

**The 13th Annual
Suburban East Conference
Music Festival**

**GRAND
FINALE
CONCERT**



**East Ridge High School
Monday, February 4th, 2013
7:15 p.m.**

Welcome to the Suburban East Conference Music Festival

On behalf of our ten member schools, we welcome you to the annual Suburban East Conference Music Festival. The top bands, choirs and orchestras from our respective schools spent the day working with three prominent music clinicians, polishing and perfecting their own musical skills, and listening to performances by their peers from other schools. Tonight we conclude our music festival with a concert that features the finest vocal and instrumental musicians in the Suburban East Conference. We believe that the students in our All-Conference Band, Choir, and Orchestra represent some of the very best high school musicians in the United States.

This festival is one of many activities hosted by the Suburban East Conference that promotes the fine arts. All ten-member schools agree that the fine arts are an integral element of the education of a child, and this music festival is just one example of how we are committed to the fine arts.

East Ridge High School and Forest Lake Area High School are pleased and proud to be able to host the Suburban East Music Festival this year. We hope you enjoy the performance.

Mr. Aaron Harper
Principal
East Ridge High School

Dr. Steven Massey
Principal
Forest Lake Area High School

Suburban East Conference Music Festival Grand Finale Concert

- Program -

All-Conference Band

Dr. Kristin Tjornehoj, Conductor

Jubilant Fanfare	Jim Colonna
Song for Lyndsay	Andrew Boysen Jr.
Pacific Commemoration	Mark Camphouse
The Melody Shop	Karl L. King

All-Conference Orchestra

Mr. Jim Bartsch, Conductor

Overture to Ruslan and Ludmilla	Mikhail Glinka
Symphony No. 1, Op. 68.....	Johannes Brahms
IV. Adagio - Allegro non troppo, ma con brio	

All-Conference Choir

Dr. Edith Copley, Conductor

Lori Sager, Accompanist

Song of Triumph.....	Dale Grotenhuis
Sing Unto God.....	G. F. Handel; ed. David Stocker
In the Heart of the World	Bob Chilcott
Dubula	arr. Stephen Hatfield

Grand Finale

Combined All-Conference Band, Orchestra, and Choir

Dr. Edith Copley, Conductor

America the Beautiful	arr. Carmen Dragon
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Dr. Kristin Tjornehoj **Band Clinician**

Kristin Tjornehoj holds a Ph.D. in music education and a M.M. from the University of Minnesota, and a B.M. degree in music education and performance from Luther College in Decorah, Iowa. Dr. Tjornehoj is a full professor at the University of Wisconsin-River Falls and the conductor of the 9-11 Tribute Celebration.

She is active as a conductor and clinician/lecturer, which has taken her across the U.S., Canada, China, Czech Republic, England, France, Iceland, and Scotland. She maintains a busy conducting/lecture schedule in both professional and educational settings, and is currently leader of the St. Croix Valley Symphony Orchestra, St. Croix Valley Community Band, and the adult choir at Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church in Afton, MN. She has led ensembles on performance tours throughout the United States and abroad. Recent experiences include World Music and Music Appreciation study tours throughout Europe. This May she will lead a group of students and interested adults in a music and arts cultural experience tour of the UK and Spain.

Dedicated to the creation of new compositions, her credits of commissioned works or premieres by prolific composers includes Joel Blahnick, Todd Coleman, Michael Colgrass, Gregory Fritze, Lars Jansson, Daniel Kallman, Johan de Meij, Joanne Metcalf, Craig Naylor, David Revill, Michael J. Roy, Jared Spears, Michael Torke, Joseph Turrin, Charles Young, and John Zdechlick.

A participating member in several professional scholarly and community organizations, she currently serves on boards/committees of ArtReach St. Croix, Phipps Center for the Arts, St. Croix Valley Community Foundation, and the Wisconsin Music Educators Conference. She is also a member of the American Composers Forum, League of American Orchestras, National Band Association, and National Association for Music Education, the Minnesota Music Educators Association, Wisconsin Music Educators Association, and the World Association for Symphonic Bands and Ensembles.

Dr. Tjornehoj is the director for the Shell Lake Arts Center Band Camp, July 7-12, 2013. Other summer music opportunities led by Dr. Tjornehoj includes the St. Croix Valley Community Band, Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m., from June 11-July 18, 2013 with concerts throughout the greater St. Croix Valley.



Dr. Edith Copley **Choral Clinician**

Edith A. Copley joined the Northern Arizona University music faculty in 1990 and is a Regents' Professor of Music and Director of Choral Studies. She conducts the highly acclaimed Shrine of the Ages Choir and teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in conducting and graduate choral literature. The Shrine of the Ages Choir has performed at state, divisional and national conferences of the American Choral Directors Association and the National Association of Music Educators Conference. NAU choral ensembles under her direction have toured internationally to Western Europe, the People's Republic of China, Australia, New Zealand and

South Africa. A concert tour performing Brahms "Requiem" with full orchestra is planned to Bulgaria and Istanbul in 2014.

In addition to her responsibilities at NAU, Dr. Copley conducts the Master Chorale of Flagstaff, an auditioned 100-voice community chorus that performs major choral/orchestral works with the Flagstaff Symphony Orchestra (FSO). She has conducted numerous choral/orchestral works with the FSO, including Bach's "B Minor Mass," Britten's "War Requiem," Mozart's "C Minor Mass," and Orff's "Carmina Burana." In March 2013, Dr. Copley will conduct Verdi's "Quattro Pezzi Sacri."

Dr. Copley is a Past-President of the Western Division of the American Choral Directors Association (ACDA). She has also served as the Arizona ACDA President, program chair for three ACDA western division conferences, and Interest Session Chair for the 2011 ACDA National Conference in Chicago. She will conduct the ACDA National Mixed Honor Choir in Dallas in March 2013.

Prior to her appointment at NAU, she taught secondary choral music for seven years in the Midwest and four years overseas in Vienna, Austria. She has also served as the assistant and interim principal conductor of the May Festival Chorus that performs with the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra and Cincinnati Pops. Dr. Copley has prepared choral/orchestral works for the late Robert Shaw, James Conlon, Jesus Lobez-Cobes, and Erich Kunzel.

Dr. Copley has received numerous honors, including "NAU School of Performing Arts Centennial Teacher of the Year Award" in 1999, "Arizona Music Educator of the Year" in 2004 and the "Arizona ACDA Outstanding Choral Director Award" in 2007. Dr. Copley has her own choral series with Santa Barbara Music Publications and is in high demand as a festival clinician and guest conductor in the US--conducting over 30 All-State Honor Choirs. She has also conducted international choral festivals in Germany, the Netherlands, Tasmania, Japan, Luxembourg, Australia, China and Turkey.



Mr. James Bartsch Orchestra Clinician

James Bartsch is a native of St. Paul and a graduate of the University of Minnesota. After teaching public school orchestra programs in Northfield and Red Wing for 16 years, he joined the administration of the Minnesota Orchestra in 1999 as Director of Education, where he produces Young People's Concerts, Family Concerts, and many other community engagement programs.

A conductor with the Minnesota Youth Symphonies for 22 years, he is also active as a guest conductor including state High School orchestra festivals in North Dakota and Montana, the Rapid City All-City Orchestra Festival, and others. He serves as adjudicator and clinician for MNSOTA's Middle Level Honors Orchestra and Festival, and for the St Paul Public Schools' Ordway Festival.

Active as a violinist and violist, he performs with the Minnesota Opera Orchestra, as part of the Minnesota Renaissance Festival's Royal Strings, and other area ensembles. Jim has hiked and climbed throughout the western states for many years, and is looking forward to exploring peaks in New Hampshire and Maine for the first time this summer.

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Cretin-Derham Hall	Ms. Donna M. Novey Mr. Scott Fairweather	Mr. Christopher Jacobson	
East Ridge	Mr. Christopher J. Tank	Dr. Christopher J. Russell	Ms. Kelly Karow
Forest Lake	Mr. Barry Zumwalde	Ms. Alyssa Wyatt	Mr. David Livermore
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Park	Mr. Thomas Storm	Mr. Benjamin O'Connor	Ms. Kelly Karow
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Woodbury	Dr. Keith Jacobus	Ms. Linda Plante	Mr. Rob Bach Mr. Ginger Garski Mr. Todd Herber	Mr. Jason Gonnion



Suburban East Conference All-Conference Band

Flute

Megan Baker CDH
Dannielle Ihfe FL
Sarah Garrison WBL
Mary Kasl FL
Emily Kiolbasa S
Rebekah Rierson R
Deborah Snyder MV
Allie Solensten S
Katie Spence H
Alicia Taylor P

Bass Clarinet

Emile Bertram W
Zach Litzinger MV
Frankie McLeod
CDH
Jack Thomas W

Contra Bass
Clarinet
Abbie Carlson WBL

Trumpet

Ryan Allen WBL
Keegan Greene P
Kelsey Ihns ER
Stephen Link MV
Ellie Northrop MV
Matthew Regnier W
Luke Schiefelbein H
Alex Slette ER
Amanda Tenhoff
CDH
Donovan Weiblen R

Trombone

Walker Delaney S
Sam Hassel WBL
Alex Jorenby W
Adam Klein CDH
Alex Lewanski H
Josh Mason WBL
Christian Oswood
MV
Michael Palo FL
Trent Tejada H
Dan Zastrow CDH

Oboe

Hanna Melin R
Michaela Morse MV
Brandon Weigel FL

Bassoon

Katie Foster S
Madeline Franz P
Kirstine Grab S
Madison Lorenzo W
Kat Tillman MV

F Horn

Katherine Allen R
Laura Bosshard MV
Julia Johnson R
Megan Luick W
Weltha Ondik WBL
Jake Torkelson MV
Jon Voss FL
Aleaha Zabel H

Euphonium

Allison Kvam P
Jacob Longar W
Dustin Olson S
Ariana Preis MV
Joey Vanderwall
CDH

Bb Clarinet

Erin Baumer W
Ellen Brough MV
Lian Conrad R
Rachel Hedin WBL
Alexandra Heifort
ER
Brandon Johnson
WBL
Alyssa King FL
Bethany Kozak WBL
Sarah Kroska FL
Denis Li MV
Sofi Lopez R
Alex Mongin CDH
Maria Neuzil CDH
Victoria Nollan ER
Emma Nwanokwale
S
Tiffany Schack WBL
Madisson Weier P
Allison Wilson W

Alto Saxophone

Sean Cullen CDH
Courtney Fasbender
H
Frankie Forsberg R
Adam Fox W
Grace Johnson MV
Anna Xue ER

Percussion

Anne Gleich CDH
Corey Larson MV
Troy Lowry P
Troy Lowry P
Devin McCauley ER
Eric Moen W
Miranda Poncelet H
Alex Valois R

Tuba

Michael Aase W
Andrew Biddick ER
Allison Cordes R
Laura Lunde H
Brigh Niccum WBL

Tenor Sax

Jenny Bracht FL
Scott St. Amant
WBL

Piano

Frankie McLeod
CDH

String Bass

Nick Gedig MV
Preston Huddleston
FL

Baritone Saxophone

Rebecca Keller CDH
Sean Miller R

Suburban East Conference All-Conference Choir

Soprano I

Megan Bentley WBL
 Annalisa Dietz CDH
 Maria Gisselquist R
 Ellen Larson CDH
 Krissy Palmer P
 Amy Patraw WBL
 Laura Schugel MV
 Leeah Schuhwerk FL
 Savanna
 Steinbruckner H
 Sarah Thomas R
 Angela Yang W

Soprano II

Emily Best H
 Maddie Blake ER
 Kayla Brown H
 Kathryn Bugasch
 CDH
 Emily Champoux W
 Madison Cook WBL
 Kate Ellison S
 Claire Emery ER
 Alyssa Henderson W
 Jessica Holter P
 Norelle Pearson P
 Heather Stone MV
 Anne Wasiluk R
 Clara Wicklund S
 Alexis Willard-
 Rudenick S
 Sylena Wilson MV

Alto I

Kelly Anderson CDH
 Pari Cariaga ER
 Marit Christianson P
 Rachel Coppock S
 Mandy Durose ER
 Jenna Garness S
 Sarah Hiner WBL
 Anna Jessurun MV
 Ann Treesa Joy ER
 Allie Martin W
 Michelle Miller W
 Elena Modl CDH
 Molly Sehman P
 Bri Strandberg H
 Katie Theisen CDH

Alto II

Bri Anderson WBL
 Shay Behrends FL
 Madelynn Emmerich
 H
 Madeline Gerrard S
 Teresa Mahnke FL
 Alex McConkey WBL
 Grace Mortenson S
 Haldi Nielsen MV
 Rebecca Piersdorf
 FL
 Molly Quinlan R
 Maddie
 Schlossmacher R
 Molly Streiff H
 Rachel Tadsen R
 Lauren Tomhave
 MV
 Leah Williams W

Tenor I

Dominick
 Chamberlain R
 Jacob Gregerson FL
 Jimmy Griebler W
 Chris Johnson S
 Conor O'Brien H

Tenor II

Cody Arndston H
 Alex Berger ER
 Jordan DuFresne
 WBL
 Anthony Durbin P
 Joh Farmer R
 Andreas Fenner S
 Braxton Haake MV
 Jack Johnston CDH
 Brian Kuhns P
 Tyler McEachran FL
 Max Misner ER
 Sam Hagen MV
 Ben Karlsrud FL
 Noah Lucas MV
 Jordan Sanchez W
 Rowan Smith R
 Ben Ventry H
 Cullen Wiley CDH
 Chris Vang W

Bass I

Tory Behny H
 Dan Clark H
 Jan Climaco P
 Sam Forthun P
 Jesper Horsted R
 Harris Krahn R
 Alex Regala CDH
 Chris Schulenburg S
 Ben Schuneman
 CDH
 Matt Thorsen ER
 Aris Ututalum W
 Doug Vetter W
 Alex Zuzek H

Bass II

Paul Ahmann W
 Christopher Bauer R
 Kahlen Boich P
 Sam Keillor MV
 Graham
 Krumpelmann S
 Adam Lindner WBL
 Joel Malwitz S
 Nate Mann W
 Trevor McDonald
 MV
 John Perkins S
 Jason Skoglund FL
 Isaac Sorensen ER
 Luke Syrstad ER
 Jake Taylor FL
 Matt Vincent FL

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1st Violin

2nd Violin

Viola

Cello

Katherine Wald R
 Timothy Apollini MV
 Brandon Sieh H
 Lucy Yang ER
 Adam Domitz FL
 Nick Alm S
 Lyndsey Seong R
 Angie Thomas H
 Jonathon Yeung W
 Makella Daley MV
 Sarah Gould FL
 Olivia Feehan-Nelson S
 Grant Johnson R
 Marissa White H
 Darian Teske MV
 Leah Guenter ER

Katie Koenning S
 Jodie Nghiem MV
 Amrita Mohanty W
 Theda Berry S
 Emily Ecker H
 Natasha Montzka FL
 Lucy Rosenmeier S
 Sonya Flaten R
 Keshia Ngo W
 Debbie Blissenbach H
 Joy Xie MV
 Skylah Rachel FL
 Emily Rau ER
 Marisa Garnjobst R
 Ryan Ragoonanan R
 Sebastian Saleme W

Amanda Chen MV
 Arne Woinarowicz FL
 Sofi LaLonde S
 Stephen Ku R
 Sophie Milotis R
 Ruth Jiang MV
 Mari Cartwright MV
 Kait Lutz-Lawlor FL
 Dani Smilanich S
 Hannah Schumacher R
 Mandy Huang MV

Youngjun Park MV
 Katherine Koning S
 Allison Hare MV
 Beth Albertson H
 Kam Jones S
 Audriawna Sturm ER
 Lea Witzel MV
 Megan Whiting R
 Molly Kampa H
 Casey Jepsen FL
 Robyn Doughty S
 Andrew Hancock ER

Flute/Piccolo

Bassoon

Trombone

Bass

Elise Buchmann S
 Emmy Jin MV

Lindsey Henrichsen H
 Colin Scheibner ER

Ben Gaultieri S
 Caleb VanOrnum W
 Maggie Zeidel S

Sam Bingea S
 Nathan Christensen W
 Jake Ashworth FL
 Kellen Wessels S
 Skye Gagnon MV

Timpani

Sam Metzger S

Bb Clarinet

Trumpet

Francesca Ippoliti ER
 Mary Resemius R

Joseph Brough MV
 James Farrell WBL

F Horn

Oboe
 Lindsey Becker H
 Garrett Verhoven ER

Ryan Clatt P
 John Freiberg ER
 Betsy Shevik WBL
 Grace Wilson R

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Recent Conductors of the All-Conference Ensembles

<u>Band</u>	<u>Choir</u>	<u>Orchestra</u>
2012 Dr. Juan Tony Guzman Luther College	2012 Dr. Allen R. Hightower III Luther College	2012 Ms. Sayra Siverson Albuquerque Youth Symphony
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