Angelo State University is pleased to once again announce plans for the 42nd year of Summer Music Camps. This summer, we will offer two camps with programs in band, orchestra, marching band drumline, and leadership. Students who attend the ASU Music Camps are under the guidance and leadership of the ASU faculty and distinguished music teachers from throughout the state to ensure that each student is provided the highest quality of instruction possible.

The first week of camp, June 13-16, 2018, will focus upon marching band Leadership and Drumlines. **Leadership Camp** is for drum majors, section leaders, and upperclassmen. Students will learn basic and advanced skills in music and marching, conducting techniques, practice and leadership strategies, working as a team, developing relationships, and communication to help them be better leaders when returning to their home bands. Experiences will be geared towards students from A – 4A schools (although 5A and 6A students are more than welcome to attend).

**Drumline Camp** students will learn basic and advanced drumming techniques and be grouped by their ability levels. Marching fundamentals will also be discussed. The camp will conclude with a performance on Saturday morning, showing off what the students learned during the week.

**Band and Orchestra Camp**, June 24-29, 2018, will emphasize ensemble performance in band or orchestra, culminating with a concert on Friday afternoon. Classes in basic musicianship, recital performances, and sectional rehearsals led by the camp staff will serve to balance the total program. Students will be grouped and seated based upon ability. A private lesson is available for an additional fee.

To balance the musical and educational experiences of the Summer Music Camps, there is a brief opportunity for **free time and recreation** each afternoon. Camp students will have time to relax, make new friends, visit the student center and bookstore, or have a snack. Other popular camp activities include a scavenger hunt, movie night, carnival, and a staff recital. All activities are under the careful guidance of the Music Camp Staff as the well-being of each camper is our foremost concern.

Register online or by mail. **Registration and other general information** and can be found online at [www.angelo.edu/musiccamps](http://www.angelo.edu/musiccamps). Registrations are due one week before the start of each camp. Band directors, if you have a large group of students who wish to attend or are paying for your students with a school or booster check, please contact Dr. Alvis.
Residential students will be housed in air conditioned ASU dorms and will eat each meal in the University Cafeteria. Students will be housed on a two per room basis and can request a specific roommate.

All meals are served in the University Cafeteria and students may eat as much food as they wish during the meal times. Snacks may be brought from home to enjoy during the afternoon break.

While on the ASU campus, all Summer Music Camp students are under the careful supervision of the Music Camp Staff. There is a maximum of 10 campers per camp counselor that will live with the students and monitor all aspects of camp life. For additional details, including Frequently Asked Questions, sample schedules, supervision and safety, and day camper info, visit our website at www.angelo.edu/musiccamps.

Detailed information concerning the check in process and location, what to bring, required release and medical forms, a sample schedule, and all other information necessary to plan your trip will be sent to you via email approximately one week prior to the start of camp. If you do not receive an email with this information, please contact Dr. Alvis via email.

Camp fees:

Leadership and Drumline Camp
Residential Camper - $315 (Includes: housing, meals, instruction, recreation, and camp t-shirt.)
Day Camper - $265 (Includes: Instruction, meals, recreation, and camp t-shirt.) Reporting time is 8:30 am (arrive earlier for breakfast) until 9:30 pm.

Band and Orchestra Camp
Residential Camper - $435 (Includes: housing, meals, instruction, recreation, and camp t-shirt.)
Day Camper - $350 (Includes: Instruction, meals, recreation, and camp t-shirt.) Reporting time is 8:30 am (arrive earlier for breakfast) until 9:30 pm.

Various scholarships are available.

For questions or more information, please visit our website, www.angelo.edu/musiccamps, or contact Dr. Jonathan Alvis, Director of ASU Summer Music Camps at 325-486-6037 or jalvis1@angelo.edu.