

# Warwick Valley High School Music Department Presents

The Annual Spring
Band Concert

Featuring: Jazz Ensemble Concert Band Wind Ensemble

Megan Shafer Band Director

At the High School Auditorium April 30, 2024 at 7:00 pm

## Jazz Ensemble

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April in Parisarr. Dave Barduhn Soloists – Jack Kaminski, Flora Gilley, Elliot Quicke		
Sabor de CubaVíctor Lopez Soloists –Jack Kaminiski, Alex Pack		
<u>Senior Feature</u>		
Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso in a minor, op 28 Saint-Saens Kayla Ludovicy on oboe and Abigail Gatdula on piano		
Concert Band		
Blue Ridge ReelBrian Balmages		
Aladdinarr. Paul Jennings		
Iberian Escapades		
Wind Ensemble		
MetroplexRobert Sheldon		
Life EternalRossano Galante		
ArabesqueSamuel Hazo Flute Soloist Talia Hartigan		
<u>Senior Piece</u>		

Metal!.....arr. Sean O'Loughlin

# Jazz Ensemble

Alto Saxophones

Nicole Klein Anthony Peconie Holly Purta Aidan Stubbs Trombones

Daniel Felker Flora Gilley Conrad Wendell

Tenor Saxophone

Hank Wendell

<u>Guitar</u>

Alex Pack

Baritone Saxophone

Asher Morgenstern

<u>Bass</u> Carly Freet

<u>Trumpets</u>

Stephen Barillas Liam Feragola Sean Klein Kayla Ludovicy Elliot Quicke Percussion
Ben Poka\*

<u>Piano</u> Jack Kaminski

\* OCMEA All-County jazz

## Concert Band

**Flutes** 

Celine Benitez Kate Castellano Lisandra Gurda Bianca Kron Gianna Lepre Tianhao Lin Angie Ortiz Maggy Smith Rachel Venter

Alto Saxophones

Dexter Hudspeth Alex Januario Garrett Judd Alex Luc Alex Paraschiv Jackson Spivak Aidan Stubbs

**Trombones** 

Stephen Barillas Daniel Felker Abigail Kane Jose Luis **Dominguez** Juliet Novak

Oboe

Sam Paul

**Trumpets** 

Michael Aloia Nicholas Blandino William Boller Ben DiMartino Alexander Kobrick Alexa Milazzo Conor McVeigh

Euphonium Max Sherman

Tuba

RJ Carroll

**Clarinets** 

Danny Castillo Zoe Dimartino Matthew Freedman Chelsea Liang Ella Ludmerer Nicky Ryan Parker Walters Aaron Rosin

French Horn

Jack Marina

Percussion

Gabriel Colon Zachery Felker Jack Kaminski Tino Kron Naylani Lopez Jacob Mena Michael Pellino Ben Poka Jacob Ramos Shea Smith Mark Wishnia

**Bass Clarinet** 

Asa Garner

# Wind Ensemble

<u>Flutes</u>	Alto Saxophones	<u>Trombones</u>
Holly Frischknecht	Nicole Klein	Flora Gilley^
Anthony Gomez^	Tommy Maiorana%	Dan Svoboda
Sofia Hafeez	Anthony Peconie!%	Conrad Wendell^
Talia Hartigan* ^	Holly Purta	
Allie Ross	•	<b>Euphonium</b>
		Collin Freet
	Tenor Saxophone	Alex Pack
Oboe & English	Hank Wendell	
Horn	· ·	<u>Tuba</u>
Kayla	<u>Baritone</u>	Angelika Quadrino
Ludovicy#*%	<u>Saxophone</u>	
•	Asher Morgenstern%	<b>Percussion</b>
<u>Clarinets</u>	O .	Lucas Cresser
Breeia Jaeckel	<u>Trumpets</u>	Owen Durgin
Megan Forman ^	Jake Cosco	Abigail Gatdula*^
Jack Gobinski	Liam Feragola	Jude Gawronski
Shiwoo Lee!%	Brady Judd	Stephanie Pickering
	Sean Klein%	Ben Poka#*
	Rosalie Mountford )%	· ·
	Elliot Quicke	
<b>Bass Clarinet</b>	•	
Ella Ludmerer		#All State
		*Area All State
		^ SH All County
		! SH All County
		alternate

) JH All County %NYSSMA

# Congratulations to our Seniors!

Celine Arizpe Benitez: Celine has played the flute in Concert band for the past four years. She plans to go to college for financing and business, but has not committed yet and is currently deciding between Pace University and SUNY Oneonta.

Dan Felker: Dan has played trombone in concert band since his freshman year and the jazz band the past two years. He will be attending SUNY Albany for computer science.

Liam Feragola: I play the trumpet and I was in Concert Band for 3 years before enrolling in Wind Ensemble my senior year. I also am a member of the Jazz Band for my junior and senior years. I plan to attend the University of Tennessee though I've yet to find my major.

Megan Forman: Megan plays the clarinet and has been a part of the wind ensemble for four years. She has participated in the Hudson Valley Honors Band program, All County Band, and NYSSMA. She will be attending University of Tennessee Knoxville to major in nursing with a minor in Spanish.

Abigail Gatdula: Abigail is President of the Band department and served as Vice President last year. She is a percussionist in Wind Ensemble, playing for 7 years. As well as a pianist for 14 years. She has participated in Hudson Valley Honors Band, All County Band and Orchestra, and Area All state Orchestra. Abigail has accomplished NYSSMA (level 5 Marimba, level 6 piano) and was accepted into the NYU Piano Intensive in 2022. She plans on pursuing an economics degree in college.

Talia Hartigan: Talia plays the flute and has been a part of the wind ensemble for four years. She has participated in the Hudson Valley Honors Band Program, NYSSMA, All-County, and Area All State. Talia will be attending SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry to major in Forest Ecosystem Science and minor in Recreation Resource and Protected Area Management. She would like to thank her family for supporting throughout her academic and musical career.

Jack Kaminski: Jack has been playing mallet percussion since his junior year and has played the piano for the jazz band since his sophomore year. Outside of school, he plays the electric keyboard with 2 different bands that play rock, funk, and jazz. Jack plans to continue his musical journey next year by studying jazz at Bard College.

Nicole Klein: Nicole plays the alto saxophone and has been a part of Wind Ensemble for four years, Jazz Band for three years, participated in Hudson Valley Honors Band Program, NYSSMA, and was the Band Drum Major for one year. She will be attending Susquehanna University in the fall.

Moth Kron: Moth has been playing the flute since sixth grade. In Iowa, he played in his school's concert band for four years and jazz band for one year. He has been playing flute for Warwick Valley High School's concert band for three consecutive years, and received a 92 after playing a

level 5 piece for NYSSMA in 2022. He plans to attend the Rutgers honors college, and will be majoring in psychology.

Chelsea Liang: Chelsea plays the clarinet and has been a part of Concert Band for two years, and participated in NYSSMA once. She will be attending SUNY Binghamton University to major in Biology.

Ella Ludmerer: Ella is a bass clarinet player who has been in the concert band for three years, the wind ensemble for two years and is the band secretary. Ella will be attending SUNY Delhi in the fall and will be majoring in nursing.

Kayla Ludovicy: Kayla plays the oboe and has been a part of wind ensemble for four years, jazz band on trumpet for three years. She has participated in All-County band & orchestra, Area All state symphonic band, and All State symphonic band. She has also performed with the Hudson Valley Honors Band & Orchestra as well as the NYU Broadway winds intensive program. Kayla has attended NYSSMA since 5th grade. She will be attending The Cooper Union for chemical engineering.

Alex Pack: Alex plays the guitar and euphonium, and has been a member of both Wind Ensemble and Jazz Band for 4 years. He will be attending the University of Miami in the fall to major in accounting.

Ben Poka: Ben plays the drum set and has been a part of Wind Ensemble and Jazz Band for three years. Ben has also participated in the Hudson Valley Youth Jazz Orchestra, All-state Vocal Jazz, and has played in a few bands of his own. He will be attending Berklee College of Music in the fall for Percussion Performance.

Elliot Quicke: Elliot plays trumpet for the wind and jazz ensemble. He's been in the program for all 4 years of high school and intends to keep playing past high school. Elliot intends on taking a gap year to travel abroad before going to college.

Dan Svoboda: I have played trombone for four all four years in my high school career. I participated in Concert Band for the first two years and I have been in Wind Ensemble for the last two. I plan on attending Ohio State University in the fall to dual major in Aerospace Engineering and Airline Management

Conrad Wendell: I play Trombone in Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band, and All-County. I will be attending the United States Military Academy at West Point.

## **Band Calendar of Events**

- Memorial Day Parade: May 27 \*\*

- Band Trip: Dorney Park, Friday, May 31 \*\*

- Graduation Rehearsal : June 28, 9:00am - 10am - Graduation: June 29, 10:00am, football field \*\*

<sup>\*\*</sup> wind ensemble & select members of concert band

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