

# MUSICAL SURPRISE NOTES

We love this time of the year here at Musical Surprise. We are so excited for the things to come to our studio. Check out the latest below!

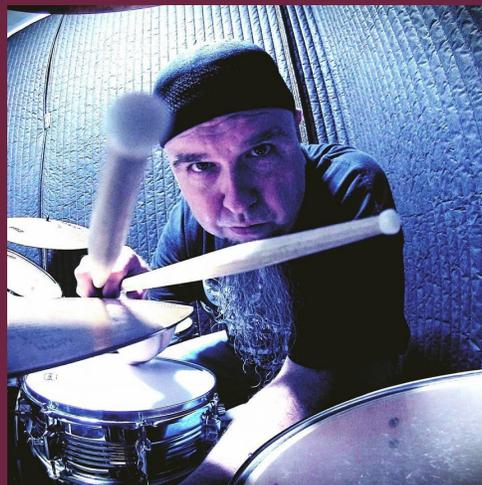
## Student of the Month: Jordan F.

Jordan F. is our Student of the Month for October! Jordan has been a piano student with our teacher Laura M. for just over a year. He is an ambitious 9 year old with a love of fortnite! He has participated in events at Musical Surprise such as the annual formal recital. He was nominated by Laura M. because, "Jordan has done an excellent job continuing his progress during the Zoom transition. He works hard and didn't skip a beat when it came to practicing and learning. He has excellent work ethic and is a very respectful student." Congratulations, Jordan!

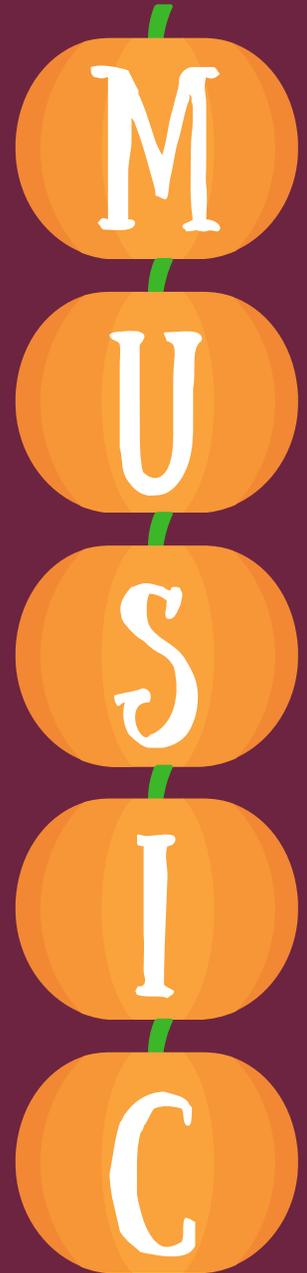


## Teacher Feature: Todd Kruger, Drums

Todd has been a drum instructor at Musical Surprise since 2009 and has been teaching for 20 years. As a performer, he has toured the country playing in various bands, venues, and all styles of music. He has led and instructed many of the student performances for Musical Surprise such as: Concert in the Park, Rock Star Academy, and the Summer Bucket Drumming camp. While working with students, he instills a high level of confidence in their playing, and passion for music. Todd thrives working with students of all ages, skill level, and capabilities. Outside of teaching, Todd is a chef, a dad, and a joke enthusiast.



"Teaching without passion is just a demonstration."



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Our first ever SPIRIT WEEK! Come dressed to your lesson in the theme of the day and be entered in a raffle to win a prize. We will have a winner for each day and then a GRAND PRIZE winner for the week. We are so excited to see what amazing ideas you come up with.

## OCTOBER 12TH-17TH 2020

**MONDAY:**

Pajama Day! Come to your lesson dressed in your favorite pajamas.

**TUESDAY:**

Crazy Hair Day! Come to your lesson with crazy hair.

**WEDNESDAY:**

Superstar Day! Dress up as your favorite music composer, artist, or performer.

**THURSDAY:**

Robyn Day! Wear your favorite silly music shirt or Rainbow colors, and a Robyn Ribbon.

**FRIDAY:**

Dance through the Decades! Dress up as your favorite decade.

**SATURDAY:**

Backwards Day! Come to your lesson wearing something backwards.