



The Connecticut Music Educators Association

The Annual Southern Region High School Music Festival

Saturday, January 14th, 2023

1:00 P.M.

Jazz Ensemble- Treble Choir - Mixed Choir

3:30 P.M.

Concert Band - Symphony Orchestra

**Francis T. Maloney High School
Meriden, CT**

The CMEA Southern Region Treble Choir

Conducted by: Stephanie Tubiolo

Accompanist: Mark Focarile

You Can Fly
Music Down in my Soul
La Paloma
I Dream a World
Still I Rise

Brandon Williams
arr Moses Hogan
arr Cristian Grases
André Thomas
Rosephanye Powell

The CMEA Southern Region Jazz Ensemble

Conducted by: Zaccai Curtis

In a Mellow Tone
Stolen Moments
Central Park West
Alamode
Oop Bop-Sh'Bam

Duke Ellington, arr. Oliver Nelson
Oliver Nelson, arr. Mark Taylor
John Coltrane, arr. John Fedchock
Curtis Fuller, arr. Paul Murtha
Dizzy Gillespie

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Southern Region HS Festival Mixed Choir

Conducted by: Dr. Arianne Abela

Accompanist: Erika Schroth

Rise
Seeking Light
Mata Del Anima Sola
Afternoon On A Hill
Walk Out On The Water

Arianne Abela
Brandon Williams
Antonio Estévez
Colin Britt
Royal Canoe
arr. Geung Kroecker-Lee

The CMEA Southern Region Orchestra
Conducted by: Britney Alcine

"Sabre Dance" from *Gayane*
Symphony No. 2 in D Major
Georges (1745-1799)
Carmen Suite No. 2
 6. Marche des Contrebandiers
 7. Habañera
 9. Chanson du Toréador
 11. Danse Bohême

Aram Khachaturian (1903-1978)
Joseph Bologne, Chevalier de Saint-
arr. Britney Alcine
Georges Bizet (1838-1875)

The CMEA Southern Region Concert Band
Conducted by: Jason DeGroff

Abram's Pursuit
Greensleeves
Crush
March of the Belgian Paratroopers

David Holsinger
Traditional arr. Alfred Reed
Robert W. Smith
Pierre Leemans
arr. James Swearingen

TREBLE CHOIR

Conductor Stephanie Tubiolo is currently a doctoral candidate at Rutgers University, where she directs the University Choir and teaches



undergraduate conducting. She shares her time between New Brunswick, NJ and New Haven, CT, where she has worked with the Yale School of Music's Music in Schools Initiative since 2011, becoming its first Postgraduate Fellow in 2016. Since 2015, she has developed and directed Morse Chorale, a free choir for New Haven Public School students in

grades 2-12 which comprises young musicians from over 15 different schools. Most recently, Morse Chorale has been featured in performance with the Yale Glee Club and Camerata, the Princeton Glee Club, Tenebrae, and Kaleidoscope Vocal Ensemble, and has represented Yale and New Haven at several conferences: the Urban Music Leadership Conference, the Connecticut Music Educators Association All-State Conference, the eastern region conference of the American Choral Directors Association, and the statewide conference of Connecticut ACDA. Stephanie is eager to foster interdisciplinary artistic collaborations, to develop partnerships between higher education and public schools, and is especially passionate about building non-selective choral communities at all levels. She currently serves as Assistant Inclusivity Chair on the board of NJ-ACDA. Stephanie received her B.A. in Music from Yale College and her M.M. in Choral Conducting from the Yale School of Music and Institute of Sacred Music, where she sang with the Yale Schola Cantorum and co-directed the choir at the University Church.

MIXED CHOIR

Arianne Abela is Director of Choral Activities at Amherst College and is founder and artistic director of Kaleidoscope Vocal Ensemble,



renowned professional ensemble focused on early and new music with dedication to the intersection of racial, ethnic and gender diversity, and the intersection of arts and social justice. Kaleidoscope has performed as a headliner at ACDA, Podium in Canada, and other renowned festivals and conferences. She is a sought-after clinician in composition, conducting and DEIA initiatives.

In Detroit, Abela founded the Detroit Justice Choir and Detroit Women's Chorus, and has guest-conducted Detroit's OperaMODO and Vancouver-based opera company, Re:Naissance. In 2012, Abela was featured conducting on NBC's Today Show and was a semi-finalist in Season 8 of America's Got Talent as director of Connecticut-based 3 Penny Chorus and Orchestra. The ensemble later recorded for the soundtrack of Hollywood film Walk of Shame starring Elizabeth Banks.

Abela holds a doctorate from University of Michigan, masters Yale University, and bachelor of arts from Smith College.

JAZZ ENSEMBLE

After graduating from New England Conservatory in 2005, Zaccai Curtis moved to New York City where he performs regularly with artists such as:



Donald Harrison, Cindy Blackman Santana, Eddie Palmieri, Christian Scott, Ralph Peterson, T.K. Blue, Brian Lynch, Ray Vega, and Eric Person amongst others. Curtis composes and arranges for his own quartet, trio, Big-Band and more. In 2003, he was chosen as a winner of the ASCAP Young Jazz Composer's competition and each year

consecutively through 2006. Zaccai and his quartet were selected by the U.S. State Department to be in the American Music Abroad (Jazz Ambassadors) program two times in 2006. They performed in Bangladesh, Calcutta, Bangalore, Mumbai, Sri Lanka and Maldives. In 2007, Zaccai Curtis was awarded the 'Connecticut Commission on Culture and Tourism's Artist Fellowship' for 'original composition.' Zaccai currently performs his own music with his group 'Curtis Brothers Quartet' and recently released his new album, *Syzygy* (2017) after three successful releases; '*AGenesis*,' '*Blood Spirit Land Water Freedom*' and '*Completion of Proof*.' Zaccai, along with his brothers Luques, has developed a recording collective (Truth Revolution Recording Collective) of musicians that produce music on their own terms. He is proud to have been a producer for the GRAMMY nominated album (*Entre Colegas*, 2016) released on the label (Truth Revolution Records / TRR Collective). In recent years, Zaccai created the first ever music news app developed for a record label: 'TRRcollective' available on iTunes and Android. Zaccai is currently on faculty in the Jackie McLean Jazz Studies Division at the University of Hartford's Hartt School in West Hartford, Connecticut, as well as at the University of Rhode Island in South Kingstown, Rhode Island. He has also taught at Williams College in Williamstown, Massachusetts, Litchfield Jazz Camp, and conducted countless master classes and workshops around the world. Zaccai maintains a healthy private piano studio as well.

ORCHESTRA

Britney Alcine conducts the UMass Symphony Orchestra and assists in teaching the undergraduate conducting course and the UMass Marching Band.



Ms. Alcine is also the assistant conductor with the Eureka Ensemble in Cambridge, Massachusetts, where she creates programming for concerts, community outreach, and student classes with the Midori and Friends organization. Ms. Alcine earned the appointment of Conducting Apprentice with the New York Youth Symphony in 2015-2016 where she studied with conductor Joshua Gersen and premiered works for chamber orchestra in concert. Ms.

Alcine was recently awarded a full scholarship to attend the Eastman Leadership Academy in Rochester, NY this summer. She has also worked in collaboration with musicians and singers when she was the conductor for *Avatar, The Last Airbender: The Musical* in 2017. She continued her music directing efforts in her music education career as an elementary school music director of chorus and recorder ensemble from 2017-2019.

A native of New Jersey, Ms. Alcine has always lived a life involved with music. She grew up performing in many different ensembles and taking on any necessary roles. Although primarily a violist, Ms. Alcine considers herself a multi-instrumentalist and multi-faceted musician, having played not only the viola but instruments of the brass family, flute, percussion, and voice for ensembles that span from the pit orchestra to the marching band to the choir. Ms. Alcine holds a Bachelors of Music in Instrumental Music Education from Rutgers University.

CONCERT BAND

Jason L. DeGroff became the Director of Bands at the University of New Haven and Director of the Chargers Marching Band in the Spring of 2010,



right after the marching band's first fall season. He also directs the University's Concert Band and Jazz Band, both of which he started.

DeGroff holds both a Masters and Bachelors Degree in Music Education (trumpet/conducting) from the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Ma. While there, he was a five-year member of the Minuteman Marching Band, and later was the Graduate T.A. for George N. Parks and the Marching Band. DeGroff has worked at all levels in instrumental music; as an elementary and middle

school band director, an assistant high school band director, and a college marching band director. He revived the marching band at Central CT State University where he served as director for five years. DeGroff was the drill designer for the University of Massachusetts, Amherst, for over 20 years, where they were awarded the Sudler Trophy, an award given to the best college marching band in the country in 1998.

He was on the visual staff with the Cadets Drum and Bugle Corps from 2009-2015, where he was also a member for three years (1989-1991) of the 10-time World Champions. DeGroff was also a member of the Connecticut Hurricanes Drum and Bugle Corps for five years. Upon "aging out" he served as the visual caption head and wrote drill for the Boston Crusaders and the Crossmen Drum and Bugle Corps. DeGroff also has been the Show Coordinator for the Connecticut Hurricanes Drum and Bugle Corps.

Jason is a three-time nominee for a GRAMMY Award in Music Education, twice making it to the Quarter-Final round. DeGroff consults many area high school band programs and is the drill designer for many of them each year. He has been a guest conductor and clinician as well as a judge for many regional music festivals. He is a music arranger and composer, as well as full time dad to four wonderful children.

The 2023 CMEA Southern Region High School Jazz Ensemble

Adam Livingston	Jazz Alto Sax	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Caleb Nierenberg	Trumpet	Cooperative High School - Inter-District Magnet
Caleb Nierenberg	Jazz Trumpet	Cooperative High School - Inter-District Magnet
Carlos Flores	Jazz Tromb	Cooperative High School - Inter-District Magnet
Carter Bryan	Jazz Piano	Guilford High School
Cassandra Pringle	Alto Sax	Guilford High School
Cassandra Pringle	Jazz Alto Sax	Guilford High School
Cris Angel Rivera	Euphonium	Francis T. Maloney High School
Cris Angel Rivera	Jazz Tromb	Francis T. Maloney High School
Declan O'Rourke	Jazz Guitar	Amity Regional High School
Dieudonne Salike	Jazz Trumpet	Naugatuck High School
James Wyrzten	Jazz Tenor Sax	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Jeffery Thebeau	Jazz Drums	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Joesph Jacobs	Jazz Drums	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Joshua Bang	Trumpet	Pomperaug Regional High School
Joshua Bang	Jazz Trumpet	Pomperaug Regional High School
Levi Johnson	Jazz Tenor Sax	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Liam Melvin	Jazz Tromb	Guilford High School
Lucas Llovera	Trumpet	Hopkins School (HS)
Lucas Llovera	Jazz Trumpet	Hopkins School (HS)
Lyanna Baez	Jazz Bari Sax	Cooperative High School - Inter-District Magnet
Ruby DeGoursey	Jazz Bass Guitar	Guilford High School
	Jazz Bass	
Solomon Blount	Trombone	Guilford High School

The 2023 CMEA Southern Region Treble Choir

Abigail Harkins	Cheshire High School
Addison Evans	Pomperaug Regional High School
Addison Woodhouse	Guilford High School
Alaina Leete	Westbrook High School
Alex Starr	Waterbury Arts Magnet School (HS)
Amelia Ciarleglio	Portland High School
Angel DCosta	Ansonia High School
Angelina Robinson	Jonathan Law High School
Any Joseph	Guilford High School
Aubrey Schwanfelder	Guilford High School

Avary Gomez	Hopkins School (HS)
Candice Yang	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Cayden Ratineri	Old Saybrook High School
Chase Lenart	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Christine Waterman	Coginchaug Regional High School
Danielle Matist	Jonathan Law High School
Ella Brady	Old Saybrook High School
Ella Cawley	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Ella Paul	Cheshire High School
Emily Levin	Choate Rosemary Hall
Emily Vick	East Hampton High School
Emma Kaskel	Middletown High School
Emma Vaccino	Jonathan Law High School
Erin Morton	Joseph A. Foran High School
Eunice Ngunjiri	Portland High School
Faith Mayo	Jonathan Law High School
Finn Sclafani	Jonathan Law High School
Flynn Carney	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Frances Gustafson	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Grace Henderson	Waterbury Arts Magnet School (HS)
Grace Wan	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Gracie Percival	Southington High School
Ikeoluwatomiwa Opayemi	Jonathan Law High School
Jacqueline Hsiao	Hopkins School (HS)
Jasmine Ferguson	Valley Regional High School
Jenna LaBranche	Ansonia High School
Jenna Piechota	Oxford High School
Jiali Yang	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Kadance Kovacs	Jonathan Law High School
Kaelin Vasseur	Hopkins School (HS)
Kalli Kinsman	Jonathan Law High School
Kayla Kearns	Coginchaug Regional High School
Kilee Simon	Guilford High School
Kiley Sherman	Jonathan Law High School
Laila Vargas	Jonathan Law High School
Laina Goodison	Mercy High School
Lasya Pydipati	Jonathan Law High School
Laura Strick	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Lauren Peronace	Cheshire High School
Leia Rivera	Pomperaug Regional High School

Lexi Kochanowicz	Joseph A. Foran High School
Lillian Mendez	Jonathan Law High School
Lydia Ghaly	Cheshire High School
Madeline Morrissey	Valley Regional High School
Madeline Wines	Daniel Hand High School
Madison McDougall	Waterbury Arts Magnet School (HS)
Maggie Price	Jonathan Law High School
Marisa Laviano	Jonathan Law High School
Marley Malanczuk	Portland High School
Maryonna Rosario	Wilby High School
Maya Katsoyich	Cheshire High School
McQueen Farrah	Choate Rosemary Hall
Mia Iacona	Joseph A. Foran High School
Mila Volpe	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Miriam Levenson	Hamden High School
Molly McAteer	Southington High School
Monica Ghaly	Cheshire High School
Olivia Campo	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Rachler Chloe	Daniel Hand High School
Samantha Pach	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Sarah Kresser	Portland High School
Sarah Pierce	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Sereen Amazzane	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Serena Wong	Hopkins School (HS)
Shruti Simhadri	Jonathan Law High School
Sophia Butkus	Mercy High School
Sophia Ltaif	Pomperaug Regional High School
Sophia Reny	Coginchaug Regional High School
Sophia Teodosio	North Haven High School
Stephanie Parra	Francis T. Maloney High School
Sydney Liggett	Valley Regional High School
Vaani Chopra	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Vanessa Toyn	Guilford High School

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A.J. LaFata	Guilford High School
Abigail Grauer Kruger	Hopkins School (HS)
Addisen Buckheit	Coginchaug Regional High School
Addison Oakes	Guilford High School
Aislinn Aiken	North Branford High School
AJ Campo	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Aleia Goodison	Mercy High School
Alex Pu	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Alexa Calegari	Valley Regional High School
Aleysha Brawley	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Alijah Gopalakrishnan	Valley Regional High School
Anadaly Garcia	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Analiese Driscoll	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Andrew Xu	Cheshire High School
Angelina Emanuel	Wolcott High School
Annabel Beatty	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Ariana Eddinger	Coginchaug Regional High School
Aryanna Maldonado	Jonathan Law High School
Audrey Beausejour	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Ava Loughlin	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Ava McClatchie	Choate Rosemary Hall
Beckett Fuller	North Haven High School
Bethany Harris	Oxford High School
Brian Nguyen	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Caleb Geary	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Calvin Henderson	Francis T. Maloney High School
Carter Effrece	Wolcott High School
Casey Armstrong	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Charles Petrie	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Chloe Diaz	North Haven High School
Claire Cummin	Guilford High School
Cooper DeGirolomo	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Cooper Edwards	Valley Regional High School
Corban Henderson	Francis T. Maloney High School
Courtney Garneault	Southington High School
Damen Ridgeway	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Daniel Gargano	Xavier High School
Daniella Li	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)

David Blair	Hopkins School (HS)
Deborah Luo	Amity Regional High School
Devan Gopalakrishnan	Valley Regional High School
Deven Rivera	Jonathan Law High School
Donald Horton	Francis T. Maloney High School
Duane Smigel	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Eddie White	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Eli Green-Perez	Guilford High School
Elliot Evans	Guilford High School
Elliot Stack	Valley Regional High School
Emily Bonner	Westbrook High School
Emma O'Gorman	Oxford High School
Emma Reed	North Haven High School
Emma Sander	Pomperaug Regional High School
Eric Relucio	Jonathan Law High School
Eric Yang	Choate Rosemary Hall
Evan Guilmette	Portland High School
Evelyn Reach	Choate Rosemary Hall
Gabriela Kaletka	Oxford High School
Gabriella Espinosa	North Haven High School
Gabrielle Williams	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Gioia Biales	Middletown High School
Hannah Brunje	Oxford High School
Hever Gomez	Westbrook High School
Isaac Motes	Oxford High School
Isabel Schmelzer	Valley Regional High School
Isabell Portugal	Wilby High School
Isabella Abreu	Joseph A. Foran High School
J. Palarino	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Jack Fiorillo	Joseph A. Foran High School
Jack Fountain	Orville H. Platt High School
Jacob McGoey	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Jacob Rao	Hopkins School (HS)
Jacob Schonberger	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Jaheim Moaze	Waterbury Arts Magnet School (HS)
Janelix Tirado	Wilby High School
Jason Xie	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Jasper Chu	Jonathan Law High School
Jay Rao	Hopkins School (HS)
Jaysha Bryant	Wilby High School

Jiayue Sun	Amity Regional High School
Johan Shattuck	Choate Rosemary Hall
John Hryb	Southington High School
Joseph Izquierdo	Derby High School
Josh Ferreira	Hopkins School (HS)
Julian Bingham	Mark T. Sheehan High School
June Lanpher	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Justinian Ding	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Katelyn Barstrom	Pomperaug Regional High School
Kateri Sonski	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Katherine Voong	Cheshire High School
Kayla Nophsker	Guilford High School
Kevin Hudson	Francis T. Maloney High School
Kira O'Brien	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Kyler Kumi	Pomperaug Regional High School
Lan Liu	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Leonard Mao	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Lincoln Hanks	Portland High School
Lindsey Franco	Old Saybrook High School
Lisette Soto	Jonathan Law High School
Luke Wikstrom	Joseph A. Foran High School
Mae McDonnell	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Maeve Palma	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Mark Boudreau	Oxford High School
Maryn Yost	Portland High School
Matiya Kouassi	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Matt Segal	Hopkins School (HS)
Matthew Jauchler	Cheshire High School
Matthew Spector	Jonathan Law High School
Max Caplan	Orville H. Platt High School
Mia Simoncini	Mercy High School
Mia Yacono	North Branford High School
Michael Buckley	Hopkins School (HS)
Michael Russo	North Haven High School
Mireya Trelles	Waterbury Arts Magnet School (HS)
Monte Meng	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Morgan Oakes	Guilford High School
Mulanga Drysile	Valley Regional High School
Natalie Houlton	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Natalie Vargas	Wilby High School

Nicole Ortiz	North Haven High School
Noah Batista	Mark T. Sheehan High School
Olivia Salai	Joseph A. Foran High School
Olivia Tucker	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Oscar Lin	Joseph A. Foran High School
Payton Kasperzyk	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Perjah Delgado	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Peter Wang	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Pooja Badami	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Rebecca Scicchitano	Joseph A. Foran High School
Reilly Hungerford	Jonathan Law High School
Rhyza Reyes	Jonathan Law High School
Ronan Liu	Mark T. Sheehan High School
Sajag Timilsina	Mark T. Sheehan High School
Samuel Camargo	Naugatuck High School
Samuel Matt	Xavier High School
Sarah Bradley	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Sarah Gutierrez	Jonathan Law High School
Sarah Henderson	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Sasha Connolly	Portland High School
Shylee Emigh	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Sofia Campo	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Sofia Larrivee	Oxford High School
Sofie Green-Perez	Guilford High School
Sophia Voide	North Haven High School
Stephanie Charbonnier	Valley Regional High School
Tallulah Malz	Mercy High School
Tamika Dessalines	Waterbury Arts Magnet School (HS)
Tarin Degnan	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Tyler Sowers	Guilford High School
Tyson Glazier	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Valentina Askar	Choate Rosemary Hall
Will Schroth-Douma	Hopkins School (HS)
William Lipinski	North Haven High School

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Aidan Swan	Violin	Hamden High School
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Alicia Cheng	Violin	Hopkins School (HS)
Aliza Creel	Viola	Pomperaug Regional High School
Alyssa Rinaldi	Cello	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Andrew Yang	Violin	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Antoinette Lowy	Violin	Daniel Hand High School
Anyah Mahajan	Violin	Hopkins School (HS)
Ashley Johnson	Violin	East Hampton High School
Ashley Peng	Violin	Cheshire High School
Bella Li	Violin	Hopkins School (HS)
Benjamin Wang	Violin	Amity Regional High School
Brendan Kaduboski	Viola	Hopkins School (HS)
Christopher Bonavita	Violin	Daniel Hand High School
Christopher Haar	Viola	Guilford High School
Christopher Hwa	Cello	Hopkins School (HS)
Claire Liu	Violin	Choate Rosemary Hall
Clara Gahm	Bb Clarinet	Guilford High School
Cooper Michael	Trumpet	Lyman Hall High School
Danica Tangredi	Violin	Mark T. Sheehan High School
Daphne Chao	Flute	Hopkins School (HS)
Dayne Bolding	Cello	Daniel Hand High School
Dayne Bolding	Bass	Daniel Hand High School
Dylan Lai	Violin	Guilford High School
Edward Morris	Flute	Guilford High School
Eleanor Lee	Violin	Hopkins School (HS)
Eliana Weinzimer	Bassoon	Guilford High School
Elijah Jackson	Violin	Hamden High School
Elke Zigmont	Violin	Westover School (Middlebury)
Ella Esteve	Trombone	Guilford High School
Evan Stein	Oboe	Guilford High School
Francesca Debs	Viola	Hamden High School
Gavin Boudreau	Bb Clarinet	Choate Rosemary Hall
Geneva Zucconi	Violin	Daniel Hand High School
Grace Pekar	French Horn	East Hampton High School
Hannah Klein-Berger	Violin	Engineering - Science University Magnet School (HS)
Isabella Wu	Viola	Choate Rosemary Hall
Isabella Wu	Violin	Choate Rosemary Hall
Jack Tanner	Double Bass	Daniel Hand High School
Jade Lee	Cello	Amity Regional High School
Jaden Lee	Cello	Hopkins School (HS)
Jason Li	Viola	Guilford High School

Jennifer Li	Violin	Amity Regional High School
Jeremy Mao	Violin	Hopkins School (HS)
Jeremy Syzdek	Trombone	Cheshire High School
Jingheng Lu	Cello	Hopkins School (HS)
	Snare &	
Joseph Lahav	Accessories	Joseph A. Foran High School
Joshua Chen	Bb Clarinet	Guilford High School
Joyce Li	Flute	Daniel Hand High School
Joyce Liu	Violin	Choate Rosemary Hall
Justin Li	Violin	Daniel Hand High School
Kaho Hoshi	Violin	Choate Rosemary Hall
Katherine Mombo	Violin	Pomperaug Regional High School
Kyela McGuire	Cello	Old Saybrook High School
Kyle Chen	Trumpet	Guilford High School
Lauren Kee	Timpani	Choate Rosemary Hall
Lucas Abbott	French Horn	Cooperative High School - Inter-District Magnet
Madeline Antony	Oboe	Guilford High School
Maria Gregory	Cello	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Mars Cruz-Miranda	Tuba	West Haven High School
Max Jackson	Cello	Hamden High School
Melody Qian	Viola	Choate Rosemary Hall
Mia Gribbon	Bb Clarinet	Hamden High School
Monica Ehrenfels	Viola	Cheshire Academy
Nao Tomita	French Horn	Hopkins School (HS)
Octavio Balbarin	Cello	Wilbur Cross High School
Olivia Koumpouras	Viola	Guilford High School
Rajeev Roy	French Horn	Choate Rosemary Hall
Ryan Purviance	Double Bass	Joseph A. Foran High School
Sally Temuer	Violin	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Samantha Wang	Violin	Cheshire High School
Seorin Kim	Violin	Daniel Hand High School
Shen Wan	Violin	North Haven High School
Sissi Zhang	Violin	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Sophia Kim	Mallets	Choate Rosemary Hall
Teya Klein-Berger	Flute	Engineering - Science University Magnet School (HS)
Thomas Roberts	Cello	Pomperaug Regional High School
	Snare &	
Thomas Sang	Accessories	Hopkins School (HS)
Valentine Perdu-Ripault	Violin	Guilford High School
Vedant Aryan	Trombone	Hopkins School (HS)

William Riedel	Violin	Joseph A. Foran High School
Young In Kim	Cello	Wilbur Cross High School
Yugo Tatsuno	Violin	Hamden High School
Yulin Du	Cello	Cheshire High School
Yurika Ishibe	Violin	Guilford High School
Zander Bos	Violin	Xavier High School

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Abe Nguyen	Bb Clarinet	Hamden High School
Abigail Jones	Oboe	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Adam Fleischman	Bassoon	Choate Rosemary Hall
Adi Rish	Bass Clarinet	North Branford High School
Aidan Lyons	Tuba	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Alan Shapera	Alto Sax	Guilford High School
Alejandra Morales	Flute	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Alex Shadman	Alto Sax	North Branford High School
Alexa Kissner	Flute	North Haven High School
Amelia Shaw	Bb Clarinet Snare &	North Haven High School
Andrew Powell	Accessories	Wolcott High School
Angel Mendoza	Alto Sax	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Annika Liss	French Horn	Coginchaug Regional High School
Aria Ramnath	Flute	Choate Rosemary Hall
Aria Ramnath	Soprano	Choate Rosemary Hall
Ash Ortiz	Trumpet	West Haven High School
Avinaash		
Thillaikumaran	Trumpet	Pomperaug Regional High School
B. Stroop	Trumpet	Southington High School
Ben Del Franco	French Horn	Amity Regional High School
Blake Polaski	Trombone	Woodland Regional High School
Brent Wang	Bb Clarinet	Notre Dame High School (West Haven)
Caitlin Brennan	Flute	Hamden High School
Caleb McLean	Flute	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Caryn Kim	Flute	Hopkins School (HS)
Catherine Zhou	Flute	Guilford High School
Chloe McCoole	Alto Sax	Guilford High School
Christopher Rickard	Euphonium	Jonathan Law High School
Daniel Patricelli	French Horn	West Haven High School

David Grant-Eckhart	Trombone	Joseph A. Foran High School
Deria Deng	Bb Clarinet	Westover School (Middlebury)
Ellie Catalfo	Flute	Daniel Hand High School
Emma Ding	Bb Clarinet	Choate Rosemary Hall
Emma Wang	Flute	Choate Rosemary Hall
Emmy Rosario	French Horn	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Evan Cardona-Ramos	French Horn	Francis T. Maloney High School
Gabrielle White	Trumpet	Choate Rosemary Hall
George Wiley	Trombone	Guilford High School
Gianna Gassira	Flute	Sacred Heart Academy (Hamden)
Grace Yang	Bb Clarinet	Hamden Hall Country Day School (HS)
Grant Waehner	Trumpet	Guilford High School
Holden Biernat	Trombone	Orville H. Platt High School
Ian Lehman	Trombone	Daniel Hand High School
Iris Yan	Bb Clarinet	Amity Regional High School
Isaiah Cross	Flute	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Israel Ortiz	Bass Trombone	ACES Educational Center for the Arts
Jack Morrison	Trombone	Amity Regional High School
Jasmine Phung	Bb Clarinet	Joseph A. Foran High School
Jason Berry	Trombone	Middletown High School
Jason Cao	Flute	Choate Rosemary Hall
Jeffrey Ahn	Bb Clarinet	Hamden High School
John Diaz	Baritone Sax	West Haven High School
John Fuerstenberg	Tuba	Orville H. Platt High School
John Reach	Trumpet	Choate Rosemary Hall
John Reach	Bass Snare & Accessories	Choate Rosemary Hall
Julia Fielding	Timpani	Cheshire High School
Julia Fielding	Bb Clarinet	Cheshire High School
Kai Vardone	Euphonium	Portland High School
Kaitlin Dobkowski	Alto Sax	Joseph A. Foran High School
Kaitlin Hirsh	Alto Sax	Southington High School
Kristen Thebeau	Bass Clarinet	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Leah Jackson	Euphonium	Guilford High School
Leeha Reddy	Trumpet	Haddam-Killingworth High School
Leo Ehrenfels	Mallets	Cheshire Academy
Leonard Prue	Bb Clarinet	Joseph A. Foran High School
Lillian Gaetani	Tuba	Portland High School
Logan Prince	Tuba	Portland High School
Lucy Alletzhauser	Tuba	Daniel Hand High School

Manxi Han	Bb Clarinet	Wilbur Cross High School
Markee Kruczek	Piccolo	Guilford High School
Marlee Kruczek	Flute	Guilford High School
Mary Gahm	French Horn	Guilford High School
Matthew Rozzi	Tuba	Joseph A. Foran High School
Matthew Stair	French Horn	Southington High School
Michael Neiss	Trumpet	Guilford High School
Morgan Mettica	Bb Clarinet	Orville H. Platt High School
Mya Chrzanowski	French Horn	Francis T. Maloney High School
Najee Durrett	Trombone	Naugatuck High School
Nathaniel Greif	Bb Clarinet	Guilford High School
Nicholas Valentine	Trumpet	Daniel Hand High School
Nick Casserino	Trumpet	Xavier High School
Noah Held	Tenor Sax	Joseph A. Foran High School
Noah Held	Baritone Sax	Joseph A. Foran High School
Oliver Harrigan	Bb Clarinet	Jonathan Law High School
Patrick Butler	Trumpet	Joseph A. Foran High School
Risa Tobin	Trumpet	North Haven High School
Scarlett Tsahalidis	Tenor Sax	Middletown High School
	Snare &	
Sean Horton	Accessories	Cheshire High School
Sophia Zhang	Flute	Wilbur Cross High School
Suchita Srinivasan	Flute	Cheshire High School
Susan Asch	Trumpet	Hamden High School
Tai Moffat	Trumpet	North Haven High School
Taylor Rovetti	Flute	Mercy High School
Tevis Pixton	Alto Sax	Guilford High School
Tony Zhang	Alto Sax	Amity Regional High School
Tyler Klobukowski	Trumpet	Middletown High School
Tyler Tagliarini	Oboe	Hopkins School (HS)
Vishnu Palreddy	Flute	Choate Rosemary Hall
		Cooperative High School - Inter-District
Xavier Smith	Euphonium	Magnet
Yoyo Zhang	Flute	Choate Rosemary Hall
Zhiyuan Huang	Alto Sax	Cheshire High School
Zoe Fleischman	Bb Clarinet	Choate Rosemary Hall

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