

# ***Destination Band Camp***

**Junior camp: June 10-15, 2024**

**Senior camp: June 16-22, 2024**

**CHECK IN at The Farris Center located on Bruce Street, Conway, AR 72035.**

**JUNIOR CAMP:** Monday, June 10, 8:00am-12:00pm.

**SENIOR CAMP:** Sunday, June 16, 9:30am - 12:00pm.

**CHECK IN PROCEDURE:** Do not bring luggage or instruments to registration, please leave in your vehicle. Once you complete registration and receive your dorm assignment, you can proceed to your dorm and unload luggage there.

Check-in for all camps will be held in the lobby of The Farris Center on the campus of the University of Central Arkansas in Conway, Arkansas. There is no key deposit, but if you do not turn in your key on the last day of camp there will be a \$40.00 charge. There will be a \$12.00 charge for a lost access key card. No student may try out until all fees are paid.

**CANCELLATIONS:** NO CANCELLATION REFUNDS WILL BE GRANTED AFTER June 3, 2024 or to students dismissed from camp for any reason. A \$25.00 cancellation fee will be charged to those canceling before the June 3, 2024 deadline

**WHAT TO BRING:** Bring your own toilet articles, bath towels, 2 sheets (not fitted), pillow, light blanket, rainwear, musical instrument, sunscreen, and "Sunday" outfit for the final concert. If you plan to attend the final Formal Dance, please bring an additional nice outfit, no shorts or jeans for dance.

**WHAT NOT TO BRING:** Possession or use of any illegal weapon, alcoholic beverage or unauthorized controlled substances, including tobacco products and vapes, will result in immediate dismissal from camp and notification of proper authorities. Skateboards or in-line skates should not be brought to camp.

**CASES:** All cases must have name tags attached with names on the tags.

**RECREATION:** Bring athletic shoes and clothes suitable for sports activities. Camp activities include: theme dance: dress as your favorite holiday, Mid-week concerts, movies, karaoke, formal dance, and DBC's Got Talent. (DBC's Got Talent auditions will be Sunday afternoon. Time & location will be posted.)

**AUTOS:** Except for OFF-CAMPUS students, no student is allowed to RIDE IN or OPERATE an automobile, motorcycle, etc. while attending camp. If exceptions are made, it will only be because of unusual circumstances and with permission granted by a member of the DBC Board.

**LEAVING CAMPUS:** If it is necessary for you to leave campus, you MUST have written permission from your parents and approval from the camp office.

**SR HIGH MID-WEEK CONCERTS: SENIOR CAMP (only)**—Tuesday, June 18th beginning at 7:00 pm in Waldran Auditorium in Old Main.

**FINAL BAND CONCERTS (ALL STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FINAL CONCERTS)**

JUNIOR CAMP— Saturday, June 10th beginning at 9:30 am in student center ballroom and Ida Waldron Auditorium

SENIOR CAMP— Saturday, June 17th beginning at 9:00 am in Reynolds Auditorium

**JAZZ BAND CONCERTS:**

JUNIOR JAZZ BAND: Friday, June 9th, beginning at 1:30 pm in Ida Waldran Auditorium

SENIOR JAZZ BAND: Friday, June 16th, beginning at 4:00 pm in Ida Waldran Auditorium

**TRYOUTS:** There will be a camp meeting at 1:00 p.m. on the first day of camp in Ida Waldran Auditorium to review the tryout procedure. Bring your instrument to this meeting, as you will depart from there to go directly to tryouts. See the tryout information sheet on the website for book, page and exercise numbers. During junior high camp: Flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpets, and percussion will offer early auditions beginning at 11:00 am. Locations will be posted.

**DORM ROOMMATES:** If you have a preferred roommate, BOTH of you should go to the dorm check-in area TOGETHER, if possible, and request your room. We cannot make dorm or room assignments before the first day of camp.

**MEALS:** All meals will be served in Christian Cafeteria. The first meal provided by camp will be the evening meal of the first day of camp. Please plan accordingly for lunch!

**PHONES:** If cell phones are brought to camp, they should be TURNED OFF during all meetings, classes, rehearsals, and concerts.

**OFF-CAMPUS STUDENTS:** Your noon meal WILL BE FURNISHED daily. Please be aware that because you are staying off campus, your daily schedule may be somewhat different than that of the other campers, especially with regard to free time and night activities. The pick-up and drop-off point should be in front of the Snow Fine Arts center. Please let your parents know when to be there to pick you up at the end of the day and also after the night activities. There will be a special meeting on the first day of camp at 12:30 p.m. in the Snow Fine Arts center Recital Hall to give OFF-CAMPUS students additional information. It is important that you attend this 12:30 meeting. Your parents are encouraged to attend as well. Off campus check-in will be at 12:30 in The Snow Fine Arts Center Recital Hall. At this time, please bring your instruments for auditions.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** You may email us at [destinationbandcamp@gmail.com](mailto:destinationbandcamp@gmail.com) or check our website at <https://www.destinationbandcamp.com/>

**PHONE NUMBERS DURING DBC: Camp Office (501) 450-5768 (During Camp only)**

**For emergencies: UCA PD (501) 450-3111**

2024 DBC JH Session  
 FIRST DAY SCHEDULE  
***TIMELINE: Monday, Jun 10, 2024***

<b>TIME</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
8:00am	Registration - Farris Center	Farris Center
10:00am	<b>FACULTY</b> – Meeting in SFA Recital Hall	<b>Faculty</b> Snow Fine Arts Recital Hall
11:00am 12:30pm	<b>STUDENTS playing the following instruments may audition early:</b> Flute – Old Main 112 Bb Clarinet – Old Main 113 Alto Sax – Old Main 14 Trumpet – Snow Fine Arts 131 Trombone – Snow Fine Arts 312 Percussion – Snow Fine Arts 120 (RBRH)	<b>Students</b> meet in IDA WALDRAN Hall in Old Main at 11:00am
12:30pm	<b>Off Campus Students Meeting</b>	Snow Fine Arts Recital Hall
1:00pm	<b>Camp Assembly – ALL CAMP (Early Auditions Stop)</b>	IDA WALDRAN Hall in Old Main
1:30pm	Auditions Resume / Jazz Band “Drop-in” Auditions after regular audition	See attached sheet below for locations of auditions
5:00pm	<b>Dinner – ALL CAMP</b>	Cafeteria
6:00pm	Auditions Resume  Students Finished with Auditions Report to	Audition locations  IDA WALDRAN in Old Main
7:00pm	<b>Camp Meeting – ALL CAMP</b>	IDA WALDRAN in Old Main
9:00pm	Floor Meetings	Dorms
10:00pm	Room Check/ Lights Out	Dorms

**THEME Dress Up Days-Junior High Session**

TUE 6/11	<b>Adam Sandler Day</b>	<b>Dress like your favorite version of Adam Sandler</b>
WED 6/12	<b>It's a Barbie World!</b>	<b>Which Barbie or Ken are you???</b>
TH 6/13	<b>Famous Duo Day</b>	<b>Show us your favorite duo ...Batman &amp; Robin ... Sonny &amp; Cher ... James Dean &amp; Marilyn Monroe ... Mario &amp; Luigi ... Rory &amp; Lorelai. Or who????</b>
FRI 6/14	<b>Houses &amp; Hogwarts &amp; Hogsmeade</b>	<b>Sport your best Harry Potter gear!</b>

***DBC Dorm Guidelines***

- Take care of dorms and contents. Remember, we are guests of the university.
- No girls are allowed in boys' dorms and no boys are allowed in girls' dorms. No chairs allowed outside the dorms.
- Keep up with your room key and access card (if applicable). Lost keys and cards will have to be paid for.
- Students are not allowed to phone in pizza orders.
- All dorm problems should be reported to your captains, who in turn will report to the dorm staff.
- All campers are expected to be in their room by room check. No student will be allowed to their room after room check except in the case of an emergency. Taking a shower, getting refreshments, doing laundry, visiting friends, etc. are not considered emergencies.
- LIGHTS OUT means lights are out in your room; rooms should be quiet (music or TV at very soft level).
- Use of tobacco, vape devices, alcoholic beverages, or illegal drugs will not be tolerated. Violators will be sent home and may face legal charges.
- Stealing will not be tolerated. Do not bother anything that belongs to another person: *violators will be sent home.*
- Dorm rooms should be locked with a key anytime you leave your room. Dorm rooms should be locked at night after room check
- Keep windows closed. Open windows will cause the air conditioning to "freeze up." Window shades/blinds should be kept in a lowered position and closed.

- End hall doors should not be propped open. Doors are closed for security reasons.
- Students should respect the privacy of other students in the dorm. Keep music, talking, and activities quiet. Horseplay, vandalism, and unruly behavior will not be tolerated at any time. Appropriate behavior – *If you even think it is inappropriate, it probably is!* Use common sense and behavior that is appropriate at all times.
- Harassment of other campers will not be tolerated.
- Students should report any problems of this nature to their captain or camp staff. Students are expected to keep their dorm rooms neat and clean. Daily room checks will be made. Captains and the dorm staff will inspect all dorm rooms on the last day of camp.
- Do not be afraid if you hear people in the hallway after lights out. Hallways are monitored each night for your safety by the dorm staff.
- Do not write on anything in the dorm including dry erase boards, doors, walls, etc. A fee will be charged for any writing found on UCA property.
- Do not leave food out in your dorm room. ANTS can be a big problem if food is left out in your room.
- Do not tell other campers where you keep your money. Plan the use of your money wisely. Make it last all week.
- **Fire Alarms:** HANDS OFF. Do not touch a fire alarm. In the event of a real fire emergency, report it to a student officer or dorm staff personnel. They will alert the proper authorities. Tampering with Fire Alarms is against the law.
- **Room inspection:**  
Each camper should carefully check their room when they move in on the first day of camp.
  - Missing items/furniture, damaged items, graffiti, or unclean conditions should be reported to your captain who will record it on the dorm inventory form. There are a specific number of chairs, mattresses, etc. assigned to each room. This varies from dorm to dorm. Captains will tell you what is supposed to be in your room. All of this will be taken care of after the floor meeting on the first night of camp. Captains should turn the dorm inventory form in at the Camp Office.
- Before students check out of the dorm, a thorough inspection will be made of each room. Captains should make sure that all furniture assigned to each room is accounted for. Students should not be given a check-out slip if the furniture is missing or damaged. These problems should be reported to the camp office.

*All campers are expected to follow these rules and guidelines.*

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*Any student not following these rules, can and will be sent home.*

**DORM CHECK OUT - Final day of camp: 8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

1. All campers must attend their band's warm-up session and participate in the concert. Checking out of the dorm should not interfere with concert warm-ups or concerts!
2. Rooms should be cleaned and all trash removed. Take the trash to the marked trash disposal area on the first floor of your dorm. **UCA will bill you \$20 for each trash item left in your room.**
3. All furniture should be placed in your room as you found it when you checked in.
4. Each camper must have their room checked by a captain or a dorm staff member. They will then issue a check-out slip to be presented with the room key and scan card to the UCA Housing Staff located in the lobby of your dorm. UCA Housing Office requests that we leave all dorm room doors unlocked and that we leave the air conditioners on.
5. It is extremely important that you turn in your room key and access card. UCA Housing Staff will be located in the lobby of your dorm. There is a \$40 fee for lost keys and \$20 for lost access cards.
6. Students are free to leave camp after the dorm check-out procedure is completed and after they have performed in the concert.
7. Make your parents aware of your final concert Schedule. Do not assume you will have transportation home.

**Junior High final concerts: Saturday, June 15, 2024**  
**Ida Waldron Auditorium and Student Center Ballroom**

JUNIOR HIGH	Student Center Ballroom		Ida Waldron Auditorium
<b>10th Band</b>	9:30 am	<b>5th Band</b>	9:30 am
<b>9th Band</b>	9:50 am	<b>4th Band</b>	10:00 am
<b>8th Band</b>	10:10 am	<b>3rd Band</b>	10:30 am
<b>7th Band</b>	10:30 am	<b>2nd Band</b>	11:00 am
<b>6th Band</b>	11:00 am	<b>1st Band</b>	11:30 am

**Senior High final concerts: Saturday, June 22, 2024**  
**Reynolds Performing Arts Center**

<b>Band</b>	<b>Warm up</b>	<b>Travel</b>	<b>Performance</b>
<b>6th</b>	8:30 on stage	n/a	9:00
<b>5th</b>	9:00	9:20	9:30
<b>4th</b>	9:30	9:50	10:00
<b>3rd</b>	10:00	10:20	10:30
<b>2nd</b>	10:30	10:50	11:00
<b>1st</b>	11:00	11:20	11:30

**Senior high electives:**

Class Piano Boot Camp (limit 14 students per section) - Tell your seniors who are planning to be music majors about this class. One of the UCA piano teachers will teach ‘Introduction to Class Piano’ to students (0-1 year piano experience). Scales, triads, arpeggios, I-IV-V-I progressions, etc. Great head start to college. Taught in the piano lab. This summer, expanded sections allow students to take both Piano Boot Camp and Music Technology.

Music Technology Class (limit 9 students per section) - A very popular class. Students work with Finale, midi interface, sequencing, and other music software. Taught in the computer lab at SFA.

Theory (expanded to 3 sections) - Teach frequently-used musical terms (tempo and stylistic), key signatures, major and minor scales, chords, simple ear-training exercises and intervals, chord progressions, simple dictation.

College Prep Theory - A GREAT class for seniors who will be freshmen music majors next fall.

Conducting Class - Basic patterns of 4/4, 3/4, 2/4, 6/8, dynamics with the left hand and right hand, cueing, basic marcato and legato styles, dynamics, etc. Suggest bringing recordings for conducting.

Jazz Improv - Focus on the “how to” of basic improvisation and jazz styles. A “hands on” approach to improvisation and jazz styles. Students bring instruments.

Technique/Scales Class - Brass & woodwind. Strengthen students’ ability to perform simple to complex rhythms in different meters (i.e. how to count rhythms!!). Also, students should improve ability to play major & minor scales needed for all-region auditions. A “hands on” approach has worked well in the past. *Teaching*

*tip:* Use a rhythm sheet to explain, then perform rhythms, especially dotted rhythms in conjunction with rests. Students bring instruments.

Reed-making class - Double reed players learn the basics of making their own reeds.

Masterclass/Audition Music - Same as Junior High class, but with high school all-region material. Teachers provide the masterclass materials and all-region music. Students must bring instruments.

Small Ensembles - Homogeneous ensembles - for chamber music experience. Ensembles *may* perform for each other on Friday, but not required. Students bring instruments.

Sightreading Class - Same as Junior High class but with high school level sight reading music. Students bring instruments.

Drum Set Class - “How to” techniques for the drum set. Good preparation for all-region jazz auditions. **FOR PERCUSSIONISTS ONLY!!**

2 Jazz Bands - By audition. *Students in jazz band do not take any other electives.*

Advanced Jazz Class - For students in a school jazz band with some jazz experience. Strengthen styles, articulations, advanced jazz scales, look at all-region jazz audition material.

Intro to Jazz Class - Learn to play different jazz styles, different articulations, beginning blues scales, rhythm studies.

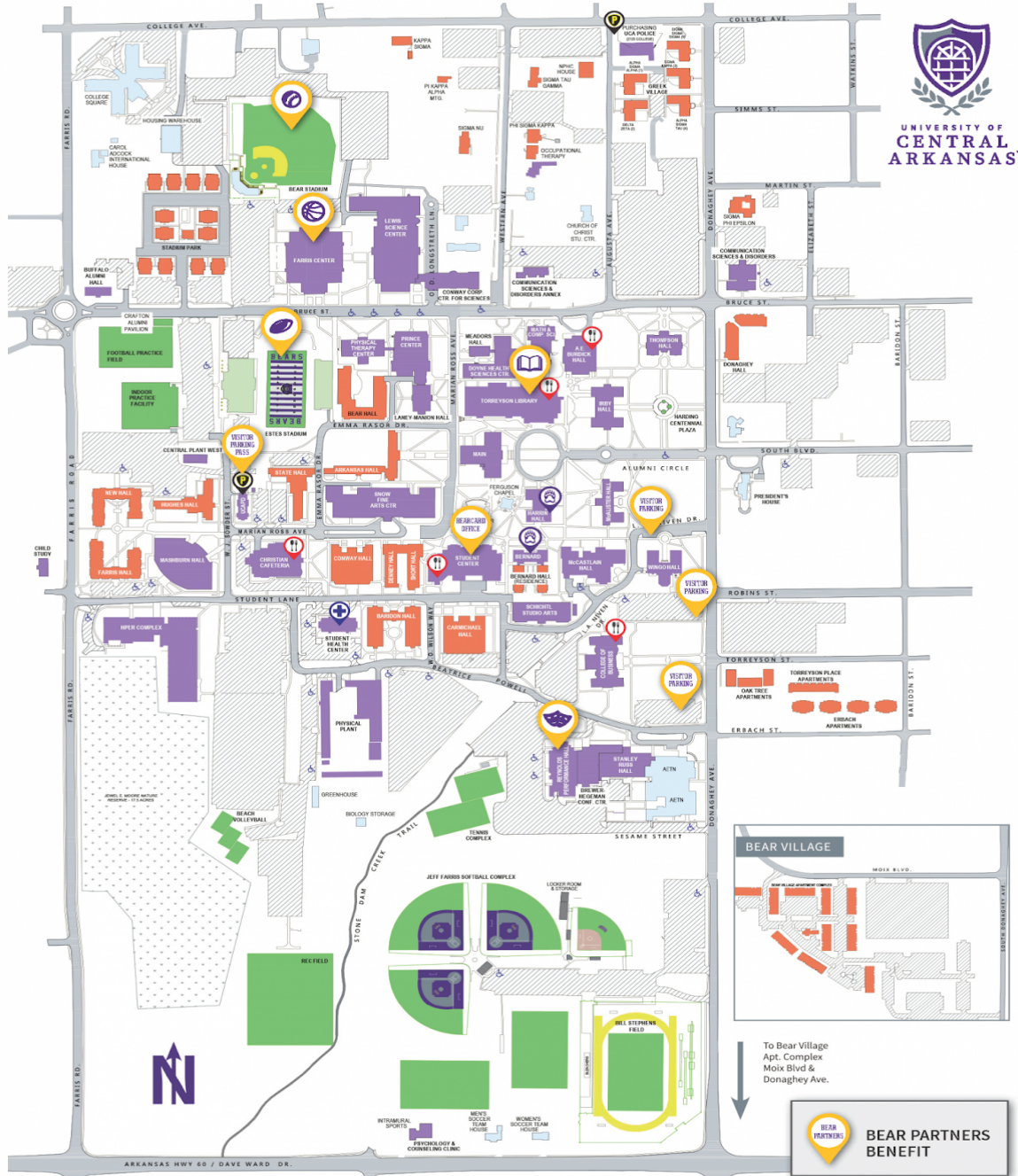
### **Junior high electives:**

Masterclass/Performance class for every instrument - *Ability grouped by band*. This class is a head-start on next year’s all-region material for the more advanced student, and a basic “how to” performance class for younger students: warm-ups, cleaning, care, scales, reading rhythms, etc. Teachers will provide the music and develop a curriculum appropriate for the level of student you will teach. Students bring instruments.

Jazz Band - By audition. Students in jazz band do not take electives.



# Campus map:



# DBC JR RED CARPET

*Destination Band Camp Goes to the Movies!*

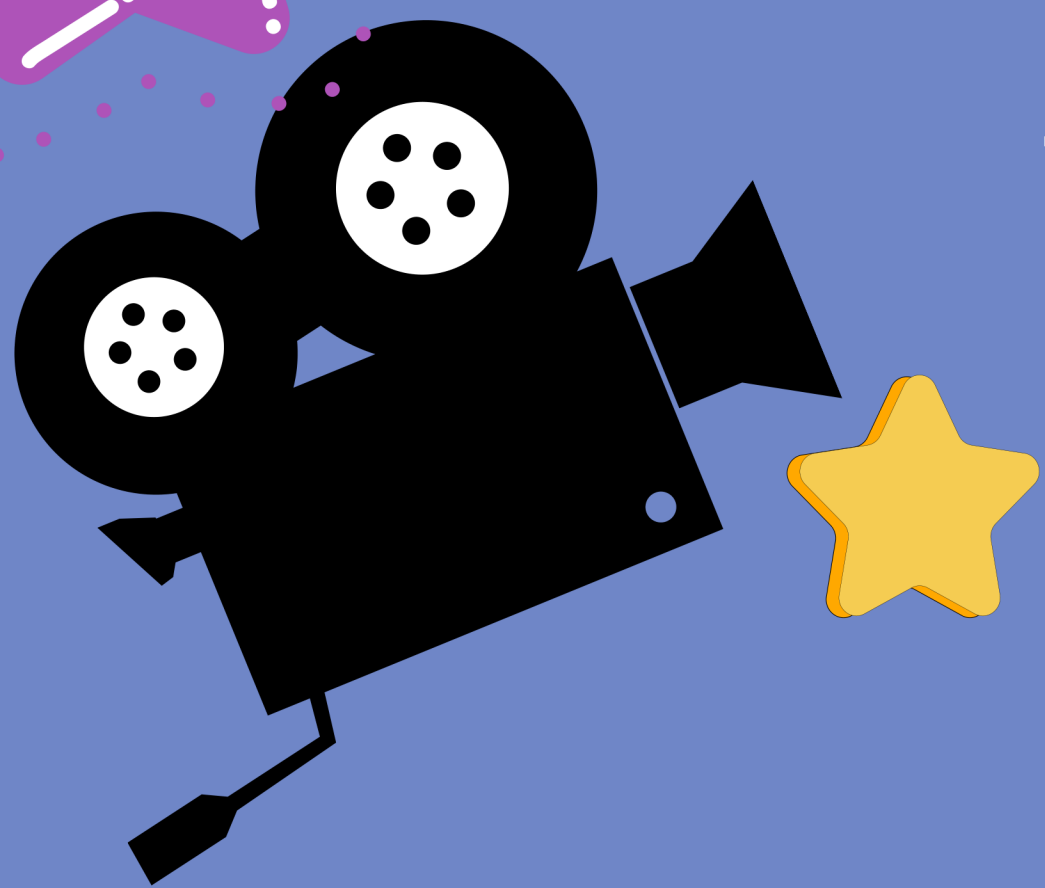
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# DBC SR RED CARPET

*Destination Band Camp Goes to the Movies!*

**Monday:** Mission Impossible Monday ... are you Austin Powers, 007, Ethan Hunt, or part of Charlie's Angels? Who is your favorite secret agent?

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