



June 2022

To: Kids MAJ Participants & Parents
From: Amy Sauer, MAJ Director, 651-366-0886 cell, majdirectors@gmail.com
Re: Kids MAJ Information

This "Letter to Participants" is also available on the website www.musicandjesus.org under "Already Registered."

Welcome aboard to Kids MAJ!

Congratulations on choosing to be a participant in this year's Kids MAJ! At MAJ, you will challenge yourself individually, you may discover talents you never knew you had, you will get to let loose and act silly, you will get to praise the Lord, and I guarantee you will have fun!

Please read the following details carefully. If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me (text, call or email).

MAJ "camp" – June 24, 25 & 26

MAJ "camp" will run for two full days and Sunday morning at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church in Delano, MN. All participants should plan to attend the entire camp.

Friday, June 24	9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, June 25	9:00 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. (when dress rehearsal is done)
Sunday, June 26	8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. or so (when show is done, and you're done eating at the meal)

During "camp," the church phone # 763-972-2442 – you will probably reach a volunteer/chaperone. To contact me directly during "camp," text or call my cell (text is easier to check, and I don't always answer unknown calls).

Dress Rehearsal on Saturday for family and friends

There will be a dress rehearsal performance on Saturday, 7:30 p.m. Friends and family are welcome and encouraged to attend! Participants will be excused following the rehearsal (about 8:30 p.m.).

Sunday's Performance & Potluck for family & friends

After two full days of rehearsal, you will be ready to perform the show for your family & friends! You will sing in church on Sunday morning – 9:00 a.m. at Mt. Olive. Following church, your performance will be at 11:00 a.m. and Potluck to follow at 11:45 a.m.!

Please bring an entrée, salad or dessert to share!

Invitation for family & friends & your church's bulletin

Attached is an invitation flyer/bulletin insert to share with your family and friends and/or church. Invite them for Saturday & Sunday's performances! The "MAJ Performances Invitation Flyer/Bulletin Insert" is also available on the website www.musicandjesus.org under "See the Show" or "Promote," OR just forward the email invite (when you receive it) to your family and friends!

Food

You should bring your own bag lunch for both Friday and Saturday. Please also bring two healthy snacks to share for each of the mornings and each of the afternoons (i.e. bag of oranges, bag of apples, bag of grapes, a watermelon, bag of string cheese or a block of cheese, a summer sausage, box of crackers, etc.). Suppers on Friday and Saturday will be provided. You should also bring your own (labeled) water bottle each day (a drinking fountain is available) and any other additional beverages. But please don't bring pop!

Theme

This year's show is called, "Mission Possible." The participants are agents, part of the Impossible Mission Force and are given a mission, with clues. In the end, they conclude that Jesus already accomplished the mission, and as they go through life, they can trust in the Lord, ask according to His will, and be confident that there is nothing impossible with our God.

Costumes

You should bring your entire costume to the first day of MAJ (Friday). Some volunteers and I will take a look at your costumes on Friday and help decide on your final costume pieces.

- **Make sure to label (i.e. with masking tape) all items you bring!**
- Costumes should look like agents in suits, "men in black," etc.
- **Please bring extras of costume pieces to share if you are able.**
- Bottoms: Black pants (for boys or girls), black shorts (for boys or girls) (no athletic shorts), black skirts (for girls) (not too short).
- Suit coats/sweaters: Black suit coats (for boys or girls), black cardigans (for girls), black sweater vests (for boys or girls)
- Tops for underneath black coat or sweater: white button down shirts (for boys or girls), white shirts (for boys or girls)
- Sunglasses (for everyone): Aviator-style sunglasses or black sunglasses
- Ties (if wearing a button-down shirt): A colorful bowtie or neck tie
- Knee-high socks (if wearing shorts or a skirt): Colorful, funky knee-high socks
- Shoes (for everyone): Black shoes - Can be tennis, dress shoes, flats, "character shoes," etc.
- Girls: Bloomers or spandex shorts for under skirts if you're wearing a skirt
- Hair – Hair for boys and girls can be normal but well-groomed.
- **Girls – PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN bold-color lipstick** (red, berry, etc.) to wear for the performance. (Blush will be provided.)



All Parents Needed as Volunteers – Link for an online volunteer signup service will be emailed to you soon

MAJ is an all-volunteer-run program, so volunteers are needed to help make MAJ a success! All parents and other adults are asked/encouraged to volunteer in some way during MAJ weekend or sometime before. A list of volunteer needs, utilizing an online volunteer signup service will be available soon and emailed to you. If you have questions, you can contact Volunteer Coordinator Jennifer Arps at volunteerforMAJ@gmail.com or 612-940-0483 cell. Thank you!



Song List

If you would like, you can begin becoming familiar with the songs in the show. All songs can be found on YouTube, and you can also google the lyrics as well (keep in mind we will not necessarily sing all the lyrics for each song).

If you would like to view the Google Drive containing the music and mp3 files, this is the link:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1MwQc5Ld4B9hcaKXx2T9bqeZWEbm6wDZr?usp=sharing>

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| 1. Impossible | Building 429 |
| 2. Every Move I Make | Integrity Worship |
| 3. I Believe | Wes King |
| 4. The River | Jordan Feliz |
| 5. You Say | Lauren Daigle |
| 6. I Will Not Be Shaken | Maranatha Kids Praise Team |
| 7. That's Why We Praise Him | Integrity Kids |
| 8. My God | Go Fish |

Host Houses for Remote Participants

If you indicated (via online registration) that you are in need of a host house, then Jennifer Arps and I are working on making arrangements for that. We will be in contact with you soon, if we have not contacted you already. If you have not heard from one of us, yet, feel free to call, text or email me or Jennifer at volunteerforMAJ@gmail.com or 612-940-0483 cell.

What to Bring

- (2) snacks to share as listed above.
- Water bottle (labeled) with water
- Bag lunch for Friday & Saturday
- Your costume (each piece labeled)
- Brown paper bag with your name on it (for putting your costume in)
- Bold-colored lipstick (for girls)
- Comfortable clothes and shoes for dancing around in
- You may want to bring an extra water outfit or swimsuit for "Water Olympics" on Friday, as you might get wet
- Your registration fee, if not yet paid (it is preferred that you pay via Venmo or Paypal or mail your check to Amy before MAJ begins)
- If you bring your cell phone, please use only when absolutely necessary.
- Your parent during his/her volunteer/chaperone time
- *Your enthusiasm and energy!*

See you at MAJ!