



# THE RHYTHM TEAM

## CONNECTING MUSIC AND CHARACTER

Drummers Jay Boehmer and Charlie Cooley present a unique, dynamic and exciting presentation featuring two drumsets and other percussion instruments. These veteran musicians will perform engaging drumset duets that incorporate and demonstrate the character traits Cooperation and Responsibility.

Charlie and Jay will also facilitate a discussion that asks the questions “What is rhythm?” and “Where is rhythm?” The program includes audience participation with an emphasis on teamwork. We will pique the interest of all your students as our presentation appeals to a variety of learning styles.

## MEET THE TEAM

### JAY BOEHMER

A drummer, composer, and bandleader, Jay has been a part of the Toronto music scene since 1990. He released two albums with his *Jay Boehmer Jazz* quartet, and their music has been featured on CBC national radio and television. Jay has appeared in over 40 different theatre productions across Ontario and continues to perform for various clubs and private events.

[www.jayboehmerjazz.com](http://www.jayboehmerjazz.com)

### CHARLIE COOLEY

One of Canada’s most in-demand drummers, Charlie has performed and recorded with artists such as Leonard Cohen, the Guess Who, and the Blues Brothers. Charlie has been the in-house drummer for some of Canada’s biggest awards shows, and is currently a member of the Juno Award winning world-beat jazz ensemble *Manteca*.

[www.charliecooley.com](http://www.charliecooley.com)

## GET IN TOUCH

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## PROGRAM INFO



### GRADES

1 to 8



### DURATION OF PERFORMANCE

Two 40 minute performances in a 3 hour period



### AUDIENCE

Up to 200 Students



### PRICE

\$550



### TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

P.A. System, microphone with stand, enthusiastic students

## RHYTHM QUOTES

“The Rhythm Team’s presentation for my class was both wonderful and educational... Every student was involved and engaged.”

**Aleksandra Basa, Teacher, Janet I. McDougald P.S.**

“Jay and Charlie were enthusiastic and involved student participation.

Their performance was entertaining for all our students... It was enjoyed by all.”

**Jeannie Ueno, Music Teacher, Floradale P.S.**