Frequently Asked Questions

- **Where does the weekend retreat take place?**
  Sisters Songworks is located in the beautiful small town of Sisters, Oregon. The retreat takes place primarily at the Sisters Art Works building (SAW), home of the Sisters Folk Festival offices. Address is 204 W. Adams Ave., Sisters, OR 97759. The Saturday night concert will be held just down the street at The Belfry, 302 E. Main St. in Sisters.

- **Where do I stay during Sisters Songworks?**
  You will need to arrange your own accommodations over the weekend. Below are a few suggestions:
  - GrandStay Hotel – discount available to Songworks participants, subject to availability.
  - Best Western/Ponderosa Lodge
  - FivePine Lodge
  - Sisters Inn & Suites
  - AirBNB or VRBO
  - Creekside Campground/City of Sisters: no reservations during April, first come basis.
  
  https://www.ci.sisters.or.us/creekside-campground

- **What meals are provided during the weekend?**
  A group dinner on the first night (Friday) at SAW is included with your registration. Various dietary needs will be accommodated, but please be in touch if you have specific concerns. Other than Friday, breakfast/lunch/dinner over the weekend will be on your own. We will have light continental breakfast items available each morning, and snacks available during the day. There will be time to break for lunch & dinner on Saturday. Feel free to bring your own snack or lunch food as well. There are lots of great spots to eat in Sisters, but here are a few of our favorites, all within walking distance:
  - Angeline’s Café & Bakery
  - The Depot Café
  - The Open Door
  - Sisters Saloon
  - Oliver Lemon’s (formally Melvin’s Market)
  - Sisters Coffee Company

- **Can I bring my child or spouse/partner with me during the weekend? Can I bring my pet?**
  Friends, family, and spouse/partners are welcome to be with you during the weekend, but instructional sessions and meals at Sisters Art Works are only for registered participants. There are lots of fun things to do in the area for those visiting with you. Please be in touch if you have a specific service animal need, but otherwise dogs or other pets are not permitted during instructional sessions.
• **Is the ticket to the Sunday night concert at The Belfry an extra cost? How do I get tickets for my friends, family or spouse/partner?**

Tickets for Sunday’s concert at The Belfry by the Songworks instructors is included in your registration. If you wish to purchase additional tickets for friends or family, you can do so here: [https://songworksround.eventbrite.com](https://songworksround.eventbrite.com)

• **What sort of things should I plan to bring?**

Things to bring include: your instrument, water bottle, reusable coffee/tea mug, notebook, and any songs you’ve written or are working on. There is a piano/keyboard available at SAW for you to use.

• **Who do I contact for additional questions or information?**

For additional questions or concerns regarding program content:

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For additional questions or concerns regarding logistics, arrangements, and general assistance:

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