



The 18th Annual Band Extravaganza!

Saturday, April 2nd, 2022

7:00 PM Perelman Theater, Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts

**Sponsored by the University of Pennsylvania Band (www.pennband.net),
Musicopia (www.musicopia.net), and the Kimmel Cultural Center Campus.**

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The HOME Band | Fanny Jackson Coppin School

Under the Direction of Chrisostomos D. Argerakis

Roberto Lemus Mena
Morganlee Sheppard
Lilian Bartley
Dante Ramirez
Estelle Salera-Okdeh

Ariella Adlawan-Melendez
Isabella Alikakos
Diarmuid McManus
William Riley
Keyaire Adade

Mila-Ali Shakur
Allyson Emigdio-Rincon
Illyas Benamara
Eli Loewer

The Hunter Drum Jam | William H Hunter School

Under the Direction of Adam Bailey

Oliver Otero
Carolina Lopez
Id'Jenne Thorton

Sanders Vargas
Tamia Ransom
Nathan Rolon

The Musicopia String Orchestra X-tet

*Under the Direction of Taia Harlos, MSO Artistic Director and Conductor &
Ashley Vines, X-tet Director*

Aljavar McFarland
Camille Holloman
Aaliya Shoatz
Maya Dagli

Mia Suaudeau
Raven Smith-Holzbaur
Divine Epps



The University of Pennsylvania Band | 2022 High School Honor Band

Under the Direction of Kushol Gupta, Ph.D.

The University of Pennsylvania Band March

Roland Seitz

Transcribed by Kushol Gupta

Conducted by Robin Acker, Penn Band Program Assistant

O Magnum Mysterium

Morten Lauridsen

Transcribed by H. Robert Reynolds

Bugler's Holiday

Leroy Anderson

Arranged by Kushol Gupta

Themes from 'The Avengers' and 'The Mandalorian'

Alan Silvestri, Ludwig Emil Tomas Goransson

Arr. Adam Rose

Juice

Lizzo

Arranged by Kushol Gupta

Conducted by Jenna Pollack, Penn Band Drum Major

Good as Hell

Lizzo

Arranged by Matt Conaway

Conducted by Jenna Pollack, Penn Band Drum Major

Blinding Lights

The Weeknd

Arranged by Matt Conaway

Conducted by Robin Acker

It's All Right (*from the Pixar movie, "Soul"*)

Curtis Mayfield

Arranged by Chris M. Bernotas

Pulse

Randall Standbridge

Our Thanks |



- Musicopia student performances at tonight's event were made possible in part through donations in memory of Mouhamed Cisse and Stephen E. Codella, MD.
- Fanfare Honor Society of The University of Pennsylvania Band • The Kimmel Center Cultural Campus – Tyler Daddario, Adrian Rosas, Philip Sumpter, Adam Steinbauer, and Susan Nicodemus Quinn • Musicopia – Kate Lombardi, Nathan Rifenburg, and Leslie Macedo • The Platt Student Performing Arts Center - Laurie McCall, Megan Edelman, and Sara Outing • Vice Provost's Office for University Life – Danielle Crumb, • Department of Recreation and Intercollegiate Athletics • Penn Transportation • Allegro's Pizza • Cascada
- *Members of the University of Pennsylvania Band and its alumni, including Liam Alexander, Gabrielle Bioteau, Steven Birmingham, Charlotte Cecarelli, Bryan Deng, Anna Do, Katie Francis, Caitlin Frazee, Brian Greenberg, Jiayi Li, Laila Norford, Amanda Palamar, Jenna Pollack, Peter Proenca, Ryan Sathianathen, Leanne Wattar, and Alexander Yung*
- We thank all of the partners schools, programs, and studios represented here today, including their dedicated directors/teachers: Aspira-Olney Charter High School (PA), Buena Regional High School (NJ), Cedar Grove High Schools (NJ), Cherry Hill High School East (NJ), Cherry Hill High School West (NJ), Clayton High School (NJ), Coventry Christian School (NJ), Fanny Jackson Coppin School (PA), Franklin Learning Center (PA), Friends Select Charter School (PA), Jenkintown Middle School/High School (PA), Musicopia (PA), North Pocono High School (PA), Northern Burlington High School (NJ), Palmyra High School (NJ), Paul VI High School (PA), Penn Charter School (PA), Pennsbury High School (PA), Pitman High School (NJ), Studio of James Applegate (NJ), Studio of Becki Simon (PA), Studio of Lisa Paninos (PA), Studio of Ron Dubin (PA), Randolph High School (NJ), William H Hunter School (PA)

Program Notes |



- **The University of Pennsylvania Band March** | Roland Forrest Seitz (1867–1946, pictured left) was an American composer, bandmaster, and music publisher. For his many march compositions, he earned the sobriquet "The Parade Music Prince". A native of Glen Rock, Pennsylvania Seitz composed nearly fifty marches. One of these marches, Grandioso (1901), is often featured in parades, and other well-known marches include Brooke's Chicago Marine Band (1901), Brooke's Triumphal (1904), Salutation (1914), and The University of Pennsylvania Band March (1900).

On November 21, 1930, John Philip Sousa conducted The University of Pennsylvania Band March at the student quadrangle in Seitz's march for the band. Afterwards, Sousa said: "That is one of the best band marches, aside from my own productions, I have ever conducted".



- **O Magnum Mysterium** | Morten Lauridsen's choral setting of O Magnum Mysterium (O Great Mystery) has become one of the world's most performed and recorded compositions since its 1994 premiere by the Los Angeles Master Chorale conducted by Paul Salamunovich. The work was commissioned by Marshall Rutter in honor of his wife Terry Knowles. Recordings of Lauridsen's music have received numerous GRAMMY nominations, and the composer was a 2007 recipient of the National Medal of Arts. H. Robert Reynolds arranged the symphonic wind version of this popular work with the approval and appreciation of the composer. | windrep.org
- **Bugler's Holiday** | Bugler's Holiday is one of the best-known pieces of band literature written by the band master Leroy Anderson (1908-1975). In 1931, Anderson became director of the Harvard Band. During his four-year tenure with this group, he composed several pieces, some which were accepted to be played by the Boston Pops, including A Trumpeter's Lullaby. The solo trumpet parts in Bugler's Holiday are written to imitate the sound of a bugle, a brass instrument without valves that is commonly used for military calls and fanfares. Anderson intended for the soloists to stand in front of the ensemble instead of sitting in seats among the band. Since the premiere of Bugler's Holiday 60 years ago, the piece has remained a favorite among crowds and trumpet enthusiasts. | windrep.org
- **Pulse** | Pulse is a work for concert band which uses minimalistic and pointillistic writing to create a tapestry of pulsing rhythms and colors. The work was inspired by the painting techniques of the pointillism movement during the impressionistic art period, as well as artists such as Georges Seurat, Charles Angrand, Henri Delavalée, and others. The unrelenting rhythm depicts the constant, sharp motions of the painter's brush, each note a point of color on the canvas. It was originally part of a larger work entitled "Art(isms)," which was commissioned by Dr. Tim Oliver and is dedicated to him, his associate Dr. Kenneth Carroll, and the Arkansas State University Wind Ensemble. | windrep.org

Land Acknowledgement |

- We recognize and acknowledge that the University of Pennsylvania and the City of Philadelphia stand upon the Indigenous territory known as "Lenapehoking," the traditional homelands of the Lenape, also called Lenni-Lenape or Delaware Indians. These are the people who, during the 1680s, negotiated with William Penn to facilitate the founding of the colony of Pennsylvania. Their descendants today include the Delaware Tribe and Delaware Nation of Oklahoma; the Nanticoke Lenni-Lenape, Ramapough Lenape, and Powhatan Renape of New Jersey; and the Munsee Delaware of Ontario.



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Today's High School Honor Band Performers

Flute

Bethlehem Belete
Naomi Caban
Charlotte Cecarelli*
Sarah Davidson
Katie Francis*
Nancy Guan
Emma Hamilton
Cindy Liao
Elekia Muralidharan
Olivia Ottenbreit
Jenna Pollack*
Sarah Potter
Sara Singhal
Audrey Stevens
Abbey Tang
Hanna Usyk
Leanne Watters*
Ollie Wright
Addie Yakubison

Bb Clarinet

Chloe Caban
Anna Do*
Brian Gripp
Alexander Kang
Joshua Martinez
Priyasha Pal
Advay Rajesh
Kaitlyn Shilling

Bb Bass Clarinet

Charles Brewer

Eb Alto Saxophone

Alara Arkan

Gabrielle Bioteau*
Sarah Brandt
Tenise Deshields
Ryan Falcone
Kurt Heyer
Logan Littleton
Elizabeth Mendicino
Noah Mulugeta
Skye Muthuramalingam
Nick Terry
Matthew Yung

Bb Tenor Saxophone

Precious Daniels
Jordyn Jones
Allyson Salmeron
Jack Vollero

Eb Baritone Saxophone

Erik Christensen
Thomas Sacca

Bb Trumpet

Heather Adams
Daniel Brownstein Angeli
Diego Aponte
Steven Birmingham#
Kindred Brix
Hanna Gayda
Brian Greenberg#
Deven Gupta
Matthew Miller
Tyler Murray
Jonathan Naddeo
Ian O'Boyle
Trinity Shook
Ava Trum

Ella Yakubison
Alexander Yung*
Aaron Sprigle

French Horn/Mellophone

Finn Kaushansky
Sokrit Lun

Trombone

Benicio Gonzalez
Liam McSherry
Jonathan Vega
William Weaver
Steven Zavacky

Baritone/Euphonium

Jose Hernandez-Flores
Jacob Savitt

Tuba

Daniel Martin
Shadid Smith

Percussion

Will Betts Cope
Nolan Gautam
London Lewis
Bissmore Linares-Infante
Aidan Patel
Peter Sequeira
Eric Silverman
Anushree Singh
Zachary Smith
Laurel Wozniak

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#Alumni, University of Pennsylvania Band

