

Deer Creek Bands present
DCHS Spring Band Concert



Deer Creek Performing Arts / Activity Center

May 11, 2023 | 6:30 PM

Darby Cassaday, Director | Whitney Callen, Asst. Director | Greg Evraets, Asst. Director | Darren Heath, Asst. Director

Symphonic Band

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| Brian Balmages (b. 1975) | Synthesis: Fanfare & Celebration (2016)
<i>Nathan Talley, conducting</i> |
| Gustav Holst (1874–1934)
edited by Frederick Fennell | Second Suite in F for Military Band (1911)
I. March
II. Song Without Words: "I'll Love My Love"
III. Song of the Blacksmith
IV. Fantasia on the Dargason |
| Steve Reineke (b. 1970) | Heaven's Light (2004) |
| John Williams (b. 1932)
arranged by Paul Murtha | The Imperial March (1977)
<i>with the E4 Trombone Quartet</i> |

Wind Symphony

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| Katahj Copley (b. 1998) | AYO: Rhapsody for Band (2022) |
| Ludwig Göransson (b. 1984)
arranged by Paul Murtha | The Mandalorian (2020)
<i>Brock Engles, conducting</i> |
| Eric Cook (1916–1985)
arranged by Bertrand Moren | Bolivar (1954)
<i>Norah Hager, trombone soloist</i> |
| Ethan Do (b. 2003)
Deer Creek, Class of 2021 | Defying Augury (2023)
<i>E4 Trombone Quartet</i>
<i>world premiere</i> |
| Joseph T. Spaniola (b. 1963) | Crossroads for Trombone Solo & Wind
Ensemble (1998/2004)
<i>Paul Compton, trombone soloist</i> |
| Henry Fillmore (1881–1956)
edited by Frederick Fennell
& Daniel Epps | March, "Rolling Thunder" (1916)
<i>with Paul Compton, Jason Potts, Darby Cassaday, E4
Trombone Quartet, & DC Wind Symphony Trombones</i>
<i>Greg Evraets, conducting</i> |
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Symphonic Band

Greg Evraets, conductor

FLUTE

Emma Beke
Ella DeGreve
Abbey Dowding
Brendan White
Alexandria Hart
Pranav Ramamoorthy
Maddie Newport
Jesse Addo
Amelia Youkey
Jayla Van Ness
Dhana O'Mahoney Rios
Anita Chen
Kennedy Bufford

OBOE

Maerin Haselwood
Greyson Gebb

BASSOON

Madigan Haselwood
Jack Elliott

CLARINET

Tyler Afonien
Lily Dixon
Sam Frailey
Blake Haltman
Bree Haltman
Nyel Khan
Brady Persky
Ashlyn Dyvig
Eryn Featherstone
Sai Annan
Rory Fidler
Gabe Hajabolhasan
Austin Cooksey
Genesis Kiel

BASS CLARINET

Kori Blackwell
Crystal Le
Aiden Roop
Reed Tucker
Tatiana Hess

SAXOPHONE

Arjun Aggarwal
Andres Garcia

TRUMPET

Connor Huchteman
Emma Sweet
Preston Wilson
Mahum Khan
Zach White
Ethan Swift
Dana DeGarmo
Braden Verbrughe
Nathan Messenger
Kason Cook
Jackson Cowan
Cameron Burgess
Atalie Calise

HORN

Spencer Hager
Makalyn Hamilton
Noah Reiter
Colten Cosby
Colten Roberts

TROMBONE

Graham Harris
Charlie Fish
Ian Chang
Aiden Howell
Megan Dowding
Bella Merrell
Jenna Heppler
Juan Diaz
Cohen Bout
Ashton Galbraith
Beau Bockus
Cameron Tait
Ryan Estle
Riley McAnnelly

EUPHONIUM

Ethan Vess
Adam Martin
Kasey Olmstead
Maxton Ritter
Ryker Spears

TUBA

Kaleb Tenpenny
Joshua Jackson
Liam Willingham
Sebastian Moini
Alyssa Williams
Levi Brandon

PERCUSSION

Jacob Dunn
Gabi Long
Tyson Cargill
Caris Lowe
Callie Lindenau
Jackson Dunn
Eliana Griffin
Alayna McCaul
Laila Ritter
Claire Pistole
Avery Reiter
Jaycee Buckaloo
Cooper Hickman
Trey Slater

Wind Symphony

Darby Cassaday, conductor

PICCOLO

Michelle Shay

FLUTE

Jacob Rubin
Michelle Shay
Kami Hill
Kate Warren
Mira Burrell
Gracie Lux

OBOE

Chance Atchley
Bryson Baker

BASSOON

Sariah Britton
Riley Barrett
Carter Robbins

B♭ CLARINET

Abby Brock
Will Brinkman
Kadyn Lott
Emri Lindley
Ester Griffin
Asia Gunter
CJ Kersh
Kaitlyn Farnsley

BASS CLARINET

Leah Galloway
Jake Westrope
Alina Hemani

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Sophia Rose Blake
Hannah LaVene

TENOR SAXOPHONE

Abigail Coffron

BARI SAXOPHONE

Zane Fidler

TRUMPET

Kamren Oldham
Ally Turner
Quinn Danels
Emma Gipperich
Skylar Vess
Devin Ulmer
Kane West
Austin Rowell

HORN

Zoe McDowell
Adelyn White
Luke Wilson
Finn McCall

TROMBONE

Norah Hager
Lindsey Fagan
Jack Slayton
Brady Hendrix
Sam Lewis

BASS TROMBONE

Lendy Podschun

EUPHONIUM

Mason Kearnes
Carter Johansen
Ben Elliott

TUBA

Brendan Ramirez
Maha Khan
Owen McCall

PERCUSSION

Celina Liu
Jackson Young
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Katie Hill
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Stephen Frailey
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Guest Artists

About Norah Hager...

Norah Hager is a trombonist and a senior at Deer Creek. She has been in the OkMEA All-State Wind Symphony for two years and is a six year member of the CODA All-Region Honor Band. Throughout high school, Norah has received numerous superior ratings at solo competitions and has performed in the Oklahoma Youth Orchestra. In 2022, Norah was a finalist in the OKC Philharmonic Young Artist Competition. In 2023, she won first place in the Brass Division of the Ladies Music Club competition. Next year, Norah will attend the University of Tulsa with a double major in biology and music.



About Paul Compton...



OSU Greenwood School of Music Associate Professor of Trombone, Paul Compton, joined the faculty in 2003. Paul is an artist for Edwards Trombones and Griego Mouthpieces, and a faculty member for the Georgia Trombone Summit. Since 2012, Paul has been an artist for the Trombonanza Festival in Santa Fe, Argentina six times, and he was also an artist for the 2020 Tourbon Festival in Santiago, Chile. Paul has appeared as soloist with the United States Army Band "Pershing's Own", Santa Fe (Argentina) Symphony Orchestra, Santa Fe (Argentina) Municipal Band, Camerata Eleutheria Chamber Orchestra, Oklahoma State University Wind Ensemble, and Oklahoma State University Symphony Orchestra. Paul has premiered numerous compositions for trombone, including works by composers Joseph T. Spaniola, James Kazik, John Cheetham, and Michael Schneider. Paul is a recipient of the OSU Friends of Music Distinguished Music Professor Award, OSU Regents Distinguished Teaching Award, and the OSU College of Arts and Sciences Wise-Diggs-Berry Award for Teaching Excellence in the Arts.

Paul's students have earned over 80 top honors in state, regional, national and international competitions. Studio ensembles have won the prestigious International Trombone Association Emory Remington Trombone Ensemble Competition, International Trombone Association Trombone Quartet Competition, American Trombone Workshop National Trombone Quartet Competition, Courtois Trombone Quartet Competition, Downbeat Magazine Student Music Award for Best Classical Group, IWBC Ginger Turner Brass Ensemble Competition, and the International Trombone Association Kai Winding Jazz Trombone Ensemble Competition.

About Ethan Do...

Ethan is a sophomore trombone performance major at Oklahoma State University, where he studies trombone with Paul Compton and composition with Igor Karača. Ethan is a recipient of the prestigious Max A. Mitchell Endowed Scholarship for Music Excellence, one of the largest awards the OSU Greenwood School of Music offers. Ethan has played trombone in the OSU Wind Ensemble, Symphony Orchestra, Jazz Orchestra, and the various award-winning trombone ensembles in OSU Trombone Studio. In addition, Ethan plays in his own groups, quartet, combo and "Camerata Nouveau chamber quintet." Ethan is a graduate of Deer Creek High school in Edmond, OK, where he studied trombone with Colter Weatherholtz, Darby Cassaday, and Jason Potts.



Ethan is also an active composer, and has had 11 compositions premiered during his time at OSU. Ethan's recent composition *Plus One*, was premiered by the OSU Trombone Octet with international soloist, Peter Steiner, and was subsequently performed by Peter Steiner and the Washington Trombone Ensemble at the 2023 American Trombone Workshop. Other works have had premieres at the 2022 Trombonanza Festival in Argentina and in New York City as part of a chamber music residency through the NY Philharmonic Educational Partnership Program.

E4 Trombone Quartet
from
Oklahoma State University Trombone Studio

Tenor Trombones

Ethan Warren*
Jonathan Hanna
Ethan Do*

Bass Trombones

Dylan Halliday

** Deer Creek Alumni*

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UPCOMING EVENTS

5/21 - Graduation @State Fair Grounds

BAND SENIOR CLASS 2023

Bryson Baker
Abby Brock
Lucia Dawkins
Lindsey Fagan
Stephen Frailey
Leah Galloway
Emma Gipperich
Norah Hager
Gabe Hajabolhassan
Alina Hemani
Kami Hill
Lynnae Hoffman
Carter Johansen
Mason Kearnes
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Kadyn Lott
Riley McAnelly
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