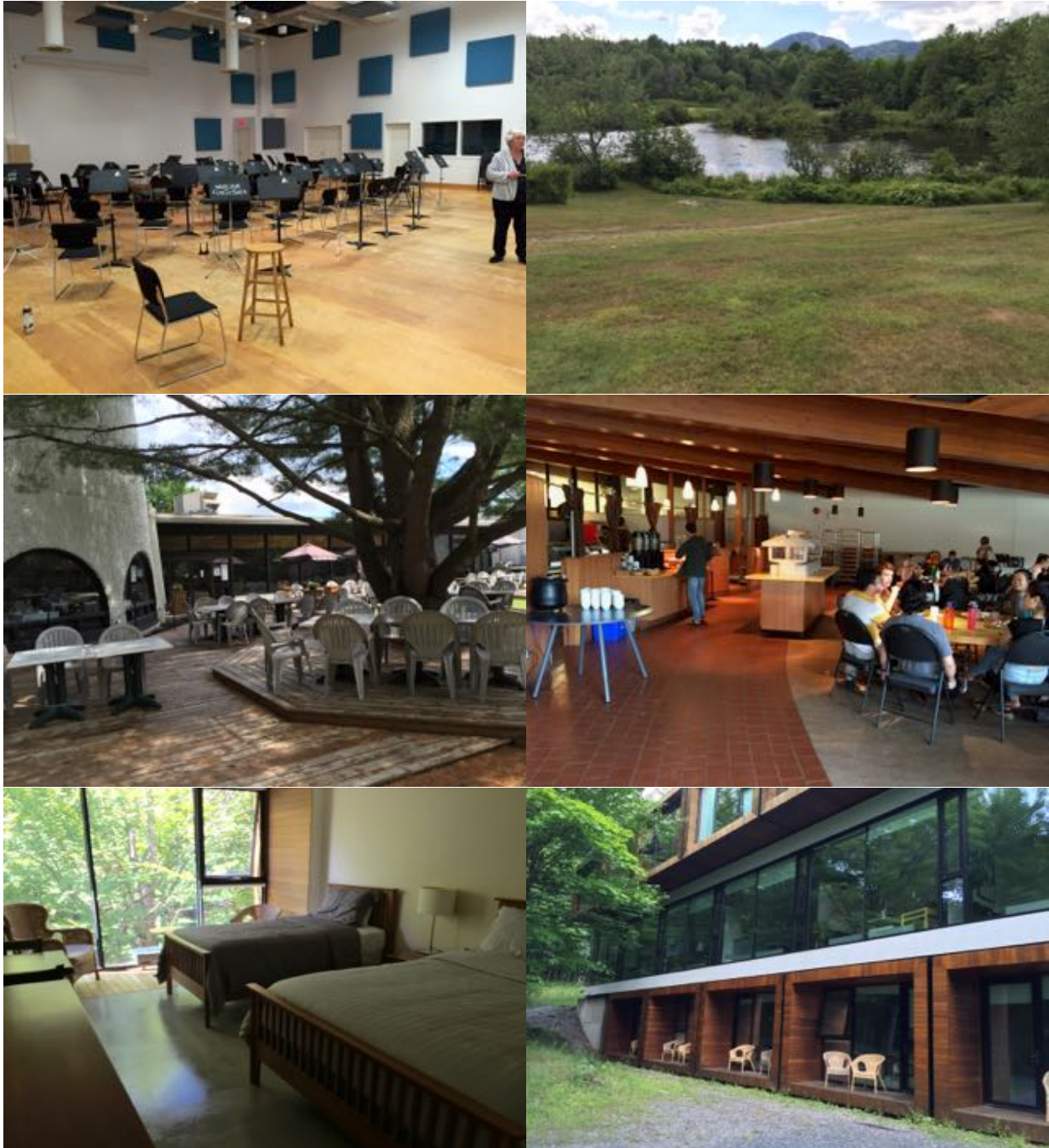


New Horizons Band Camp at Orford, Quebec September 10-14, 2017



The Setting

Orford Musique is an established music camp with excellent facilities, housing, and food service. The camp is located 76 miles Southeast of Montreal and 113 miles from Burlington, Vermont. For images of the area, do a Google search for Magog, Quebec and select images. To see a YouTube video of the camp click on bit.ly/2cx98e8

Housing

The camp has 89 guest rooms, all with private baths. All rooms are designated as non-smoking. Because the site is dedicated to community life, rooms are not equipped with telephones or televisions. Additional housing and a beautiful park with camping are located nearby.

Administration and Directors

Audrey-Kristel Barbeau, Camp Director, Montreal New Horizons Band
Lori Schuett, Associate Camp Director, New Horizons Board of Directors
Roy Ernst, Associate Camp Director, New Horizons Founder
Ron Berry, Director, Potsdam New Horizons Band
Mark Enns, Director, London New Horizons Band
Russ Grazier, Director, Portsmouth New Hampshire New Horizons Band
Justin Hiscox, Director, Peterborough New Horizons Band
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Dann Kapp, Director, Toronto New Horizons Band
Cathy Wilcox, Director, Ottawa New Horizons Band

Fees (all fees in Canadian dollars)

There are two fees for the camp: 1. the instructional fee, which is the same for everyone, and 2. the fee for room and food, which will vary depending on choices.

Instructional fee: \$300 for members of New Horizons International Music Association, Inc. (NHIMA), \$330 for non-members, taxes included. You can join NHIMA for \$10 at www.newhorizonsmusic.org to take advantage of the discount, register early for the camp, and gain other benefits of membership in NHIMA.

Single occupancy with meals: \$476 plus \$74 tax. \$550 total

Double occupancy per person with meals: \$336 plus \$50 tax. \$386 total

For those not staying at the camp:

Facilities fee for rehearsal rooms: \$30, tax included

Optional meals purchased individually at the camp:

Breakfast: \$10 plus \$3.25 tax. \$13.25 total

Lunch: \$14 plus \$4.50 tax. \$18.50 total

Dinner: \$17 plus \$5.50 tax. \$22.50 total US Dollar Conversion

US Dollar Exchange Rates

Exchange rates are available on the internet. When you use PayPal, the exchange rate for that day will be shown. For example, on January 2, 2017 the following rates applied:

\$300 Canadian dollars cost \$229.97 US dollars

\$550 Canadian dollars cost \$420.33 US dollars

\$386 Canadian dollars cost \$295.00 US dollars

PayPal also charges a fee when you make payment.

Some Driving Distances and Times to Orford Music Centre

Burlington, VT 113 miles, 2 hours
Montreal, 122 km (76 miles), 1 hr, 23 minutes
Ottawa, 317 km (197 miles), 3 hr, 13 min
Toronto, 666 km (414 miles), 6 hr, 14 min
Peterborough, 590 km (367 miles), 5 hr 45 min
Potsdam, NY, 177 miles, 3 hours 13 min
Rochester, 666 km (414 miles), 6 hrs 31 min
Halifax, 11 hours, (631 miles) 1031 km

Registration

On-line registration will begin on April 3 for members of New Horizons International Music Association (NHIMA) and on April 10 for non-members.

Check the New Horizons website in March for class schedules and descriptions.

The ensembles and classes are intended for people who play woodwind, brass and percussion instruments. The first 50 people to register will be accepted regardless of instrumentation. After that, instrumentation will be a factor.

It is very likely that the capacity of the camp and the maximum for some instruments will be reached soon after registration opens. Early registration for NHIMA members will be a big advantage, although there is a chance that it will not be possible to accept all NHIMA applications.

Language

Instruction at the camp will be in English

Schedule

Check in will begin on Sunday, September 10 at 1 pm and the camp will end after lunch on Thursday, September 14.

Cancellation Policy

This is the first New Horizons camp in Quebec. Although a full registration is anticipated, there is always a chance that the camp may be cancelled due to low enrollment. Wait until June 1 for initial enrollment to be completed and then write to Audrey-Kristel Barbeau at audrey-kristel.barbeau@mail.mcgill.ca to check on enrollment before purchasing a non-refundable air ticket. You may also want to consider trip insurance that provides coverage for cancellation of the event.

If you register for the camp and need to cancel, refunds for the program fee less a \$20 processing fee will be made before July 1. After July 1, 50% of the program fee will be refunded.

Montreal Tour (optional)

Participants will be invited to tour Montreal on the Saturday before the camp begins. The Montreal NHB will recommend a hotel and provide guides. Participants will pay their own expenses directly.

Ensembles and Classes (subject to change)

Intermediate Band	Jazz Style/Blues
Advanced Band	Intermediate Percussion Ensemble
Chorus	Intermediate Clarinet Ensemble
Jazz Ensemble	Intermediate Flute Ensemble
Dixieland Band	Intermediate Saxophone Ensemble
German Band	Intermediate Mixed Brass Ensemble
Singing Popular Songs (see next page)	Advanced Percussion Ensemble
Reducing Performance Anxiety	Advanced Clarinet Ensemble
Madrigal Singing	Advanced Flute Ensemble
Beginning Uke	Advanced Saxophone Ensemble
Conch (Seashell) Choir	Advanced Mixed Brass Ensemble