# Harp Column

# magazine













practical news for practical harpists since 1993

2024 media kit

### quick facts

Print readership

2,500

Monthly online users

15,000

Monthly online page views

50,000

Instagram

9,800

Facebook

6,500

### contact

QUESTIONS: info@harpcolumn.com

RESERVE: harpcolumn.com/reserve-advertising/







### about

Founded in 1993, Harp Column is the only independent publication within the harp community to focus solely on news and current events of interest to harpists throughout the world. We interview today's leading players, provide informative articles for students and professionals, review music, CDs, and other products, and provide immediate online access to harp news like audition and competition results. Our online community at harpcolumn.com includes forums, event listings, teacher directories, classified ads, and more.

### in print

Harp Column is distributed bimonthly (6 times per year) to over 2,000 harpists around the world; customers residing outside the U.S.can opt for a digital version of the print edition in its original format. Both print and digital subscribers have access to a complete archive of PDF back issues in their original format.

### online

Harpcolumn.com receives an average of 16,000 visits and 60,000 page views per month by 15,000 unique visitors around the world. Visitors come to harpcolumn.com for news and articles, along with user forums, event listings, teacher directories, classified ads, and more.







# 2024 print ad deadlines

issue	reserve by	materials due
Jan/Feb 2024	10/31/23	11/14/23
Mar/Apr 2024	1/2/24	1/15/24
May/June 2024	3/4/24	3/18/24
July/Aug 2024	5/6/24	5/20/24
Sept/Oct 2024	7/1/24	7/15/24
Nov/Dec 2024	9/3/24	9/16/24
Jan/Feb 2025	11/4/24	11/18/24

We try as hard as we possibly can to squeeze in late requests up until the moment we go to print. Email us at info@harpcolumn.com to inquire about placing your ad after the posted deadline.

## print ad specs

size	dimensions (inches)
full page*	9.5 (w) x 11.375 (h)
2/3 page	4.625 (w) x 9.375 (h)
1/2 page horizontal	8.0 (w) x 4.5 (h)
1/2 page vertical	5.25 (w) x 7.25 (h)
1/3 page horizontal	5.25 (w) x 4.5 (h)
1/3 page vertical	2.5 (w) x 9.375 (h)
1/6 page	2.5 (w) x 4.5 (h)

<sup>\*</sup>Note: trim size is  $9.0 \times 10.875$ . Full page dimensions include a 1/4 inch bleed margin so that your ad can bleed to the edge of the page. All text and important images must fall inside the safe zone of  $8.5 \times 10.375$  to avoid being cut off by slight variances in the trim.



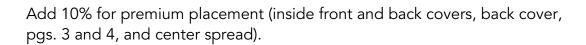






## 2024 print ad rates

size	color black &	
full page*	\$1,574	\$1074
2/3 page	\$1,224	\$699
1/2 page	\$874	\$524
1/3 page	\$699	\$399
1/6 page	\$434	\$259



### package discounts

#### Full timer

Run your print ad in every issue of Harp Column for a full year to receive 15% off the print ad rates, along with a discount for online advertising. Add a second print ad in the same issue at 20% off; add a third print ad in the same issue for 25% off.

#### Half timer

Run your print ad in any three issues of Harp Column within a year to receive 10% off the print ad rates, along with a discount for online advertising. Add a second print ad in the same issue at 10% off. Ads must be reserved together to qualify for bulk discount. Print ads must be minimum of 1/3 pg. to qualify for online discount.

### Camp and College Print/Online package

Run your camp or college program print ad in any two or more issues per academic year and receive a complimentary online ad in our dedicated camp and college directory sidebar for the rest of the academic year. Also receive discounted pricing on all harpcolumn.com main page advertising for the remainder of the academic year. (Print ads must be 1/3 pg. or larger to qualify.)









### Layout examples



#### full pg.

Note: trim size is  $9.0 \times 10.875$ . Full page dimensions of 9.5 (w) x11.375 (h) include a 1/4 inch bleed margin so that your ad can bleed to the edge of the page. All text and important images must fall inside the safe zone of 8.5 x 10.375 to avoid being cut off by slight variances in the trim.



#### 2/3 pg.



#### 1/2 pg vertical



#### 1/2 pg horizontal



Pacific Atlantic Harps







1/3 pg. horizontal

1/6 pg.

### online options

Harp Column offers three online banner advertising options at harpcolumn.com. Online ads are billed per month, or any portion thereof. Send us your jpg, or png image and we will display it as soon as possible, usually within 24 hours. Ads can be color or black and white, and should have a resolution of 72 dpi.



### online ad specs and rates

size	dimensions (pix)	monthly rate	discount rate*
Top banner	720 (w) x 90 (h)	\$549	\$329
	Top Banner ads appear across the top of every page on harpcolumn.com on a random rotational basis.		
Sidebar	300 (w) x 250 (h)	\$329	\$199
	Sidebar ads appear in the right-hand sidebar of news, forum, and event pages on harpcolumn.com on a random rotational basis. Sidebar ads do not appear on magazine and listing pages.		
Camp/College directory sidebar	300 (w) x 250 (h)	complimentary wit Camp/College prir	•

Complimentary Camp/College directory sidebar ads appear only on the Camp/College directory pages at harpcolumn.com on a random rotational basis. This space is only available as part of our Camp and College Print/Online package.

\*The discount rate for online advetising is available with the purchase of two or more print ads in one year. See print rates for details.

### top banner







### important info

#### Print ad materials

Send your ad to us in PDF format with embedded fonts and images. Photos must have a resolution of 300 dpi. We cannot accept ads created in a word-processing program such as Microsoft Word, Microsoft Publisher or Pages for Mac. Please convert your ad to a high resolution PDF file before sending it.

#### Deadlines and recurring ads

If you would like to advertise in a print issue of Harp Column, notify us by the space reservation deadline for that issue and we will hold the space for you. We must receive your ad materials by the materials deadline. If you are an ongoing Full-timer or Half-timer advertiser, we will re-run your most recent ad unless you tell us otherwise.

We try as hard as we possibly can to honor requests for last minute insertions and changes to ads right up until the day we go to print; however, we cannot guarantee any changes or insertions after the materials deadline.

#### Free classified ads

We are pleased to offer unlimited free classified ads to our display advertising customers. Simply log into your advertising account at harpcolumn.com and visit <a href="https://harpcolumn.com/submit-a-classified-ad/">harpcolumn.com/submit-a-classified-ad/</a> to place your ads. Contact us for help in setting up or logging into your account.

#### Contact

Direct all questions about ad reservations and billing to info@harpcolum.com

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