

FLUTE LESSONS with *Melanie Keller* now available in Southeast Boise



About the Instructor

Flute Instructor Melanie Keller holds an M.M. in Flute Performance from the San Francisco Conservatory of Music and a B.M. in Flute Performance from the Peabody Conservatory of the Johns Hopkins University. She is currently serving as Principal Flutist & Personnel Manager of Symphony Napa Valley and the Vallejo Symphony and has recently performed with the Boise Philharmonic. She has also enjoyed a busy freelance career throughout Northern CA performing with the Berkeley Symphony, Marin Symphony and Santa Cruz Symphony, among others. She is a founding member of The

Avenue Winds (www.avenuewinds.com), an active woodwind quintet with a special interest in performing works by Bay Area composers. Mrs. Keller has been teaching privately for the past 21 years and places a strong emphasis on instructing her students on proper breathing, creating a warm, round sound, accurate rhythmic technique, music theory, ensemble playing & note reading/sight-reading skills. Former students have been accepted into honor bands and have received high marks in Solo & Ensemble Festivals. Students will participate in a yearly recital complete with piano accompaniment.

Testimonials

"I learned so much about tone, rhythm, and playing with feeling. Melanie helped me become a much better musician!" -Allie

"My son started flute lessons with Melanie a few years ago. She inspired him in a way that we still see today. He loves playing. He's confident and has made great progress. I highly recommend Melanie." -Sherri

"Melanie is a fantastic teacher. I came to her with many years of music experience. She kept me challenged and really helped develop as a flute player." -Katy

"My daughter took lessons from Melanie for at least 3 - 4 years. Melanie herself is a wonderful flautist and often played with my daughter. Melanie had high standards for playing - delivered with warmth, praise and correction. My daughter played from age 7 to 17 and was accepted into the training program at the San Francisco Academy of Music for her high school flute training. Melanie was a key part of that process. Thank you Melanie!" -Susan

For studio location, rates, to check availability or to schedule a lesson please email mkellerflute@gmail.com or call (650)270-6388

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www.mkellerflute.com

Happy Fluting!