

2023 Song School Schedule

THE SONG SCHOOL AUGUST 6 - 10TH, 2023				
SUNDAY				LOCATION
9:30	Campground Line Up Lottery			Farm
1:00	Campground opens			Ranch
3:00-5:00	Registration			Mtn Lion Tent
5:30-6:00	Meet and Greet (for Newbies)			Wildflower
MONDAY	BLOCK	CLASS	INSTRUCTOR	TENT
7:30-8:30	Qi Gong		Carli Zug	Trout
8:00-9:15	Registration			Blue Heron
8:00-8:45	Yoga		Heather Hottovy	Silo
9:15-9:45	Orientation			Wildflower
9:45-10:15	Opening Session	Community Gathering	Rebecca Folsom & Robert Johnson	Wildflower
10:30-12:30	Electives	Directed Writing - Session 1	Paul Reisler	Wildflower
		Song Session	Pat Pattison & Bonnie Hayes	Mountain Lion
		Little Songs Telling Big Stories	Vance Gilbert	Festival Main Stage
		Capo Envy	Justin Roth	Trout
		Build A Wholehearted Creative Life	Terri Delaney & Ellis Delaney	Lizard
		Basic Guitar Skills	Arthur Lee Land	Eagle (backstage)
		Any Way, Shape or Form	Jayne Stone	Spider
		Next Level Voice Class	Ron Browning	Bear
		Intro to Home Recording	Ryan Benyo	Coyote
		So You Wanna Write a Musical	Steve Seskin	Hummingbird
		Mentoring	Rebecca Folsom	Turtle Tent
12:30-1:30	Lunch			
1:30-4:00	Songwriting Groups	Transformational Power of Songwriting	Phoebe Hunt	Bear
		No Rules Songwriting	Siri Undlin	Trout
		Songwriting from Seed to Flower	Caitlin Canty	Spider
		Intentional Performance Inside Out	Ellis Delaney	Lizard
		Vocal Freedom Workshop	Rebecca Folsom	Eagle (backstage)
		Let's Write!	Mary Gauthier	Mountain Lion
		Song Rewriting Workshop	Bonnie Hayes	Festival Main Stage
		Harmony and Chord Substitution	Paul Reisler	Wildflower
		Writing Better Lyrics	Pat Pattison	Blue Heron
		Master Class - observers welcome	Steve Seskin	Hummingbird
		4:15-5:30	Electives	Embellishing Your Song
Herbal Remedies for the Working Musician	Siri Undlin			Trout
Tunedough: It Adds Up!	Sarah Clanton			Bear
Tick Tock for Songwriters	Melody Walker			Coyote
I Still Got It: Staying Relevant	Vance Gilbert			Lizard
The Spirituality of Songwriting	Rabbi Joe Black			Mountain Lion
Overcoming Social Media Burnout	Bonnie & Taylor Sims			Hummingbird
Guaranteed Groove: Find Your Rhythm	JJ Jones			Wildflower
Delivering A Song	Caitlin Canty			Spider
Believe in Yourself	Shanna in a Dress			Blue Heron
Song School Check in and Reflection	Phoebe Hunt			Trees by Yurt
Mentoring	Various			Various
6:00-7:30	BBQ			Hummingbird
7:30	Open Stage			Wildflower

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7:30-8:30	Qi Gong		Carli Zug	Trout
8:00-9:00	Yoga		Heather Hottovy	Silo
9:30-9:50	All School Session	Live Performing Basics	Vance Gilbert & Amy Speace	Wildflower
10:00-12:00	Electives	Directed Writing - Season 2	Paul Reisler	Wildflower
		Song Session	Bonnie Hayes & Steve Seskin	Mountain Lion
		Performance - Session 1	Amy Speace	Main Stage
		Music Production Techniques	Ryan Benyo	Blue Heron
		Take A Lead Break On Your Own Song	Arthur Lee Land	Eagle (backstage)
		Getting Started With Altered Tunings	Justin Roth	Coyote
		Time and Tools of a Songwriter	Terri Delaney & Ellis Delaney	Lizard
		Next Level Voice Class	Ron Browning	Bear
		This Song is For Me	Vance Gilbert	Hummingbird
		The Easiest Songwriting Class, Ever!	Rebecca Folsom	Trout
		Mentoring	Various	Various
12:00-1:30	Lunch			
1:30-4:00	Songwriting Groups	Ignite Your Inner Voice Sanga	Phoebe Hunt, Ashley Johnson	Bear
		No Rules Songwriting	Siri Undlin	Trout
		Speaking Your Truth Through Lyrics	Stephen Kellogg	Coyote
		Songwriting	Caitlin Canty	Spider
		Dynamic Songwriting Tools	Rebecca Folsom	Eagle
		Let's Write!	Mary Gauthier	Mountain Lion
		Writing Hit Songs	Bonnie Hayes	Main Stage
		Adv Harmony and Chord Substitution	Paul Reisler	Wildflower
		Writing Better Lyrics	Pat Pattison	Hummingbird
		Master Class - observers welcome	Steve Seskin	Blue Heron
4:15-5:30	Creative Gap	Mentoring	Various	Various
		Song School Check in and Reflection	Phoebe Hunt	Bear
		Check...one...two... ??	Jill Brzezicki	Wildflower
		Qi Gong	Carli Zug	Trout
5:30-8:00	Dinner, Ice Cream, Drinks available onsite			By Bathhouse
8:00	Open Stage			Wildflower
WEDNESDAY	BLOCK	CLASS	INSTRUCTOR	TENT
7:30-8:30	Qi Gong		Carli Zug	Trout
8:00-9:00	Yoga		Heather Hottovy	Silo
10:00-12:00	Electives	Directed Writing - Session 3	Paul Reisler	Hummingbird
		Phrasing: Where You Put it Matters!	Pat Pattison	Blue Heron
		Performance - Session 2	Amy Speace	Wildflower
		Next Level Voice Class	Ron Browning	Bear
		Mixing & Mastering Techniques	Ryan Benyo	Coyote
		Re-wilding Your Fingerpicking	Jayne Stone	Mountain Lion
		Finding the North Star of Your Song	Nan Crawford	Trout
		The Art of Live Looping	Arthur Lee Land	Eagle (backstage)
		Standards, Covers, Songs That Ain't Yours	Vance Gilbert	Lizard
		Adding Harmony and Beyond	Bonnie & Taylor Sims, Melody Walker	Spider
		Mentoring	Various	Various
12:00-1:30	Lunch			
1:30-4:00	Songwriting Groups	Scheduling to Nature	Phoebe Hunt	Bear
		No Rules Songwriting	Siri Undlin	Trout
		Speaking Your Truth Through Lyrics	Stephen Kellogg	Coyote
		Songwriting	Caitlin Canty	Spider
		Harmony, Tonality, Chords. Oh My!	Bonnie Hayes	Wildflower
		Songwriting Through Eyes of Performance	Vance Gilbert	Eagle (backstage)
		Let's Write!	Mary Gauthier	Mountain Lion
		Songwriting With Kids	Paul Reisler	Lizard
		Writing Better Lyrics	Pat Pattison	Blue Heron
		Master Class - observers welcome	Steve Seskin	Hummingbird
		Mentoring	Various	Various

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4:15-5:30	Electives	Acoustic Instrument Amplification The Set List and Performance Techniques Experimenting With Tunings and Capos Embellishing Your Song Ask Me Anything Bandleading 101 Passport Required: International Touring Vocal Clarity: A Party in Your Mouth! Speed Co-writing Song School Check in and Reflection Mentoring	Grace Design Stephen Kellogg Bill Nash Arthur Lee Land Alan Rowoth Siri Undlin Mike Beck Clare MacLeod Caitlin Canty, Melody Walker Phoebe Hunt Various	Wildflower Coyote Blue Heron Eagle (backstage) Lizard Trout Mountain Lion Hummingbird Bear Yurt (behind Wildflower) Various
5:30-8:00	Dinner, Ice Cream, Drinks available onsite			By Bathhouse
8:00	Open Stage			Wildflower
THURSDAY	BLOCK	CLASS	INSTRUCTOR	TENT
7:30-8:30	Qi Gong		Carli Zug	Trout
8:00-9:00	Yoga		Heather Hottovy	Silo
9:30-12:00	Songwriting Groups			
		Show Me, Don't Tell Me	Phoebe Hunt	Bear
		No Rules Songwriting	Siri Undlin	Trout
		Speaking Your Truth Through Lyrics	Stephen Kellogg	Coyote
		Songwriting	Caitlin Canty	Spider
		Zen Mind, Beginner Mind	Rebecca Folsom	Wildflower
		Writing Better Lyrics	Pat Pattison	Blue Heron
		Writing Emotional Melodies	Bonnie Hayes	Eagle
		Undefended Songwriting	Ellis & Terri Delaney	Lizard
		Let's Write!	Mary Gauthier	Mountain Lion
		Master Class - observers welcome	Steve Seskin	Hummingbird
		Mentoring	Various	Various
12:00-1:30	Lunch			
1:30-3:00	Electives	Directed Writing Performances Session 4- Part 1 Song Listening Session Recording: A Roadmap For Success 360 Creative Freedom Fingerpicking Good - Part 1 Your Voice: A Guided Tour Vance Advanced 202 Performance - Session 3 Please Release Me The Music of Poetry Mentoring	Reisler, Students Stephen Kellogg Megan Burt & John McVey Rebecca Folsom Justin Roth Clare MacLeod Vance Gilbert Amy Speace Mike Beck, Jenn Cleary Pat Pattison Various	Mountain Lion Spider Lizard Yurt (behind Wildflower) Coyote Trout Eagle (backstage) Wildflower Bear Blue Heron Various
3:15-4:30	Electives	Directed Writing Performances Session 4 - Part 2 Takin' Care of Business Fingerpicking Better - Part 2 Wrap Up and Exploring the Possible Fill Your Cup - Toning Workshop Writing A Cappella Transform Your Strumming Touring 101 - Stories From the Road Mentoring	Reisler, Students Mike Beck & Mark Gibson Justin Roth Mary Gauthier, Amy Speace, Steve S Rebecca Folsom Melody Walker JJ Jones Stephen, Shady Katz, Jessica Martin Various	Mountain Lion Bear Coyote Lizard Trout Spider Wildflower Blue Heron Various
4:45-5:15	Closing	Closing Community Gathering	Rebecca Folsom	Wildflower
6:00-7:30	BBQ			Backstage
7:30	Open Stage			Wildflower