



4th ANNUAL SNOWBIRD SONG SCHOOL JULY 15-17, 2011 - At Snowbird Ski and Summer Resort

Lead instructor and facilitator: Steve Seskin – www.steveseskin.com
Additional instructors: Craig Carothers – www.craigcarothers.com and Ellis – www.ellis-music.com
Appearances will be made by main stage performing artists: Mitch Barrett, Wil Maring/Robert Bowlin Duo and Russ Chapman.

Pre-registration is required: Entry form available for download at:
<http://www.snowbird.com/events/summer/mountainmusic.html>

Cost per person: Early Bird Registration is \$150.00 until May 15, 2011. Cost will be \$175.00 after that. Space is limited. Registrations will be accepted until the class is full.

Friday, July 15th

7:45am	Meet & Greet, proceed to workshop location
8:00am	Continental Breakfast
8:30am	Welcome by Steve & Craig - Discussing expectations for the weekend and getting feedback from the class on topics they are most interested in.
9:30-10:30am	<i>Simultaneous</i> Workshops by Steve and Craig
10:30am	Break
10:45-12:00noon	<i>Simultaneous</i> – Song Critiques by Steve and Craig
12:00-1:30pm	Lunch – On own
1:30-2:00pm	Steve Seskin – Will present information about his project: <i>Songwork</i>
2:00-3:00pm	<i>Simultaneous</i> Workshops by Steve, Craig and Ellis
3:00pm	Yoga Break with Danielle Vaughn
3:30-4:45pm	<i>Simultaneous</i> – Song Critiques by Steve and Craig
4:45-5:45pm	<i>Simultaneous</i> Workshops by Steve, Craig and Ellis
5:45pm	Wrap up Discussion of Day 1 Activities – Steve Seskin
6:00pm	Students dismissed for Dinner - On own
6:30-8:30pm	Students encouraged to attend the Annual Band Scramble on the Main Stage.
8:45-10pm	Students encouraged to the “free” Friday night concert event featuring: Steve Seskin and Craig Carothers “in the round”- Main Stage
10:00pm – Midnight	Students encouraged to gather for late night song sharing - Location TBA

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Saturday, July 16th

7:30am	Morning Yoga with Danielle Vaughn – Location TBA
8:30am	Continental Breakfast
9:00am-12:00n	Continued topics and song critiques with Steve and Craig. In addition, simultaneous appearances will be by our main stage artists.
12:00pm	Lunch – On own
12:30pm	Students encouraged to attend the 2011 Susanne Millsaps Performing Songwriter Showcase on the main stage at the Event Tent to witness our top ten singer/songwriter finalist performances.
3:00-10:00pm	Mountain Music Festival Performances: Russ Chapman, Ellis, Will Maring/Robert Bowlin Duo, Avalanche and Mitch Barrett!
10:00pm – Midnight	Students encouraged to gather for late night song sharing - Location TBA

Sunday, July 17th

8:00am	Breakfast on own
9:00-10:30am	Morning discussions and continued topics with Steve and Craig
10:30-12:30pm	Students will sign up in advance to perform in an open-mic format on the Plaza Deck at Snowbird. This performance is open to the public. Tell all your friends! Students will perform 5 minutes each or 1-2 songs. Sound will be provided.
12:30pm	Lunch – On own
1:30pm	Students will gather for final wrap up, takeaways and goodbyes
2:00pm	4 th Annual Snowbird Song School concludes – see you next year

Songwriters - Do not miss your opportunity to take part in this unique songwriting experience. Networking and building new friendships with like songwriters is truly beneficial and inspiring. This weekend of sharing will surely take you to the next level. If you would like a personal reference on the Snowbird Song School, please feel free to reach out to Shaney McCoy, Alicia McGovern, Danielle Vaughn, Reba Nissen or Rob Harmon – all are on Facebook!

Questions: Please email Ruthie Naccarato at rnaccarato@snowbird.com or call - 801-947-7909

Lodging:

If you want to stay overnight on Friday and Saturday – Please book your reservations early! Call 800-453-3000. Ask for the Mountain Music Festival *room only* rate. Room starting at \$85.00 for lower village, not including taxes or fees.

Additional information:

- Bring your guitar or instrument of choice to the workshop.
- All main stage performances are free and open to the public. Please help us spread the word about our 3rd Annual Mountain Music Festival.
- Please plan for cooler weather in the evenings. Bring comfortable shoes for walking, light jackets, sunscreen, water bottles and any snacks, beverages or extra cash you'll need for meals.
- Please make sure to bring copies of your song lyrics for the other students to see during the critiques. (Approx. 20 copies per song recommended. Students can share.) We will not have access to a copy machine onsite.
- Bring your Yoga mats and attire for Saturday morning – Sign up for Yoga directly with Danielle Vaughn. danielle.vaughn@gmail.com
- Notebooks and pens will be provided in your welcome bags.
- There is high speed wireless available in guest rooms and public areas throughout the resort.
- The agenda may be subject to slight changes - A final agenda will be sent prior to the event to all registered students.

