Northern Festival of Bands
2018

Festival Percussion Ensemble
Concert Band
Symphony Band
Festival Solo Competition Winner
Wind Orchestra

Saturday, February 10, 2018, 2 p.m.
Great Hall, Gallagher Bluedorn Performing Arts Center
PROGRAM

Program order for each ensemble to be announced from the stage

Festival Percussion Ensemble
Ryan Frost and Matt Andrieni, directors

Concert Band
David McKee, conductor

Entr’Acte for Band .......................................................... James Sochinski
Looking at the Stars ...................................................... Travis Cross
Equilibrium ....................................................................... Michael Oare
Endless Rainbows ........................................................... Brian Balmages
Variations on Shenandoah ............................................... J. Scott McKenzie

Symphony Band
Jay N. Jacobs, conductor

Prelude, Siciliano, and Rondo ........................................ Malcolm Arnold
Albanian Dance ............................................................. Shelley Hanson
Ngoma za Kenya ............................................................. Paul Basler
His Honor ......................................................................... Henry Fillmore

Festival Solo Competition Winner
Serena Hou, collaborative pianist

Wind Orchestra
Peter Loel Boonshaft, conductor

Mt. Everest ......................................................................... Rossano Galante
Song for Lyndsey ............................................................. Andrew Boysen
Once More Unto the Breach ............................................... Stephen Melillo
Fanfare Hayabusa ............................................................. Satoshi Yagisawa
Guest Conductors

David McKee is in his thirty-second year at Virginia Tech, where he serves as director of The Marching Virginians. A native of Lynchburg, he received his B.M.E. from Shenandoah Conservatory of Music in 1976 and his M.A.Ed. from Virginia Tech in 1986.

Under his direction, The Marching Virginians have performed throughout the nation for football games, parades and other activities, sharing performances with bands from the University of Texas, Florida State University, and most recently with the Oklahoma State University Marching Band at the Camping World Bowl in Orlando, Florida. In addition to a demanding schedule of performances throughout the football season, The Marching Virginians are the model of Prosim serving the university community through twenty-one Hokies for the Hungry canned food drives, two collaborative hurricane relief trips to New Orleans with the YMCA Student Programs at Virginia Tech, and many performances and presentations for public school students in the region. In the spring of 2009, The Marching Virginians partnered with Community Housing Partners to build a home in honor of Ryan “Stack” Clark, a band member and victim of the 2007 campus shooting. Under McKee’s guidance, the Marching Virginians Alumni Association has developed into an exceptional source of networking and funding for the Marching Virginians, providing millions of dollars of support for the band. In the fall of 2015, Virginia Tech opened the Marching Virginians Center, a $4.75 million-dollar rehearsal and storage facility for the MVs. In the spring of 2016, the Virginia Tech Board of Visitors renamed the facility as the Sochinski-McKee Marching Virginians Center, in recognition of many years of service by James Sochinski and David McKee.

Jay N. Jacobs is Associate Professor of Music and Director of Bands at McNeese State University in Lake Charles, Louisiana. Joining the McNeese faculty in 2007, he directs the Cowboy Marching Band and Basketball Band, conducts the wind symphony and teaches courses in conducting. Dr. Jacobs holds the Bachelor of Music in Music Education degree from West Virginia University and earned the Master of Music in Conducting and Doctor of Philosophy in Music Education degrees from the University of Florida.

Dr. Jacobs has served as a clinician and adjudicator in West Virginia, Illinois, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, Louisiana and Texas, and as a presenter at several professional conferences. He has performed in or conducted ensembles internationally and has served as guest conductor with the Lake Charles Symphony Orchestra. He most recently received the McNeese President’s Award for Outstanding Mentorship and was selected as Faculty Member of the Year by the McNeese Student Government Association.

Called one of the most exciting and exhilarating voices in music education today, Peter Loel Boonshaft has been invited to speak or conduct in every state in the nation and around the world. Honored by the National Association for Music Education and Music For All as the first recipient of the “George M. Parks Award for Leadership in Music Education,” Dr. Boonshaft has recently been named Director of Education for Jupiter Band Instruments. Dr. Boonshaft is the author of the critically acclaimed best-selling books Teaching Music with Passion, Teaching Music with Purpose, and Teaching Music with Promise, as well as his first book for teachers of other disciplines, Teaching with Passion, Purpose and Promise. He is also co-author of Alfred Music Publishing’s new beginning method book series, Sound Innovations for Band and Sound Innovations for Strings, as well as Sound Innovations: Ensemble Development for Intermediate Concert Band and Sound Innovations: Ensemble Development for Advanced Concert Band. Currently on the faculty of Hofstra University in Hempstead, New York, where he is Professor of Music and Director of Bands, he has received official proclamations from the Governors of five states and a Certificate of Appreciation from former President Ronald Reagan, as well as performing for former President and Mrs. George H. W. Bush, former President Bill Clinton, and for Margaret Thatcher, former Prime Minister of the United Kingdom. He has been awarded membership in Pi Kappa Lambda and Alpha Chi, as well as twice receiving the University of Hartford Regent’s Award and that University’s Outstanding Music Educator Award. His honors also include being selected three times as a National Endowment for the Arts “Artist in Residence,” three times awarded Honorary Life Membership in the Tri-M Music Honor Society, receiving the Al G. Wright Award from the WBDI, and being selected for the Center for Scholarly Research and Academic Excellence at Hofstra University.

Extremely active as a guest conductor, clinician and speaker for conferences, festivals, concerts and workshops nationally and internationally, he has guest conducted the NAfME (The National Association for Music Education) National High School Honors Band, NAfME All-Eastern Band, NAfME All-Northwest Band, NAfME All-Eastern Directors Band, Goldman Memorial Band, U.S. Marine Corps Forces Pacific Band, U.S. Marine Band New Orleans, Western International Band Clinic, Prague Castle Guard/Czech Police Symphonic Band, U.S. Department of Defense Dependents Schools Europe Honors Music Festival Band, and the Association of Concert Bands National Conference Band. In addition, he has been an adjudicator and clinician for the Music For All/Bands of America National Concert Band Festival. He has served as a speaker for the Canadian Music Educators Association National Convention, NAfME National Conference, American Band College, Midwest International Band and Orchestra Clinic, Music For All/Bands and Orchestras of America Symposium, Samuel Barber Institute for Music Educators, Music Education Center of America, East Asia Regional Council of Schools in China, Singapore Ministry of Education Band Conference, KIPP National School Summit, NESA Council of Overseas Schools Conferences in Thailand and The Philippines, and as keynote speaker for the NAfME Northwest Division Conference, NAfME Southern Division Conference, European Music Educators Convention, National Convention of the American String Teachers Association, National Convention of the American School Band Directors Association, ACDA Western Division Conference, Maryborough Music Conference of Australia, National Conference of the Organization of American Kodály Educators, and numerous international, national, state and regional music education conferences.
**Concert Band**

**FLUTE**
Olivia Brcka  Clear Lake
Mariah Darling  New Hampton HS
Sarah Dean  Spencer High School
Aditya Desai  Pleasant Valley
Laura Harms  Forest City
Hannah Kuenzi  Kennedy High School
Jessica Kuenzi  New Hampton HS
Isabella Lopez  Oelwein High School
Ella Mortenson  Cedar Rapids Washington
Sarah Pedlar  Decorah
Brielle Belden  Oelwein High School
Brenna Valley  Hampton-Dumont
Madison Yauslin  Kennedy High School

**OBOE**
Kendra Husman  Cherokee Washington
Julia Parcher  Clear Lake
Allison Suen  Pleasant Valley

**CLARINET**
Rylie Bainbridge  Cherokee Washington
Jaelynn Blackcloud  Cedar Rapids Washington
Molly Dains  Clear Creek Amana HS
Jillian Enke  Clear Lake
Kamiah Evans  Waterloo West High School
Juliana Hovey  Cedar Rapids Washington
Emma Katzer  Spencer High School
Danielle Lundtveldt  Decorah
Allison Nolin  Spencer High School
Aviana Nolte  Hampton-Dumont
Elizabeth Pauly  Linn-Mar High School
Abijay Peet  Hudson
Kalie Petersen  Aplington-Parkersburg
Jaelyn Riherd  Linn-Mar High School
Kaitlin Shannon  Oelwein High School
Rebecca Stevens  Kennedy High School
Kaseidy Stremler  Davis County High School
Laura Tse  Clear Creek Amana HS
Shayler Van Gelder  Spencer High School
Emma Ware  Grinnell

**BASS CLARINET**
Aaron Deiber  South Hamilton

**ALTO CLARINET**
Sarah Gaul  Aplington-Parkersburg

**BASSOON**
Rachel Luschen  Clear Lake
Anna McNally  Waterloo West High School
Nic Ryan  Cedar Rapids Washington
Zach Self  Aplington-Parkersburg

**ALTO SAXOPHONE**
Jenna Anderson  Kennedy High School
Caroline Gehring  Albumett
Rhet Ham  Osage
Sarah Olson  Waverly-Shell Rock
Laela Ragsdale  Hampton-Dumont
Ryan Vrotsos  Dubuque Senior

**TENOR SAXOPHONE**
Conner Hicok  Vinton-Shellsburg High School
Mckenna Kirchoff  Independence

**BARITONE SAXOPHONE**
Ellie Brown  Hudson
Celina Feldhake  Waverly-Shell Rock
Nathan Lollar  Clear Lake
Carson Weichers  Aplington-Parkersburg

**TRUMPET**
Devin Alamsya  Forest City
Megan Bennett  Cedar Rapids Washington
Rebecca Christensen  Clear Lake
Mady Frame  Clear Creek Amana HS
Dennis Jackson  Audubon
Max Levandoski  Grinnell
Landon Miller  Decorah
Indica Mutchler  Cedar Rapids Washington
Joshua Lauck  Cherokee Washington
Clay Willadsen  South Hamilton

**HORN**
Samantha Frost  Oelwein High School
Brian Grimes  Dubuque Hempstead
Meg Sessions  Decorah
Jordyn Smith  Waterloo West
Zoey Steffensen  Forest City High School

**TROMBONE**
Fiona Bierstedt  Algona High School
Jesse Breuer  MFL MaMac
James Creel  Cherokee Washington
Nathaniel Eades  Kennedy High School
Olivia Gayther  Forest City
Alexandria Hedgecock  New London High School
Kaya Hugen  Decorah
Akash Paradies  Pleasant Valley
John Waskow  Albumett

**BASS TROMBONE**
Noah Johnson  Waterloo West High School

**EUPHONIUM**
Tara Kastendick  Grinnell
Max Koeller  MFL MaMac
Peter Wilson  Decorah

**TUBA**
Landon Frahm  Audubon
Dawson Mueggenberg  South Hamilton
Isaac Sand  Forest City

**PERCUSSION**
Courtney Aden  Cherokee Washington
Derek Anderson  Hinton
Nicholas Anderson  Waterloo West High School
Mackenzie Flatt  Winterset High School
Olivia Saraso Meyer  Forest City High School
Claire Quirk  New Hampton HS
Summer Sterrenberg  Lake Mills High School
## Symphony Band

**FLUTE**
- Marissa Bys  Cedar Rapids Washington
- Kelsi DeBrower  Cedar Rapids Washington
- Chloe Dugas  Forest City
- Mikayla Langhurst  Forest City
- Ally Larson  Lewis Central High School
- Kelsey Minor  Forest City
- Stephanie Nettleton  Davis County High School
- Rebekah Settles  Decorah
- Rachelle Sullivan  Kennedy High School
- Miranda Tendick  Clear Creek Amana HS
- Nicole Wichtart  South Hamilton
- Emily Willadsen  Clear Creek Amana HS

**OBEO**
- Keely Daman  Waterloo West High School
- Emma Schwarck  Spencer High School
- Abigail Toussaint  Decorah
- Keshav Wagle  Pleasant Valley

**CLARINET**
- Alexis Brown  New London High School
- Cassidy Carolan  Decorah
- Faith Christenson  Lake Mills High School
- Isabel de la Cruz Hexom  Decorah
- Ashely DeLong  Clear Lake
- Seth Gayther  Forest City
- Mya Hermann  Decorah
- Shreya Khurjekar  Pleasant Valley
- Autumn Kopp  Lake Mills High School
- Elyse Payne  South Hamilton
- Alexa Schiemme  Iowa Falls-Alden
- Ethan Staples  Waterloo West High School
- Kylie Weier  Algona High School
- Laura Westercamp  Davis County High School
- Emma Wilkerson  Spencer High School

**BASS CLARINET**
- Rosie Acevedo  South Tama County
- Carlie Frost  Waterloo West High School
- Hunter Hildebrand  Cherokee Washington
- Jadah Koob  Oelwein High School
- Grace Morris  Davis County High School

**BASSOON**
- Elizabeth Brandt  Clear Lake
- Ella Carlson  South Hamilton
- Olivia Cowart  Dubuque Senior
- Alexzondria Diveley  Vinton-Shellsburg High School
- Burke Wallace  Waverly-Shell Rock

**ALTO SAXOPHONE**
- Luis Aispuro  New Hampton HS
- Greta Henderson  Waverly-Shell Rock
- Ivy Horan  Oelwein High School
- Michael Horback  Winter set High School
- Maya Penning  South Hamilton
- Levi Rees  Spencer High School

**TENOR SAXOPHONE**
- Dane Edwards  Grinnell
- Thomas Pelelo  Dubuque Senior

**BARITONE SAXOPHONE**
- Seth Phillips  Osage
- Gracie Rotter  Columbus Community Schools

**TRUMPET**
- Maddie McClure  Davis County High School
- Matthew Quinn  Hinton
- Daniel Rebelsky  Grinnell

**HORN**
- Jaden Alamsya  Forest City
- Ian Brown  Linn-Mar High School
- Keely Driscoll  South Tama County
- Taylor Gish  Oelwein High School
- Rebecca Hommez  Algona High School
- Janie Mason  Clear Creek Amana HS
- Brock Ortner  Vinton-Shellsburg High School
- Brady Shanahan  Hinton
- Jordan Snider  Waterloo West High School
- Nathan Topping  Cedar Rapids Washington

**TROMBONE**
- David Boyce  Waterloo West High School
- Gillian Glesner  Kennedy High School
- Adam Gruman  Grinnell
- Brena Hamilton  Newman Catholic
- Solomon Han  Waterloo West High School
- Matt Marvin  Central DeWitt High School
- Jose Nino  Grinnell
- Gina Prosser  Pleasant Valley
- Isaac Ptacek  Kennedy High School
- Sam Stover  Waverly-Shell Rock
- Sam Wilson  Decorah

**EUPHONIUM**
- Jaden Anderson  Hinton
- Jamal Cheatham  Dubuque Senior
- Claire Daly  Waterloo West High School
- Mirijana Midoervich  Cedar Rapids Washington

**TUBA**
- Allyson Farley  New London High School
- Heden Perez  Des Moines North High School
- Gabe Sauta  Forest City
- Jake Vaner  Linn-Mar High School

**PERCUSSION**
- Drake Bang  Forest City
- Tucker Choppening  Independence
- Grace Daniels  Winterset High School
- Iman Dizdaric  Waterloo West High School
- Joe Jonasson  Cedar Rapids Washington
- Bekah Nau  Winterset High School
Wind Orchestra

FLUTE
Catherine Glackin  Spencer High School
Emily Habrik  Kennedy High School
Paige Justason  Independence
Teagan Prouse  Union High School
Elizabeth Smith  Waterloo West High
Claire Thomsen  Pleasant Valley

OBOE
Robert Clower  Grinnell
Alexis Doremus  Dubuque Senior
Tim Swanson  Clear Lake
Alexa Timmerman  Cherokee Washington

CLARINET
Maggie Coon  Waverly-Shell Rock
Alexis Green  Kennedy High School
Sam Hood  Algona High School
Sam Kelly  Linn-Mar High School
Molly Lappe  Independence
Brenna Morley  Pleasant Valley
Abbi Parcher  Clear Lake
Kaitlyn Ryan  Pleasant Valley
Jasmine Sanasinh  Forest City
Leah Simerson  Waterloo West High School

BASS CLARINET
Sam McGrath  Pleasant Valley
Elise Siebels  Kennedy High School

CONTRABASS CLARINET
Faith Oien  Independence High School
Anna Ridnour  Kennedy High School

BASSOON
Veronica Henderson  Pleasant Valley
Nancy Herschberger  Linn-Mar High School
Alisanne Struck  Cherokee Washington

ALTO SAXOPHONE
Claire Boots  Waverly-Shell Rock
Katie Greiner  Linn-Mar High School
Kelsey Gruber  Independence
Maggie Levandoski  Grinnell
Audra Schultz  Clear Creek Amana

TENOR SAXOPHONE
Aman Manazir  Pleasant Valley

BARITONE SAXOPHONE
Charles Kapauskas  Dubuque Senior

TRUMPET
Kali Aissen  Waverly-Shell Rock
Trey Blaser  Forest City
Kade Coudron  Pleasant Valley
Ethan Good  Pleasant Valley
Dino Kudic  Waterloo West High School
Sam O’Brien  Waterloo West High School
Caroline Reyner  Independence
Keturah Sauke  Hampton-Dumont

HORN
Regan Breen  Pleasant Valley
Anna Campbell  Audubon
John Herschberger  Linn-Mar High School
Myra Meyer  Algona High School
Nathan Morton  Kennedy High School
Irene Swanson  Clear Lake

TROMBONE
Ben Dunkerton  Waterloo West High School
Jenéé Eden  Algona High School
Chance Elton  Decorah High School
Sophia Pastoreno  Winterset High School
Kellen Schmidt  Algona High School
Theo Swanson  Clear Lake

EUPHONIUM
Nic Englin  South Central Calhoun
Joseph Home  Kennedy High School
Sam Potter  Waverly-Shell Rock
Rochelle Lopez  Winterset High School

TUBA
Hannah Anderson  Independence
David Krumm  Grinnell
Brandon Nolin  Spencer High School

PERCUSSION
Vivek Joshi  Pleasant Valley
Zac Moore  Cedar Rapids Washington
Michael Takahashi  Iowa City High School
Shaden Tweeten  Forest City
McKenna Wilson  Independence
Raquel Zehr  Waverly-Shell Rock

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Alburnett  Lydia Raim
Alguna     Kurt Kissinger
Aplington-Parkersburg  Thom Mahler
Audubon     Victoria Chargo
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Central DeWitt  Josh Greubel
Cherokee Washington  Joe Vannatta
Clear Creek Amana  John Smith
Clear Lake     Brandon Borseth
Columbus Community Schools Charles Mausser
Davis County  Jeff Cook
Decora    Dustin Bliven
Des Moines North  Robert Starace
Dubuque Hempstead  Greg Dowe
Dubuque Senior  William Rowley
Forest City  M. Cory Schmitt
Grinnell High School  Levi Dressler
Hampton-Dumont  Carl Kurth
Hinton      Laura Garred
Hudson     Nicole Davis
Independence  David Lang
Iowa City    Myron McRenolds
Iowa Falls-Alden  Jeff Schmitt
Kennedy    Jared Wacker
Lake Mills  Nate Sletten
Lewis Central  Dan Tucker
Linn-Mar    Aaron Nuss
Marshalltown  Brett Umthun
MFL MarMac  Michelle Hontz
New Hampton  Justin Adam
New London  Arnie Anderson
Newman Catholic  A.J. Skinner
Oelwein    Cory McBride
Osage      Jeffrey Kirkpatrick
Pleasant Valley Drew Anderson and Tara Daurer
South Central Calhoun  Tom Plummer
South Hamilton  Alexa Gibbs
South Tama County  Mike Camahan
South Winneshiek  Nathan Miller
Spencer    Kurt Schwarck
Union      Mike Bistline
Vinton-Shellsburg  Nick Waymire
Waterloo West  Michael Pritchard
Waiverly-Shell Rock  Jim Vowels
Winterset  Lucas Petersen
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Tina Su, Horn
Anthony Williams, Trombone
Jesse Orth, Tuba and Euphonium
Ryan Frost, Percussion
Matt Andrieni, Percussion

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In consideration of the performers and other members of the audience, please enter or leave a performance at the end of a composition.

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