

2017 FiddleStar Adult Beginner Camp Schedule

(times and activities subject to change...)

Thursday, September 7

5pm-10pm	Arrival and check-in for sleepover campers
6pm	Dinner for anyone and everyone!
7-8:30pm	Intro to Songwriting Workshop with Jon Weisberger

Friday, September 8

8:30-9:15am	Breakfast
9:15-9:30am	Morning meeting (and day camper arrival)
9:30-10am	Warmups with Megan (GR)
10:15am-Noon	Core Class with Matt (GR) or Natalie (AH) (with break)
12pm-1pm	Lunch
1pm-2pm	Group Recording Practice with Tyler , Matt , Megan , Natalie (GR, D, AH, MR)
2pm-3pm	June Apple Pickin Time with Tyler or How Do I Hold This Damn Thing? with Matt (GR)
3pm-3:30pm	Snack Time
3:30pm-4:30pm	Go in thru the Big D with Ross (D) or 2 Fiddles are Better Than One with Natalie (AH)
4:30pm-5pm	Free Time
5pm-6pm	Dinner
6pm	Leave for The Violin Shop
7pm-9pm	Repairs, Demos, Shopping, and Instructor Concert at The Violin Shop 2504 8 th Ave. S. Nashville, TN

Saturday, September 9

8:30am-9:15am	Breakfast
9:15am-9:30am	Morning Meeting
9:30-10am	Warmups with Megan (GR)
10:15am-Noon	Core Class with Matt (GR) or Natalie (AH) (with break)
12pm-1pm	Lunch
1pm-2pm	Group Recording Practice with Tyler , Matt , Megan , Natalie (GR, D, AH, MR)
2pm-3pm	A.B.S. with Matt (GR) or Strings & Things with Tyler (D)
3pm-3:30pm	Snack Time
3:30pm-4:30pm	Make the Fiddle Dance with Natalie (AH) or A is for Adulting with Ross (D)
4:30pm-5:30pm	Jam Basics with Megan (GR) or Redwing - We're All Swingers with Ross (D)
5:30pm-6pm	Free Time
6pm-7pm	Dinner
7pm	Jamming at camp with Ross and Tyler or head to Nashville if that's your thing!

Sunday, September 10

9am-10am	Pancake Brunch for all campers!
9:30-10am	Warmups with Megan (GR)
10:30am-1pm	Group Recordings for all campers with Tyler , Matt , Megan , and Natalie (AH)
10:30am-1pm	Sidewalk Sale – all instructors sign and sell merchandise (GR)
1pm	Departures

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Location Codes

GR – Great Room (the living room in the main house)

AH – Andy’s House (the garage)

D – Den (downstairs common room in the main house)

MR – Music Room (bright green room in the upstairs hallway)

All of the class locations are indoors but feel free to move outdoors if it's nice and your class is so inclined. Explore the space...

Meal Info

Lunches and afternoon snacks are provided for all campers. Thursday dinner and Sunday brunch are also provided for all campers. Other meals depend on your on-site or day camper status and whether you've purchased additional meal packages.

Night Events

All campers are welcome and encouraged to take part in evening activities regardless of day camp or sleepover status.

Camp Cup

Every camper gets one red solo cup for the week of camp – put your name on it and make sure it never leaves your sight! Remember, if you lose it, you have to walk to the mailbox and wait for your parents to come get you. If you need it washed, deliver it to Miss Lela and she will take care of it.

Recording with Your Friends and Heroes

Megan, Tyler, Matt, and Natalie will each be recording with one group of 4 or 5 campers. Groups will be selected on Friday, based on experience level. After the groups are chosen they will meet with your assigned instructor/band leader to pick a song or tune and work on an arrangement. This time can also be used for practicing basic jam skills and improving on playing with other people. These rehearsals will happen on Friday and Saturday afternoon – you'll see them on the schedule. On Sunday, after warmups, everyone will gather in Andy's House with Brandon, our recording engineer, who will explain how the recording works and how to get the most out of the experience. Each group will get two passes on their song so it will go rather quickly. All campers are welcome to stay in the recording area to help cheer each other on. Before and after the recording session, instructors will be selling their incredible recordings and instructional materials up in the Great Room. Don't miss that!