

February 21, 2024

Dear Trombone Participants,

Thanks for signing up for Mizzou Trombone Camp this Summer! I have attached a daily schedule for your information. If you have not paid for the camp yet, please do so before May 24th.

Please come to the Sinquefield Music Center on the corner of Hitt St and University Avenue at 12:00 on Wednesday, June 5th to register and meet your chaperones. Then we will walk over to your dorm and get you your key, your dining card, and have a brief orientation from the residence hall staff. Then we are back to Sinquefield to begin our day.

Please prepare a solo or etude to play during one of the group master classes on Wednesday or Thursday.

In addition to the masterclasses and other activities. We have decided to offer a limited number of 30-minute lessons to those who are interested, either a trombone lesson or a jazz improv lesson, on Wednesday and Thursday. This is first come, first serve. Please email Dr. Howe before camp if you are interested in a lesson.

Dress for this event is camp casual. All parents are encouraged to come to the final trombone choir concert at 2 pm on Saturday before everyone departs.

Thanks to all of you for signing up! It will hopefully be a challenging and fulfilling week for all of you!

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Mizzou Trombone Boot Camp 2024

Tentative Schedule

Wednesday, June 5

12:00-1:00 Register, Dorm check in
1:00-1:45 PM: Orientation and Warmup Session #1
break
2:00-3:30: Trombone Choir
break
3:45-5:00: Improvisation Master Class
5:00-7:00: Dinner, personal time, practice time
7:00-9:00: Faculty Recital/Concert
9:00-11:00: Dorms, personal time,
11:00: lights out

Thursday, June 6 and Friday, June 7

7:00-8:30 Breakfast
8:30-9:15 Group Warmup #2, and #3
break
9:30-10:45 Group Master Class: Solo/Etude Coaching
break
11:00-12:00 individual lessons (optional)
12:00-1:15 Lunch
1:15-2:30 Group Master Class, Practice/Improvement Techniques
break
2:45-4:00 Improvisation Master Class
break
4:15-6:00 Trombone Choir
6:00-7:30 Dinner, personal time, practice time
7:30-9:30 Evening activity: Jazz Jam session, etc.
11:00 Lights out

Saturday, June 8

7:30-9:00 Breakfast, Dorm check out
9:00-9:45 Group Warmup #4
break
10:00-11:00 Trombone choir and Quartets Concert Dress rehearsal
11:00-12: 15 Group Master Class, Practice/Improvement Techniques
12:15-1:30 Lunch

1:30 concert warmup/touch up

2:00-3:00 Trombone Choir/ Quartets Concert, Siquel Music Center, Sheryl Crow Hall

3:00 Depart