



## NOTES FROM THE HEART MUSIC PROGRAM

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The Woodlands **Notes from the Heart Music Program** is a year-round program that includes two week-long residential summer camps, and a full music ensemble held during the academic year. The program offers a wide variety of activities that range from music appreciation, theory, composition, singing and performing under the guidance of internationally and locally known musicians, artists, conductors and educators. The hallmark of the Notes from the Heart summer camp program is the spectacular concert which celebrates the participants' accomplishments with over 500 of their family, friends, and the community.

Notes from the Heart has garnered national attention: in its 21st year, the camps feature a world class faculty including **Edward Cumming**, Primrose Fuller Associate Professor of Orchestral Activities, The Hartt School; **Dr. Andrew Clark**, director of Choral Activities, Harvard University; **Lilly Abreu**, accomplished international artist and music instructor, The University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Mellon University; **Allison Fromm**, Founding Director, Joyful Noise; and **Tom Maroon**, guitar instructor, Noteworthy Experiences.

The success of the program can be directly attributed to the collaboration between the faculty and the Artistic Advisory Board that work together on program content. The benefits of the program are many: the music program helps develop fine motor skills through instrument playing; expand cognitive development through recognition and interpretation of musical symbols and notations; foster creativity, self-discipline, expression, and teamwork; and increase self-esteem and confidence.

**2020 Program Dates** *Mondays 6pm-7:30pm*: January 13-April 27 & September 14-December 12

**July 5-10** Adult & Young Adult Notes from the Heart Music Camp (ages 22+)

**July 12-17** Children & Teen Notes from the Heart Music Camp (ages 6-21)

Programs are held on The Woodlands' campus. For more information contact Leia Mortimer at [lmortimer@woodlandsfoundation.org](mailto:lmortimer@woodlandsfoundation.org) or call 724.935.5470.

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