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UKULELE INSTRUCTORS

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

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



Harmony Ranch Music
School

Teacher Gayle Parkinson McKee
83616 Eagle
939-6860 407-5710 gandlmckee@msn.com

Levels taught: All - beginning, intermediate, & advanced
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:

Harmony Ranch Music School: Piano, Drums, String Bass, Cello, Vocal, Guitar, Electric Guitar Violin, 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: Quail Studios
Hal Stead https://www.youtube.com/quail_studios
83660 Parma <http://quail-studios.com/>
(435) 229-1969 lessonswithhal@gmail.com

Levels taught: Beginning through Advanced, Children and Adults. Preschool-I recommend Let's Play Music for children from preschool ages up through 8 years of age. My wife, Karen, is a Let's Play Music certified teacher. I'm a "Connections Teacher" for Let's Play Music
<https://www.letsplaymusic.com/>

Specialties: Classical, Composition, Improvisation, Jazz, Performance, Theory. I'm not a Suzuki piano teacher but I've used the Suzuki books in my teaching and tailor lessons to help students to learn quickly teaching ear training and reading together

Education: I studied piano with Del Parkinson in 1980-1982, have been playing guitar since I was 12 years old. I've studied classical guitar, jazz, country, rock, and pop.

Associations: Snake River Valley Music Teachers Association - SRVMT

Avg. # 33

Years exp.: 38

Teaches: Piano, Guitar, Bass guitar, Ukulele. Travels to 83709 Boise, 83616 Eagle, 83644 Middleton, 83605 Caldwell, 97913 Nyssa, 97914 Fruitland. I usually travel to the Middleton/Eagle/Boise area on Monday, Nyssa/Ontario/Fruitland on Tuesdsay, and teach in my studio in Parma on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

I was the head of the music program from 2000-2012 at SunHawk Academy in Saint George, Utah. It was a addiction recovery facility for teens. They closed in 2012 due to the economic downturn. Along with troubled youth, I have also successfully taught children with Asperger Syndrome, ADHD, and Autism.

I gigged extensively in the Los Angeles area in the 1970's and played well over 1,400 live performances both as a solo artist and with a band between 1974 and 2012. I started teaching piano part time in 1982, guitar in 1983, and have been teaching full time since 1993. 1993-1998 teaching in the Utah Valley area (Provo/Orem Utah), 1998-2016 in Saint George, Utah, and here in Parma since 2016.



Teacher Songbird Creative/Old Boise Music Studios
Jordan Paige
83702 Boise www.songbirdcreates.com
(208) 391-8338 jordan@songbirdcreates.com

Levels taught: Beginning & intermediate, Preschool through Adult

Specialties: Classical, Performance, Suzuki Method, Theory

Education: Began studying piano at age 6, and expanded my musical interests to include folk harp at age 8. By 9, I was focused primarily on the harp and began playing professionally at that time as well. I started studying pedal harp at the age of 11, and have been in love with it ever since. Junior High through early college, I added study in vocal performance and pursued coursework in that, music theory & business at BSU & CWI.

Associations: American Harp Society, Music Teachers National Assoc., Treasure Valley MTA

Avg. # 20
Years exp.: 10+
Teaches: Piano, Harp, Ukulele, Voice. Travels for lessons before 2PM, please contact for availability. My passion for music has made teaching and performance my full-time job. I work with students of all ages, including those with learning disabilities. I am a proud member of Old Boise Music Studios, one of the longest standing venues for music education and enrichment in our community. I've played in harp ensembles, string duets, and have performed solo at numerous events, including weddings, parties, charity events, and art galas.



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
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. Master classes with Peter Finger, Angel Romero.

Associations:
Avg. # 35-40
Years exp.: 7
Teaches:
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.



Teacher Meridian Music & Arts
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.



Teacher: Victor Skidanenko
83713 Boise www.victorskidanenko.com
(208) 297-3536 vcssound@yahoo.com
Levels taught: Beginning through Advanced: Banjo, Guitar, Mandolin
Beginning and Intermediate Bass Guitar
Beginning Ukulele
Children and Adults
Specialties: Improvisation, Jazz, Performance, Theory
Education: College courses as well as sixteen years of live performance and touring
Associations:
Avg. # 15-20
Years exp.: 14

Teaches: Guitar, electric guitar, banjo, mandolin, electric bass and ukulele