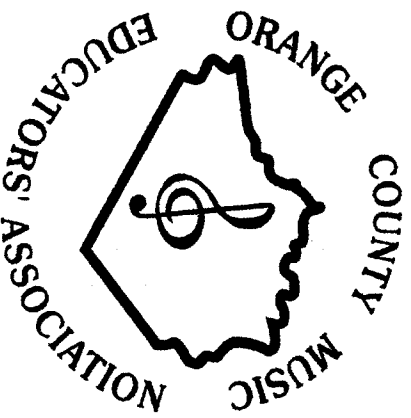


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**THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
ALL-COUNTY MUSIC FESTIVAL
2017**



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ORCHESTRA
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CHORUS
JONATHAN ELDRIDGE
ACCOMPANIST
ALLISON ECHEVARRIA

BAND
JOE MARTELLARO



Monroe-Woodbury High School
Central Valley, New York
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OCMEA Junior High School All-County Orchestra

CONCERT PROGRAM

GreetingMrs. Kristin Risedorph
 President, Orange County Music Educators' Association

ORCHESTRA

Espana Cani.....arr. Merle J. Isaac
 [Highland/Etling]
 Warrior Legacy.....Soon Hee Newbold
 [FJH]
 Music From The Lord of the Dance.....Roman Hardinan
 arr. Larry Moore
 [Hal Leonard]

CHORUS

Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal.....arr. Mark Hayes
 [Lorenz]
 O Nata LuxTom Porter
 [Heritage]
 I Dream a World.....Andre Thomas
 [Heritage]
 A Nightingale Sang in Berkeley Square.....arr. Alan Billingsley
 [Hal Leonard]
 If I Had My Ticket.....arr. Donald Moore
 [Alfred]

BAND

Voyage to the Edge of the World.....Larry Neeck
 [C L Barnhouse]
 On A Hymnsong of Philip Bliss.....David R. Holsinger
 [TRN]
 The Great Escape (Concert March)words arr. Robert W. Smith
 [Belwin Band]
 You Can't Stop the Beat.....arr. Ted Ricketts
 from *Hairspray* [Alfred Music]

Violin I

Abigail Aury, MW
 Mia Diaz, MW
 Emily Dorfman, WV
 Jadel Estiverne, G
 Matthew Flakowicz, MW
 Kapil Foster, G
 Paul Gagliano, WV
 Mark Lee, MW
 Rachel Mannheim, WV
 Aislinn Mohyla, WV
 Gracelynn Osei-Bosompem, M
 Stephanie Peng, MW
 Shania Qu, MW
 Alex Raposo, C
 Lauren Scarzafava, G
 Rachel Seo, G
 Michael Shapiro, MW
 Jennifer Song, MW
 Hannah Yeddu, G
 Lauren Yoon, MW

Violin II

Kayla Arone, MW
 Kendra Byrne, G
 Katie Crandall, G
 Katherine Dorfman, M
 Arun Foster, G
 Sage Galati, N
 Shabab Islam, N
 Varsha Jegan, MW
 Allison King, WV
 Brandon Latchman, N
 Jemima Llanos, M
 Kyla Payne, WV
 Kristian Pierre, M
 Sarah Post, WV
 Eleanor Pyke, WV
 Marisa Sikorsky, MW
 Jaelyn Staiano, MW
 Olivia Theokas, MW
 Karina Tong, MW
 Stanley Zhen, M

Viola

Matthew Bezdick, MW
 Annabel Boland, WV
 Emma Chertan, MW
 Livia Davidson, MW
 Sarah Gonzalez, MW
 Kristen Jepestol, MW
 Jay Jung, G
 Daniel Luo, MW
 Luke Milton, MW
 Lauren Morgante, MW
 Rahul Raja, MW
 Luke Rzeznik, WV
 Noah Sequeiros, MW
 Sunny Shi, M
 Virginia Valens, G
 Breanna VanSteenburgh, G
 Maria Viola, MW
 Daniel Winters, MW

Cello

Ashley Aronov, WV
 Kristen Carroll, MW
 Emily Dong, G
 Andrew Grunes, MW
 Meghan Jezik, MW
 Sarah Joseph, MW
 Olivia Link, WV

Carleigh Newman, MW
 Sean Parkinson, WV
 Julia Priebe, WV
 Benjamin Samberg, WV
 Caleb Sandler, C
 Arianna Saverino, M
 Annie Shih, G
 Aizia Smith, N
 Emily Wang, MW
 Lindsey Wilkinson, MW

Bass

Mackenzie Castleman, G
 Kaelyn Cinton, M
 Alexia Cole, MW
 Jacob Eisentraut, M
 Sean Scully, MW
 Jordan Subocz, MW
 Joshua Torres, MW
 Chris Yarrington, MW

Flute

Sarah Geisenhart, VC
 Rachel Kogan, MW
 Madison Mitchell, W

Piccorno

Madison Mitchell, W

Oboe

Michelle Pretsch, MW
 Jack Sullivan, W

Bassoon

Nya Sanchez, W

Clarinet

Joe Schatz, G
 Kevin Lindemann, M

Bass Clarinet

Jason Fromowitz, MW

French Horn

Jonathan Gagnon, C
 Sofia Bevaacqua, MW
 Ethan Hala, MW
 John Michinko, MW

Trumpet

Zachary Hommel, C
 Katherine Geiselhart, VC
 Joshua Riggs, PB

Trombone

Ryan Lerner, W
 Kathryn Gagnon, C
 Sam Wozniak, WP

Tuba

Colin Duffy, MW

Percussion

Kathryn Nicoll, MW
 Amanda Vasquez, W
 Joseph Papaciao, HF

Mallets

Marisa Vermette, W

Timpani

Erin Holton, Ch

OCMEA JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA CONDUCTOR



Cheryl J. Rogers is passionate about music and about sharing all the gifts that music has to offer. Recently retired from Oswego High School after 35 years in public education, Rogers spent a career encouraging, shaping and molding her students into skilled young musicians and performers. With a Bachelor of Music Education from Edinboro University in viola and a Masters of Science in Music Education

in voice from Duquesne University in Pittsburgh, Ms. Rogers studied viola with Dr. Clifford Cox and voice and the Alexander Technique with Dr. Pamela Lewis.

After starting her career in music in Wellsville, NY as the 4-12 string teacher for the district, Mrs. Rogers was invited to join the Oswego City School District in 1984 to design and implement a string program for the district to complement the already successful band and choral programs. This program now includes 4 string teachers and over 400 string students. She also immersed herself in all aspects of the district's and local music programs, including school musicals, teaching marching band, and drum and bugle corps. Mrs. Rogers has been a guest conductor for elementary and high school ensembles, is certified as a NYSSMA adjudicator and field band judge and front ensemble instructor for marching bands and drum and bugle corps. She travels across the country to run events for USBands, and traveled from 2011-2015 with The Cadets Drum and Bugle Corps from Allentown PA.

Mrs. Rogers is a member of Who's Who in American Teachers, was the recipient of the Golden Apple Award for Teaching Excellence and the NY Woman of Distinction in NY State Award from Senator Patty Ritchie. This past month she received the Amelia Earhart Woman of Achievement Award from Zonta International. She is a member of NYSSMA, NAFME, SAI, and a board member of the Port City Education Foundation and Plus One Performance Ensembles. She is also a tireless advocate for educating about the horror of puppy mills and has fostered over 50 pups directly from mills.

Not embracing retirement completely she recently served as the interim high school orchestra director in the Fulton City School District. Mrs. Rogers presently resides in Oswego, New York where she will continue with a private teaching studio and never failing to advocate for our public school music programs.

OCMEA Junior High School All-County Chorus

Soprano

Quinn Andrews, C
Laine Blatt, W
Daniella Brinones, M
Izira Burley, M
Carnille Cardona, MW
Sarah Castine, F
Julia Cestari, W
Lorelei Clark, PJ
Ashley Clemente, W
Danielle Diaz, MW
Claire Donnelly, MW
Riley Doyle, G
Molly Dubner, MV
Madison Figueroa, M

Madison Garcia, W
Keira Gioffre, MW
Ava Graziano, W
Jada Jannicelli, PB
Alyssa Kamara, MW
Loundy Martes, C
Gianna McGrath, M
Erin Miller, WV
Isabella Monaco, W
Julia Mosier, WV
Madeline Norkland, WV
Patricia Petrus, C
Christina Piazza, MW
Camille Prince, W

Elizabeth Rivera, MW
Gianna Roche, M
Ashley Santoro, MW
Penelope Sierra, MV
Lily Sirrcheb, W
Genesis Suero, MW
Alexandria Thurtle, G
Gillian Valdez, PB
Lia Weiser, PJ
Jihan Weisoff, G
Julia Wilkinson, MW
Aryanna WongSing, W
Carina Yorro, G

Alto

Elizabeth Baj, MW
Anyah Burns, M
Alexa Carbone, W
Megan Casey, MW
Brooke Castleman, G
Katherine Consalvo, W
Nicholas DeVita, MW
Jessica Ebner, MW
Laura Edwards, Ch
Emily Ezratty, MW
Renaeah Fedelicio, M
Asia Fields, W
Riley Grainger, MV
Dawn Grover, W
Jeremy Henry, PB

Blaise Hewlett, W
Nala Hodges, M
Brooke Hornbeck, PB
Hannah Horowitz, WV
Emma Katzman, MW
Emma Khorassani, MW
Caroline Kivlehan, MW
Isabella Lafyvette, MW
Jeremy Lanuti, MW
Allyah Leonty, W
Sean Mannion, MW
Jewelina Medina, PB
Cecilia Neary, WP
Hayley Neesen, MV
Andrea Neporanny, W

Evan Owens, WP
Leah Rios, Ch
Emily Romano, F
Sophia Romano, WV
Reann Saker, MW
Nicole Sarvis, PB
Isabella Scala-Palladino, PB
Elizabeth Seger, MV
Lindsay Tabakman, MW
Nicole Thorson, WV
Anna Uhl, C
Hannah Veely, MV
Charlotte Wall, W

Bartitone

Charlie Byrd, PB
Brendan Cahill, MV
Anthony Carraturo, MW
Benjamin Carter, C
Mark Concepcion, MW
Abigail Conklin, G
Fernando Corano, M
Tre Corrigan, WP
Oluwaseyi Fadaoro, M
Brandon Farrier, HF
Salvatore Ferraro, W
Ryan Fogler, MV
Justin Garay-Ramos, MW
Ethan Garcia, G
Jared Garcia, W
Kyle Gutierrez, WV

Myles Hall, MW
Keagan Halpin, PJ
Jordan Hogg, W
Spencer Hughes, PJ
Michael Hydos, C
Ronald Kelson, PB
Harrison Kulic, C
Brett Laderman, MW
Devin Lewis, VC
Darian Maldonado, W
Brendan Manzi, WV
Tristan Melville, PB
Daniel Mulligan, C
Owen Neubaer, MW
Tristan O'Regan, WV
Aidan O'Shea, N

Max Ossentjuk, W
Michael Pagano, MW
Marcos Penaherrera, W
Antonio Perez, N
Charlie Phelan, WV
Aidan Phelan, M
Hunter Prosperie, WP
Richard Quiles, MW
Colin Radigan, PJ
Geoff Rawnsley, MW
Luke Reid, C
Marcus Ruddock, W
Gregory Ruffin, M
Aidan Steng, WV
Nathaniel Storaska, VC
Joseph VandenBurg, F

**OCMEA JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
MIXED CHORUS CONDUCTOR**



Born and raised in Westborough, MA, **Jonathan Eldridge** has been a choral conductor, music theater, and theater director in the Belmont and Weston, MA Public School Systems for 13 years where his vocal ensembles are annually recognized for their excellence. He received his Bachelor of Music Degree in Education at the Crane School of Music in Potsdam, NY and his Master of Music in Education from

Gordon College in Wenham, MA under the tutelage of Dr. Kenneth Phillips (with whom he independently studied choral conducting and score study) and Dr. Sandra Donecki. While at Potsdam, he studied classical voice with Robert Loewen, James Denier, and Deborah Massel.

In 2011, he became a co-founder and the Executive Director of the Flyleaf Theater Company in Westborough and Berlin, MA – a non-profit/public charity educational theater organization focusing on small-cast plays and musicals that are not often presented on the stage. An award-winning musical director in the theater, Mr. Eldridge has been on stage, in the pit, or the director's chair for over 100 musicals since 2003. He is a sought-after vocal and trumpet soloist, choral/solo and theatrical adjudicator, vocal coach, music director, and accompanist. He has run an independent private vocal, brass instrument, guitar, and music theory studio since 2003 where his students are accepted annually into district, state, and regional honor choirs.

OCMEA Junior High School All-County Band

- Flute**
Aurora Meinsen, Ch
Haiden Masfield, WV
Violet Bachorik, G
Sarah Zahaykevich, MW
Rebecca Avla, MW
Katie Dullaghan, MV
Sara Higgins, G
Molly Stevenson, W
Natalie Scanton, MW
Jacqueline Evangelista, WP
Kathleen Coyle, MW
Katherine Paek, WV
- Piccolo**
Molly Stevenson, W
- Oboe**
Mary Calandra, GL
Anne Hagan, W
- Bassoon**
Lily Carpinone, VC
Griffin Bosco, MW
- Clarinet**
Emily Chin, W
Charlotte Peterson, W
Kara Kaste, W
Jason Pearson, MW
Shavonne Strelevitz, W
Ellie Hanson, WV
Madelaine Rios, W
Daniella Deckaj, PB
Jedin Truong, HF
Ekhine Avalos-Colin, Ch
Emily Henderson, WV
Samantha Frisbee, W
Allisson Gonzalez, M
Kayana Phillip, Ch
Alyssa Hill, HF
Allison English, MW
Tyler Leote, GL
Eric Perricelli, MW
Ashley Perez-Urrea, M
Johanna Wichmann, W
Aimee Cium, VC
- Bass Clarinet**
Alyssa Geschlecht, W
Alexandra Keith, PB
Molly Lewis, HF
- Alto Saxophone**
Isabel Doolley, G
Justus Crow, WP
Max Magill, MW
Aiden Woods, WV
- Tenor Saxophone**
Fiona Leither, MW
Aiden Staunton, G
- Baritone Saxophone**
Adeline Rajnert, MV
Cam Longo, VC
- Horn**
Mikkel Kohn, W
Olivia Brown, W
Julia Moreno, W
Haley Sullivan, PB
Robyn Jones, PB
Madelaine Cerone, PB
Hannah Sacco, W
Sarah Scheps, PJ
- Trumpet**
Celesta Blezzy, MV
Jacob Robb, G
Jason Stark, Ch
Thomas Geiselhart, VC
Jonathan Shaw, PB
Simon Uhl, C
Justin Ceiley, PB
Bridget Quiroga, MW
Jack Sargente, PJ
Johathan Weiss, PJ
Jacob Johnston, N
Daniel Ansa, MW
- Trombone**
Caitlyn Edgar, W
Alex Liu, MW
Oliver Terranova, PB
Andrew Pelcin, MW
Grace Wandering, MW
Zachary Jessup, G
Ariana Nobles, MW
Sara Mallory, MV
- Euphonium**
Josh Wozniak, WP
Emma Rudzinski, W
Jillian Landsman, VC
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AJ Buble, MV
- Tuba**
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Ellen Schoenberg, PB
- Timpani**
Joshua LeViseur, MW

OCMEA Junior High School Band Conductor



Joe Martellaro has been a music educator for 30 years. Currently, he conducts the SUNY Symphonic Band, having retired from Highland High School where he directed the concert band, wind ensemble, and jazz band. During his teaching career, he has been awarded Highland Central School District Outstanding Educator Award, the Excellence in Education award from Secretary of Education William

Bennett, and the Deans Award for Instructional Leadership and Excellence in Teaching from SUNY New Paltz.

As a performer, Joe has played trumpet with the 26th Army Band and the West Point Band, the Jimmy Sturr Band, the Doug Ferony Big Band, Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons, Don Cornell, and the Temptations. From 1987 to 1996, he was the Commander and Conductor of the 552nd Air Force Band at Stewart Air National Guard Base, Commander and Conductor of the 19th Army Band ('The Governor's Band') from 1996 to 2005, and is currently a Lt. Colonel at Joint Forces Headquarters in the New York Army National Guard. He was mobilized in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in 2005 and deployed to Iraq from 2007 to 2008. He has earned numerous awards for his service including the Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Army Good Conduct Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal, and Hurricane Sandy Humanitarian Award.

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