and learn the basic Latin dance steps (Cha Cha, Rumba and Salsa), cardio kickboxing, and stretching! Ages 5- 9. Colin Gaie, Beth Northuis and Jenna Fahrner. NFAC 283
- 11 a.m. **Improvising in D.** For all string players in Book 2 & 3. Tim Mutschlechner. NFAC 121
- 11:05 a.m. **Pattern Play.** Steps to develop sight reading skills. Carol Oureda. NFAC 290
- 11:05 a.m. **For Parents: Change the Environment, Not the Child.** Little tweaks or big changes that parents and teachers can do to maximize connection and empowerment. Ann Montzka Smelser. Michelsen Hall
- 11:05 a.m. **Parents Teaching Teachers: Why I Make Time for Group Classes.** This time will be spent with **parents sharing** with teachers and other parents their reasons for making group class a priority in their busy lives. Everyone contributes to and learns from the collective wisdom. Come and share your success! Colleen Fitzgerald. NFAC 201
- 11:05 a.m. **Games For Making Practice Fun.** Janelle Severson along with home studio parent, Amy Reid, will demonstrate practice games for parents and children. NFAC 221
- 1 p.m. **Tonight's Informal Recital** programs will be posted in the NFAC Courtyard
- 4-6 p.m. **FREE TIME** details on page 25
Some options include ... Kayaking, Art Projects at Clay Corners Studio, Hiking or Biking the Green Circle Trail, the Central Wisconsin Children's Museum, Swimming ... there's a lot to do in Stevens Point!
- 6:15 p.m. **Informal Recitals.** Plan to hear your favorite pieces and support your friends.
- 7:30 p.m. **Talent Show.** Terry Durbin, Master of Ceremonies NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 9 p.m.-
7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.

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Lecture & Recital Schedule

Thursday, July 28, 2016

- 11 a.m. **Music on the Noel North Circle** A play-in for violin students in Books 3 and 4. Jim Van Reeth. Rain location NFAC Courtyard
- 11 a.m. **Dance Fitness.** Get active and learn the basic Latin dance steps (Cha Cha, Rumba and Salsa), cardio kickboxing, and stretching! Ages 10+. Colin Gaie, Beth Northuis and Jenna Fahrner. . NFAC 283
- 11 a.m. **Dalcroze Eurhythmics.** For ages 5-9 years. Sarah Bylander Montzka. NFAC 250
- 11 a.m. **Juggling.** For 7 years and up. The class is limited to the first 30 participants. Bean bags will be provided. Bean bags are also available for purchase in the ASI Store. Scott Price. NFAC 136
- 11:05 a.m. **10 Tips to Give You and Your Child Success.** Jennifer Burton. NFAC 221
- 11:05 a.m. **Parents Teaching Teachers: How We Do Review in Our Family.** This time will be spent with **parents sharing** with teachers and other parents their best tried and true methods for getting review into the practice routine. Everyone contributes to and learns from the collective wisdom. Come and share your success! Carol Waldvogel. NFAC 201
- 11:05 a.m. **Seven Habits of Successful Suzuki Families.** An overview of best practices of Suzuki students. Christie Felsing. NFAC 121
- 3 p.m. **Tomorrow's Piano Festival** programs will be posted in the NFAC Courtyard.
- 4 p.m. **Solo Recital.** All are encouraged to attend. General announcements will be made at the beginning of this event. NFAC Michelsen Hall
- Interest Survey drawing for free registration to ASI 2017**
- 5 p.m. **Nurtured By Love.** Narrated by actor Noriyuku "Pat" Morita, this gold medal video tells the story of the life and work of Dr. Suzuki, how he developed his philosophy, the environment which played a part in bringing those ideas about and the history of the Suzuki movement in the U.S. (57 min.) NFAC 201
- 7 p.m. **Chamber Music Student Orchestra in Concert.** All students and parents of one week participants are invited to attend and get a glimpse of what's possible for you some day. Terry Durbin, Conductor. NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 8 p.m. **Chamber Music Student Ensemble Performances.** All ASI participants are invited to hear the music of the masters played by ASI Chamber Music students in string quartets, trios and other small ensembles. Stay for one performance or stay for them all. Our request is that you enter and leave during applause only.
- 9 p.m.-
7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms until 11 p.m.

Schedule

Friday, July 29, 2016

PIANO FESTIVAL CONCERTS

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- TBA **Piano Festival and Ensemble Concert** NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 11:15 a.m. **Viola Festival Concert** NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 4:15 p.m. **Cello Festival Concert** NFAC Michelsen Hall
- 6:30 p.m. **Tuning for Violin Festival Concert** the theater @1800
Free shuttle bus beginning at 6:15 p.m. in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 7 p.m. **Violin Festival Concert** the theater @1800 Free shuttle bus beginning
at 6:15 p.m. in front of Baldwin Hall.
- 9 p.m. **Teen Dorm Dance** Open to teen dorm residents and counselors only.
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- 9 p.m.-
7:30 a.m. **Residence Hall quiet hours.** Practice is permitted in NFAC practice rooms
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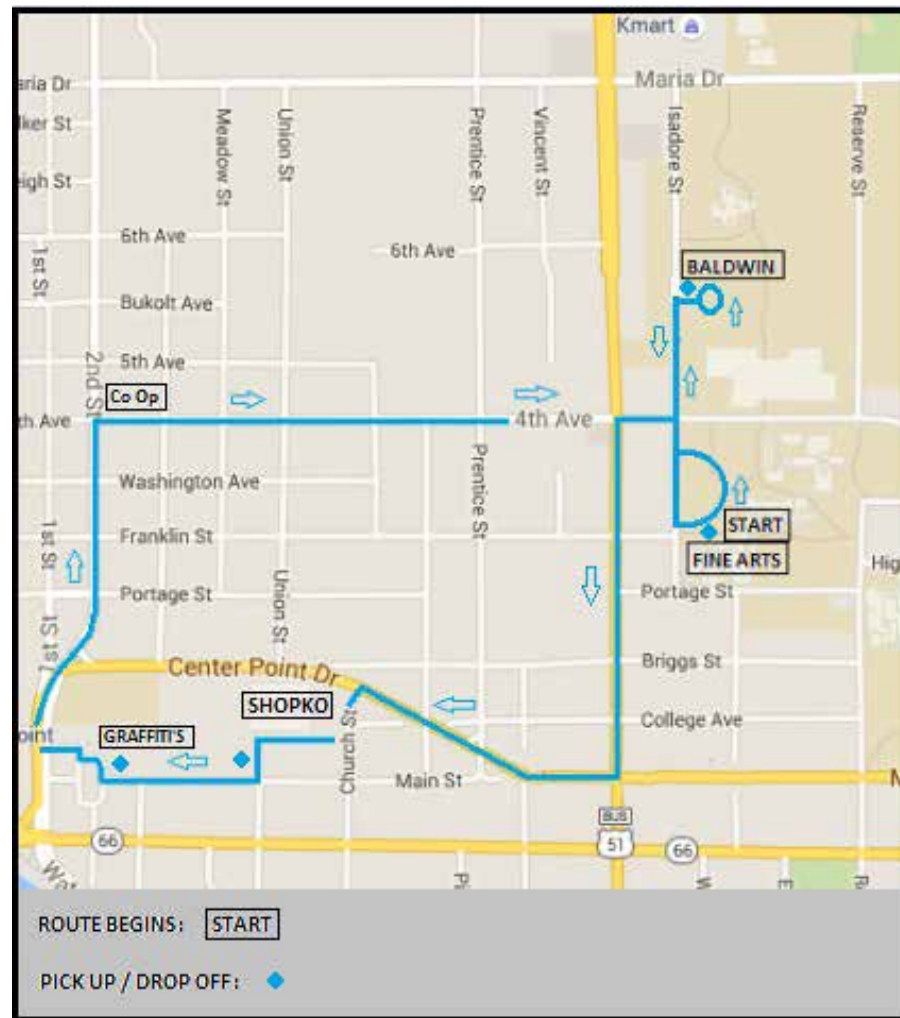
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Saturday, July 30, 2016

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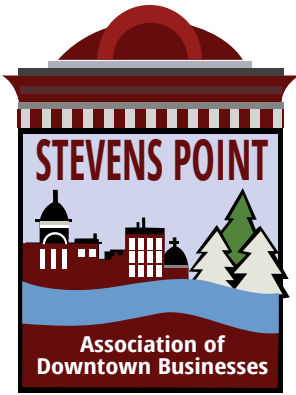


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