

Dutchess County Music Educators' Association

**2018 Elementary All-County Festival**



**DCMEA**

Saturday, March 10, 2018

*(Snow Date - March 17, 2018)*

2:00pm - Chorus

3:30pm - Band & Orchestra

Arthur S. May Elementary School

# Dutchess County Music Educators Association

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# Participating Dutchess County School Districts

## Arlington Central School District

ASM Arthur S. May School  
BEK Beekman Elementary School  
LMS LaGrange Middle School  
NOX Noxon Road Elementary School  
TIS Titusville Intermediate School  
UVM Union Vale Middle School  
VFE Vail Farm Elementary School  
WRI West Road Intermediate School

*Hollis Bakke, Marisa Bettina, Frank Camiola, Mia Chong, Brett Fleury, Michael Garabedian, Meghan Guzzo, John Harper, Renee Hughes, Janet Ohnikian, Lauren Regan, Kristina Rizzo, Leanne Sowul, Lisa Stach-Fraitag, Heather Sullivan, Michael Tiskowitz, Matthew Zydel*

## Beacon City School District

GES Glenham Elementary School  
JVF J.V. Forrestal Elementary School  
RMS Rombout Middle School  
SES Sargent Elementary School  
SAV South Avenue Elementary School

*Shaun Cunningham, Karen Federico, Cheryl Lange, Maureen Stickney*

## Dover Union Free School District

DVE Dover Elementary School  
DVM Dover Middle School

*Alicia Civiok, Samantha Fay, Justin Stockslager*

## Hyde Park Central School District

HMS Haviland Middle School  
NTH Netherwood Elementary School  
NPE North Park Elementary School  
RRS Ralph R. Smith Elementary School

*Jessica Brehm, GERALYN Ely, Monica Enright, Catherine Lang, Allison McCann, Sam Newsome*

## Millbrook Central School District

ALD Alden Place Elementary School  
MMS Millbrook Middle School

*Alexis Bresnahan, Daniel Dunninger, Craig Fryer, Heidi Tucci*

## Pawling Central School District

PWM Pawling Middle School

*Hannah Geiling*

## Pine Plains Central School District

SSI Seymour Smith Intermediate Learning Center  
STH Stissing Mountain Junior/Senior High  
*Constance Kessel, Erin Marlow*

## Private Schools

DDS Dutchess Day School  
FCA Faith Christian Academy  
PDS Poughkeepsie Day School

SMF St. Mary's of Fishkill  
SMD St. Martin de Porres

TCA Tabernacle Christian Academy  
ULC Upton Lake Christian School

*Lisa Bellino, Gillian Eames, Ann Foster, Laura Gabor, Brielle Grover, Isabelle Kim, Carol Phillips*

## Red Hook Central School District

LAM Linden Ave Middle School  
MRE Mill Road Elementary School

*Kyle Pogemiller, Cara Silvernail*

## Rhinebeck Central School District

BUL Bulkeley Middle School  
CHL Chancellor Livingston Elementary School

*Sandra Kane, Laura Natalie, Marla Ulrich*

## Spackenkill Union Free School District

HAG Hagan Elementary School  
OAT Orville A. Todd Middle School

*Jeannine Berube, Pennie Burgess, Gretchen Franca, Kim Valentine*

## Wappingers Central School District

BRK Brinckerhoff Elementary School  
FPE Fishkill Plains Elementary School  
GHE Gayhead Elementary School

JSE James S. Evans Elementary School  
KIN Kinry Road Elementary School

MCE Myers Corners Elementary School  
OAK Oak Grove Elementary School

*Shannon Banda, Bob Brainerd, Bradley Closson, Dina Cupano, Carmen Garcia, Jovialis Gricius, Kristen Hershman, Steven Kieley, Christina Ritter, James Trainor, Micia Trainor, Christopher Wengert*

## Webutuck Central School District

EBI Eugene Brooks Intermediate School

*Jay Bradley, Eric Wiener*

# 2018 DCMEA Elementary All-County Chorus

**Mrs. Lauren Peithmann, Conductor**

Mrs. Hollis Bakke & Mr. Matthew Zydel, Chairpersons

*Mrs. Jodie McCaffrey, Accompanist*

Lauren Peithmann is the choral director at Salem High School in Salem, New Hampshire, where she conducts the Concert Chorus. She also directs the school's auditioned ensemble, the Devilettes, and assists with the school musical. She is the secretary for the New Hampshire chapter of the American Choral Director's Association.

Prior to her work in Salem, Lauren taught choral music at several schools, including Hunter College High School in NYC. Lauren was an Assistant Conductor with the Young People's Chorus of New York City from 2004-2007. Lauren has performed with the Oratorio Society of New York, the Monmouth Civic Chorus, the Yale Camerata and Yale Schola Cantorum, and as a soloist with the Yale Glee Club on their tour of South America in 2009. She has also directed church choirs in New Hampshire, Connecticut and New Jersey. She has guest conducted festival choirs in New Hampshire, New York, and Pennsylvania.

Lauren holds a Bachelor's Degree in Music Education from Ithaca College, and a Master's Degree in Choral Conducting from Yale University. She lives in Chester, New Hampshire with her husband Adam, who is an organist, and her two daughters, Audrey and Annie.

An Die Musik.....Franz Schubert

Dona Nobis Pacem.....Traditional/arr. DiOrio

When I Close My Eyes.....Jim Papoulis

Spring.....Dave Riley/arr. Riley & White

Mornin' Glory.....Traditional/arr. Dilworth

# All-County Orchestra Personnel

## Violin

Yashaswini Bonthu	TIS
Charlotte Buch	DDS
Matthew Canzone	KIN
Miranda Colacchio	LMS
Cadence Collier	TIS
Maria Commisso	UVM
Alyssa DeLaurentis	OAT
Graysen Delsignore	UVM
Adriana Diaz	NOX
James Dlugozima	UVM
Laila Eshel	CHL
Sam Fleming	BUL
Johnny Gao	ASM
Jacqueline Gill	HAG
Ramya Gorti	UVM
Madeline Guldner	UVM
Eric Guzman	BRK
Maya Jabcuga	LMS
Daniel Jea	OAT
Angelina Kim	OAT
Rachel Lee	UVM
Tiffany Li	TIS
Elena Lieto	BEK
Olivia Lieto	UVM
Nikki Lopez	UVM
Arianna Lutz	NOX
Kayleigh Maloney	UVM
Jessica Murphy	JSE
Katie Park	HAG
Maya Quon	BUL
Isabella Rosanio	BRK
Lilly Santora	UVM
Joshua Smith	LMS
Dylan Sturomski	SMF
Londyn Tobias	NPE
April Wang	TIS
Morgan Whitesell	TIS
Holden Williams	TIS
York Zhou	VFE
Alex Zhu	GHE
Andy Zhu	OAT

## Viola

Janneke Baks	WRI
Amanda Barrett	HMS
Kyla Bozkaya	LMS
Liam Carlson	GHE
Sophia Cheng	OAK
Bryan Cheung	FPE
Julia Daly	UVM
Ryan Freedman	OAT
Maia Golden-Daly	ASM
Gabriella Habib	BRK
Charles Jensen	LMS
Rebecca Murnin	NOX
Shane Rostron	JSE
Joanna Wong	KIN

## Cello

Francesco Bellomo	FPE
Olivia Cassieri	BRK
Gabriella Conca	UVM
Ava Eraca	NOX
Kayla Gordineer	LMS
Jack Handman	TIS
Francesca Kim	FCA
Thit-Sar Kyaw	HAG
Annina Lloyd	LMS
Noah Mellen	TIS
Rebecca Pratt	UVM
Bradley Qiu	FPE
Monica Reyes	NOX
Alex Tomkins	WRI
Brunella Torriani	WRI
Brendan Wu	GHE

## String Bass

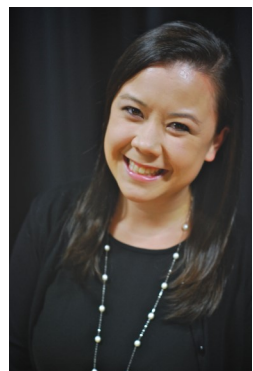
Jack Faranda	VFE
Sophia Gates	LMS
Jocelyn Pepe	UVM
Caroline Sniffen	VFE
Julius Stratton	HMS
Effie Thomas	HAG

# 2018 DCMEA Elementary All-County

## Orchestra

**Mrs. Michelle Milligan, Conductor**

**Mr. Frank Camiola & Mrs. Heather Sullivan, Chairpersons**



Michelle (Fleischman) Milligan is currently the orchestra director at Robert Frost Middle School in Fairfax, Virginia. She has worked for Fairfax County Public Schools since 2011 and has taught at Frost Middle School, Willow Springs Elementary and Centreville Elementary Schools. Under her direction, the Frost Middle School orchestras have received consistent Superior ratings at District Assessment. Most recently, the Frost Middle School Chamber Orchestra was invited to perform at the Virginia State Music Educators Association Conference in November 2017. Michelle Milligan was also the guest conductor for the Alexandria, VA All-City 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Orchestra in 2017. Mrs. Milligan is known for her enthusiasm for music, and her strength in program growth and retention, nearly doubling all of the programs that she has had the pleasure of working with. Mrs. Milligan has served as a member of the Fairfax County Public Schools Fine Arts Curriculum Team since 2014, and is currently the President of the Fairfax County Orchestra Director's Association. She also performs with the American Festival Pops Orchestra, Manassas Chorale, Friends and Family Chamber Orchestra, and Fairfax Chamber Players. Mrs. Milligan graduated Magna Cum Laude from the Honors College at George Mason University with a Bachelor of Music in Music Education in 2011. There, she studied violin with National Symphony violinist Peter Haase and conducting with Anthony Maiello. She was a member of the George Mason University Symphony Orchestra and Chamber Orchestra, as well as the school's pep band Doc Nix and the Green Machine. She received the Achievement Award for Professional Preparation from the School of Music. Mrs. Milligan is a native of Poughkeepsie, NY and graduated from Spackenkill Union Free School District in 2007. She was a member of the Stringendo Orchestra School of the Hudson Valley and was a camper, counselor, and guest-teacher at Stringendo Summer Strings Camp. Her inspiration to become a music educator comes largely from her teachers: Jonathan Handman, Emily Schaad, Marka Young and Marissa Kaczynski. She attended the DCMEA All-County as a student in 2000 and 2001 and is excited to be back as a guest-conductor.

Western Dawn.....Alan Lee Silva

Thunderstruck.....Sean O'Loughlin

Jupiter.....Holst/arr. Monday

Conquistador .....Deborah Baker Monday

# All-County Chorus Personnel

### Soprano

Lena Abdelrahman PDS  
 Summer Anderson DVE  
 Emma Barton FPE  
 Taryn Beardsley JVF  
 Adam Birchwood NTH  
 Asa Caramico PDS  
 Elizabeth Carbone SAV  
 Celestino Carrasquillo RMS  
 Gianluca Cioffi PWM  
 Madelyn Clark PWM  
 Leon Cleveland PWM  
 Mackenzie Courtien DVM  
 Julia DeLaurentis OAT  
 Isabella Della Rossa DVM  
 Stella DelMazza Rocha ALD  
 Riley Dobbins RRS  
 Ryley Dolan ALD  
 Anna Frost KIN  
 Lydia Fullum NPE  
 Patrick Galligan KIN  
 Messiah Gardner GES  
 Marguerite Gavaletz NPE  
 Anthony Grossi FPE  
 Noelle Haase JVF  
 Juliane Hansen FCA  
 Thomas Iorio NPE  
 Sarahlynn Jaafar SES  
 Lily Jessup RRS  
 Rory LaDue SES  
 Marissa Maldonado RMS  
 Emma Manning EBI  
 Maeve McCormack DVE  
 Isabella McDermott HAG  
 Rachel Nelson-Young EBI  
 Josie O'Leary PWM

### Soprano (continued)

Emmy Perez HMS  
 Rachel Prongay FPE  
 Julia Reuter HMS  
 Christine Robinson SAV  
 Alyssa Romano NTH  
 Lauren Santiago FCA  
 Kasey Sartoris NTH  
 Jack Tagliamonte HMS  
 Breanna Torres HMS  
 Sarah Vincent DVM  
 Nicholas Weibrecht OAT  
 Saniyah Wiltshire GES  
 Graciela Wray-Rivera HAG  
 Kara Yalanis TCA  
 Ellie Yarolimek TCA  
 Nicholas Yerger ULC  
 Virginia Zengen ULC

### Alto

Laila Alam BUL  
 Basilia Anderson BRK  
 Denver Baca CHL  
 Alison Benkwitt BRK  
 Noah Browne CHL  
 Sophia Bruno NOX  
 Corrine Cady WRI  
 Julia Campbell GHE  
 Jade Cepeda WRI  
 Samyra Cicala TIS  
 Emma Cruz Cruz ASM  
 Nicholas Cuadra MCE  
 Ethan Daukontas UVM  
 Kylie Drago STH  
 Ava Dvorak GHE  
 Margaux Epter BUL

### Alto (continued)

Julia Faust MCE  
 Kira Finley NOX  
 Camryn Fisher UVM  
 Alma Gabriel JSE  
 Cassandra Gallagher UVM  
 Savanah Hidalgo TIS  
 Leila Hill JSE  
 Sarah Holtman LAM  
 Katie Ignal TIS  
 Rachel Kahn BUL  
 Nicolas Kershaw GHE  
 Renee Kubsch MRE  
 Patrick Laffin WRI  
 Raela Lee BRK  
 EmiJo Lucarini WRI  
 Violet Mackey MMS  
 Christina Maisonet STH  
 Leah Merino MRE  
 Lola Miller GHE  
 Colean Murphy VFE  
 Jay Nagua ASM  
 Logan Oles WRI  
 Alyssa Ortiz BRK  
 Stephen Polichetti MCE  
 Marina Reyes LAM  
 Matthew Russo GHE  
 Claire Ryder MCE  
 Eva Sasvary MRE  
 Ilana Schaad MMS  
 Ben Van Wormer CHL  
 Olivia Vasquez UVM  
 Emily Velardi ASM  
 Ella Yanoti TIS  
 Christopher Zimmerli VFE

# 2018 DCMEA Elementary All-County Band

**Mr. Steve Frank, Conductor**

**Mrs. Renee Hughes, Chairperson**



Steve Frank, recently retired from the West Genesee Central School District, Camillus, New York, has enjoyed a long career in music education, with over thirty-five years of experience as a band and jazz band director at the elementary, middle, high school, and college and university level. He has also served as the Education Program Director for the internationally acclaimed Syracuse Jazz Fest, Frank Malfitano, Executive Director, from 2003 through 2013. Steve is currently a member of the adjunct faculty at the Setnor School of Music, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y., where he serves as both a course instructor in the music education department as well as a university appointed supervisor of student teachers. He has studied as a trombone performance major at the doctoral level at the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, N.Y., and holds a M.M. in

Music Performance from Youngstown State University, Youngstown, Ohio, and a B.M. in Music Education from the Crane School of Music, Potsdam, New York. Among his many awards and honors, Steve was inducted into the Syracuse Area Music Awards (SAMMY) Hall Of Fame as the 2010 Music Educator of the year. In 2006, he received a special award granted by International Association for Jazz Education (IAJE) in recognition of his “outstanding contributions” and “tireless dedication and leadership” in promoting and facilitating scholastic jazz education in Central New York, and in 2002, he was honored to be named an “Outstanding Music Educator in the field of Instrumental Music- Band” by the musicians of the Syracuse Symphony Orchestra. In 2001, Steve received the Onondaga Community College Faculty Appreciation Award in recognition of his “outstanding and dedicated service to the college.” As a free-lance professional trombonist, Steve has performed and recorded with groups as diverse as the Syracuse Symphony Orchestra, the Detroit Concert Band (Leonard B. Smith, director), the rock band La La Land, and a multitude of jazz and swing bands. He is also a composer and arranger, with published compositions for elementary concert band (Alfred Music Publishing, C. L. Barnhouse Company) and for trombone and trombone ensemble (Ensemble Publications) among his many works. His instrumental music supplement series, The Good Book (Frankenbush Publishing), has been used for years by music teachers across New York State. Steve’s composition “Variations on Barnacle Bill, the Sailor” has been performed and recorded by trombonists from around the world, including Charlie Vernon, bass trombonist of the Chicago Symphony.

Swashbuckler’s March.....Mark Williams

Aggressivo.....Randall Standridge

Midnight Sky.....Brian Balmages

Doctor Rock .....Steve Frank

# All-County Band Personnel

## Flute

Katherine Diamond TIS  
 Olivia Farnham EBI  
 Marisol Flores HMS  
 Rosi Garcia-Renart BUL  
 Ben Hambleton STH  
 Michaela Jacobs UVM  
 Tatum Roidl DVE  
 JoAnna Voigt EBI  
 Adelaide Wiedeman TIS  
 Olivia Zitz BRK

## Oboe

Molly Murphy MMS

## Clarinet

Nicholas Bielanos UVM  
 Emily Corbin MMS  
 Kelvin Dong LMS  
 Milo Francavilla STH  
 Julia Hall MMS  
 Taylor Huchro BEK  
 Lyndsay Johnson EBI  
 Kayleigh Lockard HMS  
 Kiersten McCarthy UVM  
 Victoria Moranda JSE  
 Luiz Resurreccion JSE  
 Claudia Romero UVM  
 Elyse Seldin BUL  
 Riley Thirlwall EBI

## Bass Clarinet

Marlena DeLaurentis OAT  
 Miller Kapfhammer TIS

## Alto Saxophone

Joshua Andrada TIS  
 Serafina Fauci MMS  
 Jamison Fountain ALD  
 Michael Pomeroy VFE  
 Joseph St. Onge DVM

## Tenor Saxophone

Max Heggenstaller STH  
 Collin Pfeifer MMS

## Baritone Saxophone

James Hogan UVM

## French Horn

Anne DelRosso KIN  
 Marco Kibel DiCola BUL  
 Aiden Pfisterer ALD

## Trumpet

Matthew Darcy OAT  
 Kate Gehlhoff MMS  
 Andrew Hanscom OAK  
 Elizabeth Hieter STH  
 Max Labouseur LMS  
 Sylvia MacNish WRI  
 Charles Munson BEK  
 Logan Purcell UVM  
 Julia Stasaitis UVM  
 Madison Stolarski TIS

## Trombone

Amanze Aguwa NOX  
 Griffin Bialy MMS  
 Spencer Bretttholtz BEK  
 Logan Duffy LMS  
 Atticus Eglinski MMS  
 Halle Guillen TIS  
 Noah Ruesseler HMS

## Euphonium

Joshua Dolansky STH  
 Donovan Pung UVM  
 Jack Rickard WRI

## Tuba

Rose Duddy TIS

## Percussion

Matthew Cross LMS  
 Gavin Flynn ASM  
 Gabriel Hieter STH  
 Aubrey Lawler OAK  
 Savannah Nivel TCA  
 Steven Palomba MMS  
 Ryan Turoff UVM  
 Ava Vulaj UVM