



# Strings for All Ages



## Fall 2020 CLASSES NOW AVAILABLE

**\$79 enrollment fee** due upon registration (Must be registered prior to entering classroom).

**\$20 curriculum purchase** (cash or check to YOA ONLY) due on first day of class.

Students learn to be proficient in public performances on the Violin, Viola, Cello or Bass. All classes held at Cibola High School 4100 W 20th Street Yuma, AZ 85364. *(please enter at 18<sup>th</sup> St. and go to the Fine Arts building)*

**\*Parents:** We will hand out the syllabus for each level and give you information about the performing concerts during the semester. After 3 unexcused absences students will be removed from the roster. Practice and class participation are very important to the success of the student and for maximum learning.

### How to Register

- Step 1: Call **YOA** to determine what level your student qualifies for (928) 487-1344.
- Step 2: Call **AWC Continuing Education** to register and pay enrollment fee (928) 317-7674.
- Step 3: Bring cash or check (payable to YOA) on the 1st day of class to purchase required materials.

### String Ambassador Classes - Virtual via Zoom

**Twinklers \*Virtual\*** ..... **Tuesday 4:30pm-5:20pm** ..... **Sept 15—Dec 8**

This class is for experienced students. Your student must be a past Twinkler and be enrolled into the Strings for all Ages Orchestra level I or II class. Students must be at least 8 years old or in 3rd grade. To be fair, students must be able to function and learn independently. Students are instructed on correct musical terms, site reading, proper posture, ear training, memorization of beginning musical notation, rhythms, ensemble participation, and will be performing for our community.

**Junior String Ambassadors \*Virtual\*** ..... **Tuesday 5:30pm-6:30pm** ..... **Sept 15—Dec 8**

This class is a continuation of the Twinklers course. It is suggested to students whom are 8 years old or in 3rd grade through 13 years of age. This is a performing class and all students must be enrolled in either the Strings for all Ages Orchestra level II or III to participate. Students are instructed on more advanced musical skills, site reading, and will be performing for our community. Students will be accepted on the recommendation of the teacher or by audition.

### Orchestra Workshop Classes

**Orchestra Level I** ..... **Thursday 5:30pm-6:45pm** ..... **Sept 17—Dec 10**

Students are instructed on correct musical terms and parts of their instrument, proper posture, site reading, beginning musical notation and rhythms, ensemble participation, and given the opportunity to perform showing their new skills. If a student does not meet the age requirements, an interview will be required.

**Orchestra Level II** ..... **Thursday 5:30pm-6:45pm** ..... **Sept 17—Dec 10**

This level II class is for students who must be reading music. Students will be instructed on more advanced skills with their instrument, including scales and arpeggios, styles of music, and theory, playing in ensemble, and given the opportunity to perform showing their new skills. Students will be accepted on the recommendation of the level I and/or level II teacher or by audition.

**Orchestra Level III** ..... **Thursday 5:30pm-6:45pm** ..... **Sept 17—Dec 10**

This level III class is for students who will be instructed on even more advanced skills with their instrument, including scales, arpeggios, styles of music and theory. Students will be accepted on the recommendation of the level II and/or III teacher or by audition.

*Please note: There will be no classes on 11/26 Thanksgiving Day!*

### Refund/Cancellation Policy

A 100% refund is granted or another individual may attend in your place if a request is made two working days prior to the start of class. A 50% refund will be issued if notice is received less than two working days prior to class start date.

**No refunds will be issued after the first day of class.**