



Maryland Band Directors Band

Dr. Vincent Patterson, Conductor

Conductors' Concert

Thursday, February 25, 2016, 7:30 p.m.
Montgomery College Cultural Arts Center
7995 Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910

Procession of the Nobles

Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov/arr. Leidzen

Debbie Stahl
Music Together

Pie in the Face Polka

Henry Mancini/arr. Vinson

Michael Placanica, Clarinet Soloist
Ken Hammann
St. John's College High School

Amazing Grace

Frank Tichelli

Ray Chaney
Briggs Chaney Middle School

Molly on the Shore

Percy Grainger

Jamin Morden
Cresthaven, Westbrook, and Bethesda Elementary Schools

Capriol Suite

Peter Warlock

1. Basse-Danse 2. Pavane 3. Tordion 6. Mattachins
Charles Bowling
North Chevy Chase and Chevy Chase Elementary Schools

Loch Lomond

Frank Tichelli

Andrea Morris
Walter Johnson High School

Irish Washerwoman

Leroy Anderson

Adam Stephens
Seneca Valley High School

Pines of the Appian Way

Ottorino Respighi/arr. Duker

Timothy Patrie
Tilden Middle School



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(listed alphabetically)

Piccolo

Noreen Friedman
Julianne Martinelli

Flute

Rick Dalton
Julie Belle Huff
Jungsun Lim
Saul Moskowitz
Virginia Nanzetta
Carol Nelson
Erica Pifer
Shira Reeves
Robin Schultz
Vanessa Varela

Oboe

Beth Jubinski
Cedric Knox

English Horn

Beth Jubinski

E♭ Clarinet

Julie Berry

Clarinet

Charles Bowling
Chas Bowling
Ryan Chaney
Flo Hoffmann
Kristi Licare
David Mead
Beverly Mullen
Laura Pifer
Michael Placanica
Deb Stahl
Kimberly White

Alto Clarinet

Marcia Diehl

Bass Clarinet

Kirt Vener

Bassoon

Christina Cruz
Rob Putt

Alto Sax

Irvin Peterson
Susan Summers

Tenor Sax

Maggie Shorb

Baritone Sax

Adam Stephens

Trumpet/Cornet

McNeal Anderson
Dory' Ann Benjamin
Lisa Brooks
Ken Hammann
Benjamin Kepler
Andrea Morris
Timothy Patrie

Horn

Pam Foley
George Marshall
Jamin Morden
Morgan Moscati
David Phillips

Trombone

Raymond Chaney
Mark Lochbaum
Ashley Taylor

Euphonium

Christopher Poet

Tuba

Jeffrey Johns
Amy Larsen

String Bass

M. Scott Douglass

Percussion

Anne Burson
Peter Kielar
Daniella Krohn
Ken Krohn
Christina Oliver
Aldo Rivera
Erin Shupe

Keyboard

David Mead

Publicist

Kirt Vener



Charles Bowling is the instrumental music teacher at North Chevy Chase and Chevy Chase elementary schools where more than 70% of eligible students participate in the program. His Bachelor of Science in music education is from the University of Maryland where he was a member of the Symphonic Wind Ensemble and the Clarinet Choir, and he was drum major for the “Mighty Sound of Maryland” Marching Band. He continued his graduate studies at The University of the Arts and Villanova University. Mr. Bowling was given the 2007 Maryland Music Educators Association Outstanding Teacher Award. He co-conducts the Montgomery County Sixth Grade Honors Band and has served as the woodwind coach for the Montgomery County Junior Honors Band, conductor of the Montgomery County Sixth Grade Honors Orchestra, and conductor of the City of Falls Church Concert Band.

Ray Chaney is the instrumental music teacher at Briggs Chaney Middle School in Montgomery County. His Bachelor of Arts is from Shepherd University and his Master of Music is from the University of Maryland. Mr. Chaney is also a faculty member at the Summer Youth Music Camp at the University of Maryland. As such, he has taught composition, guitar, and history of popular music; has instructed low brass sectionals; and is the director of one of the camp bands. As an adjunct professor in the School of Music at the University of Maryland, Mr. Chaney works with undergraduate music education majors. Mr. Chaney is an active performer and has played trombone in numerous ensembles in the region.

Kenneth Hammann earned his degrees from Western Maryland College and Towson University. He is the Director of Bands and Performing Arts Department Chair at St. John’s College High School where the Performing Arts Department has more than tripled in size during his tenure. At St. John’s, Mr. Hammann directs the Symphonic Band, Percussion Ensembles, Swing Band, and the Competition Jazz Ensemble. He has led tours of the Wind Ensemble to festivals in the U.S. and Canada, and next month they will perform in Nassau, Bahamas. Mr. Hammann is the faculty advisor for the TRI-M Music Honor Society and he is also active as an adjudicator and guest conductor.

Jamin Morden, originally from Altoona, Pennsylvania, teaches band at three Montgomery County elementary schools: Cresthaven, Westbrook, and Bethesda. He graduated from Northwestern University with degrees in music education and horn performance and has completed the master's degree program at Yale University. Mr. Morden has performed with the Citymusic Chamber Orchestra in Cleveland, is principal horn with the Maryland Band Directors Band, and has subbed as such with the Washington Metropolitan Philharmonic. He also performs with, and writes arrangements for, the Washington Metropolitan Gamer Symphony Orchestra and teaches private students of all ages and playing levels.

Andrea Morris graduated from Rockville High School and earned her Bachelor of Music in education at the University of Wisconsin – Madison. Her principal instrument is the trumpet and she is delighted to be back in the area teaching nstrumental music at Walter Johnson High School in Bethesda.

Timothy Patrie is a graduate of Mt. Lebanon Senior High School and West Virginia University with majors in both music education and Spanish. For the last twelve years he has been the band and orchestra director at Tilden Middle School in Montgomery County. Mr. Patrie is excited and grateful for the opportunity to conduct and perform with the Maryland Band Directors Band. He currently resides in Hagerstown with his wife and two children.

Michael Placanica, clarinet soloist, is a senior at St. John's College High School. He has played the clarinet for nine years, studying privately with Dr. Brian Rozen. He plays first clarinet in the school's Wind Ensemble, Woodwind Ensemble, and Orchestra. Michael has been selected for both the Catholic University Honors Band and the Washington Archdiocesan Music Teachers Council Honors Band. He is editor of St. John's College High School's newspaper and editor and anchor of the school's morning news. He intends to study both music and mathematics in college, and he has several college acceptances already in hand.

Debbie Stahl earned her Bachelor of Science in music education from West Chester (PA) University and began teaching elementary vocal/general music in Maryland. During her college and early teaching years, she marched with the Harrisburg Westshoremens Drum and Bugle Corps as a mellophone player and eventually as drum major. She earned her master's degree in music with an emphasis in pedagogy from the University of Maryland. Ms. Stahl is now an early childhood music teacher with Music Together (<http://musictogether.com/>) where she helps parents, caregivers, and families experience the joys of music. She teaches private music lessons in Rockville and has been a member of the Maryland Band Directors Band since its first year, 2011-12.

Adam Stephens is a graduate of the University of Maryland in College Park. He is the instrumental music director at Seneca Valley High School in Germantown, where he is responsible for the Symphonic Band, Orchestra, Jazz Ensemble, Guitar Ensemble, Marching Band, and the Pit Orchestra, and where he sponsors the Tri-M Music Honor Society. While teaching at Montgomery Blair High School, Mr. Stephens was the recipient of the Marian Greenblatt Rising Star Teaching Award, in which he was commended for innovative teaching through world music. He frequently volunteers for various Maryland Music Education Association (MMEA) all-state groups, performs with the Tom Cunningham Orchestra, and is pursuing a master's degree at the Peabody Institute in Baltimore.

Next Concert

Thursday, May 12, 2016 7:30 PM
Parilla Performing Arts Center - Rockville
Featuring **Char Prescott**, Cello Soloist

Char Prescott has performed all over the United States and Canada, including several solo performances at the John F. Kennedy Center, with the Northwestern University Symphony Orchestra, the Reston Chamber Symphony, the Barry Studio Orchestra, and the West Potomac Sinfonietta. Ms. Prescott has been principal cellist of orchestras at the Tanglewood Music Center, Music Academy of the West, and the Manhattan School of Music.

She received her undergraduate education at Northwestern University with Hans Jensen in 2009 and her master's degree from Manhattan School of Music in 2011.