LOVE & LIGHT



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W ind bands are an integral part of American history and culture. From circuses to military ceremonies, concerts in the park to concerts in Carnegie Hall, bands have provided Americans with entertainment and artistic enlightenment for generations. From the great touring professional bands of the 19th and early 20th centuries to the outstanding high school and collegiate ensembles that have entertained the country since World War II, wind bands have long captured the hearts and imaginations of audiences across the county.

University of South Florida, he came with the goal of rectifying that situation. He believed that the Tampa Bay area has the unique ability to support such an ensemble, and he spent the next 11 years until his retirement working tirelessly to bring this dream to fruition.

The **Florida Wind Band** is now Tampa's premier wind band, bringing entertaining and inspiring performances of high-quality music to our vibrant and engaging community. The ensemble is comprised of professional musicians which include K-12 teachers, college professors, and full-time performers who have a deep love for the eclectic repertoire ranging from Bach to contemporary composers. The band is led by USF's Director of Bands, Matthew McCutchen, who is dedicated to programming music that will make audiences laugh, cry, dance, and wonder.

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Since its debut in 2008, the Florida Wind Band has entertained thousands of people, including prestigious performances for the American Bandmaster's Association, the College Band Directors National Association, and the Florida Music Educators Association Convention. We look forward to many more years of inspired music-making and hope you will join us in these endeavors.

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STARTIN' SUMTHIN'

REFLECTIONS ON THE MISSISSIPPI I. MIST II. FURY

FIREFLY

Symphonic Winds

WILLIAM OWENS (b. 1963) JOHN MACKEY (b. 1973) PERCY ALDRIDGE GRAINGER (1882—1961) CAROL BRITTIN CHAMBERS (b. 1970) FRANK TICHELI (b. 1958) CONGOLESE SHELTERING SKY LOST LADY FOUND KALOS EIDOS ABRACADABRA

FAIREST OF THE FAIR

Wind Ensemble,

JOHN PHILIP SOUSA (1854—1932) LINDSAY BRONNENKANT (b. 1988)

ANDREAS MAKRIS (1930—2005) BRIAN BALMAGES (b. 1975) JOHN MACKEY (b. 1973) TAROT II. THE KING OF CUPS I. THE FOOL AEGEAN FESTIVAL OVERTURE LOVE AND LIGHT LET ME BE FRANK WITH YOU



FLUTE

Lauren Lowe*, Sickles High School Anderson Hohman, Sunlake Academy of Math and Science

OBOE

Camryn Pelski*, Alonso High School

CLARINET

Fay Noti*, Starkey Ranch K-8 School Aleta McQueen, Coleman Middle School Gavin Mullane, Carrollwood Day School Georgia Woolson, Coleman Middle School Saffy Layland, Buchanan Middle School Noah Herdocia, Roland Park K-8 School

BASS CLARINET

Angelina Steadman, Steinbrenner High School

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Suraj Paidela*, J. W. Mitchell High School Kaito Millan, Hillsborough Academy of Math and Science

TENOR SAXOPHONE

Zabien Deplanas*, King High School

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Evangelina Arndt*, Sunlake Academy of Math and Science Jirehson Adderley, Wesley Chapel High School

TRUMPET

Owen Monks*, Land O' Lakes High School Mason Starnes, Bayonet Point Middle School Teagan Myhre, Terrace Community Middle School

Riley Bothwell, Walker Middle Magnet School

Wind Ensemble,

FLUTE

Kaylee Peters*, Sickles High School Brady Horn, Land O' Lakes High School Vienna Jedrzejczyk, Wiregrass Ranch High School Yuvan Rachakonda, Middleton High School Alana Davis, Pasco High School Elise Betzag, H. B. Plant High School

OBOE

Hannah Lundahl*, Sickles High School AJ Brazel, Jesuit High School

BASSOON

Flora Voit*, J. W. Mitchell High School Hayden Cross, Gaither High School Ben Afik, Sickles High School

CLARINET

Estrella Dedios*, Sickles High School Jake Gracyalny, Alonso High School Lily Lowe, Sickles High School Bryson Scionti, Cambridge Christian School Selena Bartlett, Durant High School Alexandra Castro, Gaither High School Lesly Perez, Plant City High School Rhett Hardwick, Sickles High School Lucas Macri, Wiregrass Ranch High School Ayedean Sharabyani, Berkeley Preparatory School

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Gabriella Setta*, J. W. Mitchell High School Joseph Murphy, Wharton High School

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Jacob Macht*, Alonso High School Nina Glover, Pasco High School

BASS CLARINET

Caitlin Conrad*, Steinbrenner High School Julian Rodriguez, Steinbrenner High School Eric Cervantes, Plant City High School Cristian Golkar, Gaither High School

TRUMPET

Morgan Hemphill*, Pasco High School Evan McCarty, J. W. Mitchel High School David Mashke, Pasco High School Parker Bowlus, Sumner High School Donovan Thomas, University of South Florida Lizette Cruz, Plant City High School

HORN

Cole Colhouer*, Land O' Lakes High School Joel Adamski, J. W. Mitchell High School Jade Ralston, King High School Ava Collier, Gaither High School David Reyes-Munoz, Plant City High School McKinley Cassels, Sunlake High School

TROMBONE

Thomas Barber*, Gaither High School Edelvio Crespo Artiles, Gaither High School Emma Maggio, Wharton High School Christian Tirado, Sumner High School Diego Diaz Toural, Gaither High School Jakob Cruz, Gaither High School

EUPHONIUM

Darius Drullard*, Wesley Chapel High School Barrett Ryder, Gaither High School

TUBA

Saia Cardona*, Plant City High School Jesus Trejo-Resendiz, Plant City High School Tyler Hattaway, Land O' Lakes High School

HORN

James Miller*, Land O' Lakes High School Nathaniel Harrison, Williams Middle Magnet IB Asher Perry, Dr. John Long Middle School

TROMBONE

Gracie Bagley*, Land O' Lakes High School Jonathan Wong, Walker Middle Magnet School Ja'niya Williams, Rodgers Middle School

EUPHONIUM

Samuel Patino*, Wesley Chapel High School

TUBA

Kendel Wiedyk*, Ben Hill Middle School

PERCUSSION

Lauren Sinn*, Ben Hill Middle School Seishin Agehara, Barrington Middle School

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PERCUSSION

Alice Brazzel, Middleton High School Taylor Cassels, Sunlake High School Ava Epps, Armwood High School Mya Swanson, Armwood High School Luis Bernal Moreno, Alonso High School R. Conway Theel, Pasco High School

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SUMMER BREEEZE ENROLL TODAY!

Breeze Summer meets annually in the month of June, and provides an opportunity for BAY Winds students and alumni to rehearse and perform in the summer. The band was founded in the summer of 2016 and regularly welcomes 60-80 musicians back to their joy of playing an instrument in a relaxed and enjoyable setting.



Senior Spotlight



GRACIE BAGLEY Trombone



CAITLIN CONRAD Bass Clarinet University of South Florida Biomedical Science & Music



JAKE GRACYALNY Clarinet University of Central Florida Electrical Engineering



LUCAS MACRI Clarinet University of South Florida Mechanical Engineering



JADE RALSTON Horn



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JAKOB CRUZ Bass Trombone University of South Florida Music Performance



MORGAN HEMPHILL Trumpet Saint Leo University **Biomedical Sciences**



JAMES MILLER Horn University of South Florida Mechanical Engineering



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FLORA VOIT Bassoon Florida State University



ALEXANDRA CASTRO Clarinet Hillsborough Community College Nursing



LIZETTE CRUZ Trumpet University of South Florida Music Education



LILY LOWE Clarinet University of Central Florida Hospitality Management



LESLY PEREZ Clarinet Hillsborough Community College Social Work & Music



GABRIELLA SETTA Tenor Saxophone University of South Florida Music Education



Applied Mathematics



Cole Colhouer Horn University of Florida Music Performance



ESTRELLA DEDIOS Clarinet University of Central Florida Kinesiology



JACOB MACHT Baritone Saxophone University of South Florida Music Education



ANDREW PRESS Alto Saxophone Florida State University **Economics**



AYEDEAN SHARABYANI Clarinet University of South Florida **Biomedical Sciences**



DIEGO DIAZ TOURAL Trombone University of South Florida Psychology

The mission of the Florida Wind Band is to entertain and inspire the community through live performances of high-quality wind band music, while providing enhanced youth performance opportunities.

Our Mission & Vision

C a non-profit organization, The Florida Wind Band encompasses adult and youth wind ensembles aimed at providing talented local musicians of all ages a musical outlet for performance. In addition to our primary adult wind ensemble comprised of the area's top professional musicians, the Florida Wind Band is the parent organization to Bay Area Youth (BAY) Winds. BAY Winds is Tampa Bay's premier outlet for outstanding students to perform in high-caliber wind ensembles aimed at providing additional performance opportunities for the area's top middle and high school students.

Tampa Bay Area. All of our members have music degrees, and the vast majority of our musicians in the Tampa Bay Area. All of our members have music degrees, and the vast majority of our musicians work as full time musicians either teaching in the area's public and private schools and universities, or as freelance performers throughout Florida. The musicians volunteer their time and accomplished talents to our organization for their love of wind band repertoire, live performances, and the camaraderie that comes along with making music at the highest level for our community.

Our vision is to be the premier, professional wind band in the Tampa Bay Area. Our ensemble continues to grow and thrive by the selfless work of our volunteers and generous support from donations and sponsorships within the community. There are many ways you can make a contribution to support our mission and vision. You can become a monthly donor or make a one-time tax-exempt donation at <u>www.floridawindband.org</u>. Tiered sponsorships are also available for corporations, individuals, and families.

Florida Wind Band Musicians

FLUTE

Robert Neale* John Brennan John Gonzalez Megan Woods Anne Wall, *piccolo*

OBOE

Amy Collins* Kathryn Jurado Carole Leidi, *English horn*

BASSOON

Ann Adair* Tristan Hensley Kevin Lindow, *contra*

SAXOPHONE

Josh Hollenbeck* Nick Seier Alex Ehredt Brian J. Panetta

STRING BASS

Bill Swartzbaugh*

CLARINET

Tony Negron* Francisco Quixtan Stefanie McDannald, *Eb* Jessica Calandra Steven DeBoer Kelsey Synnett Tashianna Torres George Linakis, *bass* Evan Lutz, *bass & contra*

TRUMPET

Robert Baldridge* Kevin D. Clark John Baker Jay DeDon Trevor Butts

HORN

Brandon McDannald* Devin DeDon Samantha Snow Allison Synnett Benjamin Walukonis

TROMBONE

John R. Marcellus* Terry Adams Buggy Bowden Brian Mason, *bass*

EUPHONIUM

Roy Mitchell*

TUBA

Philip Beatty* Kelly Bravard

PERCUSSION

Kyle Cherwinski* Michael Davis Fai Fai Ho Elise Prather Brian P. Dell Jae Xiong

PIANO

Kathy Baker*

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On behalf of the Board of Directors, we sincerely appreciate your attendance at our concerts, loyal patronage, and generous giving. Thank you for your continued support in bringing high-quality wind band music to the Tampa Bay community.

The Florida Wind Band continues its concerted efforts to perform in venues throughout Tampa Bay. As a 501c3 non-profit organization, our operations require funding for facility fees, transportation costs, music expenses, insurance payments, and the many other expenditures associated with delivering entertaining concerts and educational outreach, averaging \$3,500 per concert production.

There are many ways that you can support the Florida Wind Band and our mission. You can make a one-time donation, choose a tiered sponsorship that supports our organization all season long, sponsor an instrument chair, or fund an entire concert production for the upcoming season. Tax-deductible sponsorships are available for corporations, businesses, individuals, and families by visiting our website at <u>www.floridawindband.org</u> or by scanning the QR code below. Community members also enjoy getting involved and being a part of the magic that is bringing the music to life. Join our Volunteer Guild or consider joining our Board of Directors. Scan the QR codes to be directed to an area that solicits your desired way of giving and support.

Your contributions will allow us to continue bringing high-quality music to our community this season and invest in sustainability for our future success and continued development. Tiered sponsorships are available for corporations, individuals, and families. In addition to the prestige associated with sponsorship of the arts, an enhanced corporate image will be driven by brand recognition and patron support. The Florida Wind Band offers visibility with sponsorships through monthly communications, advertisements in our concert programs, and promotional materials including flyers and social media. Consider a sponsorship level that reflects your investment and passion for the success of our organization's mission.



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- On-stage acknowledgement at performances.
- Opportunity to speak at all events throughout the season.
- Full page color advertisement in concert programs.
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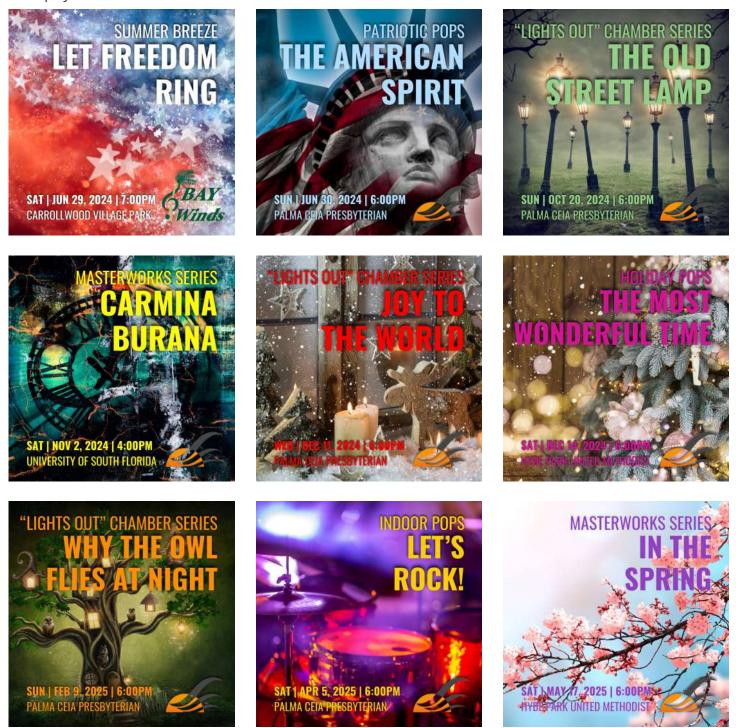
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- Reserved VIP seating at all concerts for up to 6 guests.

Announcing Season 17

Welcome to a season full of anticipation and energy as we showcase our exceptional Florida Wind Band musicians in an exciting line-up of programming that will enthrall, entertain, and educate our community through live performances of high-quality wind band music. We invite you to experience our diverse concert offerings including our masterworks series, traditional patriotic, holiday, and indoor pops concerts, as well as our new "Lights Out" Chamber Series.

The "Lights Out" Chamber Series will take place in the beautiful sanctuary at Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church with intimate lighting, allowing you to experience live classical music in a completely new way. Also featured on this series will be welcomed community guest speakers that you will not want to miss, telling timeless tales that will allow you to escape from the hustle and bustle of daily life into an aural adventure in a world of wonder.

We thank you for your attendance, patronage, and support. Everything we do both on and off the stage is possible only because of our generous donors. We are grateful for all gifts, large and small, as they keep the connection, service, friendship, and joy through music moving forward in our community. We all need music. And thanks to you, it will play on in Season 17.



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Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.



Help the Florida Wind Band kickoff our 17th season on a high note!

Every donation or sponsorship collected from May 15th to July 31st will be matched dollar-for-dollar up to \$25,000! This is a rare opportunity to amplify your support and help us achieve extraordinary goals for our 2024-2025 season. We're dedicated to creating high-quality wind band music and providing educational opportunities for youth in our community. Your generosity will enable us to:

- Deliver Unforgettable Concert Experiences: We will produce five full band concerts and three chamber concerts, showcasing the extraordinary talent of our musicians.
- **Expand Our Reach:** We will take our innovative productions throughout Tampa Bay, sharing the magic of live music with a broader audience.
- **Nurture Young Talent:** Ensure year-long educational opportunities for our youth ensembles—BAY Winds, Summer Breeze, and Autumn Winds— inspiring the next generation of musicians.
- **Champion New Music:** Feature new compositions by living composers, celebrating contemporary voices in the music world.
- **Secure Our Future:** Build a solid foundation to ensure stability and sustainability for future seasons.

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