The Nova Scotia Junior Wind Ensemble Presents

JUMPSCARE TANGO

Conducted by Dr. Denise Grant

Featuring

The Truro Middle School Concert Band

November 3rd 2024 Truro Middle School



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Truro Middle School Band Program

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Jumpscare Tango - 2024-2025

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~under the direction of Mr. Nick Fisher

Chester - William Billings, arr. Sandy Feldstein & Larry Clark

The Hanging Tree - Collins, Fraites & Schultz, arr. Robert Longfield

Tongo Ole! - Paul A. Nagle

The Tempest - Robert W. Smith



Nick Fisher – teaches music at Truro Middle School and is an active performer on saxophone and other woodwinds. He earned his undergraduate degree in saxophone performance from St. Francis Xavier University's Jazz Studies program and his B.Ed and M.Ed from Acadia University. Nick has served as Program Director for Nova Scotia Honour Jazz since 2017 and is the co-leader of the Hubtown Big Band.

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Mar Y Cielo – Jorge L. Vargas

Beneath The Sacred Light - David R. Gillingham

Jumpscare Tango – Roshanne Etezady

Byzantine Dances - Carol Brittin Chambers



Dr. Denise Grant has earned respect and praise as a conductor and educator of great musical depth and artistic sensitivity. She has held conducting positions at Memorial University of Newfoundland, University of Toronto, and University of Regina. She earned her Ph.D. (conducting and music education) from the University of Minnesota and also holds degrees from Dalhousie University (M.Ed.) and Acadia University (B.Mus.Ed.). During her tenure, she founded the University of Toronto and University of Regina conducting symposiums, served as co-founding editor of the Canadian Band Association

journal, *Canadian Winds*, and premiered many new works for wind ensemble. She advocates for the creation and performance of new music by Canadian and women composers, in particular. She recently premiered composer Sandy Moore's song cycle, *Vox Humana*, at the Open Waters new music festival in Halifax and recorded the soundtrack for John Walker's award-winning documentary film, *Arctic Defenders*. As an educator, Denise has served on music association boards across Canada and guest conducted provincial honour bands both nationally and internationally, reflecting a commitment to music education and the deep seated belief that the act of making music together creates connection and develops compassionate, critically thinking humans.

Thank you to our clinicians for their guidance this weekend:

Flute: Christine Feirabend Trumpet: Holly Leader

Clarinet: Leslie Smith Trombone: Jackie Crowell

Saxophones: Nick Fisher Low Brass: Brent Bannerman

French Horn: Mary Lee Percussion: Ian Grant

NSJWE Musicians

<u>Flute</u>	<u>Clarinet</u>	Alto Saxophone	French Horn	<u>Percussion</u>
Talia Austen	Eva Ahmadi	William Burgess	David Bannerman	Mathais Aladejebi
Lauren Erdeg	Lilly Bylund-Muir	Elliot Gillis	Ada Cassin	Josh Amoah
Willow Fraser	Samuel Cairns	Easton MacPherson	Jehanne Coutty	Eddie Doyle
Sophie Gelinas	Micah Carrington	Anakin Pye	Molly Hines	Makaio Edwards
Caley Haayer	Olivia Cooper	Yichen Yuan	Eric Robinson	Chaz Fraser
Lauren MacDonald	Adam Ge	<u>Tenor</u> <u>Saxophone</u>	Cabrini Sponagle	Lianna Hill
Jeana Rogers	Nathaniel Gillis	Macsen Williams	<u>Trombone</u>	Connor Kloucek
Eleanor Roof	James Leightizer	David Hayford	Olivia Dansereau	Ayla MacKinnon
Isla Saweczkco	Cate MacAulay	Bari Saxophone	Anna Goldstein	Nicholas Ryan
Maggie Warren	Adley Middleton Meakin	Eric Saweczko	Phoenix Graham	Laasya Vanka
<u>Oboe</u>	Evita Pease	<u>Trumpet</u>	Jack Martin	Aiden Vaughn
Sofi Veniott	Lyan Petersen	Beatrice Cassin	Keaton Richardson	
	Micah Pottle	Ethan Gillis	Ben Teakles	
	Maci Riemersma	Josh Langille	<u>Euphonium</u>	
	Sofi Veniott	Sydney McKinley	Stuart Huskins	
	Bass Clarinet	Emma Murimboh	<u>Tuba</u>	
	Lilly Landry	Jack Ramsay	Pheobe Hawboldt	
	Manny Togni	Gabriel Rempel	Stephan Olivier	
		Rhian Williams	Lyle Pearse	

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

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We'd like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all the parents and guardians for encouraging your amazing 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 admin@nsjwe.ca

Thank you to TheTruro Middle School Music Program, its director Nick Fisher, & the TMS administration and custodial staff for hosting and supporting us this weekend.

Special thanks to The Truro Middle School Concert Band for joining us in concert this weekend.

A huge thank you to Dr. Denise Grant for taking us on this incredible musical journey.

We can't wait for the next one!

Other great opportunities to check out are

Nova Scotia Youth Wind Ensemble (www.nsywe.com) and

The Nova Scotia Honour Jazz (www.nshonourjazz.ca)

