

**THE NOVA SCOTIA JUNIOR WIND  
ENSEMBLE PRESENTS**



**LET'S SING**



**AND DANCE!**



**CONDUCTED BY  
CHRISTINE BLANCHARD**



**FEATURING  
THE TRURO  
CONCERT BAND**

**TRURO JUNIOR  
HIGH SCHOOL**

**NOV 6TH  
1PM**



**Donations at the door**

**All proceeds will be shared between NSJWE and Truro Concert Band**

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# ***Let's Sing and Dance - 2022-2023***

## **Truro Concert Band**

**Lift Every Voice and Sing**

***Rosamond Johnson, arr. Paul Murtha***

**March of the Belgian Paratroopers**

***Pierre Leemans, arr. Michael Brown***

## **Joint Performance**

**His Honor**

***Henry Filmore, arr. Balent***

## **Nova Scotia Junior Wind Ensemble**

**Into the Light**

***David Shaeffer***

**The Water is Wide**

***Julie Griffin***

**Theme from Jurassic Park**

***arr. Michael Sweeney***

**Pinnacle**

***Rob Grice***

**Jungle Dance**

***Brian Balmages***



**The Truro Concert Band** is one of the town's oldest organizations. It continues a tradition of community bands which began before the town's incorporation in 1875.

Records indicate that the "Village Band" performed at the opening of the Provincial Normal School in 1855.

The band draws its membership from throughout the central Nova Scotia area, and contains musicians from a wide range of ages and levels of experience. Through the years, the band has benefited from the leadership of a succession of conductors including J. Arch Fraser, J. Chalmers Doane, Ron MacKay and Jack Sirulnikoff. The current Musical Director is Ken Henderson.

The band usually carries out a year-round schedule of appearances at community events in the Truro area including Remembrance Day Service, Festival of Lights, Santa Claus Parade and Canada Day celebrations.

They also appear at summer parades throughout the area , and present summer concerts at the J. Arch Fraser Memorial Bandshell in Victoria Park.

The band welcomes the enthusiastic participation of student musicians from the area high school bands, and of post-secondary students during its summer schedule. Membership is open to all interested wind and percussion players. Rehearsals are on Tuesdays at 7:30 at the Truro Public Library Building.



“Count me in!” A.J. Voss-Wood, 2019

“I enthusiastically gave a resounding “Yes!!” when my student suggested this quote for our Bluefield t-shirts. It expresses important values for me: bringing community musicians together, fostering a sense of belonging, and sharing the enthusiasm of playing in a concert band! And, of course, the double meaning is SO funny for musicians!!” C.Blanchard

2022. Christine believes very strongly in the value of

community ensembles and developing a strong tie between

public school and community bands . She is currently the conductor of the Holland College

Community Concert Band “the Welshmen”, a role she has held since January 2015 and has

been a music educator for more than 27 years. Most recently, Christine was director of the

Cape Breton Community Bandfest in October 2021 and is now a Member at Large for the

Nova Scotia Band Association. She has also adjudicated at festivals and provided clinics in

Newfoundland and Labrador and Ontario. In her role as a music educator on Prince Edward

Island, she has directed concert bands, jazz ensembles, and R&B bands at the intermediate

and senior high school level. These groups have achieved great success at local music

festivals and on performance tours to Montreal, Newfoundland, and most notably Cuba in

2011. In addition to directing ensembles, she has also contributed to music education on PEI

by co-writing instrumental performance, vocal performance, popular music performance and

the history of popular music curricula between the years 1998 -2019. Christine also initiated

the development of the PEI Senior High Honors Band in 1999. Finally, Christine was

awarded 2019 Music Educator of the Year by MusicPEI.

## **NSJWE Musicians**

<b><u>Flute</u></b>	<b><u>Clarinet</u></b>	<b><u>Alto Sax</u></b>	<b><u>Trombone</u></b>
Amani Oystreck	Kaylee Knowles	Shea Brennan	Iyla Oystreck
Summer (Chuxia) Huang	Lauren Cameron	Jenine Masalmeh	Kate Grant
Haeun Cho	Leah Joudrey	Eric Saweczko	Lyle Pearse
Laura Sinclair-White	Liam Lichodziejewski	Molly Bain	Thomas Graham
Maya Ryan	Lynx Smith	Nicholas Smith	Owen Fisher
Nicholas Dewar	Macsen Williams	Maxwell Cheng	Allister Cheng
Olivia Fisher	Megan Hart	<b><u>Tenor Sax</u></b>	
Payton Romans	Micah Carrington	Petra Moriarty	<b><u>Euphonium</u></b>
Sarah Masalmeh	Romany Le Lacheur	<b><u>Bari Sax</u></b>	Kevin Wen
Sydney Cooksley	Xingyan Han	Shane McWaid	Wesley Hill
Claire Kim	Xuan Trzebiatowski	Caleb Rand	Abby Murphy
Madeleine Fillmore	Lyan Petersen		
Addy Retson	Daniel Kim	<b><u>French Horn</u></b>	<b><u>Tuba</u></b>
	Claire Chunyu	Jenna Deveau	Aiden Coakley
<b><u>Oboe</u></b>	Andrew Li	Eric Robinson	Calliana Zwicker
Haeun Cho	Andy Zhou	Chris Miao	
	Annika Fifield		
	Cassidy Cheng	<b><u>Trumpet</u></b>	<b><u>Percussion</u></b>
	<b><u>Bass Clarinet</u></b>	Grace Dunbar	Lianna Hill
	James Munday	Gwyneth Kosiba	Madison Langille
	Naphtali Tucker	Sadie Middleton Meakin	Megan Clattenburg
	Mahlon Diamond	Sofia Andreu	Ashlyn Rooks
		Leon Petersen	
		Jillian Mummery	
		Shawn Oulton	
		Declan Cheng	

**Thank you to our clinicians for their guidance this weekend:**

**Flute:** Christine Feierabend

**Oboe:** Brett Dill

**Clarinet:** Leslie Smith

**Saxophones:** Nick Fisher

**Trumpet:** Dina Burt

**French Horn:** Julie Cumming

**Trombone:** Jackie Crowel

**Low Brass:** Tony Taylor

**Percussion:** David Burt

**Each weekend is organized with the generous help of our volunteer board of directors:**

**Executive Director:** Kate Gillis

**Librarian:** Holly Hartlen

**Treasurer:** Colin Langille

**Personnel Coordinator:** Paul Hutten

**Social Media Coordinator:** Danielle Chute

**Big thanks to all the parents and guardians for helping your musicians be a part of our ensemble this year, and to our wonderful parent volunteers for helping in many ways this weekend!**

**If you are interested in becoming involved with the NSJWE board, please contact [katelyn@nsjwe.ca](mailto:katelyn@nsjwe.ca)**

**Thank you to the Truro Junior High School Music Program, its director Nick Fisher, the TJHS administration and custodial staff for hosting and supporting us this weekend. Special thanks to The Truro Concert Band for joining us in concert this weekend and helping us make a community connection.**

Other great opportunities to check out are **Nova Scotia Youth Wind Ensemble** ([www.nsywe.com](http://www.nsywe.com)) and **The Nova Scotia Honour Jazz** ([www.nshonourjazz.ca](http://www.nshonourjazz.ca))

NSYWE is having a weekend January 6-8

NSHJ is having a weekend Nov 11-13



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