



THE NOVA SCOTIA JUNIOR WIND ENSEMBLE PRESENTS



IN HARMONY



CONDUCTED BY
CHRISTINE BLANCHARD



LESLIE THOMAS
JUNIOR HIGH
SCHOOL

MAR 5TH
1PM



FEATURING
**THE SACKVILLE
9AM COMMUNITY BAND**

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All proceeds will be shared between NSJWE and
The Sackville 9AM Community Band

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Let's Sing and Dance - 2022-2023

The Sackville 9AM Community Band

Beneath the Canopy

Cait Nishimura

Metamorphosis

Andrew Boysen Jr.

Encanto

Lin- Manuel Miranda, arr. Paul Murtha

Joint Performance

His Honor

Henry Filmore, arr. Balent

Nova Scotia Junior Wind Ensemble

Crazy for Cartoons

Robert Sheldon

Down by the Sally Gardens

arr. Michael Sweeny

Nightsong

Richard L. Saucedo

Creed

William Himes

Happy

Pharrell Williams, arr. Michael Brown



The Sackville 9AM Community Band is composed of members from all ages and walks of life. We range in age from junior high students to retired players! Members have a wide range of skill level, from beginner players, players learning a new instrument and professional level musicians. We have something for everyone!

The group performs as a concert band, while offering the chance to play in a volunteer marching band in the warmer months. This is an exciting, no-fee opportunity for anyone who has played, or still plays a woodwind, brass or percussion instrument. Do you remember how enjoyable and rewarding it was to be part of a large musical ensemble? Join us! Students and adults of all ages making music together – now that's community!



“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

Flute

Amani Oystreck
Summer (Chuxia) Huang
Laura Sinclair-White
Maya Ryan
Nicholas Dewar
Ollie Fisher
Payton Romans
Addy Retson

Clarinet

Lauren Cameron
Lynx Smith
Macsen Williams
Megan Hart
Micah Carrington
Romany Le Lacheur
Xingyan Han
Xuan Trzebiatowski
Lyan Petersen
Claire Chunyu
Andrew Li
Andy Zhou
Cassidy Cheng

Bass Clarinet

James Munday
Naphtali Tucker
Mahlon Diamond

Alto Sax

Shea Brennan
Eric Saweczko
Molly Bain
Nicholas Smith

Maxwell Cheng

Bari Sax

Ben Crocker
Caleb Rand

French Horn

Jenna Deveau
Eric Robinson
Chris Miao

Trumpet

Grace Dunbar
Sadie Middleton Meakin
Leon Petersen
Jillian Mummery
Shawn Oulton
Declan Cheng
Wren Butler

Trombone

Iyla Oystreck
Kate Grant
Lyle Pearse
Thomas Graham
Owen Fisher
Allister Cheng

Euphonium

Kevin Wen
Wesley Hill
Abby Murphy

Tuba

Aiden Coakley
Calliana Zwicker

Percussion

Lianna Hill
Madison Langille
Megan Clattenburg
Ashlyn Rooks

Thank you to our clinicians for their guidance this weekend:

Flute: Christine Feierabend

Oboe: Hamish Gordon

Clarinet: Leslie Smith

Saxophones: Nick Fisher

Trumpet: Dina Burt

French Horn: Mary Lee

Trombone: Jackie Crowel

Low Brass: Steve Hartlen

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 encouraging your musicians to 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

Thank you to the Leslie Thomas Junior High School Music Program, its director Holly Leader, the LTJHS administration and custodial staff for hosting and supporting us this weekend.

Special thanks to The Sackville 9AM Community Band for joining us in concert this weekend and helping us recognize music is a lifelong passion.

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



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Band Association*