



*2019-2020
Concert Season*



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Brian Dell
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Timothy Roy

PIANO

Kathy Baker

*Principal Player

Matthew McCutchen *Conductor/Artistic Director*

Matthew McCutchen is the Conductor/Artistic Director of The Florida Wind Band and the Founder and Conductor of the Bay Area Youth (BAY) Winds. He is also the Director of Bands at the University of South Florida where his responsibilities include conducting the Wind Ensemble and teaching graduate and undergraduate courses in conducting, wind band literature, and music education. Prior to being named Director of Bands in 2018 he spent 9 years as Director of Athletic Bands at USF where he led the 350+ member Herd of Thunder Marching Band. Dr. McCutchen earned a Ph.D. in Music Education with an emphasis in Instrumental Conducting

from Florida State University, a Master of Music in Conducting from Virginia Commonwealth University, and a Bachelor of Music Education degree from Furman University. Dr. McCutchen's teaching experience spans from middle school to the university level.



Conductors

Marc Sosnowchik *Associate Conductor*

Marc Sosnowchik serves as Associate Director of Bands and Director of Athletic Bands at the University of South Florida, where he conducts the Symphonic Band, teaches courses in conducting and music education, directs the Herd of Thunder Marching Band, and oversees all aspects of Athletic Bands at USF. Previously, Dr. Sosnowchik was Assistant Director of Bands at Oklahoma State University. In addition to his teaching responsibilities, Dr. Sosnowchik maintains an active schedule as a clinician, conductor, adjudicator, and arranger. He conducts honor bands throughout the US and in the summer teaches on the faculty of the World Youth Wind Orchestra Project/World Adult Wind Orchestra Project as part of the Mid-Europe Festival in Schladming, Austria. Dr. Sosnowchik earned his bachelor's degree in music education from the University of Alabama, and both his master's and Doctor of Musical Arts degrees in conducting from The University of Texas at Austin.





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The Florida Wind Band strives to be the premier wind ensemble in the Tampa Bay Area. Your ticket purchase today helps The Florida Wind Band continue to support its mission of bringing high-quality performances to the community, but it only covers a fraction of our costs. We could not continue to do what we do without the generous support of our community.

If you are interested in making a contribution to us, please visit our website at floridawindband.org/donate.





Did you know?

The Florida Wind Band proudly supports music education opportunities for young music students.

In addition to providing Tampa-area audiences the opportunity to hear outstanding music performed by some of the area's top professional and semi-professional musicians, The Florida Wind Band organization also includes two bands for the area's top middle and high school musicians - BAY Winds and JBAY.



For information about audition opportunities for BAY Winds and JBAY, visit bayareayouthwinds.org.



BAY Winds

Bay Area Youth (BAY) Winds is now in its ninth year of providing an outlet for outstanding high school students from Hillsborough, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, and Hernando counties to perform collegiate-level music with equally talented and motivated peers. Membership in BAY Winds is by audition only. The band rehearses on Thursday evenings in the spring at the USF School of Music. Notable guest conductors have included John Carmichael, Samuel Hazo, Michael Sweeney, and Quincy Hilliard. BAY Winds is conducted by Dr. Matthew McCutchen.

Junior BAY Winds

Junior BAY Winds (JBAY) began in Fall 2018 and is open by audition to middle school students in the surrounding counties. JBAY rehearses at USF on Thursday evenings, and will meet throughout the Fall and Spring semesters. The JBAY conductor is Heather Lundahl, Band Director at Cambridge Christian School.



Guest Conductor

Ted Hope

Ted M. Hope has been associated with the Hillsborough County Public School system since 1984. Mr. Hope served as Director of Bands at Hillsborough High School for three years and Bloomingdale High School for seventeen years. He earned his Associates degree from Hillsborough Community College; Bachelor of Music Education from Florida State University; and Masters of Music Education and Specialist in Education Leadership from the University of Southern Mississippi. Mr. Hope is currently the Supervisor of Middle/Secondary Music Education for Hillsborough County Public Schools.



Mr. Hope is a member of the Florida Bandmasters Association, served as an adjunct professor in Music Education at the University of Tampa, and is the conductor of the Hillsborough Community College & Fanfare Winds community band. Mr. Hope's professional affiliations include the Music Educators National Conference, Hillsborough County Secondary Music Council, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, and the Florida Music Supervisor's Association. He is also a free-lance musician and performs regularly with the Jazz Cellar Band, Carl Fischer Trade Winds Concert Band, the Don Juceam Orchestra and the Bay Area Saxophone Quartet. Mr. Hope is an active clinician and adjudicator in concert band, jazz ensemble, solo and ensemble festivals, and marching band.



A Tribute to Tampa

Sunday, October 27 | 2:00 pm
USF School of Music Concert Hall

Cuban Overture

George Gershwin, arr. Rogers

Sea Songs

Ralph Vaughn Williams

Ted Hope, Guest Conductor

Gasparilla Day

David Ward-Steinman

Ted Hope, Guest Conductor

Celtic Set

Henry Cowell

Ride

Sam Hazo

Aegean Festival Overture

Andreas Makris, arr. Badar

In Storm and Sunshine

John Heed, arr. Fennell

Concert selections subject to change.

Guest Conductor

Ivan G. Wansley

Ivan G. Wansley, a native Floridian, is in his 42nd year as a Music Educator. During this time, Mr. Wansley had successful teaching tenures at all levels, where all areas of his programs were rated "superior" at both the district and state levels with the Florida Bandmaster's Association, and he was named "Teacher of the Year" as a member of the faculty at Cape Coral High School. Mr. Wansley received his BA degree in Music Education and Fine Arts and his MA degree in Wind Conducting from the University of South Florida in Tampa, studying with Dr. James Croft and Dr. Mallory Thompson.



Mr. Wansley is currently an advisor, adjudicator, clinician and conductor throughout Florida and the Southeastern United States. He annually presents over 130 rehearsal/clinics and presents sessions at district and state conferences regularly. He is co-owner of "Makes Sense" Drill Design and Leadership Camps which writes drill for some of the top bands in Florida, and he also provides leadership training for numerous high schools annually. He owns *DOLCE* woodwind mouthpieces. Mr. Wansley is currently in the tenth season as the conductor of the Hollingsworth Winds, an adult based concert band located in Lakeland. He has conducted 37 all-county, all-regional, and all-state bands in Florida and North Carolina and the Festival of Winds at the University of South three times. Mr. Wansley is an active private clarinet teacher, producing numerous all-state and all-county players. He is an active adjudicator for the Florida Bandmasters Association, Florida Marching Band Coalition, Music in the Parks, OrlandoFest and the Kentucky Music Educators Association.



Deck the Halls

Sunday, December 15 | 2:00 pm
USF School of Music Concert Hall

Festive Overture Dmitri Shostakovitch, arr. Hunsberger

Ave Maria Frank Biebl, arr. Cameron

Deck the Halls John Rutter, arr. Paul Noble

Variants on a Medieval Tune Dello Joio

Blithe Bells Percy Grainger

Overture to a Winter Celebration Jim Stephenson
Ivan Wansley, Guest Conductor

The Polar Express Glen Ballard, arr. Silvestri
Ivan Wansley, Guest Conductor

Sentimental Christmas Jerry Bilik

Sleigh Ride Leroy Anderson

Concert selections subject to change.

Concert in the Park

For the first time in its history, The Florida Wind Band will be hosting a free spring concert in the park at the beautiful, waterfront Water Works Park in Tampa.

This donation-only based concert is open to the public and does not require a ticket purchase to attend. The program will also include several soloists and guest conductors from within the band's own membership.

Bring the kids, chairs, snacks, and even the dog and join us for an entertaining afternoon in the park full of toe-tapping tunes!

For more information, visit:

www.floridawindband.org/concert-in-the-park





That's Entertainment

Sunday, March 1 | 2:00 pm
Water Works Park

Olympic Fanfare and Theme John Williams, arr. Curnow

El Camino Real Alfred Reed

Broadway Showstoppers Overture Warren Barker

Shenandoah Frank Ticheli

The National Game John Philip Sousa

Four Dances from Westside Story Bernstein, arr. Polster

Thoughts of Love Arthur Pryor

The Sound of Music Rogers and Hammerstein, arr. Buckley

Tico-Tico Zequinha de Abruá, arr. Iwai

Concert selections subject to change.

Guest Conductor

Jo Jossim



Jo Jossim is Director of Bands, Instrumental Studies and Professor of Music at Florida Southern College in Lakeland Florida. Appointed in 1999, Dr. Jossim conducts the Florida Southern College Symphony Band, woodwind quintet, Mocs Pep Band and teaches courses in conducting, and studio oboe. She is also director of the Florida Southern College Band Camp.

A native of Florida, Dr. Jossim received her Bachelor of Arts in Music Education from the University of South Florida (1983). After earning the Masters Degree in oboe performance from the Lamont School of Music at the University of Denver (1985), Dr. Jossim was appointed interim conductor of the Lamont Symphony Orchestra. While in Denver she became the Music Director/Conductor of the Broomfield Civic Orchestra and the Golden Youth Symphony. In addition to her orchestral activities she also taught middle school band and general elementary music in the Cherry Creek and Englewood public school systems, also in the Denver area. In 1991 she returned home to Jacksonville, Florida where she was Director of Music at Bishop Kenny High School prior to entering The Florida State University where she earned the PhD in Music Education (1999).

In addition to her responsibilities at Florida Southern College she was also senior conductor of the Lakeland based Hollingsworth Winds Concert Band and past president of the Florida College Music Educators Association. Her bands have performed at State Conferences and she maintains an active schedule as a guest conductor and clinician throughout the United States and abroad. She is a member of numerous professional and honorary organizations including Kappa Kappa Psi, Tau Beta Sigma, Delta Omicron, Florida Music Educators Association, Florida Bandmasters Association, College Band Directors Association, Phi Kappa Phi and Phi Beta Mu. She was awarded the "Outstanding Contributor Award for Band" by Phi Beta Mu, Omega Chapter and the Ben and Janice Wade Outstanding Teacher Award at Florida Southern College.

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Come Sunday

Sunday, May 10 | 2:00 pm
USF School of Music Concert Hall

I'm Seventeen Come Sunday

Percy Grainger

Hymn to a Blue Hour

John Mackey

Passacaglia: Home to B.A.C.H.

Ron Nelson

Jo Jossim Guest Conductor

Who Puts His Trust in God Must Just Percy Grainger, arr. Croft

Jo Jossim Guest Conductor

Goodnight Moon

Eric Whitacre, arr. Mosenblicher

Soprano Soloist

Cathedrals

Catherine Salfelder

Come Sunday

Omar Thomas

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All Things American

Sunday, July 5 | 2:00 pm
Concert Location TBD

National Anthem

Francis Scott Key

Fanfare for the Common Man

Aaron Copland

Into the Blue

Josh Hobbs

Beautiful

Jeff Traster

Star Wars Trilogy

John Williams, arr. Hunsberger

Suite of Old American Dances

R.R. Bennett

Amazing Grace

Frank Ticheli

Stardust

John Carmichael/John Marcellus

Stars and Stripes Forever

John Philip Sousa

Concert selections subject to change



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