

THE RENSSELAER COUNTY SCHOOL
MUSIC ASSOCIATION

PROUDLY PRESENTS



Maple Hill Jr./Sr. High School Auditorium
Schodack Central School District
Saturday, November 5, 2022 – 1:30pm

PROGRAM

I. GREETINGS Jason Breh, *Principal*
Maple Hill Jr./Sr. High School

Christopher Siegenthaler, *President*
Rensselaer County School Music Association

II. JAZZ ENSEMBLE Joe North, *Conductor*
Kyle Chamberlin and Mike McGough, *Managers*

Groovin Hard Don Menza/Arr. Barduhn

A Child Is Born Jones/Arr. Jennings

Sway (Quien Sera) Ruiz/Gimbel/Arr. Taylor

Us Thad Jones/Arr. Carubia

III. ELEMENTARY CHORUS Dr. Michael Lister, *Conductor*

Kristen Williams, *Accompanist*

Leslie Eliashuk & Sara Feltes, *Managers*

Be Joyful Lully/Liebergen

Down By the Riverside Brad Printz

The Journey Joseph Martin

Galop Ken Berg

IV. SENIOR CHORUS Dr. Michael Levi, *Conductor*

Maria Braun, *Accompanist*

Rachel Apunte and Andrew Sudduth, *Managers*

Nelly Bly Stephen Foster, Arr. Jack Halloran

Three Madrigals Emma Lou Diemer

I. "O Mistress mine, where are you roaming?"

II. "Take, O take those lips away"

III. "Sigh no more, ladies, sigh no more!"

Lullabye (Goodnight, My Angel) Billy Joel/Arr. Phillip Lawson

V. JUNIOR BAND Kevin Champagne, *Conductor*

Christopher Rowlands, *Manager*

Celebration Tribalesque Randall Standridge

The Great Locomotive Chase Robert W. Smith

Themes from Jurassic Park John Williams/Arr. Michael Sweeney

JAZZ ENSEMBLE MEMBERS

ALTO 1

Tyler Munson BR

ALTO 2

Dylan Doeg T

TENOR 1

Ryan Richter AP

TENOR 2

Xavier Reed R

BARI

Mason Niedhammer L

TRUMPET 1

Patrick Murphy LSI

TRUMPET 2

Michael DiGiulio L

TRUMPET 3

Samuel Hart AP

TROMBONE 1

Sean Wagner BR

TROMBONE 2

Jessica Slingerland R

TROMBONE 3

Aiden Taylor R

DRUMSET/ PERCUSSION/VIBES

Shea Thorpe EG
Kaiden Goddard-Hathaway A

GUITAR

Helena Rodriguez R

PIANO

Raychelle Adadjo EG

BASS

Carlye Ana Boneau LSI



RENSELAER COUNTY MUSIC ASSOCIATION SCHOOL DISTRICTS

AP	Averill Park	L.....	Lansingburgh
BE	Berlin	R	Rensselaer
BR	Brunswick-Brittonkill	RCP.....	Robert C. Parker School
CH	Chatham (<i>Guest School</i>)	S.....	Schodack
EG.....	East Greenbush	SO.....	Susan Odell School
HF.....	Hoosick Falls	T	Troy
HV	Hoosic Valley	W	Wynantskill
LSI.....	La Salle		

ELEMENTARY CHORUS MEMBERS

SOPRANO

Eliana Banks AP
Mayla Bonner EG
Thomas Bornt HV
Isabella Brown L
Layla Bryan T
Owen Campanella BR
Kimberly Davies AP
Juliana Davis EG
Shea Eller AP
Emma Endelmann BR
Samantha Esslie AP
Na'Laya Faulkner T
Julianna Frierson T
Alaina Gardner BE
Eva Gibson L
Kadin Grassia-Hines HV
Nora Hains BR
Abigail Hallenbeck S
Emmeline Heer BR
Charlotte Hoffman BR
Tenaj Mellette T
Natalie Mormando EG
Jilian Morris T
Ja-Leianah Mosley T
Myrah A. Ochis-Lutringer L
Kamaria Onwe T
Avery Prendergast S
Priya Roopnarine RCP
Isaiah Rosario R
Claire Ross RCP
Hope Silvernell EG
Anastasia Snyder T
Ayana Mia Soto T
Kendall Turner EG
Kyleigh Wendeborn S
Sophia Zinna BE

ALTO

Brantley Adkinson L
Jalicia Beamon S
Brooke Belleville EG
Addison Brandenburg L
Adalyn Briggs HV
Lyra Chen-Onion RCP
Audrey Crewell EG
Declan Cronen T
Valentina DiScanio-Miano T
Eli Ehntholt BE
Dakari Garo' AP
Mikaili Gamble-Pratt T
Lexi Gibson L
Brooke Golding BR
Adeline Haskins BR
Grace Jackson T
Madison Johnson R
Travis Klein BR
Joseph Knapp L
Emma Kullman S
Isaac Lewis T
Anthony Lorini HV
Finnigan Maloney BR
Mallory Meissner BR
Ky Mani Moody L
Brave Morstad BE
Tristan Murphy EG
Kaima Parker T
Kiley Quetti BE
Lily Ann St. Denis T
Alexa Sano T
Scarlett Sawyer T
Micah Thiell AP
Frank Thierbecker S
Luke Turetsky BE
Tate Wallace EG
Ian Zehnder-Banks AP
Nia Zwana EG



SENIOR CHORUS MEMBERS

SOPRANO

Juliann Amuso BE
Hannah Beaudoin BR
Kaitlyn Bechand BR
Marie Borca-Tasciuc T
Emily Bradley AP
Eneri Clemente R
Emma Dugan S
Jillian Johnson HV
Cami Lamora T
Samantha Lyle HF
Aryanna Mahoney HF
Emoni Martinez T
Kiera Matala HV
Riley Millington L
Lillian Murphy HF
Phoebe Pershyn R
Skylar Quackenbush AP
Kiera Rasmussen HV
Makenzee Ritter HF
Chloe Rodriguez T
Ryanna Rose HF
Megan Rounds AP
Riley Smith BE
Cassidy Zimmermann S

ALTO

Riley Caiazza HV
Alicea Coon HF
Nicole D'Amico L
Codi Frier HF
Melody Gallerie AP
Scarlett Gearwar BR
Satya Groff T
Sophia Hart BE
Samantha Manning S
Katharine Marbot HV
Elisabeth McDonald T
Nora Miller T
Emmalena Murphy HF
Julia Neet BE
Olivia Person L
Jenna Peterson HV

ALTO *(continued)*

Mary Pilot HF
Kyla Rosen BR
Lyn Rosenberger S
Ariella Ryder R
Lilly Scarborough R
Peyton Taylor S
Sara (Spike) Watson T
Vivian Whelan BE
Anna Wicks AP
Natalie Withington T

TENOR

Jack Barcomb BR
Scott Burdick BR
Connor Dingman S
Kevin Garcia-Perez T
Aleck Isbester S
Andrew Kaulfuss BR
Jacob Maxon BE
Anthony Payne T
Daniel Rivera BE
Hunter White L

BASS

John Albarelli R
Garrett Collins BR
Christian DuCharme AP
Cole Jones BE
Nicholas Mosher BE
Isaiah Peppin T
Jacob Price BR
Dominique Prince L
Brett Pruso HV
Christian Rasmussen T
Sean Richardson R
Dominick Siciliano S
Landon Simon HV
Connor Sniger BE



JUNIOR BAND

FLUTE I

Abby Boniface S
Kylee Bristol R
Lily Chambers AP
Jasper Hoffman EG
Julia Mastromarchi HV
Hannah Reidy HV
Freya Seebald W
Kiersten Skaarup BR
Leandra Welch L

FLUTE II

Aidah DiPierro AP
Tyler Gibson S
Nicole Grenoble HF
Olivia Lefebvre HF
Olivia Lwin R
Danielle Marble L
Eli Merritt EG
Abbigale Salisbury HV
Norah Smerdon B

CLARINET I

Lena Blanchard S
Laila Cook R
Allison Hand S
Amelia Hein AP
Marcus Hutter BR

CLARINET II

Samanatha Carey AP
Evan Davis EG
Karatina Hastings HF
Alys Lowell L
Anna Grace Macica HV
Briana Pillow R

CLARINET III

Liam Casey W
Ahliciya Dempsey R
Kairi Graham EG
Gracie Hastings HF
Mayzee Peeters AP
Rachael Sung R

BASS CLARINET

Nevaeh Scoville T
Amelia Sweet AP
Charlie Young BE

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Devan Bull L
Dean Chevrier S
Morgan Dier AP
Lance Espino EG
Mason Haber S
Markell Popov BE

TENOR SAXOPHONE

Kiera Cronk L
Terry Kuebler HF
Emma O'Donnell S

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Jamari Flowers T

TRUMPET I

Katerina Christakis EG
Tyler Huls L
John Long T
Mia Sentz EG
Owen Valenchis EG
Johnny Wang W

TRUMPET II

Keegan Blakesley BR
Ryan Ecker EG
Tyler Mercado W
Hailey Pietrafesa AP
Valentina Popov BE
Halley Williams BR

HORN

Lillianna Demars AP
Milian Reinhorn AP
Claude Spanswick EG

EUPHONIUM

Roy Wajda AP

TROMBONE

Nate Goodermote BE
Owen Hains BR
Jordyn Slade-Davis R
John Wasula T
Tyten Wedig EG

TUBA

Fredrick Hamlin EG
Fletcher Lange BR
Will Reutzel S

PERCUSSION

Wyatt Hall HF
Ava Frazee L
Loren Mollenkopf R
Matt Pallone EG
Soham Shah EG
Patrick Stawowy AP
Aidan Toolan EG



NOTES ON CONDUCTORS

— JAZZ ENSEMBLE —

Joe North is a freelance tenor saxophonist in the Hudson Valley, performing in diverse ensembles from chamber ensembles to funk bands. North is also the Director of bands at Poughkeepsie High School as well as an adjunct teacher at Dutchess Community College. He has a bachelor's degree in Music Education from SUNY Fredonia and a masters degree in jazz studies from the University of the Arts in Philadelphia PA.

— ELEMENTARY CHORUS —

DR. MICHAEL LISTER received music degrees from Ball State University (Doctorate), Indiana University (Masters) and Mount Vernon Nazarene University (Bachelor of Arts). For six years, Dr. Lister was the Director of Choirs at Cuyahoga Valley Christian Academy, a private junior high and high school in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. He has also served on the faculty of Otterbein College in Westerville, Ohio, and Butler University in Indianapolis, Indiana. For 12 years, Dr. Lister has been a professor at the College of Saint Rose, where he conducted choral ensembles and taught courses in conducting, music education, and music theater. He currently teaches at The University at Albany, where he conducts the university choral ensembles and teaches courses in choral music and other topics.

Throughout his career, Dr. Lister has remained an active conductor, clinician, and performer. He has conducted several New York All County and Area All-State festivals, and his choirs have been featured in NYSSMA and New York ACDA conferences. Dr. Lister has also published several reviews in *The American Organist* and *The Choral Journal* and has presented at several regional and international conferences. Dr. Lister currently serves as the Music Director of First Presbyterian Church in Albany, New York, and the Interim Artistic Director of Saratoga Voices.

— SENIOR CHORUS —

DR. MICHAEL LEVI is Professor Emeritus of Music at the College of St. Rose in Albany, New York, where he directed the Chamber Choir, taught graduate and undergraduate courses in Music Theory, Music History and Jazz Studies and also supervised student teachers. He retired from the college in 2018. He had also taught in the Williamsville and Depew Public School Districts near Buffalo, New York. He holds a B.A. in Music Theory from Fredonia State College, and an M.A. in Composition and Ph.D. in Music Education from the University at Buffalo. He has served on the Artistic Faculty and Administrative Staff of the New York State Summer School of the Arts in Choral Studies.

Active as a guest conductor and clinician, Dr. Levi's compositions and arrangements have been published by: Alliance Music, CPP Belwin, E. C. Schirmer, E. Henry David, BriLee Music, Lawson-Gould and Northfield Press. In addition, Dr. Levi serves as a consultant to the College Board in the Advanced Placement program, conducting workshops and summer institutes for high school music teachers. He was co-editor of the publication, *Vertical Teams in the Arts: Music Theory*, and the author of *Working in the minor mode: melodic minor scales and melodic dictation in the College Board's Curriculum Module, Minor Matters: Developing Competence in*

Continued on page 8

Minor Mode Dictation. He has served the Advanced Placement program as a Reader, Table and Question Leader and member of the Test Development Committee.

Dr. Levi has been an active member of the New York State School Music Association. In addition to NYSSMA, he is also a member of the National Association for Music Education, American Choral Directors Association, and the Society for American Music.

— JUNIOR BAND —

KEVIN CHAMPAGNE retired in 2020 after thirty-two years of teaching Band at all levels in Lansingburgh. During that time he was President of the RCSMA for ten years. He continues to direct the Concert Band at the University at Albany, which he has done since 2003. Beside teaching, Mr. Champagne has composed dozens of pieces of music for his school bands and smaller ensembles, and is in the process of publishing many of those. He has also composed music for three short films which have been shown at various film festivals around the country. Mr. Champagne further keeps busy playing guitar in various ensembles in the area including The Real Four, the acoustic trio Bugnut, and the seven-piece jazz group The Olde Time Dance Band.

CODA

Special thanks to:

Schodack Central School District Music Department:

Adam Streeter - *Festival Chairperson*

Christina Gibney and Scott Hanrahan - *Music Staff*

Maple Hill Jr./Sr. High School Administration:

Jason Breh - *Principal*

Hillary Brochu - *Assistant Principal*

Jason Chevrier - *Schodack CSD Superintendent*

The Schodack CSD Board of Education for their continued support of our music program

Schodack CSD Custodial Staff

Schodack Music Parents Association

Rensselaer County School Music Association Officers

President - Christopher Siegenthaler BR

Vice-President - Kristina Koonz BR

Secretary - Mike McGough R

Treasurer - Melissa Zimmermann HF

Member-at-Large - Hannah Decker EG

Past-President - David Bresnahan EG

Visit us at www.rcsma.org