

Ready to get your groove on?



SBIA "Found Sound" Jam Session

Saturday Feb 6th | 1:00pm
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Hosted by SBIA & Mike Pelzer, Drum Leader

Have you heard of a Found Sound Session? It's a jam session. But in place of drums, cowbells, and shakers, we'll be hand-crafting our very own instruments, which you can easily design at home. The best way to create your personal percussion instrument is to think of things that you can hit, scrape and shake.

Please note that this is a SBIA public event & the Drum session will be recorded. There is no cost to attend. We hope to "virtually" see you there!

A decorative banner at the bottom of the page features a dark purple background with various musical icons in yellow and white. On the left, there is a large treble clef. In the center, there are two vinyl records, one purple and one yellow. On the right, there is a white drum with yellow accents and a yellow drumstick. Above the drum, there are several musical notes and asterisks.

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Step One:

Have a look around your house, garage or shed. Most everything you'll need is just laying around waiting for you to start experimenting. Don't complicate things. It usually only takes a couple of items to produce a Found Sound. Some of my favorite examples are listed below.

- Spoons or kitchen utensils, held together with elastics bands at the top and bottom to keep them in place, but not too tight. They're a great alternative to drum sticks or roll them between your hands to make rhythms however you choose.
- Homemade shaker with a jar or empty food container that has a lid. Put a spoonful of rice, or beans or macaroni into it and make sure to close it tight.
- Other options can be found in the kitchen. Use lids, pots, utensils, cutting boards, mixing bowls, empty containers etc. to experiment with.
- An empty box or ice cream pail can be turned upside down to serve as a drum
- Chopsticks skewers, wooden spoons or spatulas can be used as drumsticks. Try an assortment of things and see what you can come up with.

Step Two:

To participate or view the "Found Sound" Jam Session, log onto Zoom. Show up with your instrument and get ready to jam. Here is the Zoom link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86483768368pwd=c1BJdHhwrRWxaME9QbGhKTzBwYXdOQT09>
Meeting ID: 864 8376 8368 Passcode: 257739

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