

**Robert Arms Jazz Institute Info Application Form  
Spring 2017**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Tuition for Spring semester of 2017: \$250 payable by check or cash.  
Please make checks out to Robert Arms Jazz Institute.**

**Tuition payments are due by January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

We do have limited scholarships available.

Please contact Robert Arms at [armsrobert2@gmail.com](mailto:armsrobert2@gmail.com) or 907-350-4519 if interested.

**Robert Arms Jazz Institute Bands**

Please Check which band you'd like to participate in.

(You may select multiple options)

Under Age 14 Big Band \_\_\_\_\_ Meets from 5:00 – 6:20PM

Under Age 18 Big Band \_\_\_\_\_ Meets from 6:20 – 7:40PM

**Rehearsals will be held in the Romig Middle School Band room Tue evenings.**

**Rehearsal Dates:**

**January 10, 17, 24, 31**

**February 7, 14, 21, 28**

**March 2, 7, 21, 28 (No Reh March 14<sup>th</sup>)**

**April 4, 11, 18, 25**

**May 2, 9, 16, 23**

**Tentative Concert Dates: Feb 28 or 29, May 16 or 17**

## **Requirements for participation:**

**Please submit a recording or ask for an in-person audition to demonstrate the following:**

### **Under 14 age band:**

**At least 3 major scales**

**1 Octave Chromatic Scale**

**Improvise using any scale or song of your choice**

### **Under 18 age band:**

**All major scales**

**2 Octave Chromatic Scale**

**1 Head and 2 choruses of improvisation on a 12 bar blues (Backing tracks are allowed)**

**1 Head and 1 Chorus of Improvisation on a standard of your choice (Backing tracks are allowed)**

### **Drummers:**

#### **Under 14 Band:**

**Swing in 2 tempos: 80bpm, 120bpm**

**Bossa Nova Groove**

#### **Under 18 Band:**

**Swing in 3 tempos (80bpm, 132bpm, 180bpm)**

**Bossa Nova Groove**

**Samba Groove**

**Solo over a 32 measure standard of your choice or open solo. (Less than 2 minutes in total length)**

**Recordings may be submitted with a dropbox link, by email to [armsrobert2@gmail.com](mailto:armsrobert2@gmail.com), or in person with a USB drive.**