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# VETERANS DAY TRIBUTE



# HONORING THOSE WHO KEEP US SAFE

Sunday November 24, 2013 3:00 pm Wunsch Arts Center Glen Cove, NY

#### About Northwinds

Since its inception in September 2007, Northwinds Symphonic Band draws large and enthusiastic audiences. The band is a wonderfully diverse group of musicians of all ages [13-83], occupations and experience. Northwinds is committed to the performance of standard concert band repertoire including marches, Broadway and movie favorites, transcriptions, the 20th century classics and new releases. The band is available for charity and fundraising events.

Please call the Community Education office for information regarding eligibility, available positions, auditions and instrumentation needs. 516-277-7048

#### **Northwinds Board of Directors**

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#### **Northwinds Contact Information**

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#### **Opportunity for Giving**

Northwinds is a non-profit organization. An important part of our mission is to share our music with the community at FREE concerts several times throughout the year. **Please support us.** 

#### **Upcoming Northwinds Performances**

Small Ensemble & Chamber Music ConcertJa North Shore High School Theatre 3:00 pm	anuary 1	9, 2014
Young People's Concert Hewlett-Woodmere Library 2:30 pm	March	9, 2014
Concert Band Classics & Virtuoso Artistry North Shore High School Theatre 3:00 pm	April	6, 2014
Flag Day/Community Concert Clifton Park Sea Cliff, NY 5:00 pm [rain site North Shore High School Theatre]	June	8,2014
Celebrating the 4th: Music & Fireworks Morgan Park Glen Cove, NY 7:45 pm	July	4,2014
PLEASE VISIT OUR UPDATED WEBSITE IN SPRING 20 [currently under reconstruction] www.northwindssymphonicband.org	)14	

#### **Band Personnel**

<u>Piccolo</u> Barbara Sherwin\*, Farmingdale

#### Flute

Aaron Alpert\*, Port Washington Sara Ann Brugger\*, Farmingville Stefany Coulter\*, Port Washington Alana DeStefano, Sea Cliff Gwen Glaz\*, Great Neck Jodie Larson\*, Sea Cliff Charlotte Loake, Levittown Lauren Osnato+, Massapequa Risa Rubin, Great Neck

<u>Oboe</u> Steven Nahabedian+\*, Massapequa Nora Silva, Manhasset

Bassoon Cindy Lauda, Glenwood Landing

#### Clarinet

Beatrice Aubrey\*, Great Neck Laura Bardash\*, Great Neck James Connolly, Levittown Phil Fontana, West Hempstead Michael Friedman, Jericho Amy Gaddes\*, Freeport Vince Galiani, Uniondale Barton Green\*, Merrick Heather Jackson\*, Seaford Steven Kaplan, Great Neck Ed McCullagh, Holtsville Paul Shelden, Hewlett Sara Silver, Oakdale G. Edward Smith+, Glen Cove Richard Weiss\*, Great Neck

Bass Clarinet Tim Croan, Westbury

Alto Sax Robert Moore+#, Albertson Clifford Tinder#, Sea Cliff

Tenor Sax Angel Perez\*#, Dix Hills Jacqui Tomlet+#, Jackson Heights

Baritone Sax Mark Jennings#, East Northport

> +Principal \*Choral Ensemble #Jazz Ensemble

Trumpet Tony Bavota, Jamaica James Capozzi, Jr., Glen Cove Thomas Conti\*, Astoria Matthew B. Deegan, Huntington Lou Fiore, Huntington Richard Jacobson, Jericho Cyrus Kahn\*, Great Neck Jorge Lopez, Whitestone Susan Lopez+, Whitestone Michael Palczewski\*, Oyster Bay Tom Shields, Roslyn Heights Bill Thompson\*, Sea Cliff David Tomlet, Huntington Station

French Horn Andrew Capetandes, West Hempstead Arthur Green+ Melville Philippa Green, Melville Paul Harrison\*, Glen Cove James Park, Mineola Barbara Sardone, Barryville

Trombone A. Scott Collins\*, Glen Cove Kaitlin Clifford\*, Baldwin Robert P. Evans, Westbury George Foreman, Syosset Alex Marks+, Valley Stream Mark Shepperd, Glen Oaks Alan Stevenson\*, Huntington Bay

Euphonium Alex Friedman+ East Meadow David Abrams\*, Huntington Donald Winston, Port Washington

<u>Tuba</u> Loretta Cummings\*, Bayville George W. Martin\*, Port Washington Kevin Weibley+, North Bellmore

<u>Percussion</u> Harriette Bilawski, Massapequa Stephanie Lehman\*, Forest Hills Alden Micciulli+, Freeport Louis Panzica#, Dix Hills Stephanie Panzica, Dix Hills Ben Roberts, Port Washington

Keyboard Allison Friedman#, East Meadow

Electric Bass Ed Marks#, Valley Stream

#### Notes on the program

Musician First Class Louis Saverino of the United States Marine Band composed the **March of the Women Marines** as the official march of the Marine Corps Women's Reserve Band, formed in November 1943 and trained by members of the US Marine Band. During World War II, the group toured the country, often in crowded, poorly maintained buses and carrying heavy instruments through inclement weather. They played for military bases, hospitals, graduation parades, the occasional officers club, and no less than President Roosevelt and Admiral Nimitz – always to great acclaim. They were regularly featured on national radio programs and the weekly MCWR recruit depot reviews, always marching to the rhythm of its own official march.

Already celebrated for his choral and symphonic works, British composer Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958) was in his sixties when he wrote his first film score for **49th Parallel** (1941), a World War II propaganda film set in Canada and produced by the United Kingdom to aid the British war effort and help sway opinions in the still-neutral United States. Vaughan Williams was talked into composing this score to help assuage his guilt at feeling unable to contribute more directly to the cause. Originally scored for strings, the Prelude is an orchestral hymn in praise of freedom and mutual trust and accompanies the film's prologue as majestic shots of the Canadian Rockies are shown.

**Inchon** (2001), composed by Robert W. Smith, is inspired by the September 1950 amphibious invasion and battle directed by General Douglas MacArthur which proved to be a turning point of the Korean War. Inchon vividly portrays the cultural clash between East and West, from the quiet sound of the waves on the lonely beach interrupted abruptly by the percussive landing of the helicopters, to the simple Korean prayer at the center of the piece framed by the more powerful "Western" statement of the same melody. The invasion ends as quickly as it begins, as the helicopters fly into the distance, leaving the beach once again in solitude. Inchon is dedicated to the memory of the composer's father, Staff Sergeant Benjamin F. Smith, US Army, a heroic veteran of the Korean and Vietnam conflicts.

Composed by Joel T. Dulyea, **America: A Musical Memorial** was written to honor the memory of his brother Barry who gave his life in the service of his country in Vietnam. The soloist sings from the perspective of the mother of the fallen hero. Army Sgt.Maj. Dulyea was a career member of the U.S. Army Field Band, where he served as a section leader and vocalist.

Within the hugely successful Rodgers and Hammerstein canon, it is **Carousel** (1945) that is generally conceded to be the pair's masterpiece (as well as Richard Rodgers' personal favorite), furthering the precedent they had started with the phenomenally successful Oklahoma!, integrating song, dance, and story into a seamless whole. The role of music in Carousel is even more omnipresent in telling the dramatic story, deeper and more serious than its predecessor, touching upon issues such as domestic abuse, class struggle, and even the hereafter. Among the innovations of Carousel is the famous waltz that opens the musical as well as this arrangement of selections by Eric Leidzen which include "Mister Snow", "Blow High, Blow Low", the plangent "If I Loved You", "June Is Bustin" Out All Over", "What's the Use of Wond'rin'?", "A Real Nice Clambake", and the inspirational "You'll Never Walk Alone".



#### Notes on the program

Composer Jari A. Villanueva received his BM degree from Peabody Conservatory, followed by his MM from Kent State University. He retired from the United States Air Force where he spent 23 years with The United States Air Force Band in Washington, D.C. as a trumpeter, bugler, assistant drum major, and staff arranger. His concert march, **Honor With Dignity** (1995), is dedicated to the USAF Honor Guard and is based on themes from songs associated with the United States Air Force: "The Spirit of the Air Corps", "Air Force Blue", "The Squadron Song", "Here's a Toast", and "The Air Force Song".

Bert Appermont (b.1973) was educated at the famous Lemmensinstituut as a pupil of Jan Van der Roost. His works for wind band and fanfare orchestra are very popular in the Netherlands and his native Belgium. **Choralia** (2000) is a unique work, building up slowly as different instruments take over the same theme, evolving to an impressive climax. Soon after, the music slowly dies away using various elements of the previous melodic material, fading to silence.

**I'm Getting Sentimental Over You** (1932) was written by lyricist Ned Washington and composer George Bassman and made famous by Tommy Dorsey and His Orchestra. Dorsey was the featured soloist on the iconic 1935 recording, employing the lyrical side of the trombone in a sweetness of phrasing which typified his orchestra. Frank Sinatra sang the song regularly with Dorsey, and featured it in the album *I Remember Tommy* after Dorsey's death in 1956.

American Pageant (1973) was commissioned for the inauguration of President Richard Nixon. Its imaginative setting of "My Country 'Tis of Thee", "Yankee Doodle", "Battle Hymn of the Republic", "Dixie", "America the Beautiful", and "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean" proved to be instantly popular and has been performed at each subsequent inaugural. Composer Thomas Knox studied trumpet and composition at the University of Illinois followed by private studies in Chicago. He joined the United States Marine Band in 1961 as a member of the cornet-trumpet section. Soon after, he was appointed chief composer-arranger for the band, a position he held until his retirement in 1985.

**Armed Forces Medley** was written for the United States Coast Guard Band by one of its former directors, Lewis J. Buckley. The medley includes each of the following service songs: "The Caisson Song," "The Marines Hymn," "Anchors Aweigh," "U.S. Air Force Anthem" and the Coast Guard anthem, "Semper Paratus."

**Each Time You Tell Their Story** was written to celebrate the centennial anniversary of the New Mexico Military Institute's band program, and to honor the former cadets who sacrificed their lives for their country and people. It is a musical and poetic journey that carries the listener from the horrible human sacrifice of war, to the love a soldier must feel toward his fellow man. In the opening of the work, we hear somber chords with a military drum cadence. Later, a poem entitled "At the Site of the Memorial" is read accompanied by the snare drum. Towards the end there is a quote of *Taps*. Then the winds fade out, symbolizing the end of life; the timpani fades out, symbolizing the remembrance of heroism; only the wind chimes continue, symbolizing the acts of love that remain after all else is gone.

## Notes on the program

Irving Berlin (1888-1989) originally composed **God Bless America** in 1918 as part of a revue called *Yip Yaphank* while serving with the US Army at Camp Upton. It achieved greater fame in 1938 when Berlin decided to revive it as a "peace song" due to the rise of Adolf Hitler. He had singer Kate Smith introduce the song on her radio show on Armistice Day and soon her name became indelibly linked with it through countless broadcasts across the country. Over the years, its importance in the American consciousness has only strengthened. The song was heard everywhere in concerts and recordings following the attacks on 9/11, further cementing its position as the unofficial national anthem of the United States.

**The Stars and Stripes Forever**, Sousa's best known march, has been called "the greatest of all marches" and serves as the Official March of the United States of America. This edition, edited by William Revelli, conductor emeritis of the University of Michigan Band, is taken directly from Mr. Sousa's original score and contains notes derived from Revelli's conversations with Sousa.

## Meet the Artists

Northwinds Band Director and Conductor, **Helen Bauer**, was Symphonic Band Director and instrumental music teacher in the Baldwin Schools for 35 years. During her tenure the band performed and toured extensively and received the highest ratings at NY State School Music Association Festivals [NYSSMA]. In 2002 National School Band & Orchestra Magazine named her New York State Band Director of the Year. In 2006 Mrs. Bauer was honored by the NY State Band Directors Association for her "dedication to the band movement and maintenance of the highest standards in the selection and performance of fine literature." Retired from public school teaching since 2003, she remains active as a conductor, state adjudicator, and community activist and volunteer.

**Stephanie Horowitz-Mulry** is a private voice teacher and professional singer from Merrick, NY. She holds a Masters Degree in Vocal Performance from the New England Conservatory and a Bachelors Degree from the Crane School of Music. Stephanie is on the Vocal staff at the Seasons 52 restaurant as well as a proud member of the South Shore Syncopators, a 1920s-30s dance orchestra. She is the Cantorial Soloist for the Falmouth Jewish Congregation in Cape Cod, MA and also sings at the Church of Our Savior in Manhasset, NY and Our Lady of Lordes in Massapequa, NY. She is a member of the Chelsea Opera Carolers and the Cranky Cabaret in Manhattan. She wants to give special thanks to Progress Hornsby, a special mentor.

**George Foreman**, an eighth grade student at H. B. Thompson Middle school in Syosset, has been performing with the Northwinds Symphonic Band since 2012. He was principal trombonist for the Nassau-Suffolk Performing Arts Youth Band in 2011-2012 and is principal trombonist for the Nassau-Suffolk Performing Arts Honor Band, 2012-present. He is first chair trombonist for both the Nassau-Suffolk Performing Arts and H. B. Thompson Jazz bands. George has been selected as principal trombonist for the Division II and III Nassau All-County Jazz bands since 2011. He was also first chair trombonist this past summer in both USDAN Concert and Intermediate Jazz bands and has participated in the North Shore Pops Concert Band since 2012. George has been studying trombone for the past two years with Dr. Alex Marks, also a member of Northwinds.

George Martin began playing the cornet in the fifth grade. He participated in his school bands and orchestras until he joined the navy after high school. When his wife presented him with a new trumpet after not having played for 22 years, George joined the Queens Symphonic Band. Later he switched to tuba, which is still his principal instrument. Although George is the manager of the Manhasset Bay Shipyard, music plays an important part in his life. In addition to Northwinds, he plays in several other bands and sings tenor in his church choir.

## Concert Program Northwinds Symphonic Band Helen P. Bauer, Conductor Melinda Edwards, Announcer

The Star Spangled BannerKey, arr. Fillmore		
March of the Women MarinesSavorino		
Prelude from 49th ParallelVaughan Williams, trans. Osmon		
InchonSmith		
America: A Musical MemorialDulyea. arr. Richards Stephanie Horowitz, Soprano Choral Ensemble, Melinda Edwards, Director		
Selections from CarouselRodgers, arr. Leidzen		
Intermission		
Honor with DignityVillanueva		
ChoraliaAppermont		
I'm Getting Sentimental Over YouBassman, trans. Collins George Foreman, Trombone		
American PageantTraditional, arr. Knox		
Armed Forces Medleyarr. Buckley		
Each Time You Tell Their StoryHazo George W. Martin, Narrator		
God Bless AmericaBerlin, arr. Vinson Stephanie Horowitz, Soprano		
The Stars and Stripes ForeverSousa, ed. Schissel Barbara Sherwin, Piccolo		

