

# Music is the heartbeat of the Procession...

*Bridging the hearts and the minds of both creator and observer. These workshops are designed to place musical groups throughout the Procession, but we need more music and more types of sounds and rhythms than what is offered here. So if you would like to create your own group, or have a group all ready to shake, rattle and roll, then by all means give us a call and we'll get you into the creation flow.*

## MUSIC & DANCE WORKSHOPS

**All Workshops  
– unless otherwise noted –  
are located at the Loft on Cherry  
525 Cherry Street SE  
Downtown Olympia**

**To Register for Workshops  
Call 360.705-1087**

### **PLANET PERCUSSION • ELEMENT EARTH**

Every Monday in March • 7:00-9:00 PM  
Under 12 w/adult • \$10 • Procession Studio  
Every Monday in April • 6:00-7:30 PM

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Under 12 w/adult • \$10 • Loft on Cherry  
It is alive and jammin' deep in the ecosystem of global hand percussion. Diversity is where it's at so grab your avatar and come on down to the Planet! All skill levels welcome. Instruments provided. **Contact Jay Sicilia: 360.280-3194.**

### **FOUND SOUND • ELEMENT WATER**

Tuesdays starting March 30 • 6:00-7:30 PM  
Under 12 w/adult • \$10 • Loft on Cherry  
From wooden spoons on cupcake pans to hubcaps and coffee cans—find the sound and sound some rhythm! **Contact Chris Fry: 360.786-9563**

### **CROW DRUMMERS • ELEMENT AIR**

Every Tuesday • 7:30-9:00 PM  
12 yrs+ • \$10 • Loft on Cherry  
Take flight with natural rhythms in the style of West African percussion and dance. Drummers of all abilities are invited to join in this year-round, community band. Bring a jimbe, dunun, bells, shakers, or even a 5-gallon bucket for a drum. **Contact Bret Benraven: 360.790-3080.**

### **DRUM FUN • ELEMENT AIR**

Every Wednesday • 7:00-9:00 PM  
Under 12 w/adult • \$10 • United Churches  
110 11<sup>th</sup> SE, Downtown Olympia  
Bring your drum if you got one, but there are always percussion instruments for sharing. This workshop of drum circle rhythms is totally improvisational with simple instruction and huge emphasis on camaraderie and fun! **Contact Scott Bishop: 360.943-1938.**

## **ARTESIAN RUMBLE ARKESTRA • WATER**

**Every Wednesday • 7:30-9:00 PM**

**12 yrs+ • \$10 • Call for Location**

Dust off that horn, tune up that snare drum, and join Olympia's newest, funkiest marching band! It all started when early ancestors crawled out of the sea, and in no time at all, with the addition of opposable thumbs, the Artesian Rumble Arkestra was born. Their music is influenced by many world traditions including jazz, Balkan, samba, Bollywood, hymns and pop tunes, and they play at events to promote joy, civil society, and sustainability. Ability to read music is necessary, but you are welcome to play no matter how rusty! **Contact Becky Liebman: 360.459-5590.**

## **GRUPO QUETZALCOATL • ELEMENT EARTH**

**Every Sunday • Noon-2:00 PM**

**Under 12 w/adult • \$10 • Loft on Cherry**

Introducing cultural rhythms and dance from Central Mexico, this Aztec dance group is the first of its style in Olympia. Come explore this welcoming exchange of cultures with the Latino Community where English and Spanish are spoken equally. **Contact Linda Glasier: 360.402-4238.**

## **MAS-UDA • ELEMENT EARTH**

**Every Sunday • 2:00-4:00 PM**

**Under 12 w/adult • \$10 • Loft on Cherry**

A captivating mix of ethnic, tribal and cabaret style belly dancers with traditional Middle East drumming. All skill levels invited but your adventurous spirit is all that is needed. **Contact Kashani: 360.459-3694.**

## **SAMBA OLYWA • ELEMENT FIRE**

**Every Sunday • 5:00-7:00 PM**

**Under 12 w/adult • \$10 • Loft on Cherry**

Everyone is invited to rise-up and burst forth with brilliant rays of solar shine! Even global warming has nothing over solar powered Samba OlyWa! No matter your experience. Instruments provided. **Contact Julie Kelen: 360.866-6129.**

## **MAKE A DRUM BUCKET WORKSHOP!!!**

**Tuesdays March 16 & 30 • 6:30-7:30 PM**  
**Under 12 w/adult • \$5 • Cathy Stapels, Eli**  
**Procession Art Studio**

Don't have a drum? Learn special 5-gallon bucket drum design techniques and knock down a rhythm with the best of them!