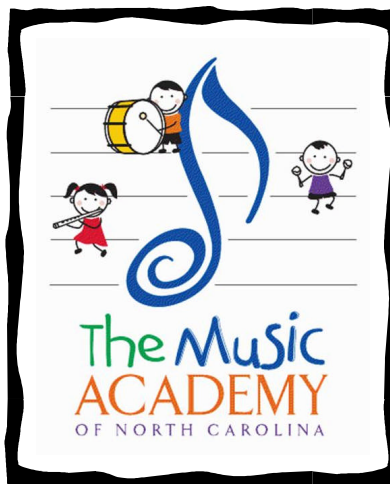


HOPE FAIRCHILD THACKER, mezzo-soprano and faculty member at The Music Academy of North Carolina, is a Mississippi native. She holds a DMA in Vocal Performance from UNC Greensboro, as well as a MM in Vocal Performance and Choral Conducting and a BMed in Choral Music Education from The University of Southern Mississippi. Dr. Thacker's vocal awards include national semi-finalist in the 2004 NATSAA Competition and guest artist for the 2004 Southern Region NATS Convention. Recent roles include Angela in Colaner's *He Cried Uncle* (World Premiere), Augusta in *The Ballad of Baby Doe*, Zita in *Gianni Schicci*, Mercedes in *Carmen*, and the Witch in *Into the Woods*. Oratorio performances include Mozart's *Requiem*, Beethoven's *Choral Fantasy*, *Alma* by Schiffman (NC premiere), Vivaldi's *Gloria*, and the Duruflé *Requiem*. Dr. Thacker is currently serving as Artist in Residence at UNC Charlotte. She can be reached at **691-0762, ext. 204** or email: hthacker@musicacademync.org



Blue Note Musikgarten Early Childhood Education

Blue Note Musikgarten—Early Childhood Education: Summer - 2010-2011

Student Name(s) _____ Date of Birth: _____
 Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____
 Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
 Home Phone (____) _____ Work Phone (____) _____ Cell Phone (____) _____
 Email Address(es) _____

Student 1) Choice#1: Class: _____ Day/Time: _____ Teacher: _____
 Choice#2: Class: _____ Day/Time: _____ Teacher: _____
 Student 2) Choice#1: Class: _____ Day/Time: _____ Teacher: _____
 Choice#2: Class: _____ Day/Time: _____ Teacher: _____
 Student 3) Choice#1: Class: _____ Day/Time: _____ Teacher: _____
 Choice#2: Class: _____ Day/Time: _____ Teacher: _____

Administration Fee per term (per family): \$12.50-Summer—fee is included in cost of samplers.

Payment type: Cash Check is attached/enclosed or
 Credit card: Visa Mastercard American Express
 Account# _____ Expiration Date _____
 Signature (as it appears on card) _____

Make checks payable to: The Music Academy of North Carolina.
 Please mail payment and registration to: The Music Academy of North Carolina
 ATTN: Blue Note Musikgarten
 1327 Beaman Place, Suite 100
 Greensboro, NC 27408-8728

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Sponsors:



Blue Note Musikgarten - 1

Family Music for Babies and Toddlers

Birth to 3 years

A fun, affordable alternative to summer camp!

Minimum enrollment: 6

Cost: \$35.00 (tuition)

\$12.50 (administration fee-per term/per family)

\$47.50 TOTAL

(5 classes, 30 minutes in length)

Monday through Friday

3:00 - 3:30 P.M.

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|-------------------|---------------|
| A. July 26 - 30 | Miss Susannah |
| B. August 2 - 6 | Miss Susannah |
| C. August 16 - 20 | Miss Susannah |

10:00 - 10:30 A.M.

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| D. June 21 - 25 | Miss Hope |
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4:45 - 5:15 P.M.

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| E. June 21 - 25 | Miss Hope |
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5:45 - 6:15 P.M. (Pajama Class)

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| F. June 28 - July 2 | Miss Hope |
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Blue Note Musikgarten - 2

Cycle of Seasons - 3 to 5 years

A fun, affordable alternative to summer camp!

Minimum enrollment: 6

Cost: \$50.00 (tuition)

\$12.50 (administration fee-per term/per family)

\$62.50 TOTAL

(5 classes, 45 minutes in length)

Monday through Friday

2:00 - 2:45 P.M.

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|-------------------|---------------|
| A. July 26 - 30 | Miss Susannah |
| B. August 2 - 6 | Miss Susannah |
| C. August 16 - 20 | Miss Susannah |

9:00 - 9:45 A.M.

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|-----------------|-----------|
| D. June 21 - 25 | Miss Hope |
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5:30 - 6:15 P.M.

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| E. June 21 - 25 | Miss Hope |
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6:30 - 7:15 P.M. (Pajama Class)

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| F. June 28 - July 2 | Miss Hope |
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Blue Note Musikgarten - 3

Music Makers at the Keyboard - ages 7 to 9

A fun, affordable alternative to summer camp!

Minimum enrollment: 6

Cost: \$50.00 (tuition)

\$12.50 (administration fee-per term/per family)

\$62.50 TOTAL

(5 classes, 75 minutes in length)

Monday through Friday

4:00 - 5:15 P.M.

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| A. August 2 - 6 | Miss Carol |
| B. August 8 - 13 | Miss Carol |



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CAROL SOTER, piano faculty member at The Music Academy of North Carolina, earned a Master of Music degree from Duquesne University and Bachelor of Arts degree from Mary Washington College. Carol has extensive training in Musikgarten and is certified by its founder, Lorna Heyge, to teach the entire curriculum. Carol teaches **Music Makers: At the Keyboard**, an introductory method for groups of young beginners ages 7-9. The course is based on an aural approach to music literacy that provides a natural pathway to reading music. She also teaches **Musikgarten Adults**, a recreational group piano class for adults. Before joining the faculty at MANC, Carol taught piano at Lenoir-Rhyne Community Music School, and in her own private studio.

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SUSANNAH STEELE, piano faculty member at The Music Academy of North Carolina, received her Master of Music from UNCG, her Bachelor of Music from Furman University, and is currently pursuing her Doctoral Degree in performance from UNCG. In addition to teaching private piano lessons, she has completed certification to become a Musikgarten teacher of children ages birth-5. A member of the faculty at Furman's Summer Keyboard Institute as well as UNCG's Summer Music Camp, Susannah also taught Class Piano and accompanied the Opera Theatre program at UNCG. She has also completed a year as a teacher at Furman University. As a performer, she has studied at the New Orleans Piano Institute and abroad at the Prague International Masterclasses. She won the state MTNA Young Artist competitions in 2003 and 2007 and the 2007 GMTA Young Artist Competition. Susannah performed with the UNCG orchestra after winning the 2008 Concerto Competition.

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