Dear Crane Youth Music Camper:

It is my pleasure to thank you for enrolling in the 2016 season of the Crane Youth Music (CYM) summer music program! This year marks CYM's 43rd season and we have an exciting array of musical activities planned for you. We await your arrival with enthusiasm and hope you are looking forward to a rewarding musical and social experience at the Crane School of Music at SUNY Potsdam.

Please read the enclosed Code of Conduct/Talent Release closely. You and your parents are required to signify acceptance of the conduct code in order to attend camp. The signed and completed form must be returned no later than Monday, May 30th, 2016.

Further communication regarding camp forms will be sent out over the course of the spring semester. Additional information describing the camp program in detail is also available on the CYM website and should answer any questions you or your parents may have about auditions, private lessons, elective classes, what to bring, concert and daily dress code, and more. All camp documents have been made available online in the “Forms” section of our website for those families wishing to complete them in advance.

A three-page Health History/Medications Report will be mailed to you in early spring along with further health and emergency information. Please note that under New York State Health Department (DOH) regulations you cannot be admitted to camp without having your health forms correctly and completely filled out. Completed health forms must be received by the camp office no later than June 16th, 2016.

As a New York State Department of Health permitted camp, CYM is required to be inspected twice yearly, and to maintain inspection reports on file on the SUNY Potsdam campus at 44 Pierrepont Avenue in Potsdam, NY. Detailed information about the responsibilities of the camp operator, as well as a summary of rights and responsibilities for campers and parents is discussed in the “Children's Camps in New York State” publication, which may be accessed online via the CYM website.

Please don’t hesitate to contact us at (315) 267-2167 or e-mail cym@potsdam.edu if you have any questions or concerns about CYM. The Crane faculty and guest artists are looking forward to meeting you personally and providing you with many enriching musical experiences.

Sincerely,

Julianne Kirk Doyle, Director
Crane Youth Music

P.S. If your plans change and you are unable to attend CYM, please notify this office immediately so that we may accept another camper.