



AMADEUS
CONSERVATORY OF
MUSIC & THEATER

Summer
Theater & Art
Day Camp

2015



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*"I enjoy everything about musical theater
and Amadeus was great for that."*

*"This was my first summer at Amadeus and
I had a lot of fun with it and I'm so glad I did
The Little Mermaid with Amadeus this summer."*





From the Director

Summer is a time for children and teens to be carefree and have fun, with the freedom to explore new pleasures and renew old friendships. The Amadeus Theater and Art Day Camp is designed to give students a wonderful and enriching artistic experience to enhance these summer pleasures.

Students can act, sing and perform in a musical, pursue private studies in their primary instrument while trying out a new one; play in a classical, jazz or rock ensemble with new and old friends; learn to compose a song, design and create sets; and relax with studio art.

Our Amadeus instructors and counselors will help make your child's camp experience truly memorable. A summer enriched with music and art will add to his or her sense of discovery, pleasure and satisfaction in creative accomplishment.

Deborah Molodofsky

Private Lessons

Private instruction is offered once a week in piano, jazz piano, guitar, violin, viola, cello, bass, flute, clarinet, saxophone, bassoon, trumpet, trombone, percussion, drum set, recorder and voice. Suzuki instruction is offered in violin and cello for young children. Two lessons are offered weekly; a private lesson and a group lesson on a secondary instrument. During a private lesson, students work on scales, etudes, intonation, rhythmic technique, and pieces from the solo repertoire.

Secondary Instrument Classes for Beginners

Beginning classes for secondary instruments are offered once a week to give all campers the opportunity to learn a new instrument in a class setting. The course's emphasis is on fundamental technique, for students with no previous experience in the secondary instrument.

Jazz Percussion Ensemble

The Percussion Ensemble is an exciting introduction to playing percussion instruments. Using a variety of percussion instruments students learn to play basic rhythmic patterns, improvise, and to compose their own music. Advanced students perform on a variety of orchestral percussion instruments in polyrhythmic modes.

Rock Band

This class allows campers to play their instruments or sing in a rock band, through performing on instruments of the rock ensemble: keyboards, guitar, flute, saxophone, clarinet, bass, drums and others. Students learn basic music theory and play together in jam sessions.

Song Writing

This class will teach campers to create and record their own music. Using MIDI software, campers will gain a basic knowledge in the art of arranging notes and rhythms into original compositions, resulting in a CD.

Chamber Ensemble

Chamber music ensembles are open to young instrumentalists who wish to play duos, trios, quartets, and other mixed ensembles. The groups are formed according to levels of proficiency as determined by placement on the first day of camp. Chamber music emphasizes the principles of team play, active listening, and collaboration.

Studio Art

Using traditional, fine art methods, Studio Art gives campers a great opportunity to visually express their perception of the world around them through painting, drawing and sculpture. By actively sparking their imagination through visual stimulation, students will enjoy the fun of creative expression and gain a sense of accomplishment. Students also have the opportunity to create the scenery for our theatrical production.

Musical Theater

The focus of our camp, musical theater classes are designed to introduce young actors to the challenges and excitement of performing on the musical theater stage. In addition to the actual performing experience, the students will build self-confidence and communication skills that are so important in theater as well as in everyday life. Students will learn about performing through various lessons, improvisational activities and games, culminating in the production of a Broadway show which gives every student the chance to appear on stage. Performances will take place at the end of the summer session.

Vocal Instruction

Vocal instruction for the musical theater stresses correct breathing, vocal exercises, repertoire, style and performance practices. The repertoire will be based on popular songs from the musical theater literature.



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**June 29 through
August 7, 2015**

The Amadeus Theater and Art Day Camp gives children ages 5-16 the opportunity to perform musical theater, study band or orchestra instruments, piano, guitar and voice, create studio art, play in a jazz percussion ensemble, compose their own songs in our recording studio, create sets, learn photography and film making and go on a swimming field trip. Camp will culminate in a fully staged theater performance of **FROZEN** and an Art Show.



*A Typical Day
At Our
Day Camp*

9:00 -10:00

**Outdoor Sports
Games, Warm Ups**

10:00 -10:15

Snack

10:15 -12:00

**Musical Theater,
Private Lessons once
a week**

12:00 -1:00

Lunch

1:00 - 2:45

**Musical Theater,
Art, Choreography, Secondary
Instrument Group Lessons (once
a week), Classes including chamber
ensemble, song writing, rock band,
jazz percussion ensemble**

2:45 - 3:00

Snack

3:00 - 4:00

**Painting and Set
Design**

FROZEN



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Monday - Friday 9:00 - 4:00

June 29 - August 7 Six Week Session

1-5 week sessions also available

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