



praiseworks
 student worship arts camp
 Ouachita Baptist University
 July 16-20, 2018

TRACK	Times	Description
NEW! Tech, Sound, Lighting INTERMEDIATE	8 am & 1:15 pm	If you have a knowledge of the basic workflow of Sound and Lighting this class is for you! We will be walking through more in depth how a soundboard functions and how DMX lighting works. Students will get to work with mixing real instruments and vocals through tracks in a process known as virtual sound check. We will also have a handful of lights for students to program using a computer-based lighting software.
NEW! I Spy!	8 am & 1:15 pm	This <u>HIGHLY</u> interactive and engaging track will be a twist on the 'I Spy...' game we all played as kids. We will use clips from movies, commercials, etc., as well as breakdown worship songs and hymns to 'spy' the truth and/or the lie (sometimes a mix of both in the same piece of media!) from a Biblical perspective. This will be a fun track that will teach you how to be wise and discerning in what you allow into your mind and will teach you a much needed skill every Christian is commanded to have. It is also a skill that will be invaluable to worship leaders and creative artists.
REVISED Worship Band Music Theory	8 am & 1:15 pm	Isn't transposing music intimidating?! After taking this track, it will be a breeze! We will focus on the Nashville Number System and the Circle of Fifths and how easy they make transposing worship songs, leading rehearsals, and saving you time in between. You will be able to apply this great tool to your worship band immediately after leaving camp.
NEW! Planning Incredible Worship	8 am & 1:15 pm	Every worshiper wants to be engaged in incredible worship. And every worship leader wants to lead incredible worship times. In fact, God Himself is the author of incredible worship and gives us excellent examples of how to lead worship that honors Him and encourages His children. This track will give students the opportunity to plan and lead worship together as we apply biblical examples of worship leading.
NEW! Advanced Video Production	8 am & 1:15 pm	(AUDITION REQUIRED) – Each applicant must be 9th grade or higher and submit a 2 minute or less video of your best work, featuring both shooting and editing. Submit as DVD or online link. Video quality is not as important as the overall style and composition. Include a note of the type of camera and software used to edit and a statement of why you want to be in this track. Submit to billy@thecreativewell.org by June 18. In the advanced video track, we will produce daily recap (highlight) videos of camp starting Tuesday to show Wed - Friday mornings. We will spend both morning and afternoon track time shooting video of all elements of camp, classes and tracks then those who wish, can spend afternoon free time shooting video of free time and editing the 60-90 second highlight video for the next morning's worship. All week we will build a final 3-5 minute video to show at tracks on display. This will be a longer

		video that will both reuse and use fresh video from the week in a high impact, fun video that you can take home with you as well! The selected students for this tracks will have this class for BOTH tracks. They will NOT be able to take any other tracks. As you register for camp, you will be required to choose alternate tracks. If you are selected for this track, your track choices will be changed by camp administration.
Art	8 am & 1:15 pm	This course is a hands-on introduction to the use of art in worship. With acrylic paint as the primary medium, the intent is to develop and broaden creative thinking and painting skills that can be used in both personal and corporate worship settings. (All supplies provided)
Bass Guitar - Beginner	8:00 am only	Beginner track will teach the rudiments and fundamental techniques for bass guitar. Students need to bring an electric bass guitar. A small practice amp and an electronic tuner are helpful but not required.
Bass Guitar - Experienced	1:15 pm only	Advanced track will help students use scales, rhythm and other music fundamentals to play in ensembles. Students who register for the advanced track should know the notes in first position and be able to read a chord chart or lead sheet. They need to bring an electric bass guitar and a small practice amp.
Deeper	8 am & 1:15 pm	In the Deeper track, each student will need a Bible, and a pen. Each student will learn how to study God's Word.
Drama –Alpha (Grades 7-8)	8 am & 1:15 pm	Students will have a blast as they learn exercises, skills, and skits to help them create or contribute to a drama team. They also develop confidence in themselves and trust in others through performance and collaboration.
Drama – Omega (Grades 9-12)	8 am & 1:15 pm	Students will have a blast as they learn exercises, skills, and skits to help them create or contribute to a drama team. They also develop confidence in themselves and trust in others through performance and collaboration. (Please bring one completely black head-to-toe outfit and one dressy outfit.)
Drums 101	8 am & 1:15 pm	Drums 101 is for students who have little to no experience with any type of percussion. Basic hand/foot technique, setting up your kit, and playing your first beat (Bring sticks, preferably 5A or 7A)
Drums with Experience	8 am & 1:15 pm	Drums with Experience is for students who can read music and have at least some experience with percussion. Exploring grooves, advanced tips and tricks, using fills, and auxiliary perc techniques (Bring sticks, preferably 5A or 7A)
Graphic Design	8 am & 1:15 pm	In this hands-on track students will learn to create and manipulate graphics for a wide variety of uses in worship.
Guitar - Beginning	8 am & 1:15	Starting with the basics, you'll learn: how to tune your guitar, basic chords and chord progressions, picking patterns, basic finger picking

	pm	and how to use a capo. You'll also learn some current praise and worship songs you can take back home. Guitar required.
Guitar – Intermediate	8 am & 1:15 pm	For guitar players who have mastered G, C, and D and desire to learn more about their instrument. Learn the how's and why's of using a capo, how a song is built, guitar maintenance, and more. Guitar required.
Guitar –Advanced	8 am & 1:15 pm	Students who have good playing skills, and are ready to move to the next level, this track is for you! We'll learn current trends of electric guitars in Praise & Worship and skills needed to play in a band on an advanced level (Major scales, chord structure, pentatonic scales, chord progressions and transposition). You need a guitar...preferably an electric guitar and a small amp.
Interpretive Movement/Dance - Advanced	1:15 pm only	Students will use all forms of dance to express worship and a message in a song. Movements will be geared to types of dance that include ballet, lyrical, jazz, & contemporary. Experience not required, but encouraged.
Improv Acting – Omega	8 am & 1:15 pm	A fun, high-energy class to develop your quick-thinking acting/storytelling skills on stage without the use of a script.
Keys 101	8 am only	Keys for the beginner who has never played!
KEYS -Intermediate	1:15 pm only	Students who have basic piano/keyboard knowledge from a couple of years of lessons will discover the secrets of reading a lead sheet to playing keyboard in a praise band.
Leading Student Worship for Guitar/Drums/Keys	1:15 pm only	Students will be taught how to work together as a worship band...learning rehearsal, planning, and presentation principles and techniques that will make their bands more effective.
Leading Student Worship for Singers	1:15 pm only	Learn to improve vocal blend, handle microphones, create "head charts," and understand your role as a worship leading vocalist. (Only for worship/youth leader recommended vocalists)
Media Software (Pro Presenter)	8 am & 1:15 pm	In this track, we will discover the tips and techniques for running ProPresenter as a visual worship leader. Learn how to insert audio and video, utilize countdowns, prepare songs and scriptures, and other facets of helping your group to worship – visually!
Photography	8 am & 1:15 pm	Capture moments through photos designed to express and enhance worship. Learn basic photography skills to help you tell your story. Camera with SD or Compact Flash cards strongly suggested . iPhone and other phone cameras acceptable but please realize that your photos may not be accessible for viewing.
Piano – Advanced	8 am & 1:15 pm	Want to learn how to do hymn arrangements, read a lead sheet, improvise worship songs? Then advanced piano is the place to be. Bring a favorite hymn/worship song to play.
Sign Language	8 am & 1:15	Incorporate sign language or dramatic sign to enhance the message of worship music. Please bring a solid black t-shirt for Thursday night's

	pm	Tracks on Display.
Song Writing	8 am & 1:15 pm	Students will work together to create the lyrics and music for an original worship song.
Step	1:15 pm only	In this track, students will participate in a form of "stepping", street, & hip hop. Stepping is a percussive dance in which you use the entire body as an instrument to produce rhythms, sounds, & movements through a mixture of footsteps, words, & hand claps.
Stomp	8 am & 1:15 pm	We will be using various pieces of junk and teamwork to make music; we will perform creative rhythms with whatever we can find, all to present a "loud" offering of praise to God.
Tech, Sound, Lighting - BASIC	1:15 pm only	Learn the basics of sound and lighting through demonstration and hands-on examples. No repeats from previous years.
Tech – ADVANCED	8:00 am only	Only open to 6 students who have taken Tech, Sound, Lighting in previous years, and who are recommended by their group leader. The 6 students must be grades 9-12.
Tracks and Loops	8 am & 1:15 pm	In this track, we will learn the whys and hows of using tracks and loops in worship. Students will also be introduced to Playback and Ableton as well as receive hands-on experience importing, building worship sets, and setting up tracks and loops for use in worship.
Video Production	8 am & 1:15 pm	Students will gain skills for creating and editing videos for worship.
Voice 101	8 am & 1:15 pm	Learn how to use your voice to its best with one of Ouachita's amazing vocal instructors.
Evening Worship Choir	1:15 pm only	This group will spend their track time rehearsing/preparing to sing as a choir during the evening worship. Students will discover the meaning of worship, and learn what it takes to be worship leaders, both on and off the stage. They will not only be focused on honoring God in song, but also honoring Him with their lives. (This is NOT the same as the choir/orchestra in which EVERY student participates!)
Morning Celebration Band *AUDITIONED	8:00 am only	Audition required upon arrival at campus . This group will lead worship each morning at PraiseWorks. If selected during the Monday audition, Morning Celebration Band will replace your 8:00 a.m. track choice
Morning Celebration Praise Team *AUDITIONED	8:00 am only	Audition required upon arrival at campus. This group will lead worship each morning at PraiseWorks. If selected during the Monday audition, Morning Celebration Praise Team will replace your 8:00 a.m. track choice.
Explore Your Call		A Q&A time with selected worship leaders about being called to

		ministry. Details TBA. No sign up required.
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