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## Indianapolis Children's Choir to Host Summer Music Camp and 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Teacher Symposium

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INDIANAPOLIS - - This June and July, the Indianapolis Children's Choir (ICC) will host its annual [Summer Music Camp](#) at the ICC Performing Arts Center. Camp provides a week of fun for children entering grades 1-8, filled with high quality music instruction for which the ICC is known. Campers will conclude their time with a public concert for family and friends to share the songs they have learned.

In keeping with the "Just a Dream Away" camp theme, campers will learn a variety of songs that lean into the big ideas and goals that kids have for the future. In addition to singing and mastering lyrics, campers will also receive lessons in rhythm, music theory, plus a chance to try instruments like drums and xylophones. Movement classes and crafts round out a week filled with creative energy.

"Each year it is so inspiring to see how much campers can learn in such a short time," shares Joshua Pedde, Artistic Director of the ICC. "Parents and family members are truly amazed with what just a few days of choral instruction does for their child."

The ICC plans to welcome over 100 children to each session of camp. With scholarships and discounts available, organizers envision a camp that is accessible for kids who might otherwise not be able to participate in a camp this summer. For example, [Access Pass](#) holders, a discount program run by the Children's Museum of Indianapolis, can attend a week of camp for under \$38.

The ICC will also host its tenth annual [Teacher Symposium](#) during the July session of camp and plans to welcome music educators for several sessions regarding hot topics in the field of choral music. Marcela Molina, accomplished choral conductor and Executive Director of the Tucson Girls Chorus, will serve as the guest clinician. Attendees will be invited to observe the learning taking place at camp for a hands-on approach. All music teachers and directors – from all backgrounds – schools, churches, community choirs, and elementary through high school are invited to this week of learning and song.

"Camp and the symposium are important times for the ICC to open its doors to the community, to educators, and to new singers and families. It's the ideal way to get acquainted with the ICC and see what we're all about," explains Lauren Southard, Manager of Outreach and Choir Programs and the staff member at the helm of camp and the symposium.

Here is how to join in on some summertime song:

**Camp Session 1: June 2 – 5, 2025;** camp concert on June 5 at 4:30pm at Cornerstone Lutheran Church in Carmel

**Camp Session 2: July 21 – 24, 2025;** camp concert on July 24 at 4:30pm at Cornerstone Lutheran Church in Carmel

Learn more and complete registration here: [icchoir.org/camp](https://icchoir.org/camp)

**10<sup>th</sup> Annual Teacher Symposium: July 21 – 24, 2025**

Learn more and complete registration here: [icchoir.org/symposium](https://icchoir.org/symposium)

### About the Indianapolis Children's Choir

Now in its 39<sup>th</sup> season, the Indianapolis Children's Choir has grown to become one of the largest professional children's choirs in the world. Led by Executive Artistic Director Joshua Pedde, the ICC serves more than 2,500 central Indiana children from ages 18 months through 18 years. The Indianapolis Children's Choir nurtures and inspires student achievement through quality music education and the pursuit of artistic excellence in choral music performance. To enroll a child, attend a concert, or make a charitable gift, visit [icchoir.org](https://icchoir.org) or call 317.940.9640.

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