

Participating Schools and Directors

Andersen (Millard)	Shelly Hall	Logan Fontanelle (Bellevue)	Chris Schuttler
Beadle (Millard)	Jody Lindquist	Lourdes Catholic	
Bluffs (Scottsbluff)	Mike Koch	Schools (Nebraska City)	Lesley Gould
Christ Lutheran (Norfolk)	Earleen Ganseboom	Lux (Lincoln)	Brandon Holloman
Dawes (Lincoln)	Dick Marolf	Malcolm	Ryan Marsh
Elkhorn Grandview	Chris Johnson	Millard North	Jacinda Seville
Elkhorn	Norm Edwards	Mission (Bellevue)	Mark Benson
Elkhorn Ridge	Kyle Dreessen	Music in Catholic Schools (Omaha)	Kristin Parent
Elkhorn Valley View	Nate Auman	Music in Catholic Schools (Omaha)	Joan Lovgren
Exeter-Milligan	Angie Murphy	Music in Catholic Schools (Omaha)	Deb Lund
Fremont	Steve Steager	Ogallala	Michael Schlake
Goodrich (Lincoln)	Kevin Koopman	Otte-Blair	Chiyo Trauernicht
Gretna	Chris Tucker	Papillion	Ken Janak
Gretna	Amber Malone	Platteview Central	Marla Janak
Irving (Lincoln)	Susan Hottovy	Platteview Central	Jerry Layher
LaVista	Mark Irvin	Pound (Lincoln)	Scott Vicroy
Lewis & Clark (Bellevue)	Brandi Kawula	Scott (Lincoln)	Lori Falcone
Lewis and Clark (Omaha)	Sarah Short	Waverly	Jim Kucera
Lifegate Christian Schools (Omaha)	Stephen Manna	Westside (Omaha)	Matt Sheppard

Nebraska State Bandmasters Association

presents the
17th Annual



8th Grade All-State Band

in concert

Robert Sheldon, Conductor

Saturday, January 16, 2016
4:00 p.m.

Fine Arts Recital Hall
University of Nebraska - Kearney

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Program

(Musical selections to be chosen from the following)

Skygazer Fanfare *Randall D. Standridge*

Pursuit of the Centaur *Robert Sheldon*

March Diabolique *Brian Balmages*

All the Pretty Little Horses *arr. Andrew Boysen, Jr.*

Furaha! *Brian Beck*

Chimney Rock Celebration *Robert Sheldon*

World Premiere – Commissioned by NSBA

2016 NSBA 8th Grade All-State Band Personnel

(*Alternates)

FLUTES

Lucy Tu Millard North
 Riley Bender Christ Lutheran
 Maggie Scott Lewis & Clark
 Vincent Lin LaVista
 Hannah Wood Papillion
 Katie Geist Music in Catholic Schools
 Kaitlyn Hart Lewis & Clark
 Abbie Bartmess Lewis & Clark
 Angela Li* Westside
 Brisa Rios* Bluffs

OBOES

Cloey Nyberg Lux
 Seh Na Mellick Lewis and Clark
 Maya Burns* Gretna

CLARINETS

Reese Pike Westside
 Anna Stednitz Gretna
 Mia Gurciullo Beadle
 Julia Claassen-Crisuolo Elkhorn
 Kathryn Frazer Otte-Blair
 Lyric Patterson Lewis & Clark
 Kaeyln McShannon Elkhorn Ridge
 Alina Hatfield Elkhorn Valley View
 Danny Anderson Gretna
 Sammi Byrd Ogallala
 Jessica Alcorn Fremont
 Karen Jantzi Otte-Blair
 Caijah Anderson Lewis & Clark
 Jadeyn Settell Dawes
 Mia Dempsey Music in Catholic Schools
 Emma Dougherty Lifegate Christian
 Katelyn Geaghan Fremont
 Ryanna DeVries Ogallala

BASS CLARINETS

Eva Gorzkiewicz Mission
 Benjamin Brunick-Clark Otte-Blair
 Eden Thompson Elkhorn
 Emma Jones Papillion

BASSOONS

William Holke Gretna
 Thea Lahey Irving
 Jessie Harlan Scott

ALTO SAXOPHONES

Cordell Vrbka Malcolm
 Haven Kahn Papillion
 Isaac Weander Christ Lutheran
 Moises Acevedo Elkhorn
 Cinseny Baum Bluffs

TENOR SAXOPHONES

Jackson Wohlenhaus Elkhorn Ridge
 Joshua Oahre Elkhorn Valley View
 Matthew Simonson Otte-Blair

BARITONE SAXOPHONES

Annaliese Fox Lewis and Clark
 Andrew Wheeler Gretna
 Wyatt Kreifels Fremont

TRUMPETS

Miriam Call Elkhorn Valley View
 Bri Nelson Beadle
 Trevor Anderson Otte-Blair
 Nazariy Yefimchuk Goodrich
 Dominic Flores Scott
 Evan Johnson Elkhorn Grandview
 Ashleigh Madsen Westside
 Carson Gress Scott
 Noah Heuret Andersen
 Steven Buer Fremont
 Isaac Cary Lux

MISSION

Otte-Blair
 Elkhorn
 Papillion

GRETTA

Irving
 Scott

MALCOLM

Papillion
 Christ Lutheran
 Elkhorn
 Bluffs

ELKHORN RIDGE

Elkhorn Valley View
 Otte-Blair

LEWIS AND CLARK

Gretna
 Fremont

ELKHORN VALLEY VIEW

Beadle
 Otte-Blair

GOODRICH

Scott
 Goodrich

ELKHORN GRANDVIEW

Westside
 Scott

ANDERSEN

Fremont
 Lux

Composer / Clinician

Robert Sheldon has taught instrumental music in the Florida and Illinois public schools, and has served on the faculty at Florida State University where he taught conducting and instrumental music education classes, and directed the university bands. As Concert Band Editor for Alfred Music Publishing, he maintains an active composition and conducting schedule, and regularly accepts commissions for new works. Sheldon received the Bachelor of Music in Music Education from the University of Miami and the Master of Fine Arts in Instrumental Conducting from the University of Florida.



An internationally recognized clinician, Sheldon has conducted numerous Regional and All-State Honor Bands throughout the United States and abroad. His teaching career included 28 years in the Florida and Illinois public schools as well as at the University of Florida, Florida State University, Illinois Central College and Bradley University. He also held positions as conductor of the Alachua County Youth Orchestra in Gainesville, Florida and the Prairie Wind Ensemble in East Peoria, Illinois. He maintains membership in several organizations that promote music and music education. He is lead author for the SOUND INNOVATIONS FOR BAND method books, and is a co-author for the MEASURES OF SUCCESS Volume 1 method book and the SOUND INNOVATIONS FOR STRINGS method books.

The American School Band Directors Association has honored him with the Volkwein Award for composition and the Stanbury Award for teaching, and the International Assembly of Phi Beta Mu honored him with the International Outstanding Bandmaster Award. He has also been a twenty-eight-time recipient of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publisher's Standard Award for his compositions in the concert band and orchestral repertoire.

His compositions have been recorded and released on compact discs including, Images: The Music of Robert Sheldon, and Infinite Horizons: The Music of Robert Sheldon, as well as numerous other recordings. Mr. Sheldon has been the topic of articles published in The Instrumentalist, Teaching Music and School Band and Orchestra Magazine, and is one of eleven American wind band composers featured in Volume I of Composers on Composing Music for Band.

TRUMPETS (continued)

Braeden Wiltse Beadle
 Jacob Gathje Music in Catholic Schools
 Coby Speer Gretna

FRENCH HORNS

Marshall Caddy Waverly
 Payton Winkler Waverly
 Caitlin Murphy Exeter-Milligan
 Cierra Johnson Gretna

Savannah Short Lewis and Clark
 Melissa Loos Scott

Elsie Morehead Scott
 Allison Jenkins Mission
 Luke Partsch Lourdes Catholic
 Amber Tannehill Pound

TROMBONES

Jonah Bricker Gretna
 Kamden McGrew Bluffs
 Tanner Kalinowski Lewis & Clark
 Nathan Roberts Platteview Central
 Hannah Bates Fremont
 Tommy Thompson Otte-Blair
 Luke Moberly Irving
 Nick Hayek Exeter-Milligan
 Kellen McLaughlin Gretna
 Matthew Perkes Elkhorn Valley View

BARITONES

Noah Hadley Gretna
 McKenzie Duncan Otte-Blair
 Nicholas Dungan Dawes
 Breonna Gill Logan Fontanelle
 Patrick Paronable Music in Catholic Schools

TUBAS

Patrick Osborn Gretna
 Francis Havlovic Waverly
 Luke Eisenmenger Fremont
 Jonathan Li Elkhorn Ridge
 Christopher Penas-Hull Irving

BATTERY PERCUSSIONS

Brynn Boes Gretna
 Emily Kennedy Yutan
 Katherine Reisig Bluffs
 Caitlyn Miller Mickle
MALLET PERCUSSIONS
 Alex Mannewitz Gretna
 Madeline Nelson Scott
 Anna Gullett Lewis & Clark
 Faith Junck Wayne

TIMPANI

Josh Human Gretna
 Alaric Schiltz Gretna
 Jackson Savage Norris