

## Midsummer Musical Retreat 2017 Waiver and Release

### PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.

I understand that in order to be allowed to participate in Midsummer Musical Retreat 2017 (the “Program”), I must give up my rights to hold the Midsummer Musical Retreat Society (“MMR”) and Whitman College liable for any injury or damage that I or my property may suffer while participating in the Program.

Knowing this, and in consideration of being permitted to participate in the Program, I hereby voluntarily release MMR and Whitman College and their officers, agents and employees from any and all liability (and any costs, such as attorneys’ fees) resulting from or arising out of my participation in the Program. I understand and agree that this Agreement applies to personal injury or property damage (including damage to musical instruments) that I may suffer, even if caused by negligent acts or omissions of others, including MMR and Whitman College, and their officers, agents and employees. I also agree to reimburse Whitman College for any damage done to its premises or equipment for which I am responsible.

I understand that photographs, audio recordings and video recordings may be made during the Program by MMR or by MMR participants. The images and recordings may be used by MMR in various ways, such as in MMR’s newsletters or on its website. I hereby release MMR from any liability for the use of these images or recordings, and waive any right to inspect or approve the images or recordings that may published or to the eventual use that they might be applied.

I also understand that it is my responsibility to abide by all applicable MMR and Whitman College policies, including the policies described in on the reverse side of this Agreement (describing Whitman College Policies, MMR Alcohol Policy and MMR Copyright Policy). I have read and agree to comply with these policies.

I understand that MMR does not carry insurance to cover damage to my musical instrument or other personal property and is not responsible for any damage that my instrument or property may incur. I understand that it is my responsibility to ensure that my instrument has adequate insurance coverage.

I agree that this Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Washington and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the other provisions of the Agreement shall continue in full legal force and effect.

**If you agree to the terms of this Waiver and Release, click on the box to indicate your agreement.**

## **Whitman College Policies**

- No smoking is allowed in any College facility, including residence halls, or within twenty-five (25) feet of entrances, exits, open windows and ventilation intakes that serve an enclosed area.
- Dangerous weapons, including, but not limited to, firearms, slingshots, blowguns, knives, explosives of any nature, including fireworks, are not permitted on campus, including the residence halls.
- Halogen lamps, candles, incense and fire-starting devices are not permitted in residence halls.
- No pets are allowed in residence halls or adjacent grounds.
- It is a violation of College policy to use, possess or distribute any illegal drug or controlled substance except as expressly permitted by law.
- There shall be no consumption of alcohol and no open containers of alcoholic beverages in public places on the College campus or public areas in campus buildings without proper approval and permits.
- College property, including furnishings, must not be moved from the assigned area within the hall without authorization of the Conference & Events Office.
- It is a city ordinance that anyone tampering with fire extinguishers in any fashion is subject to a fine of \$500.00 and or 30 days in jail. Persons found to be misusing fire extinguishers may be reported to civil authorities.
- The setting of false alarms is a misdemeanor punishable by civil authorities with a fine of up to \$500.00 and or 30 days in jail. Persons found to be setting off false alarms will be reported to civil authorities for civil action in addition to the penalties set above.
- Users of the College's Internet services are expected to abide by the Whitman College Acceptable Use Policy. The College reserves the right to terminate a visitor account at any time if the situation warrants such action.

The College may exercise the following rights:

- A. To enter any room for the purpose of inspection, repair or emergency.
- B. To reassign residents within residence halls or events within College facilities in order to accomplish necessary repairs and renovation to the building.
- C. To evacuate the rented facilities in the event of a fire or other emergency.

### **MMR Alcohol Policy**

There shall be no consumption of alcohol and no open containers of alcoholic beverages in public places on the college campus or public areas in campus buildings unless approved by MMR.

Please note that dorm lounges are considered public areas and cannot be closed off to the general public. Other tenants of the building cannot be denied access to the lounge area or passage through hallways.

The dining hall is also a public space. Wine and beer from the Fermata Bar may not be taken into the dining hall.

Out of respect for other tenants in the building, parties in individual dorm rooms are not allowed. An occupant of a dorm room may host a few guests in his or her room. The host shall be fully responsible for any gathering hosted in his or her dorm room. It is the responsibility of the host to ensure that alcohol consumed at such gatherings, if any, is limited to reasonable levels. All alcohol and open containers of alcoholic beverages must remain in the host's room.

Individual campers may not host events on the college campus requiring a permit or license from the Washington State Liquor Control Board. Any liquor licenses or permits for events held on campus shall be obtained solely by MMR.

### **MMR Copyright Policy**

MMR fully supports the copyright interests of publishers and composers and will not make our library available for copying for your personal libraries. Copies of individual parts can be made for personal marking and page turning convenience but should be destroyed after use.