



MEDIA ADVISORY: FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**MIAMI LIGHTHOUSE FOR THE BLIND INVITES PUBLIC
TO 2017 SUMMER MUSIC SHOWCASE**

Miami, FL — Miami Lighthouse for the Blind is proud to announce its 2017 Summer Music Showcase performed by students in their Summer Music Camp Program. Throughout the summer, Miami Lighthouse’s student musicians have been working with Miami Lighthouse instructors to learn skills that are used every day by professionals in the music industry. These skills include arranging, performing, producing, and writing original music.

To celebrate their progress and to share what the music camp students have achieved, Miami Lighthouse will host a concert on Thursday, July 20th at the Wynwood Yard, a vibrant outdoor setting in the Wynwood Arts District. The performance will be from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m. and consist of various cover songs by artists, such as Sting and Imagine Dragons. Original compositions written by Miami Lighthouse students during summer camp will also be featured. After the student’s performance, teenagers and adults in the world-class Miami Lighthouse Band will perform from 1 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

The Miami Lighthouse Music Program provides innovative year-round music education targeting sighted and visually impaired young adults utilizing music appreciation, instruction and exploration as tools to foster work readiness skills and enhance self-efficacy and positive peer relations. It paves the way for students to enter mainstream careers in the music field and provides the opportunity for blind musicians to learn how to work and perform in a sighted world.

Please join Miami Lighthouse in supporting young, local talent and have lunch at the Wynwood Yard next Thursday.

Media is invited to arrive at 12:00 p.m.

WHEN: Thursday, July 20th from 12:00 p.m. – 1:30p.m.

**WHERE: Wynwood Yard
56 NW 29th Street
Miami, FL 33127**

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