

2025 Grange Workshops and Schedule Leavenworth International Accordion Celebration

FEATURING: Workshops, FREE accordion lessons, Group sessions, and more;
Note: The Free Concerts (formerly held at the Grange), are now taking place at
King Ludwig's Restaurant on Friday and Saturday from 12:30 – 3:30pm

Grange - Thursday, June 26

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| 3:00-4:30pm | Workshop with Jakob Bean - FREE (Playing in a group; rehearse Gazebo Ensemble performances) | Grange/Upper |
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Grange - Friday, June 27

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| 9:00am | Grange opens | Grange |
| 9:30-11:30 | Private Coaching: with John Giuliani, Hank Thunander; all skill levels | Grange/Lower |
| 12:00-1:00 | Private Coaching: with John Giuliani, Hank Thunander; all skill levels | Grange/Lower |
| 1:30-3:30pm | FREE Accordion lessons by The Northwest Accordion Society | Grange/Lower |
| 10:00–11:30am | Workshop with Cooksie Kramer Playing in an Orchestra | Grange/Upper |
| 12:30-1:30pm | Workshop with TBA | Grange/Upper |
| 2:00-3:00pm | Workshop with Hank Thunander The World Of Polkas | Grange/Upper |
| 3:20-4:10pm | FYI-Gazebo Ensemble (perform at the Gazebo) | Gazebo |

Grange - Saturday, June 28

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| 9:00am | Grange opens | Grange |
| 9:30-11:30 | Private Coaching: with John Giuliani, Matt Tolentino; all skill levels | Grange/Lower |
| 12:00-1:00 | Private Coaching: with John Giuliani, Matt Tolentino; all skill levels | Grange/Lower |
| 1:30-3:30pm | FREE Accordion lessons by The Northwest Accordion Society | Grange/Lower |
| 10:00–11:30am | Workshop/Jam Session with Bonnie Birch Accordion Circle Jam | Grange/Upper |
| 12:30-1:15pm | Frank Calapristi Accordion Parade (gather at Festhalle and parade down Front Street) | Festhalle |
| 1:30-2:30pm | Workshop with Ben Thomas Tango Articulation and Phrasing on the Accordion | Grange/Upper |
| 3:00-4:00pm | Workshop with Matt Tolentino The Accordion in Ragtime, Hot Jazz, and Early Swing | Grange/Upper |
| 3:20-4:10pm | FYI-Gazebo Ensemble (perform at the Gazebo) | Gazebo |
| 4:30-5:30pm | Workshop with Matt Tolentino The Accordion in Ragtime, Hot Jazz, and Early Swing | Grange/Upper |

Be sure to attend our FREE Sessions!

Playing in a group; performing at the gazebo
with Jakob Bean
Thurs 3:00 – 4:30pm Grange/Upper

The Button Box Across the Centuries
with Tom Tilton
Fri 12:30 – 1:15pm Festhalle by Button Box display

King Ludwig's Concert Summary:

Friday, June 27 (Host: Mark Myking)

12:30-1:00

1:00 - 1:30

1:30 - 2:00

2:00 - 2:30

2:30 - 3:00

3:00 - 3:30

Saturday, June 28 (Host: Mark Myking)

12:30-1:00

1:00 - 1:30

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2025 LIAC Workshop Choices – (Workshops are \$15 if paid by June 10 or \$20 at Leavenworth)

#1 Playing in an Orchestra

**With Cooksie Kramer (Kaserzon) - ABCA, LBCA, Member ABRSM Trinity College London, UK
Fri 10:00-11:30am Grange/Upper**

#2 TBA

With TBA

Fri 12:30-1:30pm Grange/Upper

#3 The World Of Polkas

With Hank Thunander

Fri 2:00-3:00pm Grange/Upper

#4 Accordion Circle Jam

With Bonnie Birch and Andy Mirkovich

Sat 10:00-11:30am Grange/Upper

#5 Tango Articulation and Phrasing on the Accordion

With Ben Thomas

Sat 1:30-2:30pm Grange/Upper

#6 The Accordion in Ragtime, Hot Jazz, and Early Swing

with Matt Tolentino

Sat 3:00-4:00pm Grange/Upper

#7 The Accordion in Ragtime, Hot Jazz, and Early Swing

with Matt Tolentino (this is a repeat of Workshop #6)

Sat 4:30-5:30pm Grange/Upper

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