

SUMMER SONGWRITERS CAMP : MICHIGAN ROCK SCHOOL

CONCEPT: Ready to start writing music, or interested in improving or expanding your songwriting skills? In this two-week camp we'll cover the basics of songwriting to advanced techniques to find your voice and style as a songwriter. Each day in camp will include lesson time, writing practice, song sharing, and performance prep. The two-week program will conclude with a small concert where participants can perform their music for family and friends.

Topics covered include (but not limited to):

- Necessary elements/parts to a song
- How to choose the proper key for your songs
- How to write a chord progression
- Exploring new chord voicings
- Transposing to different keys
- Lyrical content and subjects
- Working with vocal melodies and harmonies
- Dealing with "writers block"
- Recording your songs and ideas
- Song break-down and analysis

CAMPERS: Camp is open to guitar players, piano/keyboard players, singers/lyricists. Participants should know the basics of their instruments and be able to play songs, but DO NOT need to have prior experience writing their own songs. Participants can come ready to write new songs, or complete or improve existing song ideas.

DATES/TIMES:

July 18-29, 2016

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 10:00am-12:30pm

Performance on Friday, July 29th at 7:00pm

COST: \$275 if registered by June 17, 2016
 \$300 if registered after June 17, 2016

Registration is due by July 1, 2016

QUESTIONS: For additional information or to register, please contact Michigan Rock School at 248-766-4220 or MichiganRockSchool@gmail.com

-- Summer Songwriters Registration --

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ ALT. PHONE: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____ AGE: _____

EXPERIENCE (please check one): BEGINNER INTERMEDIATE ADVANCED

INSTRUMENTS YOU PLAY:

Main Instrument: _____ Other Instruments: _____

Years of Experience: _____

List Favorite Bands/Artists: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Relation: _____ Phone: _____

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Please send check payable to MICHIGAN ROCK SCHOOL, along with registration form to:
Michigan Rock School * 525 N. Main St., Suite 100 * Milford, MI 48381

**Questions? Contact John Kozicki at MichiganRockSchool@gmail.com or
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