

Melody Makers!*

“A Music and Movement Creative Performance Chorus and so Much More!”

Kids! *TEAM Melody Makers * is Back!!* And we're looking for you!
Kindergarten and 1st - 4th grades* on Tuesdays after school

NEW this year Pick your Sessions– 4 week “Try it Out” session AND 3 sessions of 8 weeks Still just \$10 a class

Each session has performance(s)

*Melody Makers ** is a creative and energetic performing arts chorus! The *Melody Makers ** program engages the children in expressive song, theatrical movement, diction and drama providing heart warming performances for your families! The results from this dynamic program are students who gain confidence, build presentation skills, and experience the joys of music, team work and creative expression!

Join us for this lively music and movement performance class! *Melody Makers ** is an **independent** program taught by a professional director, facilitated through HAEPTA. All classes are immediately after school from 3:00**- 4:30**. (Kindergartners meet for 30 min 2:30-3:00 – following a long school day.) Classes are grouped by age and are open to K-4th grade. Space is assigned by lottery and limited to 20 each class. (*If an age group has less than 20 enrolled, they may be combined with another group for class – performances may also combine age groups depending on enrollment.)

Class time begins with a warm welcome and a healthy after school snack – provided by your parent. Then we get moving! We learn various imaginative songs, theater dialogue, poetry and recitations to play with and consider for performances. The last 10 minutes of class include favorite games based on musicality and movement. *It is a high quality creative time full of fun!*

EACH 8 week session includes wonderful performances for families and friends!

The fee for this quality class comes to \$10 a class! *This includes professional direction and instruction, Theater props/costume, Melody Makers * t-shirt*, performance materials, and special treats! Wow!*

\$100.00 for each session of 8 weeks

(includes registration fee of \$20 BUT if you already have a Melody Makers T-shirt, your registration fee is only \$10. 50% discount for siblings. A limited number of scholarships are available from Melody Makers based on need)

10% of the tuition for class is donated by Melody Makers to your PTA, for your school's programs, projects and special events.

About the Creative Director

The Melody Makers Chorus Director, Ms. Laura Pena, has been the Director of the Hendricks Avenue Elementary School's Melody Makers Chorus for eleven terrific years! Ask the parents and kids about “Ms. Pena” and she's a favorite! Ms. Laura has also been the *Assistant Director and Dramatic Stage Presence Instructor* of a popular local dance studio for 10 years. She has served as the *always favorite* Hendricks Avenue Carnival Talent Show coordinator for the last five years.

In addition to several years of performing arts experience, Ms. Pena has served as a kindergarten assistant, and as an exceptional education assistant in Duval County schools. Currently she is an active Instructor for the Riverside Arts Center and has programs being offered at Riverside Presbyterian Day School and plans to join BOLLES in the Afternoon this fall.

Questions? Feel free to contact Laura by e-mail at melody-makers@comcast.net or at 904-737-2563.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Thank YOU for getting them involved.
They will make memories to last a lifetime.
(Get your cameras ready!)