

All-State Band Alternates



Flutes

Hannah Coatney Lincoln - Scott MS
Amanda Brockinton Bellevue - Mission MS

Oboe

Emily Reiff Millard - Kiewuit MS

Clarinets

Regan Ohlman Lincoln - Lefler MS
Harley Huang Westside Middle School

Bass Clarinet

Hannah Dougherty Bellevue - Logan Fontanelle

Alto Saxophone

David O'Neal LaVista Jr. High

Tenor Saxophone

Andrew Murphy Lincoln Scott MS

Baritone Saxophone

Jeff Dirks Westside Middle School

Trumpets

Spencer Pereira Millard - Russell MS
Brooke Newens Bluffs Middle School
Nate Williamson Lincoln - Pound MS

Horns

Amalia Dejka Papillion Jr. High
Katie Cooley Gretna Middle School

Trombones

Cole Luettel St. Michael's - Albion
Elisabeth Horne Lincoln - Pound MS

Baritone

Ryan Socha Otte-Blair MS

Tuba

Jonathan Ludwick Otte-Blair MS

Battery Percussion

Lukas Renker Crete Middle School

Mallet Percussion

Payton Samuelson Gretna Middle School

Timpani

Garret Martindale Gretna Middle School

Selected Schools and Directors



Aurora Middle School	Kate Metzger
Bellevue - Lewis & Clark MS	Byron Braasch
Bellevue - Logan Fontanelle MS	Chris Schuttler
Bellevue - Mission MS	Mark Benson
Bluffs Middle School	Michael Koch
Crete Middle School	Jennene Anderson
Elkhorn Middle School	Chris Johnson
Elkhorn Ridge MS	Scot Thompson / Nancy Schlegelmilch
Freeman Public Schools	Sharon Mills
Fremont Middle School	Steve Steager
Grand Island - Walnut MS	John Schultz
Grand Island - Westridge MS	Terry Speed
Gretna Middle School	Chris Tucker
Lincoln - Goodrich MS	Shelly Lenz
Lincoln - Irving MS	Susan Hottovy
Lincoln - Lefler MS	Jim Karas
Lincoln - Lux MS	Roger Thaden
Lincoln - Mickle MS	Mary Pfofner
Lincoln - Pound MS	Jim Schulz

Lincoln - Scott MS	Dick Marolf / Jacque Rush
Millard - Beadle MS	Jodi Lindquist
Millard - Central MS	Eric Fuller
Millard - Kiewit MS	Jamie Switzer
Millard - North MS	Deb Jenkins
Millard - Russell MS	Al McKain
Music in Catholic Schools	Deb Lund
MCS - St. Pius/St. Leo	Melissa Delaney
MCS - St. Vincent de Paul	Dan Irvin
Neligh-Oakdale Schools	Nate Metschke
Otte - Blair Middle School	Chiyo Kamada
PapLV - LaVista Jr. High	Mark Irvin
PapLV - Papillion Jr. High	Ken Janak
Platteview Central	Jerry Layher / Marla Janak
St. Michael's - Albion	Brenda Lambert
Trinity Christian School	Nate Auman
Wallace	LaDonna Swedberg
Waverly Middle School	Jim Kucera
Westside Middle School	Bob Jenkins

Nebraska State Bandmasters Association

presents the 9th Annual

N.S.B.A. Eighth Grade



University of Nebraska at Kearney
Fine Arts Center

4:00 p.m., Saturday
January 12, 2008

Sam Zitek, Conductor



Meet the Conductor-

Since 2003, Sam Zitek has been Director of Instrumental Studies at Nebraska Wesleyan University in Lincoln, Nebraska where he directs the University Symphonic Band, Lincoln Civic Orchestra, and the Prairie Wolves Band, and teaches many conducting, instrumental, and education classes. Professor Zitek holds a BFAE from Wayne State College (1989) and a Master of Music in Saxophone Performance from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln (1994). At UNL, Mr. Zitek was a graduate assistant and co-directed the Wind Ensemble, Concert Band, Athletic Bands, and the Cornhusker Marching Band. He is also currently pursuing a Ph.D. in music education at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Mr. Zitek has taught at Neligh-Oakdale Public Schools, Crete Public Schools and Kearney High School. He was also an adjunct faculty member at Doane College in Crete until his appointment at Nebraska Wesleyan University.

Mr. Zitek has directed many honor bands, including the Nebraska Class C and D All-State Jazz Bands and the Nebraska Class D All-State Band in 2005. One of three Nebraska band directors who received the NSBA sponsored Jack Snider Young Band Director Award in 1996, he also received the NBA Outstanding Jazz-Educator Award in 1998. Recently elected to the Alpha Theta Chapter of the International Band Masters' Phi Beta Mu Fraternity, Sam is also a member of MENC, NMEA, NSBA, CBDNA, and CMS.

His bands at NWU have toured nationally and in Europe and plan a tour of Italy and Switzerland in May.

Welcome to Today's Program

- Overture For Winds**.....Charles Carter
- A Childhood Hymn**.....David Holsinger
- The Battle Pavane**.....Tielman Susato/B. Margolis
- Ghost Riders**.....Roland Barrett (2007)
- Circus Days**.....Karl King/L. Schissel

We appreciate everyone's support and give special thanks to-

- The Nebraska State Bandmasters Association and the NSBA Board for sponsoring this event
- Gary Davis and The University of Nebraska at Kearney for assistance and hosting us
- Pallas Music and the Great Platte River Road Archway in Kearney
- Music in Catholic Schools and St. Vincent de Paul School in Omaha
- All the Band Directors and students for all their time, effort, and great talents

Thank you all for coming and helping build better bands for Nebraska!

-Dan Irvin, NSBA Middle School Chair

N.S.B.A. 8th Grade All-State Band Personnel

Flutes

- Christina Zarek Walnut MS - Grand Island
- Alyssa Eitzmann Scott MS - Lincoln
- Claire Gregg Waverly Middle School
- Leilani Byington Gretna Middle School
- Ruby Musman Kiewit MS - Millard
- Lindsay Schanaman Bluffs MS-Scottsbluff
- Natasha Hongsermeier Aurora Middle School
- Abigail Ashby Papillion Jr High

Oboes

- Karena Nyberg Lux - Lincoln
- Kyle Holz Goodrich -Lincoln

Bassoon

- Jennifer Davis Gretna Middle School

Clarinets

- Kayla Krueger Scott MS - Lincoln
- Kayla Hoechner Russell MS - Millard
- Colette Rector Westside Middle School
- Dylan Evers Trinity Christian School
- Tae-woo Kim Scott MS - Lincoln
- Addison Fairchild Scott MS - Lincoln
- Melissa Sondag Beadle MS - Millard
- Emily Berry Waverly Middle School
- Stephanie Shattuck Papillion Jr. High
- Madisen Geiler Waverly Middle School
- Krista Leighty Trinity Christian School
- Amber Savidge Pound MS - Lincoln
- Rachel Lechtenberger Trinity Christian School
- Kristin Wells Beadle MS - Millard
- Jessica Levinger Kiewit MS - Millard

Bass Clarinets

- Scott Hurtz Gretna Middle School
- Austin Clark Otte - Blair MS
- Evan Cotto Mission MS - Bellevue

Alto Saxophones

- Kyra Valentine Lewis & Clark - Bellevue
- Alexandra Richter Mickel MS - Lincoln
- Amanda Layher Platteview Central Jr. High
- Giles Hovseth Bluffs - Scottsbluff

Tenor Saxophones

- Ryan Frahm Otte -Blair MS
- Peter Joo Aurora Middle School

Baritone Saxophones

- Ryan Geisert Scott MS - Lincoln
- Isaac Springer Trinity Christian School

Trumpets

- Elizabeth Olsen Lewis & Clark MS - Bellevue
- Ben Stoltenberg Gretna Middle School
- Alex Rouse Trinity Christian School
- Daniel Ervin St.Pius/St.Leo - MCS
- John Birkentall Kiewit MS - Millard
- Shelby Jones Papillion Jr. High
- Abbey Klein Freeman -Adams
- Casey Rhodes Beadle MS - Millard
- Tate Hundahl Otte -Blair MS
- Taylor Vittitoe Beadle MS- Millard
- Zach Beran St. Vincent de Paul - MCS
- Brock Thompson Elkhorn Ridge MS

Horns

- Kathleen Campbell Otte-Blair MS
- Gavin Raamussen Otte-Blair MS
- Sam Gemar Scott MS - Lincoln
- Ethan Lottman Gretna Middle School
- Sarah Schlegelmilch Elkhorn Ridge MS
- Laura Gregory Walnut MS - Grand Island
- Larissa Irvin Irving MS - Lincoln
- Curtis Doughty Lux MS - Lincoln

Trombones

- Kurtis Johnson Central MS - Millard
- Carter Smith Westside Middle School
- Isaac Lindgren Otte - Blair MS
- Joseph Sheehan Otte - Blair MS
- Andrew He Scott MS - Lincoln
- Tate Rittenberger Gretna Middle School
- Avery Wallace Elkhorn Ridge MS
- Will Lutz Trinity Christian School

Baritones

- Carl Stokes North MS - Millard
- Jonathan Cornish Logan Fontanelle -Bellevue
- Brian Schooff LaVista Jr.High
- John Paul Lempke Wallace

Tubas

- Micah Houfek Trinity Christian School
- Ezra Potaah Westside Middle School
- Justin Parr Neligh-Oakdale
- Sam Fuller Westside Middle School

Battery Percussion

- Drew Nelson Westside Middle School
- Jack Rodeburg Irving -Lincoln
- Andrew Hilgenkamp Fremont Middle School
- Luke Friesen Westridge - Grand Island

Mallet Percussion

- Aaron Ashley Gretna Middle School
- Claire Mollak Elkhorn Middle School

Timpani

- Cody Thompson Gretna Middle School
- Karl Johnson Otte - Blair MS