



**FREE INSTRUMENTS. FREE MUSIC LESSONS.
REAL IMPACT.**



Music is an art form that every child should be able to benefit from. Music education brings creativity, discipline, resilience and self-worth to a child. Unfortunately, not every kid that wants to play music gets the chance to do so because of lack of financial resources, or music programs being cut from school curriculums for lack of funding. Lew Tabarrini wasn't a musician, but he loved and supported music! He believed that all kids should have the benefit of music lessons, and that children that had musical instruments in their hands were less likely to get into trouble. In 2010, the Lewis P. Tabarrini Children's Music Outreach Foundation was founded on Lew's philosophy of kids and music, but also for his love for it as well. The Tabarrini Foundation aims to enrich and transform the lives of deserving children in Southwest Florida, by nurturing them in the joy of making music through group and private guitar lessons.



**Donate. Sponsor. Attend Fundraisers.
Volunteer. Give Back.**

We believe that excellence in music translates to excellence in other areas of life. In the 2023-24 school year the Tabarrini Foundation music programs have served 20 children in Southwest Florida!

**THAT'S OVER 125 HOURS
OF MUSIC EDUCATION!**

Why it Matters

Music education enhances academic success, emotional well-being and social connection. For many of our students, it's a life changing opportunity.

The Tabarrini Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization survives solely on donations and fundraising events with no government grants or subsidies.

THE LEWIS P. TABARRINI CHILDREN'S MUSIC OUTREACH FOUNDATION
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Our Music Program

Our mission is to make music accessible to all kids—regardless of background or financial circumstances. We believe music has the power to inspire, unite, and transform lives, and we're committed to providing opportunities for every student to learn and grow.



What Do We Provide?

Free Musical Instruments, Free Group Music Lessons
Scholarships (Private Lessons)

Who Can Join Our Program?

Our music program is open to children ages
7-13 who want to learn to play music.

How To Sign Up

Download our registration form at
tabarrinifoundation.org and email it to
childrensmusicoutreach@gmail.com or
contact us at 239-887-1428.



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PARTNERSHIP School of Rock Fort Myers

Since 2021 our kids are fortunate enough to have their group music lessons at the state-of-the-art, super cool School of Rock facility in Fort Myers! We are so grateful for the opportunity to work with School of Rock!

SO ARE OUR KIDS!

From one of Our Scholars

I signed up my son, Nick in 2021. He wasn't sure at first how it would be with new people and a new environment. He started his group lessons at School of Rock Fort Myers. I saw right away that Nick was very interested in playing. After weeks of group lessons, Nick showed so much interest and passion, that you chose him for the Dennis Bedard Scholarship meaning he would be able to take private lessons! The ability to learn to play guitar also gave him friendship with other musicians, he became more involved in the music program at his school, and it gave him higher self-esteem. Playing also taught him better social skills. It's like an icebreaker for him. He really enjoys playing! Nick now plays not just at School of Rock, but he also found other friends who are interested in music, and they play together at home as a band with Nick on guitar, a bass player, a keyboard player, and vocals. Nick doesn't want to stop at just playing the guitar either! He wants to learn to play more instruments including saxophone, piano and maybe even drums- all of this because of your wonderful program. As a mom, I feel very happy and proud of my son. Thank you so much! Best wishes to all of you, your supportive partners, and your whole team!" ~Marina C.



DONATION PLEDGE FORM

I want to help the Lewis P. Tabarrini Children's Music Outreach Foundation give the gift of music to children in Southwest Florida that want to play music but do not have the means necessary to do so on their own.



A monthly gift of: \$25 \$50 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$1,000 \$_____

A one-time gift of: \$25 \$50 \$100 \$250 \$500 \$1,000 \$_____

I wish to speak with someone regarding donating instruments and/or gear or to volunteer my time at community fundraisers.

Please charge the donation described above to my: VISA MASTERCARD*

Acct #: _____ Expires: _____

Name: _____ Phone _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email: _____

You can also arrange to make a donation by using the Venmo QR code below, calling Karen Morreale at 239-887-1428, by visiting tabarrinifoundation.org, or by making your check payable to the Tabarrini Foundation and mailing it with this form to 5797 Newfoundland Cir. #4, Fort Myers, FL 33907.



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