

# **2024 Fort Hays State University High Plains Music Camp**



## **Student/Faculty/Staff Handbook**

**Celebrating 77 Years of Music  
on the High Plains  
June 23-29, 2024**

## **CAMP INFORMATION**

Camp Office	Malloy Hall 112
Camp Phone	785-628-5353
Camp Director	Peter Lillpopp
Assistant Camp Director	Hilary Shepard
Head Female Counselor	Stephanie Gehring
Head Male Counselor	Trae Gehring
Interns	Annzia Howard (Jazz) Laurinda Lan (Programs) Isaac Reed (MS Orchestra) Ashley Vilaysing (MS Band) Adam Ward (HS Band) Samantha Zimmerman (HS Orchestra)
Equipment	Tanner Grant & Katherine Bowden
Nurses	Angie Sundell & Peyton Gehring

## **MEDICAL NEEDS**

There are NO on-site medical services during camp. The camp nurses can administer basic first aid. In the event of a medical emergency, call 911 and the Camp Director at 785-628-5353.

## **LOCATIONS**

MCMINDES HALL (DORMS/MEALS) – 410 AGNEW LN.  
MALLOY HALL (MUSIC BUILDING) – 510 SOUTH CAMPUS DR.  
BEACH-SCHMIDT/SHERIDAN HALL – 601 PARK ST.  
ALBERTSON HALL – 509 SOUTH CAMPUS DR.  
MCCARTNEY HALL – 501 SOUTH CAMPUS DR.  
CENTER FOR APPLIED TECHNOLOGY – 600 COLLEGE DR.

## REMINDERS

- 3:30 – 5:00pm may be used for practice, lessons, & free time
- Comfortable shoes are RECOMMENDED – NO FLIP-FLOPS
- Sunscreen and bug spray are RECOMMENDED
- DRINK WATER! Sugary drinks dehydrate
- Get enough SLEEP!!!
- CONCERTS begin at 7:00pm (no need to dress up)

## FHSU HIGH PLAINS MUSIC CAMP POLICIES

1. CAMP DRESS CODE: WEAR COMFORTABLE CLOTHING that allows you to participate without causing a distraction
2. WEAR CAMP T-SHIRT FOR ALL PERFORMANCES with your nicest pair of shorts or jeans and sneakers...NO FLIP FLOPS (students performing on the Honors Recital may dress up if they wish)
3. CELL PHONES are NOT allowed during rehearsals or concerts
4. Campers are encouraged to PRACTICE throughout the week...Practice rooms are available in Malloy Hall
5. Skateboards, scooters, and rollerblades are NOT allowed
6. If you order food, you must WAIT for it in the lobby or it will be returned
7. Screens are not to be removed from windows and windows should be shut to allow for proper air conditioning air flow.
8. **CAMPERS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BE ON THE FLOORS OF THE OPPOSITE SEX OR THE FACULTY FLOOR**
9. **OVERNIGHT CAMPERS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO LEAVE CAMPUS WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL FROM THE HEAD COUNSELOR**
10. **THE POSSESSION OR CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND/OR ILLEGAL DRUGS IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED...SMOKING AND USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS INCLUDING VAPE ARE NOT PERMITTED ANYWHERE ON FHSU CAMPUS**

**\*\*VIOLATION OF THE THESE POLICIES MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL FROM CAMP WITHOUT REFUND\*\***

**CAMP SCHEDULE–SUNDAY**

8:30am – 9:00 COUNSELOR MEETING – McMindes Hall

9:00am – 12:00 REGISTRATION/DORM CHECK-IN – McMindes Hall

- 9:00 – 10:30am – Last Name A-L
- 10:30am – 12:00 – Last Name M-Z

12:00 – 1:00pm LUNCH – McMindes Cafeteria (no parents allowed)

1:00 – 2:00pm FACULTY MEETING – Malloy Hall 126

2:00 – 4:00pm CHAIR PLACEMENTS (see below for locations)

4:00 – 5:00pm Free Time

5:00 – 6:30pm DINNER – McMindes Hall Cafeteria

7:00 – 8:30pm FIRST LARGE ENSEMBLE REHEARSAL

- Middle School Tiger Band: Malloy Hall 126
- Middle School Tiger Orchestra: McCartney Hall 230
- High School Palmer Band: Beach-Schmidt/Sheridan Hall
- High School Palmer Orchestra: Malloy Hall 100 (Felten-Start)

**FACULTY BAND REHEARSALS**

SUNDAY 4:10 – 5:10pm

MONDAY 3:40 – 4:40pm

TUESDAY 3:40 – 4:40pm

WEDNESDAY 3:40 – 4:40pm

8:00 – 9:30pm

THURSDAY 3:40 – 4:40pm

7:00pm CONCERT

**FACULTY JAZZ REHEARSALS**

SUNDAY 10:30 – 12pm

MONDAY 4:50 – 5:50pm

TUESDAY 4:50 – 5:50pm

8:00 – 9:30pm

WEDNESDAY 4:50 – 5:50pm

THURSDAY 4:50 – 5:50pm

FRIDAY 3:50 – 5:00pm

7:00pm CONCERT

\*Faculty Band/Jazz rehearsals take place in the BSPAC

## **CHAIR PLACEMENTS**

- Use the practice rooms in Malloy Hall to get ready
- Audition times are first-come, first-served
- Major scale of student's choice (except percussionists)
- Prepared piece of student's choice (solo, etude, ensemble piece)
- Sight Reading may be asked
- Jazz auditions will be in the same rooms as classical

## **MIDDLE SCHOOL BAND & ORCHESTRA CHAIR PLACEMENTS**

<b>INSTRUMENT</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
Flute	McCartney 202	V. Wright
Clarinet	Malloy 210	J. Vinson
Oboe & Bassoon	Tomanek 124	D. Blackwood
Saxophone	Malloy 211	A. DeVault
Trumpets	McCartney 104	J. Yust
Horn	McCartney 204	Grose/Dawson
Trombone	Malloy 212	D. Brinkley
Euphonium and Tuba	Malloy 115	D. Cox
Percussion & Drumset	Malloy 126	A. Brockmeier
Violin & Viola	McCartney 301	R. Murillo
Cello & Bass	McCartney 230	E. Pinkston
Keyboard/Bass/Guitar	Malloy 114C	G. Spaits L. Johnson A. Staggs

## **HIGH SCHOOL BAND & ORCHESTRA CHAIR PLACEMENTS**

<b>INSTRUMENT</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>FACULTY</b>
Flute	Tomanek 106	H. Shepard
Oboe & Bassoon	Tomanek 124	D. Blackwood
Clarinet	Albertson 206	M. Johnson
Saxophone	Albertson 169	A. Toepfer
Trumpet	Tomanek 112	B. Dawson
Horn	McCartney 204	Grose/Dawson
Trombone	Tomanek 108	K. Glading
Euphonium & Tuba	Malloy 127	T. Gehring
Percussion	BSPAC Stage	Helker/Griffit
Violin & Viola	Albertson 305	Buckstead/ Blehm
Cello & Bass	Malloy 100	Erica Pinkston
Keyboard/Bass/Guitar	Malloy 114C	G. Spaits L. Johnson A. Staggs

## CAMP SCHEDULE MONDAY–THURSDAY

Sectionals: See room locations on last page

Small Ensembles: See room locations on last page

Middle School Tiger Band: Malloy Hall 126

Middle School Tiger Orchestra: McCartney Hall 230

High School Palmer Band: BSPAC

High School Palmer Orchestra: Malloy Hall 100 (Felten-Start)

	<u>Middle School</u>	<u>High School</u>
6:30 – 8:30	Breakfast	Breakfast
8:40 – 9:40	Tiger Band Sectionals Tiger Orch Sectionals	Palmer Band Sectionals Palmer Orch Sectionals
9:50 – 10:50	Tiger Band Rehearsal Tiger Orch Rehearsal	Palmer Band Rehearsal Palmer Orch Rehearsal
11:00 – 12:00	Lunch	Small Ensembles
12:10 – 1:10	Small Ensembles	Lunch
1:20 – 2:20	Tiger Band Rehearsal Tiger Orch Rehearsal	Palmer Band Rehearsal Palmer Orch Rehearsal
2:30 – 3:30	Small Ensembles (All MS Strings to Alternative Strings McCartney 230)	Small Ensembles (All HS Strings to Alternative Strings Malloy Hall 100)
3:40 – 5:00	Recreation	Recreation
5:00 – 6:30	Dinner	Dinner
7:00 – 8:30	M: Free Time T: Faculty Recital W: Student Honor Recital TH: Faculty Band Concert	M: Free Time T: Faculty Recital W: Student Honor Recital TH: Faculty Band Concert
8:30 – 10:00	Free Time	Free Time

## CAMP SCHEDULE–FRIDAY (Dress Rehearsals in BSPAC)

Sectionals: See room locations on last page

Small Ensembles: See room locations on last page

Middle School Tiger Band: BSPAC/Malloy Hall 126

Middle School Tiger Orchestra: McCartney Hall 230/BSPAC

High School Palmer Band: Malloy 126/BSPAC

High School Palmer Orchestra: BSPAC/Malloy 100 (Felten-Start)

	<b>Middle School</b>	<b>High School</b>
8:40 – 9:40	Tiger Band Sectionals <b>Tiger Orch Dress (BSPAC)</b>	Palmer Band Sectionals Palmer Orch Sectionals
9:50 – 10:50	<b>Tiger Band Dress (BSPAC)</b> Tiger Orch Sectionals	Palmer Band in Malloy 126 Palmer Orch Rehearsal
11:00 – 12:00	Lunch	Small Ensembles <b>HS Jazz Dress (BSPAC)</b>
12:10 – 1:10	<b>MS Jazz Dress (BSPAC)</b> Small Ensembles	Lunch
1:20 – 2:20	Tiger Band Rehearsal Tiger Orch Rehearsal	<b>Palmer Orch Dress (BSPAC)</b> Palmer Band in Malloy 126
2:30 – 3:30	Small Ensembles (All MS Strings to Alternative Strings McCartney 230)	Small Ensembles (All HS Strings to Alternative Strings Malloy 100)
3:40 – 4:30	Recreation	Recreation
4:30 – 6:00	Dinner	Dinner
5:10		HS Jazz Sound Check (BSPAC)
5:40	MS Jazz Sound Check (BSPAC)	
6:00	Jazz Concert (BSPAC)	Jazz Concert (BSPAC)
8:30 – 10:00	Free Time	Free Time



## CAMP SCHEDULE—SATURDAY

6:30 – 8:30 Breakfast McMIndes  
 8:00 – 12:00 **DORM CHECK OUT** McMIndes

<b>WARM UP</b>	<b>ENSEMBLE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
8:30	MS Flute Choir	B/S Stage	9:00	BSPAC
8:35	MS Double Reeds	B/S Green Room	9:05	BSPAC
8:40	MS Clarinet Choir	Malloy 210	9:10	BSPAC
8:45	MS Saxophone Choir	Malloy 211	9:15	BSPAC
8:50	MS High Brass Choir	Malloy 212	9:20	BSPAC
8:55	MS Low Brass Choir	B/S Conf Room	9:25	BSPAC
9:00	MS Percussion Ens	B/S Back Stage	9:30	BSPAC
9:05	MS Upper Strings	Malloy 100	9:35	BSPAC
9:10	MS Lower Strings	Malloy 126	9:40	BSPAC
9:15	HS Percussion Ens	B/S Back Stage	9:45	BSPAC
9:20	HS Flute Choir	Malloy 210	9:50	BSPAC
9:25	HS Double Reeds	Malloy 211	9:55	BSPAC
9:30	HS Clarinet Choir	Malloy 212	10:00	BSPAC
9:35	HS Saxophone Choir	Malloy 100	10:05	BSPAC
9:40	HS Trumpet Choir	Malloy 126	10:10	BSPAC
9:45	HS Horn Choir	Malloy 210	10:15	BSPAC
9:50	Trombone Choir	Malloy 211	10:20	BSPAC
9:55	HS Euph/Tuba Choir	B/S Conf Room	10:25	BSPAC
10:00	HS Upper Strings	Malloy 212	10:30	BSPAC
10:05	HS Lower Strings	B/S Green Room	10:35	BSPAC
10:10	HS String Quartet B	Malloy 114C	10:40	BSPAC
10:15	HS String Quartet A	Malloy 210	10:45	BSPAC
10:25	MS Alternative Strings	Malloy 100	10:55	BSPAC
11:00	HS Alternative Strings	Malloy 126	11:30	BSPAC
11:10	FAC Alternative Strings	B/S Back Stage	11:40	BSPAC
<b>12:45</b>	<b>MS Tiger Orchestra</b>	<b>MH 100</b>	<b>1:45</b>	<b>BSPAC</b>
<b>1:30</b>	<b>MS Tiger Band</b>	<b>MH 126</b>	<b>2:30</b>	<b>BSPAC</b>
<b>2:15</b>	<b>HS Palmer Orchestra</b>	<b>MH 100</b>	<b>3:15</b>	<b>BSPAC</b>
<b>3:00</b>	<b>HS Palmer Band</b>	<b>MU 126</b>	<b>4:00</b>	<b>BSPAC</b>

## **BAND FACULTY**

### **Flute**

Hilary Shepard HS Flute Coach, HS Flute Choir Conductor  
Virginia Wright MS Flute Coach, MS Flute Choir Conductor

### **Double Reeds**

Devin Blackwood HS/MS Double Reed Coach

### **Clarinet**

Makenzi Johnson HS Clarinet Coach, HS Clarinet Choir Conductor  
Joel Vinson MS Clarinet Coach, MS Clarinet Choir Conductor

### **Saxophone**

Alex Toepfer HS Saxophone Coach, HS Palmer Jazz Conductor  
Dawson Whalen HS Saxophone Assistant, HS Jazz Assistant  
Adam DeVault MS Saxophone Coach, MS Jazz Conductor  
Guadalupe Hernandez MS Saxophone Assistant, MS Jazz Assistant

### **Trumpet**

Brad Dawson HS Trumpet Coach, HS Jazz Trumpet Coach  
Gavin Blehm HS Trumpet Assistant, HS Trpt Choir Conductor  
Jonathan Yust MS Trumpet Coach, MS Trpt Choir Conductor  
Sergio Rodriguez MS Trpt Assistant, MS Trpt Choir Assistant

### **Horn**

Renetta Dawson HS Horn Coach, HS Horn Choir Conductor  
Katie Grose HS Horn Assistant, HS Horn Choir Assistant  
Nicolas Carr MS Horn Coach, MS Horn Choir Conductor

### **Trombone**

Katie Glading HS Tbone Coach, HS Tbone Choir Conductor  
Alex Crowley HS Tbone Assistant, HS Jazz Tbone Coach  
Dan Brinkley MS Tbone Coach, MS Tbone Choir Conductor  
Hector Hernandez MS Tbone Assistant, MS Jazz Tbone Coach

### **Euphonium/Tuba**

Darrell Cox MS E/T Coach, MS E/T Choir Conductor  
Mak Cox MS E/T Assistant, MS E/T Choir Assistant  
Trae Gehring HS E/T Coach, HS E/T Choir Conductor

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**Percussion**  
Luke Helker HS Perc Coach, HS Perc Ensemble Conductor  
Victoria Griffitt HS Perc Assistant, HS Perc Ensemble Assistant  
Allen Brockmeir MS Perc Coach, MS Perc Ensemble Conductor  
Katherine Bowden MS Perc Assistant, MS Perc Ensemble Assistant

### **Jazz Rhythm Section**

Gerald Spaits Jazz Bass  
Luke Johnson Jazz Guitar  
Ari Staggs Jazz Piano

### **Band Directors**

Johannah Cox MS Tiger Band Conductor  
Peter Lillpopp HS Palmer Conductor

## **ORCHESTRA FACULTY**

### **Violin/Viola**

Denise Blehm HS Violin/Viola Coach, HS Upper Strings,  
HS Alternative Strings Assistant  
Brian Buckstead HS Violin/Viola Coach, HS String Quartet A Coach  
Rigo Murillo MS Violin/Viola Coach, MS Upper Strings,  
MS Alternative Strings Assistant

### **Cello/Bass**

Erica Pinkston HS Cello/Bass Coach, HS Lower Strings,  
HS Alternative Strings Conductor  
Brayden Smith MS Cello/Bass Coach, MS Low Strings Ensemble,  
MS Alternative Strings Conductor

### **Orchestra Directors**

Brian Buckstead HS Orchestra Conductor  
Brayden Smith MS Orchestra Conductor

### **MIDDLE SCHOOL SECTIONAL LOCATIONS**

Flutes	McCartney 202	Trombones	Malloy 212
Clarinets	Malloy 210	Euph/Tuba	Malloy 115
Double Reeds	Tomanek 124	Percussion	Malloy 126
Saxes	Malloy 211	Violin/Viola	McCartney 301
Trumpets	McCartney 104	Cellos/Bass	McCartney 230
Horns	McCartney 204		

### **MIDDLE SCHOOL SMALL ENSEMBLE LOCATIONS**

Flute Choir	McCartney 202	Trombone Choir	Malloy 212
Clarinet Choir	Malloy 210	Eu/Tuba Choir	Malloy 115
Double Reeds	Tomanek 124	Percussion Ens	Malloy 127
Sax Choir	Malloy 114C	Upper Strings	McCartney 301
Trumpet Choir	McCartney 104	Lower Strings	McCartney 230
Horn Choir	Malloy 113	MS Blue Jazz	Malloy 211

### **HIGH SCHOOL SECTIONAL LOCATIONS**

Flutes	Tomanek 106	Trombones	Tomanek 108
Clarinets	Albertson 206	Eu/Tuba	BSPAC BSMT
Double Reeds	Tomanek 124	Percussion	BSPAC STAGE
Saxophones	Albertson 169	Violin/Viola	Albertson 305
Trumpets	Tomanek 112	Cello/Bass	Malloy 100
Horns	Malloy 113		

### **HIGH SCHOOL SMALL ENSEMBLE LOCATIONS**

Flute Choir	Tomanek 106	Eu/Tuba Choir	BSPAC BSMT
Clarinet Choir	Albertson 206	Percussion Ens	BSPAC Stage
Double Reeds	Tomanek 124	String Quartet A	Albertson 304
Sax Choir	Albertson 169	String Quartet B	Albertson 306
Trumpet Choir	Tomanek 112	Upper Strings	Albertson 305
Horn Choir	Malloy 114C	Lower Strings	Malloy 100
Trombone Choir	Tomanek 108	HS Palmer Jazz	Malloy 126