

Summer Group Trumpet Classes

The Cobb Symphony Orchestra and the Murray Arts Center are excited to offer Group Trumpet Classes for Middle and High School students over the summer led by noted instructor Brian Miller!

These classes are designed to help students develop critical and strategic artistic thinking, self-confidence, time management, artistic communication, audition preparation and a host of other skills! Classes will be offered in the morning and afternoon in June and in the evenings in July.

Dates and Times:

June (1, 2, 4, 8, 9, 11, 15, 16, 18)

10:00 AM – 10:50 AM (Middle School) + Change

11:00 AM – 11:50 AM (High School) + Change

1:30 PM – 2:20 PM (Middle School)

2:30 PM – 3:20 PM (High School)

July (6, 7, 9, 13, 14, 16, 20, 21, 23 – Middle School ONLY)

July (6, 7, 9, 13, 14, 16 – High School Only)

6:30 PM – 7:20 PM (Middle School) + Change

7:30 PM – 9:00 PM (High School)

Required Materials:

Middle School:

Getchell and Hovey First Book of Practical Studies for Cornet or Trumpet

Standards of Excellence Book Two (Blue)

High School:

Arbans Complete Conservatory Method

Clarke Technical Studies

Fees:

\$100/month

\$15 application fee

Any books listed above that are not owned already

Registration Information

To register for classes, go on-line to www.cobbsymphony.org and click on “Georgia Center for the Arts” and follow the links or call (770) 429 – 7016 between 9 AM – 5 PM.

For specific questions about the class, please contact Brian Miller directly at brianpierremiller@mac.com.

General Information:

Each class will have nine meetings, with the exception of the last week of the High School program in July which will have six 90 minute sessions to accommodate marching band schedules. Once the classes have started, there will be no refunds. Classes will be limited in size to 8 participants. Classes will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. If demand warrants, classes may be added in both June and July.

About the Artist:

Trumpeter Brian Miller has taught and performed around the world for over 15 years – as far away as Muscat, Oman. He has performed locally with numerous groups including the Cobb Symphony Orchestra, the Georgia Philharmonic, and the Macon Symphony. His students are regularly selected to participate in local honor groups including District 12 Honor Band, All State Band, Georgia Youth Symphony Orchestra, and the Atlanta Youth Wind Symphony. His private students who have gone on to study music in college have been accepted to such schools as the University of Georgia, Northwestern University, the University of Michigan, and the University of Miami. Mr. Miller’s teaching philosophy is one that encourages a path of creative self-discovery in and beyond the student’s musical endeavors. Mr. Miller attended the University of Michigan for his Masters degree in Trumpet Performance and Baldwin Wallace College Conservatory for his Bachelors in Trumpet Performance.