

## HIGH SCHOOL HONOR BAND

Tuesday, April 9, 2019 6:00 p.m.

Sisam Arena, Charles S. Johnson Wellness Center Des Moines, Iowa

## Program to be selected from

An American Elegy Frank Ticheli

Amazing Grace Frank Ticheli

Crossroads Michael Oare

The Redwoods Rossano Galante

## ABOUT THE CONDUCTOR

JOHN P. LACOGNATA was appointed director of bands at the University of South Dakota in 2017. At USD, his responsibilities include conducting the Symphonic Band; teaching undergraduate conducting and applied trumpet; teaching graduate courses in conducting and wind repertoire; administering the USD Quad State Marching Band Competition, USD Honor Band Festival, USD Band and Orchestra Directors Institute and USD Summer Music Camp; as well as overseeing the entire band program.

Dr. LaCognata received his Bachelor of Science in Music Education degree from the University of Illinois (1986), Master of Music in Trumpet Performance degree from



Auburn University (1989) and PhD in Music Education with an emphasis in Wind Conducting from the University of Florida (2010) where he was awarded a Doctoral Teaching Fellowship.

Prior to his appointment at USD, Dr. LaCognata held a variety of teaching positions during his 31-year career as a music educator. At the collegiate level, he served on the faculties of the University of North Carolina Wilmington, Iowa State University, Louisiana State University and Southeastern Oklahoma State University. At the secondary level, he held positions at Winter Park High School (Winter Park, Florida), Cypress Creek High School (Orlando, Florida), Tavares High School (Tavares, Florida) and Hillcrest High School (Country Club Hills, Illinois). Dr. LaCognata has also been very involved in community bands, conducting the Wilmington New Horizons Concert Band (2010-2017), and co-founding and serving as the artistic director and conductor for the Wilmington Symphonic Winds, a regional professional-level wind ensemble (2014-2017).

Concert bands under Dr. LaCognata's direction have performed at the Bands of America National Concert Band Festival in Indianapolis, Indiana; the Florida Music Educators Association Conference in Tampa, Florida; the North Carolina Music Educators Conference in Winston-Salem, North Carolina; the South Dakota Bandmaster Association In-Service Conference in Brookings South Dakota; and most notably, the 60th Anniversary of the Midwest Clinic in Chicago, Illinois in 2006. Marching bands under his leadership have made appearances at the Autozone Liberty Bowl in Memphis, Tennessee; the Blue Cross Blue Shield Fiesta Bowl National Band Championship in Phoenix, Arizona; and the Sylvania Alamo Bowl in San Antonio, Texas.

Dr. LaCognata is an active conductor, adjudicator, clinician and performer. He has served as a guest conductor for bands and honor bands throughout the United States. His professional affiliations include the College Band Directors National Association, the National Association for Music Education, the International Trumpet Guild, the South Dakota Bandmasters Association and the South Dakota Music Education Association.

## **PARTICIPANTS**

#### **FLUTE**

Kamilla Brindley Earlham
Cassandra Brown Carroll
BrieAnn Byrd Mount Ayr

Tara Diephuis Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont
Justice Fenton Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont

Daniela Gama East (Des Moines)

Reagan Gibson Panorama Shekynah Haworth Panorama

Ryleigh Hayworth East (Des Moines)

Micah Henderson Carroll
Emily Huisinga Ballard
Abigail Lumley Boone

Grace Manternach Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont

Shayla McMaines Woodward-Granger

Bailey Miller Lenox
Bret Muhlbauer Carroll
Maria Stewart Ballard

Rocky Vizcarra East (Des Moines)

#### **BASSOON**

Cameron Kokjohn Boone Liana Sampson East

#### **B-FLAT CLARINET**

Kaley Adams Mount Ayr Audrey Cmelik Panorama

Emma Dales Grand View Christian
Ashton Daws Woodward-Granger

Devon England Lenox Jadyn Hessenius GMG Cassidy Hoehne Panorama Ilia Hostetter Colfax-Mingo Caitlin Hughes Van Meter Ruby Hummel Panorama Lindsey Jennett Mount Ayr Megan Kohn GMG

#### **B-FLAT CLARINET, CONTINUED**

Kaci Krier GMG

Gracie Lucas Mid-Prairie

Mica Meader Grand View Christian
Tyler Montague Woodward-Granger
Hunter Pifer Woodward-Granger

Emma Reed GMG

Taylor Shields Mount Ayr
Tanner Smith Colfax-Mingo

Ashlynn Snyder Carroll

Delaney Underwood Colfax-Mingo

Cassidy Weaver Lenox
Colby Wemer Van Meter

#### **BASS CLARINET**

Gracie Cook Lenox
Sam Doud Earlham

James Lippe City High School

Summer Miller Lenox
Natali Miller Mid-Prairie

#### **ALTO SAXOPHONE**

Ashley Behrendt Boone
Jordan Brown Panorama
Hannah Bush Carroll
Eva Fisk Earlham

McCall Kaine City High School
Mekena Little Van Meter
Ariana McKenney Lenox
Lauren Sol Panorama

Juliette Sosa-Valle Woodward-Granger Chelsey Temple Colfax-Mingo

Lucas Van Blaricon Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont
Delanee Van Zante Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont

#### TENOR SAXOPHONE

Kaylee Hohertz Earlham

Lizzie Linser Grand View Christian
Logan Onder East (Des Moines)
Rylie Walker Colfax-Mingo

#### **BARITONE SAXOPHONE**

Trenton Anderson Woodward-Granger

Kian Thompson Ballard

#### TRIIMPFT

Oscar Batten City High School
Sophia David Woodward-Granger
AJ Gibson Colfax-Mingo

Caleb Henderson Carroll

Marshall Hilfman City High School

Timothy Kepple Boone

Cameron Kolthoff Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont

Haley LeGrand Earlham
Grace McCartan Carroll
Abbey McConeghey Colfax-Mingo
Riley McCuddin Ballard
Emily McGregor Van Meter

Dominic Morris East (Des Moines) Ivan Ramirez Chavez East (Des Moines)

Lanie Sheil Mount Ayr
Devin Whipple Lenox

#### FRENCH HORN

Ehlana BrownEarlhamLogan ConleyBallardBethany KallioBallard

Moira McGovern Grand View Christian Lauralei Saunders Hoover (Des Moines)

#### TROMBONE

Connor Casto GMG
Carol Cooley Van Meter
Abigail Fantz Interstate 35
Xander Harmening Mount Ayr
Paige Hollenberg Boone
Andrew Kennan Lenox

Mackenzie Major Woodward-Granger

Cheyenne McDaniel Earlham
Frank Munson Ballard
Daniel Ramirez Lenox

Kaitlyn Smith Woodward-Granger

Rebecca Straw Mount Ayr
Trey Whipple Lenox

#### **EUPHONIUM**

Logan Paul Colfax-Mingo
Caryssa Vance Mid-Prairie
Xander Wallace East (Des Moines)

#### **TUBA**

Jadi Blades Ballard

Collin Burg Grand View Christian
Asher Little Woodward-Granger
Eduardo Marquez-Solis East (Des Moines)

#### STRING BASS

Anna Tipling Van Meter

#### **PERCUSSION**

Jenna Becker Earlham

Noah Boell Carroll

Vanessa Breedlove Carroll

Tyler Hepworth Van Meter

Sydni Hostetter Colfax-Mingo

Caleb Jones Woodward-Granger

Emma Runestad Boone

## A SPECIAL THANK YOU

## to the following schools and directors for participating

Ballard Derrick Hawks

Boone Christopher Truckenmiller

Carroll Jennifer Swope Citv Myron McReynolds Colfax-Mingo Michelle Grant Farlham Kelly Weber East (Des Moines) Joseph Thering Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont Joe Overton GMG Dan Lastovka Grace Peterson Grand View Christian Hoover (Des Moines) Rvan Rowlev Interstate 35 Sarah McEntee Lenox Tim McConnaughev Mid-Prairie David Kunz

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Mount Ayr Ansley Katz
Panorama Jim Bauch
Van Meter Kyle Pape
Woodward-Granger Bryan Willer

# Mark your calendar for our 2019-20 events!

## HONOR BANDS

**HIGH SCHOOL** 

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Tuesday, April 14, 2020

Tuesday, April 28, 2020

## **AUDITION CLINIC**

Sunday, September 15, 2019

8th grade 3 p.m. | High School 6 p.m.

CENTRAL IOWA FLUTE WORKSHOP Saturday, February 29, 2020

## ABOUT GRAND VIEW UNIVERSITY

Grand View University, founded in 1896, is a liberal arts institution located in Des Moines, Iowa. As the state capital with a population exceeding half a million, Des Moines offers GV students diverse cultural and entertainment attractions, as well as outstanding opportunities for internships, jobs and other educational experiences.

More than 1,800 students choose from 40 majors, including Music, Music Education and Church Music. For more than two decades, close to 100 percent of GV graduates have secured employment or entered graduate school within six months of graduation. Typically, more than 98% of our full-time day undergraduate students receive financial assistance, totaling more than \$36.5 million. Grand View offers 26 sports for men and women, as well as athletic scholarships. With more than 40 clubs, campus organizations and honors programs, students have many opportunities to get involved and learn to lead for life.

GV's online and evening undergraduate programs offer courses in an accelerated format to allow students to work full-time while they complete a degree, Grand View offers nine online undergraduate programs and four graduate programs: Master of Science in Athletic Training, Master of Education, Master of Science in Organizational Leadership and Master of Science in Sport Management.

#### MUSIC AT GRAND VIEW

Grand View's Music Department challenges students to take their love of music and continue to develop it more fully. From their first year, students can be involved in ensembles, take private lessons and challenge themselves all while being part of a close-knit community of musicians. Talented student musicians of all majors are welcome in our choral and instrumental ensembles.

Grand View faculty members take a sincere interest in their students' academic and musical success. Our department strives to help music students build a strong foundation in music in a collaborative environment, focusing on camaraderie over competition.

The Music Department is located in the Cowles Center. The location provides space for rehearsals, classroom teaching, studio teaching and practice rooms.

#### MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS

The Music Department offers scholarships in voice, piano, wind, string and percussion instruments for qualified students (by audition only). Scholarships are awarded in amounts up to \$4,000 and are renewable each year, provided the student continues in good standing in his or her music activities. Pro Musica Scholarships are available for music majors as well as non-majors.



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