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Dear Private Instruction Parents and Adult Students:

Thank you for choosing Pakachoag as your community music school. As artistry, creativity, and imagination are long-term endeavors, it is our hope that you will continue your musical journey with us in the fall.

One of the keys to success in music, as with other areas of study, is consistency in learning. We remind students to take advantage of the benefits of registering early, including securing a space for lessons in the fall and retaining priority in scheduling and teacher placement.

An online registration form submission and deposit are both required to secure registration. If you are unable to make the deposit due to financial hardship, we encourage you to contact the office. We strongly recommend completing the process even if you are unsure of your schedule needs until late August or early September, with this uncertainty noted on your form.

We are excited to welcome our new director of programs and enrollment management, Nathaniel McBride, to our office team as of June 15th. He will handle lesson placement and scheduling for school year lessons. If you have any concerns about teacher match for next year or if you plan to not re-enroll, please contact Nathaniel: nathaniel@pakmusic.org.

Tuition for next year will increase by \$1 per 30-minute and 45-minute lesson. We are providing raises to our world-class teachers while also managing inflationary pressures. Several [discount options](#) remain available, including pay-in-full by September 30th.

We have a few policy adjustments for next year, including our student absence policy and reduced add-on lesson tuition, in corresponding changes. You are encouraged to read more about these [policies on our website](#).

We remind you that scheduling preferences are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. It takes most of the summer to assemble schedules. Final assignments are usually confirmed the last two weeks of August.

We hope to see you in September as you continue to make music for life. Thanks again for being part of our Pakachoag family!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in purple ink, appearing to read "KI", is written over a light purple horizontal line.

Kristjon Imperio, Interim Executive Director