

Not Just Oom-Pah! Concert and Workshops presents  
EMMY NOMINATED COMPOSER/ACCORDIONIST

**COURTNEY VON DREHLE... HAVE ACCORDION, WILL TRAVEL!**

**ZOOM Workshops**

**Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday July 25, 26, and 27, 2023**  
**7:00 – 9:30 pm Central Time Each Night**

**ONLINE INFORMATION & REGISTRATION FORM**  
**PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION & Complete REGISTRATION FORM**

Expand your repertoire and skills with a variety program that covers  
three continents in three days,  
learning the elements that make up each style and  
some great songs on the journey.\*

*\*No travel documents or custom checks involved!*

Workshop will focus on expanding repertoire and skills, with a variety program that covers three continents.  
Concepts to discuss may be:

- Teaching skills, such as chords and chord progressions that participants can use.
- Embellishments, where needed.
- Songs taught will vary in genres, tempos, styles and are FUN for the accordionist and audience.
- June 25 will start with a short “Meet and Greet” to talk about the Workshop Agenda

**\$100 for Accordionist includes:**

- ❖ Attendance for all three 2.5 hour workshop sessions on Zoom.
- ❖ All printed materials will be sent via EMAIL in a PDF form for participants to Print at home or to view on their iPads.
- ❖ Zoom workshop sessions **will be recorded** so that participants can review them at a later date.

**\*Workshop Participants should do before the workshop:**

1. **Register for workshop! (see below)**
2. **PRINT ALL YOUR MUSIC !!!!!** Arrange it in the order we suggest.
3. **We will send you invitations for the Zoom workshops via email prior to each session.**
4. Bring Accordion, music stand, recording device if you would like. Also pens, pencils and highlighter, beverage, snacks, a positive attitude, patience, etc.
5. **ATTIRE:** Comfortable and casual. But decent! Remember OTHERS are watching 😊

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**COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM & PAYMENT IS DUE by JULY 24, 2023**  
REGISTER online at [www.NotJustOompah.org](http://www.NotJustOompah.org)

## **COURTNEY VON DREHLE...**

### **Composer, Accordionist, Multi-Instrumentalist**

Emmy nominated composer and multi-instrumentalist Courtney Von Drehle has been working on his particular brand of musical alchemy since 1980. Early projects in hybrid rock music led to collaborations with many modern dancers and the honing of his ability to create music to accompany other media. This has led to numerous commissions for music for film scores, commercials, radio, dance, theater, and performance projects.



In 2003 he was awarded a fellowship at the [Sundance Institute](#) to participate in their film composers lab. His film scoring work includes his Emmy nominated score for filmmaker [Irene Taylor Brodsky](#)'s 2009 Academy Award nominated H.B.O. documentary [The Final Inch](#), working with Academy Award winning animator [Joan Gratz](#), and working with multiple award-winning short filmmaker [Chel White](#), amongst others.

In addition to co-leading 3 LEG TORSO with Béla R. Balogh, Von Drehle is a resident composer for [DO JUMP THEATER](#) and performs with [The Djangophiles](#) The Portland Klezmer Allstars, and [Michelle Alany and the Mystics](#). He received a 2010 [Caldera Artist Residency](#) Grant and a 2108 [Drammy](#) award for his work with the [Portland Experimental Theatre Ensemble](#). His accordion skills are in demand as a studio musician and he can be heard on the Disney show *Jake and the Neverland Pirates* and on the soundtrack to *Nebraska*, a film directed by Alexander Payne and scored by Mark Orton.

Von Drehle has a B.A. in music from Marylhurst University and has studied North Indian classical singing. He teaches private accordion lessons and is on faculty at the [Rose City Accordion Club](#)'s annual Silver Falls Accordion Camp.

*"The addition of the 3 Leg Torso accordionista ... is the next best thing to Astor Piazzolla holding down the bandoneon chair!" ~ Mitch Ritter, Oregon ArtsWatch 9/26/2016*

WEBSITES: <https://www.3legtorso.com/>  
<https://www.facebook.com/courtney.vondrehle/>  
<https://www.instagram.com/isthistherealmemememe/>

## Not Just OOM-PAH! Accordion Workshop Schedule

<p><b><i>COURTNEY VON DREHLE... HAVE ACCORDION, WILL TRAVEL!</i></b></p> <p><b>Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, July 25, 26, 27, 2023</b>  <b>7:00 - 9:30 pm Central Time Each Night</b></p> <p>8:00 – 10:30 pm Eastern, 6:00 – 8:30 pm Mountain, 5:00 – 7:30 pm Pacific</p>	<p><b>WORKSHOP</b>  <b>2.5 Hours</b>  <b>On ZOOM</b></p>
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- ❖ All workshops for participants will be recorded so that you can view them at a different time, in case the schedule conflicts with other events.
- ❖ We will open the Zoom Waiting Room up **15 minutes prior to Workshops** to allow participants to join early, so that we can **START on time**.
- ❖ Please remember, technology can be finicky, so be prepared and patient.
- ❖ NOTE: NO refunds will be given after July 24, 2023. If you need to cancel attendance, please let Shirley or Laura know IN WRITING. Workshop payment will be refunded in total except for \$25.00 per registration cancellation.

***COURTNEY VON DREHLE WORKSHOP***  
**Registration and Payment Information Form**  
**COMPLETED FORM AND PAYMENT Are DUE by JULY 24, 2023**

**REGISTER ONLINE and PAY using PayPal at [www.NotJustOompah.org](http://www.NotJustOompah.org)**  
**Or DOWNLOAD FORM ONLINE, Email completed forms to: [ShirleyJ@Vjeverica.com](mailto:ShirleyJ@Vjeverica.com) or [accsaj@gmail.com](mailto:accsaj@gmail.com)**  
 If you want to use Venmo to pay, please contact Shirley Johnson. 512-680-0422

OR

Print forms, enclose check or money order (payable to Shirley Johnson)  
 for total amount due, and mail to: Shirley Johnson, P.O Box 203244, Austin, TX. 78720-3244

<b><i>WORKSHOP REGISTRATION</i></b>	
First Name	Last Name
First Name you would like on Badge	
Street Address	
City, State, Zip Code	
Phone Number (     )	Cell Phone Number (     )
Email	
Please Circle: Attendee is an adult / Minor (18 years or younger)	
Level of Expertise: Beginner - Intermediate – Advanced	
<b>In case of an emergency, please provide us with this contact information. Thank you.</b>	
Emergency contact's Name:	
Phone Number (     )	Relationship:

<b><i>PAYMENT</i></b>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Enter the Amount</i>
<b>WORKSHOP</b>	\$ 100		
<b>Donations Thank you!</b> 😊	Donations accepted-----→		
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT</b>	<b>PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT---</b> →		