

Thursday

Thursday / 9:30 – 10:00 AM / CC BRIDGE HALL MUSIC SHOWCASE Mariachi Corazón de San Antonio

Director: Rachel Cruz, Int. Academy of Music and the Arts

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Sponsored By: Alamo Music Center

CPE MS1-09-BH – .5 Hr

This high school mariachi is dedicated to preserving San Antonio culture and heritage. MCSA members are groomed as ambassadors for the City of San Antonio and are selected by audition in a citywide competition. They will perform a combination of mariachi standards, classical favorites, and a few original arrangements.

Thursday / 1:00 – 2:00 PM / CC 214 AB

The Art of Mariachi: Method Books, Grades 6–12

Clinician: Rachel Cruz, Int. Academy of Music and the Arts

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Presider: James Hickey, Green ES

Demonstration Group: Mariachi Corazón de San Antonio, Rachel Cruz

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CPE 1-13-214AB – 1.0 Hr

Grade level: MS, HS

Cruz will introduce her new series, The Art of Mariachi: Method Books, Grades 6–12. She will provide detailed instructions on how the series is a source for pedagogical material and repertoire that meets state and national standards.

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Mariachi Azul

Director: Juan Garcia, Grand Prairie HS

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CPE MS1-14-BH – .5 Hr

The ensemble will perform a variety of traditional mariachi music including clasicas, sones, jarabes, boleros, rancheras, and huapangos. They perform often throughout the year for community and school events, in competitions in the DFW Metroplex, and in state competitions.

Friday

Friday / 1:00 – 2:00 PM / CC 214 AB

Preparing an Effective and Competitive Mariachi Show

Clinician: John Lopez, Texas State Univ

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Mariachi Los Matadores de Texas Tech University

Director: Lauryn Salazar, Texas Tech Univ

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CPE MS2-14-BH – .5 Hr

As an academic mariachi program, the group focuses on a wide variety of styles within the mariachi tradition. The group comprises freshman through doctoral students and represents a variety of majors. This program represents a pipeline where mariachi music is a pathway to higher education.