



The American Legion
Leonard H. Hawkins Post 156
550 City Island Ave
City Island, NY 10464

To Parents in the City Island Community,

The Legion Band is coming back! The Leonard H. Hawkins Post 156 of the American Legion is pleased to offer a **music education program for all Kids, from Grades 3 through 8**. We have partnered with *Paul Effman Music*, a full service music education provider with a group of amazing and experienced music teachers. Learn more about *Paul Effman Music* at: www.ed.pemusic.com/

We will be holding an **information session and registration at Post 156, at 550 City Island Ave, at 7pm on Thursday October 7th**. Please come to learn more about our program. Here are some basics:

- Our music will be orchestral (not marching band). Instruments offered will include the Trumpet, Flute, Clarinet, Trombone, Saxophone, Bells and Drums.
- Lessons will be held most weeks at the Post 156 Hall at 550 City Island Ave. Timeslots will depend on your selected instrument, but will fall between 5pm and 7pm. Lessons will begin on Oct 21.
- The cost for this program will be:
 - For **American Legion Members**: \$72/Month, plus the cost of your instrument. *(If you are a U.S. Veteran, or the child, grandchild or spouse of a U.S. Veteran, you may join the Legion at Registration to receive the members only rate. **This will save you approx. \$180 PER YEAR!!!***
 - For **non-Legion Members**: \$90/Month, plus the cost of your instrument.
 - Instrument rentals are available from *Paul Effman Music* for approx. \$115 per year.
- We only have a limited number of spaces. We will sign up kids on a first come/first serve basis.

Post 156 has been serving Veterans and the City Island Community for over 100 years. We look forward to continuing this tradition as we invite young families to participate in our programs. If you have any questions or you would like to reserve your spot, please contact Post 156 Vice Commander Greg Clancy at gregclancy@hotmail.com.

Sincerely,
The Leonard H. Hawkins Post Family

Join The Band!

THE AMERICAN LEGION CITY ISLAND, NY

Please complete one form per child. Return form with payment or credit card information to the American Legion by October 7, 2021.

Step 1: Choose Your Instrument

☐ Flute ☐ Clarinet ☐ Alto Saxophone ☐ Trumpet ☐ Trombone ☐ Bell Kit ☐ Drums

Check One: ☐ Rental Needed - Choose from the reverse side of this form ☐ Already have an instrument
☐ Purchase - Choose from the reverse side of this form

Please Note:
To receive an instrument at the first lesson, all fees must be received with this signed form.

*See reverse side for purchase and rental information and prices. If you are renting or purchasing, enter the price in "Line C" below.

Step 2: Complete The Following

Student Name: _____ Grade/Class: _____ Student's Experience: _____ (years)

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____

Billing Address: _____ Apt. #: _____ City/Town: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Parent E-mail: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____ Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Step 3: Program Information, Schedule & Tuition Details

Lessons will be held most weeks at the Post 156 Hall at 550 City Island Ave. Timeslots will depend on your selected instrument, but will fall between 5pm and 7pm. We only have a limited number of spaces. We will sign up kids on a first come/first serve basis. We will be holding an information session and registration at Post 156, at 550 City Island Ave, at 7pm on Thursday September 30th. Please come to learn more about our program.

Tuition Details - The annual tuition is divided into nine monthly installments. The first installment and the registration fee are due with this form. The remaining eight installments are due on the last day of each month. These installments may be paid by credit card automatically (see below) or you may pay when you receive periodic statements via mail and email. If you would like to mail your payment monthly, you can download a coupon sheet at pemusic.com. You can prepay some or all installments at any time. **Monthly payments should not be given to your child's teacher.** The monthly tuition installment amounts are:

American Legion Members: \$72 per month per child

Non-Legion Members: \$90 per month per child

Step 4: Calculate Payment

		American Legion Member	Non-Legion Member
Line A	Tuition Installment #1	\$72	\$90
Line B	Registration Fee (non-refundable)	+ \$35	+ \$35
Line C	Instrument Fees (SEE REVERSE) Enter "0" if you do not need an instrument.	+	+
Line A + B + C =	TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$	\$

Step 5: Complete Your Payment

Credit Card - If paying by credit card, you will automatically be enrolled in AutoPay to pay your monthly installments

AutoPay - After the 1st month, your card will be charged on or about the last day of each month

You may opt out of AutoPay by checking this box ☐

Card Type:



CCV Code: Visa, MasterCard & Discover - 3 digit code found on signature panel. AMEX - 4 digit code on front, above card number, to the right.

Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____ / _____ CCV Code: _____

Name on Card: _____ Authorized Signature: _____

By providing your credit card number, you consent to having this credit card charged for current and/or past due balances. By registering, you agree to all terms and conditions on the reverse side.

Check, Cash, or Money Order Payments - Attach payment to this form or place it in an envelope. Make checks payable to "Paul Effman Music", and write the student name and school on the memo line.

For office use only: Amt Paid: _____ Check# _____ Cash CC MO Initial: _____ Code: _____



It is recommended that first year students rent an instrument. There are no refunds for rentals or purchases. Additional information and demonstration videos are available at pemusic.com.

Flute - Clarinet - Trumpet - Saxophone - Trombone - Bell Kit - Drums

See "Program, Schedule, & Tuition Details" section on the front of this form to see the eligible grades to participate in the band program.



RENTAL OPTIONS



Prices are **PER MONTH** (9 installments) and include local sales tax.

- ☐ Flute **\$14**
- ☐ Clarinet **\$14**
- ☐ Trumpet **\$14**
- ☐ Trombone **\$14**
- ☐ Snare Drum Kit **\$14**
- ☐ Bell Kit **\$14**

- ☐ Alto Saxophone* **\$19**

*Student should be able to touch the two saxophone images above with the thumb and pinky of his or her left hand. The clarinet is recommended for 3rd graders whose hands are not yet large enough.



Damage Protection (included with all rentals): The Paul Effman Music Service Damage Protection Plan provides assurance that your child's rental instrument is covered for any accidental damage. Repair costs of rental instruments can be significant. This plan covers any damage to the instrument, excluding blatant negligence, loss, or theft. This plan does not cover included accessories such as reeds, mouthpieces, drum sticks, neck straps, drum heads, rosin, bridges, bows, etc.

PURCHASE OPTIONS

Prices include local sales tax.



Includes 2 year Factory Warranty and Free Adjustments for an additional 2 years. Includes case.

- ☐ Flute **\$357.38**
- ☐ Clarinet **\$357.38**
- ☐ Trumpet **\$379.10**
- ☐ Alto Sax **\$542.04**



Includes 5 year Factory Warranty. Includes case.

- ☐ Flute YFL-222 **\$640.88**
- ☐ Clarinet YCL-255 **\$651.74**
- ☐ Trumpet YTR-2330 **\$814.68**
- ☐ Alto Sax YAS-26 **\$1,531.60**
- ☐ Bell Kit SPK-285 **\$217.24**
- ☐ Trombone YSL-354 **\$814.68**
- ☐ Snare Drum Kit SK-285 **\$217.24**



After making your selection, please enter the price in the "Line C" box on the front of this form.

Music stands, reeds, and a complete line of instrument accessories are offered year-round. Order forms and catalogs are available from your director or you can visit our online store at www.pemusicstore.com.

GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

- Tuition payments are due on the last day of each month. Failure to make timely payments may result in removal from the program. There is a \$25 fee for all returned checks. Late payments exceeding 30 days past due may result in late fees and/or reporting to the credit bureaus. There are a total of 9 installments throughout the 2021-2022 school year (including the initial installment paid with this registration). If the registration occurs after the initial registration period, that number of installments shall be reduced to coordinate with the start date.
- By registering online, I acknowledge that I am automatically enrolled in Autopay for my tuition payments and instrument rental payments (if applicable). I agree that my card will be charged on or about the last day of each month.
- I acknowledge that by providing my email address, I may receive email communications from Paul Effman Music Service.
- By providing a credit card number to Paul Effman Music Service's Payment Processor (PAYA) and completing this registration, I consent to having this credit card charged for current and/or past due balances.
- By registering my child(ren), I agree to all of the terms and conditions listed herein.

IN-SCHOOL TERMS & CONDITIONS

- I understand that photos of concerts and/or classes could be used on the Paul Effman Music Service website or school websites.
- I acknowledge that I am fully aware and personally responsible for my own safety as well as the safety of my child(ren) while participating in the music program. With full knowledge of the risks involved, I hereby release, waive, and discharge Paul Effman Music Service and all affiliated personnel, its employees, officers, and any affiliated staff from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, or any actions whatsoever related to any loss, damage, injury, or death sustained by me and/or my child(ren), or any other family member, related to COVID-19 while participating in the music program provided by Paul Effman Music Service.
- Paul Effman Music acknowledges that all personnel will strictly adhere to all safety guidelines, rules, and regulations as provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in the event that in-school learning will take place. The handling, repairing, and/or servicing of any/all musical instruments shall also adhere to all safety guidelines, rules, and regulations as provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

TERMS & CONDITIONS: INSTRUMENT RENTAL

- There are no refunds for early instrument returns.
- I agree to pay the replacement value for lost or stolen instruments. Snare Drum Kits and Bell Kits are \$217.24. Baritone Saxophone and Tuba are \$1500. Alto Saxophone and specialized instruments are \$550. All other instruments are \$275.
- I agree to return the rental instrument on or before the last lesson during the 2021-2022 school year. I agree to be responsible for missing parts, broken mouthpieces, broken drum heads (\$20), willful damage, vandalism, loss or theft of instrument. I agree to pay a \$30 late fee if I return my instrument after June 30, 2022.
- Failure to make timely tuition payments may result in removal from the program and early rental instrument collection.
- I agree to return the rental instrument in good condition, as when received less normal wear.



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HOW TO JOIN THE AMERICAN LEGION

The American Legion was founded in 1919 and is the nation's largest and most influential veterans service organization. It is made up of nearly 2 million wartime veterans who focus activities on the organization's Four Pillars: Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation, National Defense, Americanism, and Children and Youth. *Membership in the American Legion is open to all United States Veterans who served on active duty and have been honorably discharged from the Army, Navy, Airforce, Marines or Coast Guard.* Annual Dues for the American Legion are \$55 per year.

The Sons of the American Legion was founded in 1932. The Sons honor the service and sacrifice of Legionnaires. There are more than 372,000 Sons members in the United States. *Membership in The Sons of the American Legion is open to the sons or grandsons of those who served honorably in the U.S. Military.* Living veteran sponsors must be active members of The American Legion in order for their descendant to be eligible for membership. Deceased parents or grandparents need not have been a member of The American Legion. Annual Dues for The Sons of the American Legion are \$30 per year, or \$5 per youth under the age of 18.

The American Legion Auxiliary has membership of over 600,000 strong. With more than 8,000 units in communities, members are fiercely dedicated to serving, helping, and meeting the needs of veterans, the military and their families. *Membership is open to the daughters, granddaughters, spouses and mothers of United States Veterans who served honorably. Male spouses of female veterans are now welcome to join the Auxiliary.* Living veteran sponsors must be an active member of The American Legion. Deceased Veteran sponsors need not have been a member of The American Legion. Annual Dues for The American Legion Auxiliary are \$30 per year, or \$7 for youth under the age of 18.

THE DD-214

Candidates for all classes of membership must show a copy of their DD-214, or their Veteran Sponsor's DD-214. The DD-214 is a standard form which is issued to all honorably discharged veterans. If you cannot locate your DD-214, there are several ways to acquire a copy. The following website gives a good overview with various methods to obtain a copy of your DD-214. <https://dd214.us/methods>

Relating to Legion Band membership, any questions on the above can be directed to Post 156 Vice Commander Greg Clancy at gregclancy@hotmail.com



THE AMERICAN LEGION – MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name _____
First Initial Last Date of Birth _____

Address _____
Street City State ZIP _____

Membership ID# former member _____ Post # _____ Phone # _____ Email _____
Gender ☐ Male ☐ Female

Please check war era and branch of service below:

- | | |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Global War on Terror | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Army |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gulf War | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Navy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Panama | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Air Force |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lebanon/Grenada | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Marines |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vietnam | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Space Force |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Korea | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Coast Guard |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WWII | <input type="checkbox"/> Merchant Marines (WWII only) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Conflicts | |

I certify that I have served federal active duty in the United States Armed Forces since December 7, 1941, and have been honorably discharged or I am still serving.

Signed by applicant _____ Date _____ Name of recruiter _____

If you are a new member, send this completed application with annual dues to The American Legion, Attn: Membership, P.O. Box 1055, Indianapolis, IN 46206 (check www.legion.org/join for dues amount), or take it to a local post. To locate a post near you, click on "Find a Post" at www.legion.org.

D17010



DUES RECEIPT (please print)

Date _____

Received from _____

\$ _____ for 20 _____ dues

Recruiter's name _____

Recruiter's signature _____

Recruiter's phone # _____



SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION – MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Date _____

Detachment of _____ Squadron No. _____ Birth date _____

Name _____
First Initial Last Recruited by _____
Initial Last

Address _____
Street City State ZIP Phone _____

Veteran through whom eligibility is established _____

(a) Above is a member in good standing of Post No. _____ Department of _____

OR (b) Above is a deceased veteran who served honorably from _____ to _____

(c) Relationship of applicant to veteran _____

Has applicant previously been a member of the SAL? _____ Where? _____

I hereby subscribe to the Constitution of the Sons of The American Legion and apply for membership.

Email _____ Transmit \$ _____ for 20 _____ annual membership dues

Signed by applicant (or legal guardian if under 18) _____ Eligibility certified by _____

Mail completed application to Sons of The American Legion department/state headquarters. Annual dues must accompany completed application. Ask local contact for amount due. For current detachment address, go to The American Legion department/state headquarters, or visit www.legion.org.

D17010



DUES RECEIPT (please print)

Date _____

Received from _____

\$ _____ for 20 _____ dues

Squadron No. _____

Department of _____



AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY – MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Home phone _____ Cell phone _____

Email _____ Unit # and Location _____

/ / ☐ Birth - 17 ☐ 18 and older
Date of Birth (Required)

Have you been a member previously? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, fill in below, if known.)

Previous Unit City/State _____ ALA ID# _____

Signature of Applicant (or legal guardian if under 18) _____ Date _____

Submit this application to the ALA unit you wish to join. If unit is unknown, contact National Headquarters at (317) 569-4500 for assistance.

Annual dues must accompany completed application. Ask local contact for amount due.
Membership pending approval of application.

ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION

☐ Living ☐ Deceased

Eligible Through-Name of Veteran (If living, must be American Legion member)

If Living: American Legion Member ID # _____ Post # _____ City _____ State _____

☐ Deceased (If veteran is deceased, contact ALA unit about the necessary military records.)

Veteran served: (check all that apply)

☐ WWI (4/6/1917-11/11/1918)

☐ Anytime After 12/7/1941 (check all that apply):

☐ Global War on Terror ☐ Lebanon/Grenada ☐ WWII

☐ Gulf War ☐ Vietnam ☐ Other Conflicts

☐ Panama ☐ Korea

Applicant's relationship to the veteran:

☐ Female Spouse ☐ Male Spouse ☐ Mother

☐ Grandmother ☐ Sister ☐ Self

☐ Direct Descendant (daughter, granddaughter)

To Be Completed By The American Legion Post Adjutant/Officer

I certify that the above named individual served at least one day of active duty during the dates marked above and was honorably discharged or is still serving honorably.

Post Adjutant/Officer Membership Verification _____ Date _____



DUES RECEIPT (please print)

Date _____

Received from _____

\$ _____ for 20 _____ dues

Recruiter's name _____

Recruiter's signature _____

Recruiter's phone # _____