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Guitar Instructors

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Teacher: Christie Echols Bass Studio
Christie Echols
83725 Boise
(208) 921-8012 christieechols@hotmail.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Performance Suzuki method Theory
Education: Studied classically with Jack Koncel for three years, I have also studied with briefly with Lynn Seaton, Steve Moran, and Andy Butler. In addition to that I have been to multiple music camps to study bass. I am currently a performance major at West Texas A&M University studying under Dr. Nick Scales.

Associations: International Society of Bassists and American String Teachers Association.

Avg. # 5-12
Years exp.: 7
Teaches: Traveling Teacher
Comment: Teaches String Bass and Bass Guitar through Skype Lessons. When in town I will drive to houses to teach.



Teacher: Cary White
83702 Boise www.carywilliam.com
(208) 608-5013 thesongwright@gmail.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Composition Performance Theory

Education: BM Music Education (classical guitar); MA Educational Technology
Associations: Guitar Society
Avg. # 10
Years exp.: 25
Teaches: Traveling teacher 10 mile radius 83702 (03,04, 06)
Comment: Teaches classical, electric, and acoustic Guitar; digital and acoustic Piano; and Voice



Teacher: David Kane
83634 Kuna
(208) 407-7553 titlemusic77@msn.com

Levels taught: Beginning through Advanced, Age 6-7 and up
Specialties: Classical, Composition, Ensemble, Improvisation, Jazz, Performance, Theory
Education: Started classical piano at age 6, band at 11, always learning new instruments. BA in music. Certified Music teacher since 1995.
Associations: NAFME
Avg. # 5
Years exp.: 30
Teaches: Piano, Guitar, Violin, Viola, Cello, Bass



Teacher: Berardi's Music Studio
Dusti Berardi
83703 Boise
208-863-7087 dusti.berardi@gmail.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: ages 4 and up
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Composition Performance Theory
Education: Business and Marketing Degree and minored in Music and Art. My mom growing up had her own music store in town and over 75 students. I taught lessons since I was 14. She taught over 30 years. She also teaches twice a month at my studio.
Associations: 2
Avg. # 40
Years exp.: 20
Teaches: Piano, Guitar, Voice, Ukulele
Comment: Have taught out of Music stores before, but since I live on a busy street. It is closer to where the parents live.



Teacher: The David Gluck Music Studio
Teacher David Gluck
83651 Nampa www.rhythmmandbrass.com ,maderavox.org
(914) 450-0583 davidgluckr@gmail.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Theory
Education: BM from Ithaca College, MFA from Purchase College (State University of New York) - percussion and composition
Associations: Chamber Music America - Broadcast Music Incorporated (BMI) - College Music Society - Society of Composers, Inc. (SCI) - Percussive Arts Society

Avg. # To be determined (new in Boise)
Years exp.: since 1985
Teaches: Traveling Teacher within 20 mi. radius of Boise proper
Currently teaches full-time at The Idaho Arts Charter School. Adjunct at NNU, College of Idaho and CWI.
Comment: I teach drums, keyboard percussion, ethnic and orchestral percussion, beginning to intermediate piano, beginning guitar. I have written two books on performance technique and the psychology of performance. I was a college professor for 13 years at Purchase College, State University of New York, I have toured extensively as a member of the Dallas Brass, Rhythm & Brass and Madera Vox. I am endorsed by Yamaha, Zildjian and Innovative Percussion. Watch the Rhythm and Brass and Madera Vox demo videos on youtube! As a founding member and percussionist/composer of the internationally renowned Rhythm & Brass, David has been critically acclaimed by such publications as the New York Times, Entertainment Weekly and Downbeat magazine. He has 10 recordings on the Koch, Summit, d'note, Bear Claw and Skinny-Tie labels. Recently he co-authored the best-selling book Rhythms of the Game: The Link Between Musical and Athletic Performance with former New York Yankee great, Bernie Williams. The book's forward is written by Paul Simon and is published by the Hal Leonard Corporation. I was one of 290 music teachers nation wide out of 3,300 to make the quarter finals for the GRAMMY music educator Award for 2017.



Teacher: Earl Mullins
83709 Boise www.boiseukulelegroup.com
(208) 514-6264 boiseuke@hotmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate
Ages taught: adults, teens, select pre-teens who show genuine interest and adequate attention span
Specialties: Performance Theory
Education: High school band (trumpet), largely self-taught otherwise, have attended numerous clinics, workshops, and week-long music camps.

Associations: Idaho Bluegrass Association

Avg. # 4
Years exp.: 20+
Teaches:

Comment: Teaches acoustic guitar and ukulele. Jam session etiquette. Fingerstyle instrumentals (ragtime, country blues), folk/pop music, Hawaiian slack-key.



Teacher: Harmony Ranch Music School
Gayle Parkinson McKee
83616 Eagle gandlmckee@msn.com
939-6860 407-5710

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: From four to ninety four
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Suzuki method Theory
Education: Bachelors in Music from Utah State University Masters credits in Vocal, Piano, Organ, Guitar, String Instruments, Young Child Music. Nationally certified Teacher
Associations: Idaho Music Teachers Association, Music Teachers National Association, National Federation of Music Teachers, Boise Tuesday Musical, National Association of Music Teachers, National Guild of Organists

Avg. # 60
Years exp.: 35
Teaches:

Comment: Harmony Ranch Music School: Piano, Drums, String Bass, Cello, Vocal, Guitar, Electric Guitar, Violin, Organ, Performing Arts. The music school is on eight acres surrounded by trees. It is very private and secluded. It is a beautiful place to study music or have an event. We have a performance hall. We teach to the level of the student where ever they are, and tie into their interests. We work at making music study a joyous experience. The lessons are Professional, Positive and Fun.



Teacher: Gayl Loutzenheiser
83702 Boise
841-9511 gaylloutz@gmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate
Ages taught: Children & adults
Specialties: Classical Composition Theory
Education: Master Certificate Guitar - Berklee School of Music
Private Piano Instruction (for many, many years!)

Associations:
Avg. # 5-10
Years exp.: 3

Teaches:
Comment: Teaches Piano/Keyboard, Guitar, Music Theory, Some Voice. I enjoy current/pop music and have a strong knowledge of personal music production techniques - having had to record and submit assignments online with the Berklee School of Music. I am skilled at Logic Pro and Garageband as tools for focusing your personal music practice time. I think these are fantastic tools - on both the Mac and the IPAD. I also enjoy playing the keyboard - with all the techniques that can be used to make these effective music production tools.



John Phillips Guitar Instruction
Teacher: John Phillips
83646 Meridian www.guitarboise.com
(208) 286-0777 jpphoto@yahoo.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: Children & adults
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Theory
Education: Private instruction and years of performance experience. I am also a certified teacher through the State of Idaho

Associations:
Avg. # 20
Years exp.: 15

Teaches: Traveling Teacher Treasure Valley
Comment: I hold an Idaho State teaching certificate and maintain a clean criminal history. I teach all styles and ages how to read and play. Lessons are fun with clear objectives and rubrics.



Teacher: Jeff Johnson
83705 Boise
(509) 710-6252 johnsjef27@live.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: Children & adults
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Performance Theory

Education: 10 years of private instruction in various styles, AA degree with emphasis in music from Spokane Falls Community College, Bachelors of Arts in music with emphasis in classical and jazz guitar from Central Washington University.

Associations: Affiliated with the Seattle Jazz Guitar Society and the Seattle Classic Guitar Society

Avg. # 8

Years exp.: 2

Teaches:

Comment:



Childbloom Guitar Program

Teacher: Kelli Larson
83646 Meridian boisechildbloom.com
375-9768 kl@stringsongs.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate

Ages taught: 7-18 years

Specialties: Classical Performance Theory

Education: bachelor of music / performance degree

Associations:

Avg. # 24

Years exp.: 26

Teaches:

Comment: Guitar lessons for kids



Wild Thyme Studios

Teacher: Karen Smith
83702 Boise stablewoman2@gmail.com
559-7081

Levels taught: PreK-Adult All, but the majority are beginner-intermediate.

Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults

Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Theory

Education: minor in music BSU, emphasis in classical guitar and voice

Associations:

Avg. # 60

Years exp.: 16

Teaches:

Comment: Teaches Banjo, Guitar, Violin, Rock Keyboards, & Voice. Rock band ensemble and nontraditional orchestra ensemble (rock, pop, country). Teaches Banjo, Guitar, Fiddle, Dulcimer, Voice. My studio is the home of GirlsRock!Boise, an affiliate of the international Girls Rock Camp Alliance. I have two different youth orchestra ensembles available to beginning-intermediate string players who want alternative group experience playing rock, fiddle tunes and contemporary music. They need not be my regular private students to participate. I also hold vacation rock camps for children age 8-12 and coach rock bands for teens at my studio. It is open to guitarists, keyboard players, drummers, string players and vocalists. Again, they need not be my regular private students to participate. I have an adult band that plays eclectic party music featuring acoustic instruments and vocal harmonies, notable for not being overly loud. We can DJ dance music if that is also needed.



Marie's Music

Teacher Marie Hansen

83605 Caldwell www.mariesmusic.com
(208) 948-0208 mariehan20@hotmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate, Children and Adults
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Theory
Education: Associate's degree, minor in music

Associations:

Avg. # 10
Years exp.: 32

Teaches: Piano, Guitar, Accordion. Travels for at least 3 students in the home, Caldwell and Nampa



Harmony Road

Teacher Mila Quarles
83705 Boise <http://www.harmonyroad.org/>
(208) 409-6868 harmonyroad@cableone.net

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Composition Performance Theory
Education: Master degree in Music (Studies in Europe)

Associations:

Avg. # 22
Years exp.: 26

Teaches: Offers group lessons for children. Teaches method similar to Suzuki. This teacher also rents out her studiospace with 8 pianos on a day basis as needed
Traveling Teacher All Boise, Meridian and Eagle.



Teacher: Mark Kolnes
83616 Boise Markkolnes.Com
(208) 941-8835 MarkKolnes@mac.com

Levels taught: Accepting advanced level students in any genre or serious classical students, any level.

Ages taught:

Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Theory
Education: Studied guitar for 36 years. Classical Guitar Performance Major at BSU (completed one year). Week long Master Class with Pierre Bensusan at his house in France. Masterclasses with Peter Finger, Angel Romero.

Associations:

Avg. # 35-40
Years exp.: 7

Teaches:

Comment: I currently teach over 40 students Riverstone International School in Boise, and at of my home in Eagle. Teaches Guitar, Bass Guitar, Banjo, Ukelele, & Mandolin.



Arpeggio Music Studios &
The Children's Musical Workshop

Teacher: Nancylee Summervill
83706 Boise www.acousticvibesboise.com
(208) 912-4291 (208) 908-9152 acousticvibesboise@gmail.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
Ages taught: Adults
Specialties: Classical Composition Performance
Education: B.A., M.A., Music Education/Vocal Pedagogy Orff Schulwerk Music Education
Specialist/Music, Movement, Language, Composition
Associations: Idaho Orff Chapter IMEA CMEA MENC ACDA ARS Colorado Rocky Mtn Orff
Chapter/ AOSA CEA NEA
Avg. # 10
Years exp.: 38+
Teaches:
Comment: Teaches Voice Guitar Piano (Older Beginners) - World Drumming(Drum Circles- Percussion Ensemble) Orff Music Classes For Children & Families. Studio Lessons & Classes will be held at Capitol City Christian Church, 615 N. 9th St., in Boise, located next to Boise High School. Private Lessons & Ensemble Classes For All Music Students Will Be Scheduled On Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays - Daytime & After School Hours.



Bowker Music
Teacher: Sam Bowker
83704 Boise
440-3786 bowkermusic@cableone.net

Levels taught: Percussion all levels (Classical, Rudimental and Drumset), Beginning Piano and Beginning Guitar
Ages taught: All: preschool, children, & adults
Specialties:
Education: AA/BA Music BSU
Associations:
Avg. # 40+
Years exp.: 25
Teaches:
Comment: Teach drum set, rudimental snare, piano, guitar, mallets, sound engineering. I teach all styles.



Meridian Music & Arts
Teacher: TeJay Rogers
83642 Meridian www.meridianmusicandarts.com,
weatherheadmusic.com
(208) 412-4748 tejay@weatherheadmusic.com

Levels taught: Beginning through advanced, Children and Adults
Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Theory
Education: Private Lessons/Self-taught
Associations: Meridian Music and Arts
Avg. # 40-50
Years exp.: 13
Teaches: Acoustic and electric guitar, banjo and ukulele. Music should be fun and life changing. I try to make it so.



Tucksedo Studio
Teacher: Terre & Jennifer Tuck
83669 Star www.tucksedostudio.com
(208) 286-0750, tucksedo@outlook.com

Jennifer and office

Levels taught: Terre- All for guitar and Bass. Beginner to Intermediate for Drums. Tanner takes beginner to intermediate drum students. Shadrach takes beginner to intermediate bass students. Jennifer- Beginner to Early Advanced

Ages taught: Preschool through Adult

Specialties: Classical Improvisation Jazz Composition Performance Theory

Education: Jen University of Idaho Voice Major, A.S. Music North Idaho College Yamaha Music Education Certification, Harmony Road Music Certification, Music Rhapsody Licensed Terre A.S. Music North Idaho College

Associations: Several online music professional groups ranging from indie songwriting, guitar instruction, and vocal teaching. We also maintain a natural network of local artists/songwriters, performers, and teachers that we interact with, encourage, and play music with.

Avg. # Jennifer=45, Terre=25

Years exp.: Jennifer=23, Terre=25

Teaches: Jen: piano, voice Terre: guitar, bass, drums

Comment: Our sons are instructors. Shadrach teaches electric and upright bass. Tanner teaches drums. Both are advanced and have won numerous awards, gig professionally, and have recordings available on iTunes. We offer classical, rock, blues, jazz and contemporary styles. We have a family band called Tucksedo available for events. We now have a recording studio and Terre is taking recording projects. Jennifer is Music Specialist at Challenger School, grades 3-8.



Meridian Music and Arts

Teacher: Tom Lowe
83642 Meridian meridianmusicandarts.com
890-2940 lessonswithtom@gmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate

Ages taught: Children & adults

Specialties: Improvisation Jazz Performance

Education: B.A. in Theory & Comp from Boise College (BSU)

Associations:

Avg. # 16

Years exp.: since 1964

Teaches:

Comment: Teacher piano, guitar, and electric bass. Playing Fri. & Sat. nites from 7-11 at Orphan Annie's in Caldwell, going on 15 years.



Teacher: Truman Young
83705 Boise music.truman@gmail.com
570-9326

Levels taught: Beginner to advanced

Specialties: Classical guitar plus electric rock/metal guitar

Education: Private classical lessons at BSU, also self-taught for the last 16 years.

Associations:

Avg. # 12

Years exp.: 1

Teaches: Music theory, classical technique, acoustic guitar playing, electric guitar technique, soloing paradigm, developing individual expression, finding the right tones, playing while singing



Teacher: Wayne White
83651 Nampa waynewhite.net
(208) 283-6918 waynewhite260@gmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate

Ages taught: 9+ years

Specialties: Composition Performance Theory

Education: Graduate of Musicians Institute Hollywood, CA 1991

Associations:

Avg. # 25

Years exp.: 15

Teaches:

Comment: I am the Utah State 2010 instrumental fingerstyle guitar champion, and a local performing musician.