



*Newburgh Free Academy  
Main Campus  
Music Department  
presents*

*Winter Concert II*

*Wednesday, January 17, 2024*

# PROGRAM

Greeting.....Ms. Susan Valentino, NFA Principal

## Chamber Strings

*Ms. Monica Antonelli-Guido, Conductor*

The Star Spangled Banner ..... J. Stafford Smith

Badinerie from *Orchestral Suite No. 2*..... J.S. Bach

arr. Woolstenhulme

Winter Solstice ..... T. Parrish

## Percussion Ensemble

*Dr. Paul Carroll, Conductor*

Rain .....J. Lennon & P. McCartney

arr. Carroll

Clint Eastwood.....Gorillaz/arr. Carroll

*featuring Julian Lamar and Maren Krasner - vocals*

## Cécile Chaminade Treble Choir

*Mr. TJ Swetz, Conductor*

*Mrs. Karin McCartney, Accompanist*

*Dr. Paul Carroll, Percussion*

The Beat of a Different Drum ..... S. Quartel

Yo Puedo ..... J. Papoulis

## Electronic Keyboard Ensemble

*Dr. Paul Carroll, Conductor*

Blues for B ..... A. Collins

Island Holiday ..... M. King

## Robert D. Williams Tenor-Bass Choir

*Ms. Monica Antonelli-Guido, Conductor*

*Mrs. Karin McCartney, Accompanist*

Song from *The Peasant Cantata*.....J.S. Bach/arr. Loomis

Thirty Second Fa La La ..... D. Moore

Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child.....Spiritual

arr. Bailey

Eight Days a Week .....J. Lennon, P. McCartney

arr. Emerson

## Jazz Band

*Mrs. Kristina Morano, Conductor*

Take Five ..... P. Desmond/arr. Lewis

The Pink Panther.....H. Mancini/arr. Taylor

Groovin' Hard .....D. Menza/arr. Barduhn

**CHAMBER STRINGS**  
*Organized 2018*

**Violin I**

Angela Duong <sup>^</sup>\*<sup>✿</sup>  
Jessica Ngo  
Yamilet Palacios <sup>^</sup>\*  
Ghaniya Shahkhan <sup>^</sup>

**Violin II**

Jacklyn Balbuena  
Amira Mhmoud \*  
Melissa Napoli

**Viola**

Aiden Baez \*  
Madison Coughlin

**Cello**

Maya Jones \*  
Maya Simms \*

**Bass**

Brian Baxter <sup>x</sup><sup>^</sup>\*  
Alyssa Worrell

**CÉCILE CHAMINADE TREBLE CHOIR**  
*Organized 1925*

**PRESIDENT - CARLI COUGHLIN**

**SECRETARY - RENEE PEÑA**

**Soprano**

Ashley Acevedo  
Aleyna Birinci  
Aaliyah Broomfield  
Dayana Escobar  
Adriana Galaviz  
Shayla Johnson  
Maren Krasner <sup>x</sup><sup>^</sup>  
Samaya Lassic <sup>x</sup>  
Carolina Leon Iglesias  
Samantha Morales Galvez  
Renee Peña  
Chelsea Rein  
Allison Van Dalinda

**VICE PRESIDENT - LIZ PRADO**

**DELEGATE - ABIGAIL D'AGOSTINO**

**Alto**

Nyvia Bell <sup>^</sup>  
Carli Coughlin  
Abigail D'Agostino  
Ziona Every  
Tatiana Fairclough  
Aaliyah Fryar  
Olga Galvez Ortega  
Rayanna Jacinto  
Nina Martynick  
Kaylee Owcarz  
Azarea Palmer  
Liz Prado  
Andrea Vasquez

x - Area All State

<sup>^</sup> - High School All County

\* - All State

\* - Section Leader

✿ - Concertmaster

**JAZZ BAND**  
*Organized 1969*

**Flute**

Hannah Walsh

**Clarinet**

Diego Castellanos  
Brenden Baxter

**Alto Saxophone 1**

Samantha Yozzo ^

**Alto Saxophone 2**

Darius Hess  
Augustina White

**Tenor Saxophone**

Charlotte Perry

**Trumpet**

Sydney Hope  
Gage Szymanowicz  
Alexander Tarantino  
Jayden Warner

**Trombone**

Andre Thurston

**Bass**

Brian Baxter x^  
Candace Bryan

**Guitar**

Julian Lamar x^\*

**Percussion**

Nicholas Morales

**PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE**  
*Organized 2003*

Gabriella Mozo-Araújo  
Samantha Yozzo ^

Matthew Gessner

Nicholas Morales  
Candace Bryan

*Music is a more potent instrument than  
any other form of education  
because rhythm and harmony find their way  
into the inward places of the soul.  
~ Plato, The Republic*

**ROBERT D WILLIAMS TENOR-BASS CHOIR**  
*Organized 1930*

**PRESIDENT - STEVEN GONZALEZ**  
**SECRETARY - BRENDEN BAXTER**

**VICE PRESIDENT - HECTOR FLORES**  
**DELEGATE - JULIO TORRES**

**Tenor I**

Andrew Rodriguez ^\*  
Colin Zamenick  
Leonardo Rosas

**Tenor II**

Francisco Baca  
Brian Baxter x^\*  
Steven Gonzalez  
Aidan Grice

**Bass I**

Alexis Ascencio  
Brendan Baxter  
Julian Lamar x^\*\*  
Kevin Vaquero

**Bass II**

Emilio Bell  
Jonathan Black \*  
Hector Flores  
Edgar Ramirez ^  
Julio Torres

**ELECTRONIC KEYBOARD ENSEMBLE**  
*Organized 1998*

Daisy Aquino

Matthew Gessner  
Darius Hess

Samantha Yozzo ^

x - Area All State

^ - High School All County

\* - All State

\* - Section Leader



## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

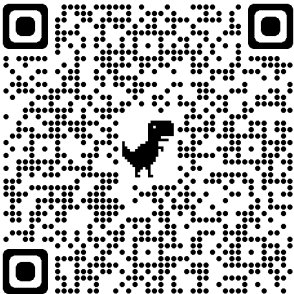
Dr. Jackielyn Manning Campbell, Superintendent of Schools  
Ms. Susan Valentino, Co-Principal  
Matthew Spellman, Vice Principal  
Margaret Chesser, Interim Assistant Principal  
Alfred Romano, Assistant Principal  
Roberto Cruz, Assistant Principal  
Carolyn Monereau-St. Louis, Assistant Principal  
Michael Ragusa, Assistant Principal  
Patrick Kavanagh, Assistant Principal  
Rachel Schuyler, Assistant Principal  
Kristen Johnsen, Director of Fine and Performing Arts  
Kevin Foster and the NFA Custodial Staff  
Ushers - NFA ROTC  
Stage Manager - Brandon Latchman ('20)  
Cover Art - Steven Gonzalez ('24)

## MUSIC COUNCIL EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

*Organized 1935*

Brian Baxter - President  
Darius Hess - Vice President  
Talia D'Addio - Secretary  
Maya Simms - Treasurer

Access program notes  
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*Music education opens doors that help children  
pass from school into the world around  
them - a world of work, culture,  
intellectual activity, and human involvement.  
The future of our nation depends on  
providing our children with a complete education  
that includes music.*

*~ Gerald R. Ford*

## UPCOMING 2024 PERFORMANCES

February 15 - Music Council Open Stage & Potluck

March 7 - Scholarship Concert & Faculty Recital

March 21 - Music in Our Schools Month Assembly & Livestream

April 24 - EKE & Percussion Ensemble Concert

May 2 - Spring Concert I

May 7 - Spring Concert II

May 15 - Solo Recital

May 19 - Town of New Windsor Parade

June 6 - Guitar and Piano Recital

June 12 - Music Banquet and Awards Night

June 25 - NFA Graduation

