

**For Piano Enthusiasts, Recent Graduates, Teachers, Amateurs and Semi-Professionals**

Experience the joy of learning and sharing your musical talents in the beautiful and peaceful environment of Birch Creek Music Performance Center in Door County, WI. Known nationally and internationally for its summer music academy for aspiring young musicians, Birch Creek broadens its scope to reach adult musicians and provide an educational opportunity that meets the enrichment and technical needs of an adult learner.



Piano Retreat Director **Susan Tang** (top) is assisted by **Jodie DeSalvo** (middle) and **Geoffrey Duce** (bottom).

Come spend a weekend honing your piano skills and reinvigorating your creative energies with renowned piano pedagogues in a collaborative, friendly, and supportive environment. This non-competitive program includes masterclasses, lectures and performance opportunities, all while meeting the needs of the individual student with a focus on learning styles. Participants will delve into exploring the piano repertoire, developing effortless technique, understanding musical style and sound production.

**Eligibility**

Must be 18 years or older. Applicants should prepare 1-2 pieces of repertoire that they would like to work on that is at minimum late intermediate/early advanced level. Examples include: Mozart: Sonatas (including K. 545), Variations; Brahms:

Intermezzi, Ballades; and any standard piano concerto. Participants are encouraged to bring piano 4 hands, and 2 piano repertoire for the piano ensemble classes.

**Tuition**

The program fee is \$350. Enrollment is accepted on a first come, first served basis. Your cost includes instruction, continental breakfast and lunch during session. On-site housing is available.



**Online Information**

Visit the Birch Creek website for more information about the Piano Retreat, including the daily schedule and accommodations.



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Retreat Registration

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