

**Registration Deadline is JUNE 10, 2016**  
(Fill out and return with a check made payable to BH-BL Schools)

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone/Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_  
(next year)

Instrument \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Lesson Book & Page \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Instrumental Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the weeks your child will be attending:

Full Program - \$50.00       3rd Week (7/19) - \$12.50

1st Week (7/5) - \$12.50       4th Week (7/26) - \$12.50

2nd Week (7/12) - \$12.50

(Enclose \$12.50 per week -  
per instrument your child wishes  
to study. Checks made payable to  
BH-BL Schools.)

Check one.

**NOTE: NO refunds of  
payment are available.**

For office use only

Cash-     Check       Note: \_\_\_\_\_

*Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake*  
**Department of Fine Arts**  
*Presents*



*Summer Music*  
*2016*

*O'Rourke Middle School*  
*Music area*  
July 5 - July 29 2016

# BURNT HILLS-BALLSTON LAKE SUMMER MUSIC PROGRAM

The Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake School District Fine Arts Department will offer summer music instruction **July 5 through July 29, 2016**. This program is recommended for students of all ages and abilities who enjoy playing and have a desire to improve their musical skills. The music instruction provided during the summer program emphasizes the development of fundamentals, technique, and music reading skills on the various instruments through lessons, small ensembles, and band/orchestra experiences. The summer music program offers the following opportunities for district residents:

1. **Grades 4 -7:** One group lesson per week (schedule will be mailed home) and two orchestra or band rehearsals. Band and Orchestra are open to students grade 4-7 or students of any age who would like to continue summer study on their main instrument or refresh their skills on a secondary instrument that they may have learned in previous summer music programs. Band and Orchestra meet for 50 minutes Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9:00 a.m. The Band, Orchestra and small ensembles will perform at the final concert on July 29, 2016.

2. **Grades 8-12:** Two ensemble or group lessons per week, (string quartet, flute choir, saxophone quartet, etc.) Small ensembles may also perform at the final concert. There may be a Jazz improvisation class and/or Jazz Ensemble depending on enrollment.

3. **Grades 6-10:** Switch classes are offered two times each week to students who wish to switch from clarinet or flute to saxophone, oboe or bassoon. Other switch classes are available on demand. These may include a switch from baritone to tuba or violin to viola. Students taking a switch class must attend the first three consecutive weeks of instruction. Students must have completed all or most of book two for consideration. Please contact your current instructor to find out more about this option. Permission from your current music teacher is required.

All activities will be held at the **O'Rourke Middle School** from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Tuesday through Friday. Lessons will be 30 minutes in length. Band and Orchestra meet for 50 minutes. Students may attend all or any part of the program by indicating the weeks of participation on the registration form. **(If you know your child's swim schedule...please let us know. We will try to avoid conflicts!)**

Our program will conclude on **July 29, 2016**, with a **FINAL CONCERT** at 9:00 am in the O'Rourke Cafetorium.

## HERE'S HOW TO REGISTER

The registration fee for all or any part of **Summer Music 2016** is \$12.50 per week per instrument your child wishes to study. **There will be no refunds**. The entire four week program is \$50.00.

Fill out the registration form **on the back of this brochure** and return it with your registration fee to:

**Department of Fine Arts  
Burnt Hills-Ballston Lake High School  
88 Lakehill Road  
Burnt Hills, NY 12027**

***Band and Orchestra meet  
Tuesdays and Thursdays 9:00 - 9:50 a.m.  
A schedule of lessons will be mailed to you  
in late June.***

“Ah, music! A magic beyond all we do here!”

-- Headmaster Dumbledore, in J.K. Rowling,  
*Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* (1997)