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Friday, January 17

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MIDDLE SCHOOL ENSEMBLES
6:00 PM
PEEBLES THEATRE



HIGH SCHOOL & ELEMENTARY ENSEMBLES
7:15 PM
DIAMONSTEIN THEATRE

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Dorian Black, Huntington
Bethany Thombley, Huntington/ Heritage
Michael Bell, Passage
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Jason Davis, Denbigh
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Jemere Brown, Heritage
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Welcome our Guest Conductors



Frankie James
High School
Choral Conductor

Frankie James, a Newport News, Va. native, has spent his life under the wings of music and the arts. Upon receiving his Bachelor of Music from Virginia Commonwealth University with a degree in Music Education, he has served as Choral Director at The Maggie Walker Governor's School, taught as a Music Educator for the Chesterfield County Public School system and is currently the Director of the Black Awakening Choir at Virginia Commonwealth University and The Saint Paul's Baptist Church Youth Choir Director. Additionally, Frankie is also preparing for a number of choir workshop initiatives in the Tidewater and Richmond area for the 2025 calendar year. Whether in a classroom or on a stage, Frankie's passion for music is always present and unashamed. It's his zeal and conviction that make his love for the arts undeniable.



Dante Perry
Middle School
Choral Conductor

Dante Perry is the Choral Director at Peasley Middle School in Gloucester County, VA. A graduate of Christopher Newport University with a Bachelor of Arts in Music, Mr. Perry is happy to return to the familiar musical community of the Tidewater region. Mr. Perry has worked as a choral director at Peasley Middle School since 2020, and currently leads four choruses, including his select mixed ensemble, Pridelands. Prior to teaching at Peasley, he was employed at Martin Millennium Academy, a K-8 school in Tarboro, NC. Mr. Perry has experience teaching a diverse range of courses in his time as a music teacher, including middle school chorus, beginning band, guitar, general music, and elementary music. In his classroom, Mr. Perry focuses on utilizing solfege to build musical literacy, while also incorporating movement and meaning to build connection to each musical piece. Mr. Perry is excited to bring his expertise and love of music as the guest conductor for Newport News All City Middle Honors Chorus.



Heather Bagnall
Elementary
Conductor

Heather Joy Bagnall, originally from New York State, holds undergraduate degrees from SUNY Morrisville and SUNY Oneonta, a Master's in Music Education from Towson University in Maryland, Leadership and Reading Certificates from Adelphi University, and an Education Specialist degree from Alverno College. She is currently in her final semester as a doctoral candidate in Organizational Leadership at Alverno College, with a research focus on neurodivergent education and inclusion.

Heather began her musical journey at the age of five with piano lessons, soon followed by voice training. Her educational philosophy asserts that while music should be taught for its own sake, it also serves as a vital tool for fostering higher literacy, math, science, and history knowledge, refining movement skills, and deepening cultural understanding. Through this approach, a genuine desire to learn music for its intrinsic value is cultivated.

Heather has two adult children. Her younger child is studying anthropology, paleontology, and costume design, while her elder child is a professional gamer and technical writer. She currently resides in Newport News, where she teaches and lives with her Newfoundland pup, Lucy Bear, and her kitten, PhooPhoo McGoo of Tripodia.

Welcome our Guest Conductors



Dr. Nick Snead
High School
Band Conductor

Dr. Nicholas Snead currently serves as an Assistant Principal in Loudoun County. Dr. Snead previously served as an Administrator and Director of Bands at Powhatan High School in Powhatan, Virginia where he oversaw all aspects of the band program, directed the Marching Band, Wind Symphony, Symphonic and Concert Bands, Jazz Band, Concert Open Percussion, Beginning Band, and administered the Indoor Guard and Percussion Programs. Under his direction, all of his ensembles consistently received Superior ratings at VBODA State Concert Assessment, VBODA Marching Assessment, Jazz festivals, and finalists at AIA and WGI events.

The Powhatan Band Program under the direction of Dr. Snead was awarded the VMEA Blue Ribbon School Award five times, named a Commonwealth of Virginia Honor Band five times, and designated one of the Best Communities for Music Education by NAMM. Dr. Snead has been honored by his peers as Powhatan High School's Rising Star Award recipient in 2016.

Dr. Snead is a graduate of Longwood University, where he studied saxophone with Dr. Charles Kinzer, played in the Jazz Ensemble, Wind Symphony, sang in the Camerata Singers, and served as Chair of the University Judicial Board. Dr. Snead completed his Master's and Doctorate in Educational Leadership from Virginia Tech. In 2021, Dr. Snead completed the Next Generation Leaders Academy, a program sponsored by the University of Richmond designed for leaders in public education.

Dr. Snead holds membership in the Alpha Chi Chapter of Phi Beta Mu, International Band Fraternity, Virginia Music Educators Association, Virginia Band and Orchestra Directors Association, National Association for Music Education, National Band Association, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, Virginia Education Association, Longwood University Performing Arts Council, and the Virginia Marching Band Cooperative where he serves as Treasurer.



Danielle Yonkers
Middle School
Band Conductor

Danielle Yonkers, a native of Atlantic City New Jersey, is a graduate of the prestigious Norfolk State University where she received her Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Music Education. She is also a graduate of the University of Richmond where she received a Post-Master's degree in Educational Leadership and Policy Studies. With over 20 years of teaching experience, Mrs. Yonkers began her teaching career in Halifax County North Carolina as the Director of Bands at Enfield Middle School and the assistant Band Director at Southeast Halifax High School. In 2007, Mrs. Yonkers helped to open Elko Middle School as the Choral and Orchestra Director. Shortly thereafter, Elko Middle became the first middle school in Henrico County to receive the VMEA Blue Ribbon Award, which is the highest award given to schools' music programs in the Commonwealth of Virginia. In 2010 she was granted the opportunity to open another school, Holman Middle School, as the Director of Bands. In 2022, Mrs. Yonkers returned to Elko Middle School as the Director of Bands and also serves as the Assistant Band Director at Highland Springs High School.

Mrs. Yonkers has received numerous superior ratings at the State Middle School Band Assessments and has served as an adjudicator for middle and high school concert assessments in both North Carolina and Virginia. She also served two terms as the VBODA District I Instrumental Music Representative. Mrs. Yonkers feels every student that steps into her classroom will succeed. She believes every student has the ability to learn something from her and she can also learn from her students. She stands by the thought of motivational speaker Dr. Tim Lautzenheiser, "It is not what you will do, it is not what you can do, but it is what you do do."

Mrs. Yonkers professional affiliations include memberships in National Association for Music Education (NAfME), Virginia Music Educators Association (VMEA), Virginia Band and Orchestra Directors Association (VBODA), and President of the Richmond Chapter of the Norfolk State University Alumni Association. She is also a member of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. She is married to Mr. Davon Yonkers, and the proud mother of three beautiful children.

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Lauren Bristow
High School
Orchestra Conductor

Lauren Bristow currently serves as Director of Orchestras at Warhill High School in Williamsburg, Virginia. She holds a bachelor's degree in music education from James Madison University, where she studied violin with Dr. Wanchi Huang and conducting with Foster Beyers and Dr. Yi Ping Chen. As an active teacher, conductor, and violinist, Ms. Bristow has worked with students across the state of Virginia and is a recipient of the Virginia American String Teacher Association's Outstanding New Orchestra Director Award, Williamsburg Education Foundation Grant, and Delta Kappa Gamma Society Educational Grant. The Warhill Orchestra has received consistent superior ratings at district assessment and has been regularly invited to perform at the Virginia Symphony Showcase, and other various community collaborations. She has performed with the Northern Neck Orchestra, Hampton Roads Philharmonic, James Madison University Symphony, University of Mary Washington Philharmonic and VCU Medical Orchestras. Along with being an active player, she has been a clinician for various orchestral events, including the Williamsburg Youth Orchestra summer chamber music program, Summer Strings on the James, Shenandoah Valley Youth Symphony and Shenandoah Summer Strings. Previous teaching positions include violin instruction at Eastern Mennonite University and the Harrisonburg City Strings Program. Outside of teaching, she enjoys visiting the Shenandoah valley, cooking, and taking care of her pets. She would like to thank her students and their families, as well as Williamsburg-James City County Schools for their continued support of music in our schools.



Christina Johnson
Middle School
Orchestra Conductor

Christina Johnson is a music educator, conductor, and violist with over a two decades of experience nurturing the musical talents of young performers. She currently serves as General Music Teacher at Ware Academy, where she leads students from Pre-K through 8th grade in music education.

Her passion for accessible music education has been reflected in her work as a Suzuki instructor and with The Strings Crewe, a nonprofit serving rural communities in Virginia, and as music director and conductor of SONNY (Strings of the Northern Neck Youth). In these roles, she built thriving music programs from the ground up, inspiring students of all ages to collaborate, read music and develop teamwork skills through orchestral performance. Additionally, she spent five years teaching music in Japan, where she founded and conducted a small youth symphony for military children, providing them with opportunities to develop musical skills and experience ensemble performance outside of private lessons.

Ms. Johnson is a prominent performer and leader within the orchestral community and holds the role of Assistant Principal Viola with the Northern Neck Orchestra. She has also performed with the Richmond Symphony, Lansing Symphony, Boise Philharmonic and the Idaho Opera. In addition to her orchestral duties, she leads her own successful string quartet, that can be seen playing weddings and private events in the Richmond, Hampton Roads area.

Ms. Johnson holds a Bachelor of Arts in Music with a concentration in Viola and Opera from Virginia Commonwealth University. Her dedication and ongoing commitment to music education and orchestral leadership continues to shape the next generation of young musicians in Virginia and beyond!

Welcome our Guest Conductors



Dr. Miroslav Lončar
Guitar Conductor

Miroslav Lončar is an educator, performing artist, and composer for guitar, currently living and working in Northern Virginia. Dr. Lončar is the founder and artistic director of the Karlovac International Summer Guitar School in Croatia, the founder and conductor of Loudoun Youth Guitars, and the founder and president of the non-profit organization Aguado Guitar Concerts. Dr. Lončar started his music education in his native Croatia and went on to study in Austria, where he received his master's degree, and later in the United States, where he earned his doctorate. Miroslav Lončar has been performing on the classical guitar throughout Europe and the United States, mostly in the Klasinc&Lončar Guitar Duo with his wife, and with the Lončar Trio with their daughter Maya. Miroslav Lončar has been featured as a soloist with a number of symphony orchestras throughout the United States. He has recorded several albums including solo as well as collaborative ones with the Klasinc&Lončar Duo, Trio Bolero, the calypso group Kaiso, and others.

Miroslav Lončar writes educational and concert compositions for guitar and guitar ensembles. More than twenty-five books of his original compositions have been published by Les Productions d'Oz and Clear Note Publications. Dr. Lončar is also an active promoter of classical guitar, having organized numerous guitar concerts, concert series, master classes, competitions, and festivals.



Dr. Dionne Ellis
Elementary
Conductor

Dionne Ellis is a music specialist at Palmer Elementary School within Newport News Public Schools. She was named Teacher of the Year for the 2017–2018 school year at An Achievable Dream Academy and for the 2020–2021 school year at Hidenwood Elementary, where she also became a finalist for the district's Teacher of the Year award. With over twenty years of teaching experience, Dr. Ellis holds a Doctor of Educational Leadership degree from Hampton University, a Master of Education in Management and Supervision from the University of Phoenix, and a Bachelor of Music degree from Christopher Newport University. She is licensed in K–12 Choral Music and K–12 Administration and Supervision.

Dr. Ellis is an active member of the Sigma Alpha Iota (SAI) International Music Fraternity, a board member of the Tidewater Area Orff Chapter of AOSA (American Orff-Schulwerk Association), and serves as the District 8 Representative for both the Virginia Music Educators Association (VMEA) and the Virginia Elementary Music Educators Association (VEMEA). In her role as mentoring coordinator, she is a dedicated leader who inspires positive behaviors and fosters nurturing relationships between teachers and students.

Dr. Ellis founded Jam Joy, an improvisational xylophone youth ensemble, which performed at several community and civic events in its inaugural year. Passionate about teaching and enhancing children's artistic abilities, she firmly believes that every child has immense potential, which can be unlocked through visual and performing arts. This philosophy drives her commitment to excellence.

Dr. Ellis and her husband, Samuel, along with their son, Jullian, reside in Suffolk, Virginia.

6:00PM
Peebles Theatre
Middle School Concert

Vocal Ensemble
Conducted by: Dante Perry
Accompanist Tara Thompson

Awake My Song by Chris Fox
Soon I will be done by Linda Spevack
Dance by Robert Gibson

Orchestra Ensemble
Conducted by: Christina Johnson

Jupiter arr. by D. Monday
Mozart Symphony No 40 arr. by J. Caponegro
Ldwigs Tango arr. by R. Meyer
Le Rejouissance arr. by R. Meyer

Band Ensemble
Conducted by: Danielle Yonkers

Terracotta arr. W. Owens
Fighting Falcon March by T. Stalter
Epric by L. Clark
Cyclone by M. Oare

Performance selection order may vary at
Conductors discretion & piece preparedness

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All City Vocal Ensemble

Anthony Feggans, Crittenden
Londyn-Monae Smith, Crittenden
Jerry Sanders, Crittenden
Matthew Futrell, Crittenden
Nevaeh Maven, Crittenden
Aaliyah Womack, Crittenden
Davelle Kennison, Crittenden
Tycari Walker Dunston, Crittenden
Alexandra Scott, Crittenden
Jymia McDougal Smith, Crittenden
James Campbell, Ella Fitzgerald
Ausar Maxfield, Ella Fitzgerald
Anastasia Ajax, Ella Fitzgerald
Jania McAllister, Ella Fitzgerald
Nahiomy Soto Nunez, Ella Fitzgerald
Eyana Lewis-Tinsley ,Ella Fitzgerald
Kaliyah Burgess, Gildersleeve
Rosalie Fontanez, Gildersleeve
Alexis Guill, Gildersleeve
Victoria Hosely, Gildersleeve
Brylee Gulden, Gildersleeve
Yarria Hernandez, Gildersleeve
Nataly Melson, Gildersleeve
Ameliah Olivio, Gildersleeve
Alexa Rawlison, Gildersleeve
Piper West, Gildersleeve
Ja'Shaun Mitchell-Diggs, Gildersleeve
Tra'Shon White, Gildersleeve
Isaiah Wooten, Gildersleeve
Mariah Gordon, Hines
Je'Khyla Berry, Hines
Juan Sandoval, Hines
Zion Clarke, Hines
Payton Bohon, Hines
Reagan Jacobs, Hines

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All City Orchestra
Middle School Ensemble

Andrew Hill, Crittenden
Ava Marie Trias, Crittenden
William Martinez Cruz, Crittenden
Romello Goodson, Crittenden
Napone Bost, Crittenden
Valentina Huayhualla, Crittenden
Arielle Bailey, Crittenden
Vanessa Cox, Ella Fitzgerald
Jaiden Manalato, Ella Fitzgerald
Stephanie Moreira-Quintero, Ella Fitzgerald
Sydney Jacobs, Ella Fitzgerald
Savannah Johnson, Ella Fitzgerald
Aerilynn Harden, Ella Fitzgerald
Samantha Breeden, Ella Fitzgerald
Emma Zimmermann, Ella Fitzgerald
Imani Roberson, Ella Fitzgerald
Omniaa Reid, Ella Fitzgerald
Selah Eley, Ella Fitzgerald
Hadassah Bates, Ella Fitzgerald
Avery Van Houten, Gildersleeve
Makenzie Janke, Gildersleeve
Makayla Kirby, Gildersleeve
Trent Brandao, Gildersleeve
Janina Lin, Gildersleeve
Ava Harvat, Gildersleeve
Makenzie Mazzola, Gildersleeve
Jean Ecchevaria Torres, Gildersleeve
Layla Fulgham, Gildersleeve
Justin Lin, Gildersleeve

Ella Cardona, Gildersleeve
Anne Mateo-Tomas, Gildersleeve
Dior Daniels, Gildersleeve
Adela Larrieu, Gildersleeve
William Jordan, Gildersleeve
Daniel Fallejo, Gildersleeve
Netta Marziano, Gildersleeve
Jacob Buszard, Hines
Saul Ordonez-Diaz, Hines
Angel Mateo-Gonzalez, Hines
Lauren Pye, Hines
Alexander Riddle, Hines
Natalie Whiley, Passage
Ashlyn Bieckert, Passage
Savannah Shepard, Passage
Shawn Randall, Passage
Hayleigh Archibald, Passage
Veronika Joyce, Passage
Cameron Clark, Passage
Isaiah Perez, Passage
Michael Byrd, Huntington
Carlisa Glass, Huntington

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All City Middle School Band Ensemble

Conner Griffin, Crittenden
Jalyn Wilks, Crittenden
Aubrianna Lee, Crittenden
Ariyon Gantt Joyner, Crittenden
Madison Collins, Crittenden
Jamari Disnew, Crittenden
Harrison Beck, Crittenden
Malaiah Washington, Crittenden
Kaliyah Register, Ella Fitzgerald
Julian Jenkins, Ella Fitzgerald
Carmello Tyler, Ella Fitzgerald
Aliyah Chappell, Ella Fitzgerald
Zamira Bonneau, Ella Fitzgerald
Zoey Stanley, Ella Fitzgerald
Mera Taky, Ella Fitzgerald
Vicky Chang, Ella Fitzgerald
Bentley Teter, Ella Fitzgerald
Jackson Newland, Ella Fitzgerald
Megan Carroll, Ella Fitzgerald
Brielle Jackson, Ella Fitzgerald
Addyson O'Berry, Gildersleeve
Carter Lee, Gildersleeve
Fenton Weymouth-German, Gildersleeve
Jhayden Evans, Gildersleeve
Evan McCarter, Gildersleeve
Isabella Moyer, Gildersleeve
Peyton Telfare, Gildersleeve
Jeremiah Pettie, Gildersleeve
Jude Smith, Gildersleeve
Caleb Rogers, Gildersleeve
Lucas Crippen, Gildersleeve
Joshua Holloway, Gildersleeve
Camryn Reynolds, Gildersleeve
Marlia Brathwaite, Gildersleeve
Chiara Leone, Hines
Addison Floyd, Hines
Patrick Chambers, Hines
Aniyah Windley, Hines
Rylee Edwards, Hines
Thu Le, Hines
Daniella Rodriguez, Hines
Christian Monjaras, Hines
Amira Ajlani, Hines
Jaidon Tarver, Hines
Dimitri Malinowski, Hines
Aryka McPherson, Hines
Elijah Damper, Hines
Emma Grant, Hines
William Kelley, Huntington
Zion Givens, Huntington
Brandi Davis, Huntington
Diana Melendez, Passage
Trinity Swarn, Passage
Aryanna Lewis, Passage
Noah Brown, Passage
Greyson Cantrell, Passage
Jeremiah Shavers, Passage
Alexander Rouse, Passage
Quincy Nason, Passage
Kaniah Forrest, Passage
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7:15 PM
Diamonstein Theatre
High School Concert, featuring Elementary Choir

Elementary Vocal Ensemble
Conducted by: Dr. Dionne Ellis & Heather Bagnall

It's All Right
Dancing In the Street

Choir Ensemble
Conducted by: Frankie James
Accompanist Kasey Watkins

The Night will Never Stay by J. Herrington
All My Trials arr. by N. Luboff
I've Got Joy by O. Gross, J. Gross & A. Flowers

Guitar Ensemble
Conducted by: Dr. Miroslav Loncar

Aria (Lascia ch'io pianga) by G.F. Handel arr. J. Eriksson
And I Love Her by Lennon/McCartney arr. T. Mata
Blues Suite: Early Morning Blues by M. Lončar

Orchestra Ensemble
Conducted by: Lauren Bristow

Andante Festivo by J. Sibelius
Night Voyage by H. Day
Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen by C. Gruselle
Americas Cup by A. Silva

Band Ensemble
Conducted by: Dr. Nicholas Snead

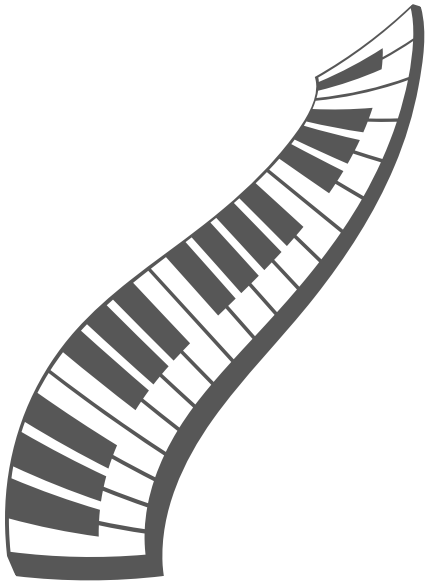
Choose Joy by R. Standridge
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Elementary Vocal Ensemble

Brooklyn Davis, An Achievable Dream
Londyn Davis, An Achievable Dream
Amilith Nunez, An Achievable Dream
Destiny Sobers, An Achievable Dream
Adaya Thomas, An Achievable Dream
Bristol Bradberry, BC Charles
Elena Pereira, BC Charles
Adrian Malone, BC Charles
Nomathemba (Joy) Munyaradzi, BC Charles
Hayden Reeher, BC Charles
Savannah Beauvais, Deer Park
Evelyn Newcomb, Deer Park
Cristian Terry, Deer Park
Savanna Terry, Deer Park
Josephine Theriault, Deer Park
Jewel Batchelor, Discovery Stem Academy
Robert Brown, Discovery Stem Academy
Mackenzie Hawkins, Discovery Stem Academy
Jackson Lee, Discovery Stem Academy
Amber Thomas, Discovery Stem Academy
Tinsley Jackman, Dutrow
Donnell Lewis, Dutrow
Gisselle Martinez-Barcenas, Dutrow
Naveen Paul ,Dutrow
Bristol Ulmer, Dutrow
Isabelle Curran, General Stanford
Ryder Jackman, General Stanford
Elisha Kettle, General Stanford
Riley Meyers, General Stanford
Naomi Santos, General Stanford
Lamar Arboine, Greenwood
Taraji Gwynn, Greenwood
Norah Twine, Greenwood
Sabrayah Vinson, Greenwood
Cameron Wyatt, Greenwood
Kynnedy Anderson, Hidenwood
Sabrina Brown, Hidenwood
Eric Greaver, Hidenwood
Marlo Holmes, Hidenwood
Emonie Roscoe, Hidenwood
Farrah Carter, Hilton
Stella Grabowski, Hilton
Penn Hunter, Hilton
Sophia Johnson, Hilton
Charolette Thornton, Hilton
Nichol Aquino-Ayar, Jenkins
Mia Collins, Jenkins
Skai Isaac, Jenkins
Ava Jones, Jenkins
Jasmine Odwori, Jenkins
Jeynna Matos-Romero, Jenkins
Delaney Byrd, Katherine Johnson
Kayden Johnson, Katherine Johnson
Ka'miyah Said, Katherine Johnson
Peighton Shuler, Katherine Johnson
Princess Yawson, Katherine Johnson
Mackenzie Fleming, Kiln Creek
Mia Rose Gomero, Kiln Creek
Joyelle Harris, Kiln Creek
Ava Lewis, Kiln Creek
Brielle Wyatt, Kiln Creek
Zyanne Bentley, Knollwood Meadows
Suzanna Campbell, Knollwood Meadows
Emily Phillips, Knollwood Meadows
Cree Proctor, Knollwood Meadows
Novea Smalls, Knollwood Meadows
Robyn Holloman, McIntosh
Ah'mir Jones, McIntosh
Sahary Lugo Rivera, McIntosh
Josiah Powell, McIntosh
Ailyn Reyes Herrera, McIntosh
Rahliyah Copeland, Newsome Park
Elias Crowder, Newsome Park
Jaelynn Floyd, Newsome Park
Catalina Newton, Newsome Park
Malik Thomas, Newsome Park
Chloee Davis, Palmer
Hailey Ferguson-Adamson, Palmer
Johnny Fuentes-Mejia, Palmer
Robert Kelley, Palmer
Malachi Williams, Palmer
Amara Coleman, Richneck
Ava Crawford, Richneck
Arielle Davis, Richneck
Avianna Lopez Cruz, Richneck
Kamryn Moore, Richneck
Amir Abdullah, Riverside
Amilya Block, Riverside
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Ryann Nuttall, Riverside
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Sophia Firman, Sedgefield
Zamiyah Jefferson, Sedgefield
Mykal Kearse, Sedgefield
Janiyah Santos, Sedgefield
Tesla Lucke, Stoney Run
Rylee Mack, Stoney Run
Lyriq Pettaway, Stoney Run
Tariyah Taylor, Stoney Run
Willow Abbott, Yates
Khy'leigh Elliot, Yates
Isla Hedden, Yates
Lillian Leatherbury, Yates
Althea Mabaet, Yates

High School
All City Vocal Ensemble

Ananda Rivera , Denbigh
Tahlia Hackett, Denbigh
Jhameia Hoff-Lattimore, Denbigh
Kimberly Jimenez, Denbigh
Patricia Staples, Denbigh
Alondra Soto Nunez, Denbigh
Nicholas Brown, Denbigh
McKenzie Calistro, Denbigh
Destinee Hinton, Denbigh
Halle Jones, Denbigh
Darius Cooper, Denbigh
Noah Greene, Denbigh
Jhamere Harden, Denbigh
Ariezz Pope, Heritage
Trinity McGowan, Heritage
Harmonie Barnes, Heritage
Ginani Darden, Heritage
Avaiyah Robinson, Heritage
Xiona Winns, Heritage
Madison Cliffton-Johnson, Heritage
Kamari Almond, Heritage
Danaeya Jones, Heritage
Treasure Davis, Heritage
Janaisia Whitehead, Heritage
Naveah Williams, Heritage
Micah Scott, Heritage
Keondre Crumble, Heritage
Jaylin Daniels, Heritage
Chauncey Griffin, Heritage
Talan Russell, Heritage
Tyrese Greene, Heritage
Robert Membreno-Torres, Heritage
Christopher Sheppard, Heritage

Grace O'Neal, Menchville
Alexis Gardner, Menchville
Tessa Goodwin, Menchville
Stephanie Rodriguez-Flores, Menchville
Leaira Jones, Menchville
Denise McCoy, Menchville
Madeline Rusinko, Menchville
Alyssa Rivera, Menchville
Amy Queen, Menchville
Camila Islas, Menchville
Kyleigh Johnson, Menchville
Madison Selvy, Menchville
Autumn Price, Menchville
Jae'Senia Randolph, Menchville
Jose' McCauley, Menchville
Emilio Stevens, Menchville
Gabriel Wesby, Menchville
Nicholas Mazzola, Menchville
Kirshaun Davis, Menchville
Ross Davis, Menchville
Victoria Presnell, Menchville
Jamya Bonnette, Warwick
Amaria Jones, Warwick
Chloe Sebert, Warwick
Itzel Zuniga, Warwick
Peyton Jacobs, Warwick
Bianca Marrow, Warwick
Harmony Nunnery, Warwick
LaShay Williams, Warwick

Jaylee Ybarra-Boyters, Warwick
Makaiyla Taylor, Warwick
Railan Miles, Warwick
Aidan Bolton-McKinnley, Warwick
Kiea Henderson-Brooks, Warwick
Janiyah Stallings, Warwick
Emilly Morrison, Warwick
Seniyah Johnson, Warwick
Mylinda Abilar, Warwick
Railan Miles, Warwick
Casey York ,Warwick
Abe Lynerd, Warwick
Daniyla Ayers, Woodside
Nadia Bethany, Woodside
Alexa Morales-Alberti, Woodside
Raniya Rashko, Woodside
Trinity White, Woodside
Latifah Hassana, Woodside
Taryn Wheeler, Woodside
Vivian Williams, Woodside
Carolyn Allen, Woodside
Patricia Eliaba, Woodside
Danni Kearney, Woodside
Cherrie Odionyi, Woodside
Leah Williams, Woodside
Lizbeth Esparza, Woodside
Alysanna Morgan, Woodside
Karina Morris, Woodside
Ellicia Saunders, Woodside
Lanea Tran, Woodside
Cara Travis, Woodside
Nevaeh Wise, Woodside
Caeden McSharry, Woodside
Devin Barbour, Woodside
Noah Egbo, Woodside
Kayden Gragg, Woodside
Ben Lowry, Woodside

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Gage Hawkins, Menchville
Mariah James-Plummer, Menchville
Anthony Jones, Menchville
Aiden Lilly, Menchville
Jonah Marine, Menchville
Amari Marshall, Menchville
Denise McCoy, Menchville
Matthew Park, Menchville
Dylan Recchia, Menchville
Collin Ward, Menchville
Brandon Le, Menchville
Colin Minter, Menchville
Jaden Snider, Menchville
Micah Viars, Menchville
Zachary Bryant, Warwick
Kevin Rivera-Luis, Warwick
Adam Keatts, Warwick
Zeljko Kuzmanovic, Warwick
Jacob Mowery, Warwick
Micah Kelly, Warwick

Victoria Araizaga, Woodside
Diontrae Barkers, Woodside
Aajayla Beveritt, Woodside
Streeter Butts, Woodside
Austin Gore, Woodside
Brayden Grant, Woodside
Alanna Hines, Woodside
De Asia Johnson, Woodside
Jemma Lee, Woodside
Kendall Lewars, Woodside
Kin Mang, Woodside
Roberto Mosquera-Verdugo, Woodside
Arsenio Nazario, Woodside
Sergio Reconco-Canizales, Woodside
Jalen Ross, Woodside
Teyla Scales, Woodside
Avaya Semear, Woodside
Jayden Simons, Woodside
Stephen Tweedly, Woodside
Seliyah Viens, Woodside
Melissa Zaragoza-Gonzalez, Woodside
Brady Bedsaul, Menchville
Nicolas Chapman, Menchville
Lillyana Chavez, Menchville
Adler Frandenburgh, Menchville

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All City Orchestra
High School Ensemble

Ruth Michaella Botor, Denbigh
Makiyah Paige, Denbigh
Kobe Langen, Menchville
Bernard Kim, Menchville
Caleb Linker, Menchville
Leslie Turner, Menchville
Alexander Mendez, Menchville
Jazmine Ashby, Menchville
Molly Kirkpatrick, Menchville
Lola Moise-Creque, Menchville
Joella Goeller, Menchville
Courtney Turner, Menchville
Emora Reid, Menchville
Annie Nguyen, Menchville



Darius Taylor, Menchville
Spencer Lloyd, Menchville
Jacy Brooks, Menchville
Denise McCoy, Menchville
Alisha Lawson, Warwick
John Steiner, Warwick
Tyler Pickett, Woodside
Dianbher Benedict Aratas, Woodside
Evan Yarborough, Woodside
Kawtar Aljani, Woodside
Angel Harris, Woodside
Evan Craft, Woodside
Adrian Martinez-Lopez, Woodside
Nevaeh Gwynn, Woodside
Jayden Bloise, Woodside
Jasara Faison, Woodside
Gabriella Williams, Woodside
John Foster, Woodside
Samantha Ho-Olinger, Woodside
Emmalee Benton, Woodside
Tristin Harriman, Woodside
Kin Nhine, Woodside
Jayden Freeman ,Woodside

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All City High School Band Ensemble

Layla Morehart, Denbigh
Kyra Reddick, Denbigh
Ayve-Marie Alford, Denbigh
Sanaa Henry, Denbigh
Joshua Utkin, Denbigh
Chase Barrett, Denbigh
Jacob Brooks, Denbigh
Demitri Nason, Denbigh
Logan Mason, Heritage
Nigel McCallum, Heritage
Aniya Walker, Heritage
Stephon Hunter, Heritage
Makayla Outlaw, Heritage
Jaliyah Deans, Heritage
Rihanna Drumgoole, Heritage
Kellen Armstead, Heritage
Madyson Brown, Heritage
Saniya Hundley-Sweeney, Heritage
Jaheim Greene, Heritage
Jerome Vorwald, Menchville
Vance Corpuz, Menchville
Kaylee Briggs, Menchville
Aidan Powers, Menchville
Stephanie McCoy, Menchville
Christian Wennin, Menchville
Bryan Hutson, Menchville
Lauren Greathouse, Menchville
Caroline Cerny, Menchville
Hazel Benoit, Menchville
Connor Landers, Menchville
Anthony Roman, Menchville
Shawn Gurangus, Menchville
Sto Sullivan, Menchville
Lucas Jahn, Menchville
Abigail Mayer, Menchville
Henry Drozda, Menchville
Sarah Spitzer, Menchville
Steven Slabaugh, Menchville
DaShawn Andrews, Menchville
Justice Gariba, Menchville
Kayla Holloman, Menchville
Cecilia Sherman, Menchville
Deborah Ludy, Menchville
Joey Lowder, Menchville
Xavier Tomlin, Menchville
Kody Brindle, Warwick
Gabriel Barth, Warwick
Jonathan Hayes, Warwick
Leonna Vaughn, Warwick
Zachariah Cherenet, Warwick
Xavier Wallace, Warwick
Selena Rodriguez Martinez, Warwick
Jacob Rodriguez, Warwick
Mon'ie Teeter, Warwick
Diego Carrillo, Woodside
Anaya Weatherspoon, Woodside
Justin Gibbs, Woodside
Ke'Ami Little, Woodside
Roslyn Twala, Woodside
Kariah Jones, Woodside
Ari Rodriguez, Woodside
Cassie Jaggers, Woodside
Abigail Arnold, Woodside
Liam Barnstead, Woodside
Colin Smallridge, Woodside
Raelyn Flanagan, Woodside
KJ Bradshaw, Woodside
Omari Bethea, Woodside

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