



Western Reserve Community Band

Holiday Concert

Hudson Middle School - Auditorium

Sunday, December 11, 2022 - 4:00 p.m.



Ralph Meyer - Conductor, Bev O'Connor - Conductor, Wendy K. Matthews - Conductor

A Christmas Festival

*Joy to the World ♪ Deck the Halls ♪ God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen ♪ Good King Wenceslas
Hark the Herald Angels Sing ♪ Silent Night ♪ Jingle Bells ♪ O Little Town of Bethlehem ♪ Adeste Fideles*

Leroy Anderson

Appalachian Carol

Traditional
arr. Jerry Brubaker

The Eighth Candle

Steve Reisteter

A Classic Christmas

Antonio Vivaldi, J.S. Bach, G. F. Handel
Gloria ♪ From Heaven Above To Earth I Come ♪ For Unto Us A Child Is Born ♪ Hallelujah Chorus arr. Douglas Wagner

Merry Christmas Darling

Richard Carpenter, Frank Porter
arr. Chris McDonald

Christmas Recollections

*Frosty The Snowman ♪ Santa Claus Is Comin' to Town ♪ I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus
Here Comes Santa Claus ♪ Have Yourself A Merry Little Christmas*

Various
arr. John Edmonson

O Magnum Mysterium

Morten Lauridsen
trans. H. Robert Reynolds

The Polar Express

Glen Ballard, Alan Silvestri
The Polar Express ♪ When Christmas Comes To Town ♪ Hot Chocolate ♪ Believe ♪ Spirit Of The Season arr. Michael Story

A Canadian Brass Christmas

arr. Luther Henderson
Ding Dong! Merrily On High ♪ I Saw Three Ships ♪ The Huron Carol ♪ Here We Come A-Wassailing adapted Howard Cable

Great Songs of Christmas

Various
It's Beginning To Look Like Christmas ♪ A Marshmallow World ♪ We Need A Little Christmas arr. Bob Lowden

On With The Snow!

Vocalist Patrick Palmieri
Sleigh Ride ♪ Winter Wonderland ♪ Let It Snow! Let It Snow! Let It Snow! Various
arr. Douglas Wagner

Carol Of The Drum

Katherine Davis
arr. Floyd Werle

A Holiday Sing Along

Various
Deck the Halls ♪ Jingle Bells ♪ O Christmas Tree ♪ We Wish You A Merry Christmas arr. John Moss

Sleigh Ride

Leroy Anderson

Sing-A-Long Words

Deck the Hall

Deck the hall with boughs of holly, fa la la...
Tis the season to be jolly, fa la la...
Don we now our gay apparel, fa la la...
Troll the ancient Yuletide carol, fa la la...
Fast away the old year passes, fa la la...
Hail the new, ye lads and lasses, fa la la...
Sing we joyous all together, fa la la...
Heedless of the wind and weather, fa la la

O Christmas Tree

O Christmas tree, O Christmas tree, how lovely are your branches,
O Christmas tree, O Christmas tree, how lovely are your branches,
Not only green in summer's glow, but ever green midwinter snow,
O Christmas tree, O Christmas tree, how lovely are your branches.

Jingle Bells

Dashing through the snow in a one horse open sleigh
O'er the fields we go laughing all the way,
Bells on bobtail ring, making spirits bright,
What fun it is to ride and sing a sleighing song tonight!
Oh, Jingle Bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride in a one horse open sleigh,
Jingle Bells, jingle bells, jingle all the way,
Oh what fun it is to ride in a one horse open sleigh

We Wish You a Merry Christmas

We wish you a Merry Christmas, we wish you a Merry Christmas,
We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!
Glad tidings we bring to you and your kin;
Glad tidings for Christmas and a happy new year
We wish you a Merry Christmas, we wish you a Merry Christmas,
We wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Western Reserve Community Band Roster

Flute

Jennifer Biber
Kristen Duffy
Leslie Nutt
Sandy Rexroad
Donna Sulhan
Michael J. Tomas III
Jacki Cyr
Caitlin Helmer
Susan Mertz
Jennie Prentice
Heather Rice
Debbie Shields
Victoria Young

Oboe

Julie Prather
Nancy Sexton

Bassoon

Tatiana Behringer
Nicki Lantz

Clarinet

Jill Centrello
Allison Connelly
Kristine Philips
Heather Waltz
Tonia Ferrell
Alexandra Holloway
Sarah Jobes
Cal O'Connor
Victoria Putnam
Emma Bene
Dale Dong
Patricia Goetz
Shawn Hanlon

Bass Clarinet

Dave Dennison
David Swindler

Alto Saxophone

Gregg Dahlby
Deborah Gerbetz
Linda Kotheimer
Christine Martin
Jim Virost

Tenor Saxophone

Robert Davet
Mike Martin

Baritone Saxophone

Jonah Pamula

Trumpet

DJ Alessandrini
Jennifer Barone
Malcolm Bartlett
Dan Bolovan
Chaz Emigh
Tom Hughey
Jerry Kleman
Maria Martinelli
Wendy Matthews
Art Prentice
Dick Ptak
Nicole Scafidi
Robert Smith
Jessica Stanik
Andrea Verno

Vocalist

Patrick Palmieri

Horn

Jami Bolton
Lisa Bose
Jessica Collins
Mary Dellmann-Jenkins
Don Easterling
Sarah Kois
Bev O'Connor
Stephanie Vaughan

Trombone

Dan Allen
Kristin Brandyberry
Joe Damato
Arno Kremer
David Lehman
Angelina Penna
Jay Richardson
Justin Roebuck
Susan Swab
Dave Watt

Euphonium

Lou Barone
Daniel Taylor

Tuba

Greg Matyja
Jim McIntyre
Michael Pasko

Percussion

Stephen Merriman
Layla Nosek
Ann Shuman
Matthew Smith

Please join us for cookies and refreshments after the program here in the cafeteria!

Play an Instrument? Consider Joining the WRCB!

Membership in the WRCB is open to adult wind and percussion players of all playing abilities through Hudson Community Education and Recreation for an annual participation fee. If you can refer any, we would like to add additional Clarinet and Percussion instrumentalists to our ensemble. If you or someone you know who is an adult wind player or percussionist who might be interested in joining our band to make music and have fun, call Band President Arno Kremer, at (330) 819-6383, check us out on Facebook or on the web: wrband97.org

The Western Reserve Community Band is a non-professional, not-for-profit 501(c)(3) community musical organization.

Our mission is to provide audiences in Hudson and the surrounding communities with cultural enrichment and entertainment and allow adult musicians in the area an opportunity to participate in an active, performing band.

Businesses or individuals who are interested in supporting the WRCB should contact: Band President Arno Kremer at (330) 819-6383. We are organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes.

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The Western Reserve Community Band is indebted to HCER (Hudson Community Education & Recreation), Hudson Board of Education, Hudson Schools Administration, Maintenance and Support Staff, and the Hudson Middle School and Hudson High School Music Programs for their over two decades of continued support and the use of their rehearsal space, equipment and auditorium performance space.

We wish everyone a safe and joyous holiday season!

Music is far too important to be left entirely in the hands of professionals...