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## **News at CCM**

**Congratulations to our 2018 Music Achievement Program (MAP) participants!**



### **What exactly is CCM's Music Achievement Program (MAP) again?**

It's a free private lesson enrichment program created to give our students access to a broader musical education. When students participate in these activities they increase their musical fluency and engage with other students, recital audiences, and diverse musical genres.

Our 2018 MAP students completed everything on their Activity Checklist. They are an extremely dedicated and talented group of students exemplifying the very best at CCM.

### **CCM Second Saturday Bluegrass Jam with BBU on June 9th**

**Newcomers always welcome.** Join the [Second Saturday Bluegrass Jam](#) at CCM from 7:00 – 9:30 pm on June 9th. Our monthly jam, co-sponsored by the Boston Bluegrass Union, is open to all ages and bluegrass instruments for advanced beginner musicians and above. The fee is \$5 payable at the door.

**[2018 Summer Workshops](#) for those (kids and adults) who have a limited level of experience but want to propel it to the next level.**



**For ages 8 -13:**

**CCM Guitar Workshop with Björn Wennås**

**For students entering grades 6 through 9:**

**All Together Now, Kids with Ian Goldstein**

**Summer Saxophone and Woodwind Ensemble with Tsuyoshi Honjo**

**For Teens and Adults:**

**All Together Now, Adults with Ian Goldstein**

**Beginning Harmony Singing for Acoustic Musicians with Tony Watt**

**Are you a CCM friend yet?** Join us on [Facebook](#) to hear the **Tune of the Week** and be the first to hear CCM news and more! See what music videos we like, photos we post, practice tips and articles we suggest, and discover what's new in the music world. Join us on [Facebook](#).



## **CCM in the Community**

CCM has begun a new community initiative—we are sharing music with our senior neighbors who find it more difficult to leave their homes. CCM students will play their music at bi-monthly visits to Rivercrest's Nursing and Rehabilitation in Concord. The feedback received to-date is overwhelmingly positive. This is an ongoing opportunity for our students. Stay tuned for more on this, and other news about [CCM in the Community](#).

## **Upcoming Area Performances**

### **Middlesex Jazz Festival at Concord Center**





A free outdoor jazz festival open to the public, led by the Concord Recreation Center featuring four 20-piece Big Bands and five smaller Jazz Ensembles on Saturday, June 9th (rain date June 10th) in the parking lot behind the Concord Visitor Center, at 58 Main Street. Music is scheduled from 1:30 pm through 7:45 pm.

**Celtic Blue - A Collaboration Between The New England Irish Harp Orchestra and The Sandy Ridge Boys—A melting pot of Irish & Bluegrass**

Saturday, June 23, 2018, 7:00 PM at The Burren Somerville, MA



An evening of Traditional and not-so-traditional Celtic music for a lot of harps! Dance tunes, ballads, airs, poetry and more will fill the Back Room. NEIHO is a wonderful community group which delights audiences while filling up the entire stage with harps and the whole room with music. Led by accomplished harpist Regina Delaney, NEIHO is no stranger to The Burren stage. [For information and tickets>>](#)