

## Special Invitations

We wish to extend a special invitation to the members of the Kansas Orff Chapter and the Heart of America Orff Chapter to attend this workshop. Baker University's beautiful tree-filled campus with its brook, bridge, and an English village Chapel (moved to the campus in 1996) will be a fantastic site in which to enjoy this rewarding workshop. The Baker campus is located just 45 minutes from Kansas City and Topeka and 20 minutes from Lawrence, with many recreational opportunities such as swimming, restaurants, historical sites, and parks. Classes meet 8:30-4:00 daily.

## Housing and Meals

Housing is available for the 2-week certification course in the Baker University Apartments for \$350. Apartments include private bedrooms, shared bath, and kitchen facilities. Plan to bring your own bedding (extra-long twin) and towels. Meals are also available in the University Cafeteria and at area restaurants.

## Registration Information

The Certification course fee is \$600. To register for the course, **please complete and mail** the Registration Form in this brochure with a \$150 non-refundable deposit postmarked by May 1, 2018 or register online at <https://www.bakeru.edu/music-education/orff/>. The balance of payment for the course will be due on or before the first day of classes. If you wish to enroll for graduate credit from Baker University, there is an additional fee of \$70 per credit (total \$210). You are encouraged to enroll online at <https://www.bakeru.edu/music-education/orff/>, although you have the option of completing the enrollment and payment for Graduate Credit on the first day of classes.

## Connie Van Engen



**Connie Van Engen** is the music specialist at Bell Prairie Elementary, where she teaches K-5<sup>th</sup> grade students, and conducts the Wind Song Choir. Connie received her Orff Schulwerk Certification from Hamline University, and apprenticed with Elaine Larson at George Mason University. Connie is the Level II Pedagogy instructor in the Orff Schulwerk Teacher Education Courses at Trinity University in San Antonio, TX, and Baker University in Kansas. She is the immediate past Recording Secretary of AOSA, and has served as a Region III Representative. In 2013 Connie was named the North Kansas City School District's Teacher of Distinction. She is a soprano in the Kansas City Symphony Chorus. Connie and her husband, Ken share their 100-year-old house in Kansas City with an Old English Sheepdog named Addy.

## Orff-Schulwerk Level II

*June 25—July 6, 2018*

*with  
Connie Van Engen  
Jennifer Donovan  
Greg Gooden*

*\$600 Course Registration  
\$70 per Graduate Credit  
(three credits offered)*



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## Orff-Schulwerk

Orff-Schulwerk is a creative approach to teaching and learning music through speaking, singing, playing instruments and moving. Created by composers Carl Orff and Gunild Keetman, the Schulwerk is an exciting way to teach and learn music. For more information about the Kansas Orff Chapter, please contact [president@kansasorff.com](mailto:president@kansasorff.com), or visit our website at [www.kansasorff.org](http://www.kansasorff.org).

## Level II

Level Two is for anyone who has successfully completed an AOSA approved Level One course. Instruction will review Level One techniques, introduce hexatonic and modal melodies, drone and chord accompaniments, and changing meters. It will also include movement and instrumental improvisation, and extended forms. Instruction will continue with the soprano recorder and the introduction of the alto recorder.

## Cancellation Policy

Baker University may cancel or postpone any course or activity because of insufficient enrollment or other unforeseen circumstances. If a program is cancelled or postponed, Baker University will refund all registration fees, but cannot be held responsible for other costs, charges, or other expenses incurred by the registrant.

**For more information please contact Course Director Greg Gooden at [orffan@sbcglobal.net](mailto:orffan@sbcglobal.net) or [GregoryGooden@usd475](mailto:GregoryGooden@usd475).**

## Jennifer Donovan

**Jennifer Donovan** teaches kindergarten through fifth grade music, chorus, and recorder and drumming ensembles at Clear Creek Elementary in Shawnee, Kansas. Her fifth graders have been selected to perform twice at the Kansas MEA convention. A past president of the Kansas Orff Chapter, she has served as Treasurer and Region III Representative on the AOSA National Board of Trustees. She served as the National Conference Chair for the 2016 AOSA conference in Atlantic City, New Jersey. She served on the Kansas Teacher of the Year Team in 2009 and 2018.

## Greg Gooden

**Greg Gooden** teaches music at Fort Riley Elementary School in Fort Riley, Kansas. He is the director of the Geary County Children's Choir and previously directed the McPherson Arts Council Children's Choir. (The Geary County Children's Choir was selected to perform at the 2014 KMEA In-service Workshop.) Gooden is currently President-Elect of the Kansas Orff Chapter and serves as a member of the JCEA Board of Directors. He was the Elementary Outstanding Music Teacher of the Year in 2006 and 2012 for the North Central District KMEA, and presented at the 2005 AOSA National Conference in Birmingham, Alabama and the 2006 National Conference in Omaha. He holds World Music Drumming Level 1 and Conversational Solfège Certifications. Gooden received Levels 1-3 Orff certification and Master's Class from the University of Memphis. He has directed many district KMEA Elementary Honor Choirs and has presented Orff workshops locally and nationally. Gooden has been the Orff Course Director at Baker University since its inception there.

## Registration Form

Baker University  
Orff-Schulwerk Certification Course, Level II  
June 25—July 6, 2018  
Please complete and print entire form. Make checks payable to Baker University.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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(The above address is my home\_\_work\_\_ address)

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the appropriate options below:

### COURSE REGISTRATION

Enclosed is my check for the non-refundable\* deposit (\$150) OR

Enclosed is my check for course registration (\$600, of which \$150 is non-refundable\* deposit)

*\*Refundable ONLY if course cancelled due to low enrollment.*

### HOUSING OPTIONS

Enclosed is my check for campus housing (\$350, check-in on Sunday June 24)

Please reserve a room on campus for me. I'll pay when I arrive.

I do not plan to stay on campus.

### GRADUATE CREDIT

I expect to enroll for graduate credit at the first class meeting (\$210)

Please return the completed form postmarked by May 1, 2018 to:

Orff-Schulwerk Level II  
Baker University  
Department of Music and Theatre  
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Baldwin City, KS 66006