

ISU Summer Marching Band Camp Information Packet

Camp Dates: Tuesday June 25 – Thursday June 27

Hello and Welcome to the **ISU Summer Marching Band Camp!**

We've got a lot of exciting events planned for an **AMAZING** three days!

Please read this entire packet and **bring the Medical & Waiver Form** with you to the camp on JUNE 24/25.

Can't come to the camp?

Please send a quick email to Klosthom@isu.edu

HOUSING:

For students traveling in to Pocatello, **housing** and **registration** will open on Monday between 5pm and 7pm in Turner Hall. The **Games Center** (In the union) will be OPEN from 7pm – 9pm for all incoming students and directors. Free Bowling and Billiards! (Bring \$ for snacks/drinks). Fast Food dinner options (McDonalds, Taco Bell, Subway) are also near.

Residents will need to bring bedding (twin single), pillows, towels, and toiletries. Each room has two beds, with shared bathroom at the end of the hall. This is a traditional college dorm experience.

Male and female students will be separated on two floors. We ask that students of the opposite gender please stay off the opposite floor. Several meeting places in common areas are available for all student use.

Each resident will be assigned a Key. If you **lose the key**, the replacement cost is \$50. You are responsible for that cost.

MEETING “HOME BASE” & REGISTRATION

Our camp activities are entirely in the **Pond Student Union**. The registration and meeting area is the. The Marching Visual activities are **INSIDE HOLT ARENA**. (See below for parking suggestions)

The Summer Institute for Piano and Strings Camp is also happening this week. Our camp is completely in the Union building and students are asked to stay out of the Fine Arts building (restrooms/water OK). We are in need of Folding Music Stands (or flip folder use) during the camp.

FOOD:

This year’s camp food will be served Turner Hall Dining. All meals will come with vegetarian and gluten free options. Please email Dr. Kloss with any questions about any meal issues.

Residents: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner provided each day, Tuesday through Thursday. Thursday dinner provided after concert on the Quad: Hot dog, chips, & soda for all participants.

Commuters: Lunch is provided for all participants. Thursday dinner provided after concert on the Quad: Hot dog, chips, & soda for all participants.

Hours: Breakfast 6:30 – 8am; Lunch 11am – 1pm; Dinner 5pm – 7

ALL STUDENTS

Need to bring their **instrument/flag** as we have a **CONCERT** on Thursday night. All section leaders will perform as well as drum majors. Drum majors will also show their learned conducting skills. Practice files will be sent via email. Bass drummers can practice overall rhythms. Colorguard students can get familiar with the music to make learning choreography easier.

PLAN TO BE OUTSIDE ALL DAY

Colorguard and Drumline clinics will be outside in shaded areas all day. Music rehearsals may be outside at any time.

Bring water, sunscreen, hats, and appropriate shoes to ALL events.

PARKING: (Yes they still ticket you in the summer!!)

There are only 2 places you can park on campus without getting a ticket:

Commuters may park in the **first row** of the Fine Arts Lot, closest to 5th Ave (and Taco Bell/Jackson's). Look for signs with our camp logo on them.

Turner Hall – Students may also park in the **GREEN** lot in front of Turner Hall, near the Arena. **DO NOT PARK ANYWHERE IN THE ARENA LOT, or RED LOT AREAS.**

Some streets near the Fine Arts Building (5th, 4th, 3rd) do have free parking. Watch for RESIDENT ONLY signs.

BEHAVIOR

The ISU Summer Marching Band Camp places high expectations on students and their behavior. If, however, a student chooses to be a negative distraction, or display behavior not appropriate in a school setting, we reserve the right to notify the parent/guardian and send that student home at their own expense.

Students **may not leave campus** during the camp for any reason. Residents **may not drive themselves or others** during the camp. Park the car and leave it for the three days.

The **outside doors for the Turner Hall are locked in the evening**. Chaperones and ISU staff have the door keys. If you leave the dorm at night, the only way back in is to call Public Safety, who has been advised to confirm with YOUR PARENTS that you belong to our camp before letting you back in.

When you check in, housing will give you the phone number to call if you have any issues. Someone will be on call 24/7. Chaperones will be monitoring hallways at night.

STUDENT CHECKLIST

ALL STUDENTS:

- Parent Permission/Waiver Signed**
- Medical Information Completed**
- Payment (All Checks made to Idaho State University – if not collected by your director)
- Instrument/Flag (everyone brings instrument!!)
- Flip Folder/(3 ring binder – Percussion)
- Lyre/folding stand (Stands provided for percussion)
- Notebook – to take notes! (Especially Leadership + Drum Major!)
- \$\$ For snacks, ISU souvenirs, etc
- Sunscreen/Hat/Sunglasses
- Appropriate Shoes/Sneakers
- Water/Container
- OPTIONAL:** Folding Music Stand (We are low on stands this camp)

RESIDENTS:

- Bedding (twin bed), Pillow, Towels
- Toiletries (toothbrush, soap, shampoo, etc)
- Clothes for 3 days
- Snacks

PLEASE NOTE:

We have had a few minor medical issues at a recent camp. PLEASE make sure you fill out the MEDICAL FORM as completely as possible. All forms are shredded after the end of the camp.

EVENING ACTIVITIES

MONDAY

GAME CENTER

The Game Center (in the Union) will be open Monday & Tuesday Evening from 7-9pm. All bowling and billiards are free. Bring \$ for snacks & Drinks.

TUESDAY

JAZZ JAM SESSION

Tuesday Night: 7-9pm in Goranson Hall (Fine Arts Building). Bring your instruments and play with our Professor of Jazz Studies, Jon Armstrong. He'll provide all of the music. Everyone invited to Jam!

GAME CENTER OPEN 7-9pm

WEDNESDAY

DJ TRIVIA! ****NEW**** TNT productions is sending us a host to bring a trivia challenge. We'll form teams of 6, give you clues that morning to help your team win, and compete for Prizes. Can you beat Dr. Kloss?

THURSDAY

CAMP CONCERT – 6pm in the Quad. **Invite your parents and friends to join us** for a short concert as part of the ISU Summer Concert Series! Featuring all camp members in a spectacular mass band performance of tunes, cadences, and auxiliary demonstrations. Camp ends after the concert, and free hot dog dinner for all campers.