

The
Minnesota Band Directors Association
presents



The First Annual
Minnesota
Middle Level Honor Band
Dr. Douglas Nimmo, Conductor

**Minnesota Music Educators
Association
In-Service Clinic**

Saturday, February 15, 1997
Minneapolis Convention Center
The Grande Ballroom
1:00 pm

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Program

(to be selected from the following selections)

American Fanfare.....	John Wasson
Polly Oliver	Thomas Root
The Gathering of the Ranks at Hebron	David Holsinger
A Jubilant Prelude	Claude T. Smith
Grizzly Bear Rag	Timothy Broege
Brighton Beach	William Latham

It is a pleasure on behalf of all Minnesota Band directors to welcome you to the very first Minnesota Middle Level Honor Band performance! The Minnesota Band Directors Association has been very active in promoting music for band students and band directors at all levels, and we hope that this event will become an annual offering for many years to come.

The sixth through ninth grade honor band students were chosen from over 700 auditioning students from 130 schools from all across the state. The 104 selected students from 63 schools represent some of the best music making and finest teaching our state has to offer. We wish to thank all of the students, parents, and teachers for their excellent work.

The MBDA Board wishes to extend special thanks to many people for making this inaugural event possible: to all section coaches, auditioners and workers; to Mr. Jim Wilke and St. Anthony Village High School; to Doug Schmidt of the Schmidt Music Company for donating the printed music, and to Dr. Doug Nimmo for his outstanding conducting.

Thank you to everyone for your support of these young people. Their success is a reflection of tremendous dedication, discipline and commitment of excellence. It is a privilege to present to you the 1997 MBDA Middle Level Honor Band!

William A. Webb, President
Minnesota Band Directors Association

1997 Middle Level Honor Band Roster

Flute		Clarinet con't		French Horn	
Kara Anderson	8	Adam Schummoeller	8	Caitlin Berry	8
Carrie Bean	9	Courtenay Schroeder	9	Natalie Boge	8
Elizabeth Brown	8			Aislinn Groen	9
Jennifer Carlson	9	Bass Clarinet		Kayla Nelson	8
Leigh Durbahn	9	Nikki Anderson	8	John Nichol	7
Katie Gustafson	8	Ryan Reid	8	Andrea Nimmo	8
Ben Haensel	9	Emily Shaw	8	Jessica Rensberger	7
Emily Hull	7			Laura Riddletford	9
Jaqueline Kim	9	Alto Saxophone		Trombone	
Molly Martin	9	Levi Bjork	9	Brandon Burum	6
Kristina Mayer	8	Alex Burchill	9	Josh Cosens	8
Ashley Olafson	9	Chris Herjnum	8	Rachel Dixon	8
Chelsea Olson	8	Jesse Herrmann	8	Andy Gabatino	9
David Ross	7	Betsy Schrag	8	Ted Godbout	8
Angelie Timm	9	Andrew Tackmann	8	Richard Humphrey	7
Karyne Trandem	9	Jeremiah Zitzow	9	Phil Jensen	9
				Tom McCord	8
Oboe		Tenor Saxophone		Matt Porter	9
Abby Board	9	Sarah Korb	8	Euphonium	
Amy Carlson	9	Will Nissen	8	Deb Helm	7
Mike Hanson	9	Alyssa Marie Walker	8	Nicholas Koivunen	8
				Bob Niichel	8
Bassoon		Baritone Saxophone		Eryn Tvete	8
Adam Dagen	8	Andy Berg	8	Tuba	
Kim Johnson	9	Bryce Lyle	9	Erin Goettl	8
Erik Olson	6			Matt Kohlmann	7
Chelsea Petree	8	Trumpet		Nick Pfants	9
		Jared Anderson	9	Shane Trautner	8
Clarinet		Andy Ballard	8	Martha White	8
Amanda Bishop	9	Luke Daley	8	Percussion	
Katie Davids	8	Matthew Elzinga	9	Matthew Brandbois	9
David Dierauer	7	Brad Fjestad	9	Mike Ferry	9
Katherine Gallagher	9	Erik Hasselquist	8	Doug Hawley	9
Rachel Gorman	7	Brandon Hess	9	Brian Holmes	8
Susan Hansch	9	Kira Lace	9	Dan Olson	9
Lindsay Harden	9	Jason Miller	7	John Reinke	7
Laura Henry	6	Paul Odegaard	9	Kyle Thureen	8
Leah Knoepfel	9	Michael Olson	8	Peter Turpin	9
Jennifer McLean	9	Eli Perry	8		
Kenneth Meyer	7	Katie Simondet	9		
Laura Odegaard	8	Phil Snyder	8		
Jessica Orzechowski	8	Lauren Soderstrom	8		
Anne Paulson	9	Brian Voerding	8		

About the Conductor

Douglas Nimmo is an associate professor of music at Gustavus Adolphus College, Saint Peter, Minnesota where he conducts the Gustavus and Adolphus Bands and teaches conducting, instrumental methods, and supervises student teachers. Previously Nimmo taught instrumental music in Montana for thirteen years.

Under his leadership, the Gustavus Band has toured throughout the Midwest and Southwest United States, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, Austria, the Czech and Slovak Republics, Poland and Hungary, and has completed residencies with composers David Holsinger, Csaba Deak, Thomas Root and Swedish trombone virtuoso Christian Lindberg. Dr. Nimmo is active as a guest conductor/clinician and as a writer, having had numerous professional journal articles published. Nimmo holds degrees from the University of Minnesota-Duluth, Vandercook College of Music and Arizona State University. He is married to Virginia Nimmo, school psychologist; they have two daughters, Andrea and Beth.

Participating Directors and Schools

Tim Wege	Albany High School	Tedd Gullickson	Mankato West High School
John Lacey	Anoka High School	Joni Sutton	Maple Grove Junior High School
Susan Smith	Black Hawk Middle School	Scott Rabel	Maple Grove Junior High School
Doug Bakkuum	Blaine High School	Wayne Ivers	Marshall Senior High School
Brian Olson	Blake Middle School	Rolly Rudzitis	Meadow Creek Christian School
Patrick Mulligan	Olson Junior High School	David Goedtke	Montgomery Public Schools
Mike Haase	Brooklyn Junior High School	Dawn Christensen	Monticello Middle School
Terri Svec	Buffalo Junior High School	Denise Pesola	Moorhead Junior High School
Michael Lien	Centennial Senior High School	Sandy Gallagher	New Prague Middle School
Barry Fox	Chaska (East) Middle School	Mary Williams	Northfield Middle School
Paul Dierkhising	Detroit Lakes Junior High School	Robin Vought	Oakland Junior High School
Joel Wood	Discovery Middle School	Kathleen Lawson	Owatonna Christian School
Thomas Maeck	Eagan Senior High School	Pat Moriarty	Roseville Area Middle School
Sonja Langsjoen	Eagle Ridge Junior High School	Wanda Degan	Rothsay Public School
Phillip Holm	Edina South View Middle School	James Siewert	Saint Peter High School
Kim Budde	Edina Valley View Middle School	Dennis Klinkhammer	Sartell High School
John Greene	Falcon Ridge Middle School	Nancy Dostal	Scott Highlands Middle School
Robert Perrier	Fergus Falls Middle School	Lewis Larson	Springfield Public Schools
Ann O'Mara	Fillmore Central Middle School	James Wilke	St. Anthony High School
Joan Moen	Forest Lake Central Jr High School	Rebecca Hill	St. Francis Senior High School
Tami Lyons	Forest Lake Southwest Jr High School	Merle Danielson	St. Joseph's School
Glenn Pohland	Glencoe-Silver Lake High School	Renee Jensen	Stephen-Argyle Central Schools
Peggy Reynolds	Hastings Middle School	Regina Zakrajsek	Valley Middle School
Kathy Warren	Hastings Middle School	Donald Schultz	Waconia High School
Keith Wander	Hawley Public Schools	Tom Case	Waseca Middle School
Amy Peloquin Dahl	Hibbing Junior High School	Ellen Kniebel	Watertown-Mayer High School
Bryan Fleming	Hopkins North Junior High School	Marcia Thoen	Wayzata West Junior High School
Kay Hawley	Hopkins West Junior High School	Robert Rantanen	WBL High School-North Campus
Lenore Karash	Iaanti Middle School	Paul Baumgarten	Willmar Junior High School
Stephen Ritzenthaler	Lake City High School	Terry Brau	Willmar Senior High School
Randy Ludtke	Lake Jr High School	Ann Wenzel	Winona-St. Stanislaus School
P. Brett Smith	Mahtomedi Middle School	Tim Gleason	Winona Senior High School
Stewart Ross	Mankato (Home School)		

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