

Premiere

The Prairie Show Choir Invitational



SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 2024

Prairie High School, 401 76th Ave SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404



2024 Premiere – The Prairie Show Choir Invitational is the largest fundraising event for the PRAIRIE MUSIC ASSOCIATION, a non-profit Iowa corporation serving the music programs of the College Community School District. PMA provides volunteer and financial support to both vocal and instrumental programs in grades K-12 throughout the district. No other music booster organization in the state supports all grades throughout an entire school district.

We wish to make your visit enjoyable. If you have questions or concerns, please visit our admissions table or a volunteer committee member in a red Premiere shirt. You will find a variety of food and beverages in our cafeteria and snack stops. Please help us maintain our facility by following our policy of no food in performance areas and homerooms. We look forward to a great day of terrific entertainment!

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 Lilly Otter
 Dexter Quanrud
 Jonathan Reu
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 Allie Clark
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 Miles Koopman
 B. Niec
 Jackson Pollock
 Jake Rippe
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BLACK CAT:
 Finlee Sands

The Ambassadors Show Ensemble is the premier show choir for Prairie High School and is part of a comprehensive choral program. The Ambassadors is one of two show choirs at Prairie High School, and its members also participate in at least one of Prairie's other curricular choirs. In its thirteenth year under the direction of Justin Sands with the assistance of Grace Huber and instrumental direction by Deron Jimmerson and Kent Keating, the 2024 competition season includes appearances at Linn Mar's "Supernova," Johnston's "Showzam," Benton's "A Touch of Class," Naperville North's "Clash of the Sequins," and Kennedy's "Raise The Roof." With choreography by Stephen Todd and arrangements by John Burlace, The Ambassadors are excited to perform for you, and they wish every group the best of luck here at Premiere!

Stephen Todd (*Ambassadors Choreographer*)
 Justin Sands (*Ambassadors Director*)

Focal Point



Focal Point is Prairie High School's prep show choir and is part of Prairie's comprehensive choral program. Focal Point is one of two show choirs at Prairie High School, and its members also participate in Concert Choir, Ad Lucem or Concert Chorale. Focal Point is under the direction of Grace Huber, with the assistance of Justin Sands and instrumental direction by Deron Jimmerson and Kent Keating. The group is choreographed by Melanie Dygert. Focal Point's 2024 competition season includes Linn-Mar's "Supernova," Johnston's "Showzam," Benton "Touch of Class," Naperville's "Clash of the Sequins," and Kennedy's "Raise the Roof." Additionally, they are proud to host "Premiere," the Prairie Show Choir Invitational

Braylon Armstrong
Olivia Berg
Isabella Bishop
Jase Bond
Melanie Buresh
Connor Cornelison
Claire Cornelius
Connor Culbertson
Dyllon Demorest

Luke Eiselstein
Mercy Fuller
Sarina Giza
Makala Hermanson
Ella Houge
Paisley Inzerello
Paige Jones
Miles Koopman
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Ethan McManus
Emma Muntz
B. Niec
Cian Olmstead
Hailey Ott
Cadie Pfeiffer

Jake Rippe
Kylie Schwertfeger
Stephen Shumaker
Adaline Taylor
Christofer Velasquez
Brooks Whitaker
Zoë Wolrab

BAND

Hailey Asbe
Michael Barton
Michael Davis
Spencer Higginbotham
Benjamin Hollinger
Riley Kruse

John Hynek
Austin Jimmerson
Jack Lopshire
Elsa Marxen
Laney Medberry
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Lilly Otter
Avery Sanderson

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Dexter Quanrud

CREW

Charity Bishop
Allie Clark
Jackson Pollock
Corey Shadle

Mel Dygert (*Focal Point Choreographer*)
Grace Huber (*Focal Point Director*)

PREMIERE PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE 2024

PERFORM	SCHOOL	GROUP	DIVISION
8:00	Excelsior	Double Time	Middle School
8:20	McKinley	Classic Edition	Middle School
8:40	Harding	Neo Classic	Middle School
9:00	Oak Ridge	Ovation	Middle School
9:20	Taft	Adrenaline	Middle School
9:40	Jefferson	Ovation	Treble Prep
10:05	Linn-Mar	Hi-Style	Treble Prep
10:30	Centennial	Chaos	HS Mixed Prep/JV
10:55	Kennedy	Protégé	HS Mixed Prep/JV
11:20	LUNCH BREAK/MIDDLE SCHOOL AWARDS IN CONCERT HALL		
12:15	Centennial	Eternal Rush	HS Mixed Prep/JV
12:40	Linn-Mar	In Step	HS Mixed Prep/JV
1:05	Prairie Focal Point Exhibition - HS MIXED PREP/JV		
1:30	Centennial	Vortex	HS Open/Varsity
2:00	Iowa City West	Good Time Co.	HS Open/Varsity
2:30	Jefferson	West Side Delegation	HS Open/Varsity
3:00	Centennial	Spectrum	HS Open/Varsity
3:30	Kennedy	Happiness, Inc.	HS Open/Varsity
4:00	Linn-Mar	10th Street Ed.	HS Open/Varsity
4:30	Mount Mercy Voices Electric Exhibition		
	DAYTIME AWARDS - MAIN GYM 5:00		
	DINNER BREAK 5:30		
	HS OPEN DIVISION FINALS - CONCERT HALL 6:30 - 9:30pm		
	6:30 Finalist 1		
	7:00 Finalist 2		
	7:30 Finalist 3		
	8:00 Finalist 4		
	8:30 Finalist 5		
	9:00 Finalist 6		
9:30	Prairie Ambassadors Exhibition - HS OPEN/VARSITY		
	FINAL AWARDS - CONCERT HALL 10:00pm		



Premiere



CAFETERIA HOURS

10:30 AM - 9:00 PM

GRAB & GO STATION

6:30 AM - 10:30 PM

COFFEE BAR

6:30 AM - 7:30 PM

- GRAB AND GO -

@THE COMMONS

6:30 AM

BREAKFAST PIZZA SLICE	\$4
DONUT/MUFFIN/KOLACHE	\$2

10:30 AM

PAUL REVERE'S PIZZA SLICE	\$4
CHICK-FIL-A SANDWICH	\$7

FRUIT	\$2
GO-GURT	\$2
GRANOLA BAR	\$2
APPLESAUCE SQUEEZE	\$2
GIANT PICKLE	\$2
POP	\$1
WATER	\$1
CANDY	\$2
COOKIES/BROWNIES/CAKE	\$2
CHIPS	\$2
EDIBLE COOKIE DOUGH	\$6

- COFFE BAR -

HOT COFFEE	\$3	COLD BREW	\$6	TEA	\$2
HOT CHOCOLATE	\$2	WATER	\$1		



CAFETERIA



10:30 AM - 9:00 PM

PAUL REVERE'S PIZZA SLICE	\$4	DAN AND DEBBIE'S ICE CREAM	\$4
CHICK-FIL-A SANDWICH	\$7	COOKIES/BROWNIES/CAKE	\$2
BREADSTICKS	\$4	EDIBLE COOKIE DOUGH	\$6

SMALL BOWL \$5

- SALAD BAR -

LARGE BOWL \$8

SALAD WALKING TACO MAC & CHEESE NACHOS

POP	\$1	GRANOLA BAR	\$2
WATER	\$1	APPLESAUCE SQUEEZE	\$2
FRUIT	\$2	GIANT PICKLE	\$2
GO-GURT	\$2	CANDY	\$2
CHIPS	\$2		

- DINNER IN THE CAFETERIA -

4:30-7:30 PM

ZIO JOHNNO'S

\$10

Spaghetti & Breadstick

PREMIERE COMMITTEE

CHAIR

EJ Brink
Shadow: Nikki Ott

Student Leads:

Ellie Doser & Ella Borders

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Sandy & Brian Mostaert
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VOLUNTEERS

This is all possible through the collaborative effort of many. Our sincere gratitude to the hundreds of volunteers who contribute more than 1,000 hours to organize this event and take care of our performers and our guests. A special thank you to the Prairie High School administration, faculty, staff, to our friends, parents, grandparents, siblings and relatives.

PRAIRIE AMBASSADOR SET DESIGN & SET UP

Bruce and Diane Dalton, Doug Robertson, Brian Mostaert, Pat Flaherty

Special thanks to the set design and tech volunteers for the hours creating the props for Ambassador's set. Bruce and Diane Dalton, thank you, for your continued support in set design by providing your expertise, home and equipment.

PRAIRIE MUSIC CALENDAR

K-12 College Community School District music students perform in all different music and instrumental events.

2/5/24 Creek - Winter 6th Grade Choir Concert
2/5/24 Point - Winter 9th Grade Choir Concert
2/6/24 PHS/Point/Creek Bands - Band Concert
2/8/24 PHS/Point/Creek Bands - Band Concert
2/10/24 Show Choirs to Benton Community
2/13/24 PHS/Point Bands - Jazz Band Concert
2/15/24 Point Choir - Winter 7/8 Choir Concert
2/17/24 Show Choirs to Naperville, IL
2/20/24 Prairie Heights Elementary 3rd/4th Grade Concert
2/24/24 Show Choirs to Kennedy (PowerHouse)
2/29/24 PHS Choir - Winter Choir Concert
3/4 - 3/5/24 Point Theater - 9th Musical "Into the Woods"
3/7/24 Prairie Ridge Elementary 3rd/4th Grade Concert
3/21/24 Prairie Hill Elementary 3rd/4th Grade Concert
4/5/24 PHS Choir - Curtain Call Concert
4/18/24 Prairie Hill Elementary 1st/2nd Grade Concert
4/18/24 Prairie Crest Elementary 3rd/4th Grade Concert

4/18/24 Prairie View Elementary 1st/2nd Grade Concert
4/23/24 Prairie Ridge Elementary 1st/2nd Grade Concert
4/25/24 PHS/Point Bands - Festival Preview Concert
4/25/24 Prairie Crest Elementary 1st/2nd Grade Concert
4/30/24 Point Band - Spring 7/8 Band Concert
4/30/24 Prairie Heights Elementary 1st/2nd Grade Concert
5/2/24 Prairie View Elementary 3rd/4th Grade Concert
5/2 - 5/4/24 PHS Theater - Spring Musical
5/6/24 Creek Band - 6th Grade Band Concert
5/7/24 Creek Band - 5th Grade Band Concert
5/7/24 Creek Orchestra - 5th Grade Orchestra Concert
5/9/24 PHS Choir - Spring Choir Concert
5/17/24 PHS Band - "Just Jazz" Concert
5/20/24 Creek - Spring 6th Grade Choir Concert
5/20/24 Point - Spring 9th Grade Choir Concert
5/21/24 Point Choir - Spring 7/8 Choir Concert

Vocal Directors



Justin Sands is the Director of Choirs and Music Department Chair at Prairie High School in Cedar Rapids, Iowa where he joined the music faculty in 2011. He serves as the co-director of Prairie's Concert Choir, Concert Chorale, and Chamber Choir. He also directs The Ambassadors, the varsity show choir, assists with Focal Point, the prep show choir, and co-teaches other choirs and courses in the music department. Choirs and show choirs under his direction have competed successfully at the state, regional, and national levels. In 2016, the Prairie High School Concert Chorale was honored to be a featured choir at the Dorian Choral Invitational at Luther College in Decorah, Iowa. In 2019, the Prairie Chamber Choir was named Grand Champion of the Concert Choir Division at Heart of America's Nashville Competition. Additionally, Mr. Sands has also enjoyed being on the staff at the Southern Experience Show Choir Camp at the University of Southern Mississippi. Mr. Sands received his bachelor's degree in vocal music from Luther College in Decorah, Iowa and a Master of Music Education degree from VanderCook College of Music in Chicago, Illinois. He has also completed additional coursework through the University of Colorado. He previously taught at Kennedy High School, also in Cedar Rapids. In 2013, Sands was named Best New Director as part of FAME's Aspire Awards, and in 2014 he was honored to direct the Missouri All-State Show Choir. In the summer of 2019, Sands enjoyed presenting at the Iowa Choral Directors Summer Convention. His wife, Meghan, and his children, August and Finlee, are the joys of his life.



Grace Huber is a choir director at Prairie High School in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Ms. Huber co-directs Prairie's Concert Choir, Concert Chorale, and Chamber Choir. She also directs Ad Lucem and Focal Point and assists with The Ambassadors. Ms. Huber is a 2020 graduate of Luther College, where she earned a Bachelor of Arts in Vocal Performance, Music Education, and Theatre. There, she was a member of many ensembles including the Nordic Choir and acted as assistant conductor to Dr. Jennaya Robison in her senior year. Ms. Huber was also heavily involved in both the opera and theatre programs at Luther. She received the David Greedy Memorial Award in Vocal Performance, as well as the Helen Adams Bodensteiner Excellence in Theatre Award, and acted as the Artistic Director of the student theatre company, SPIN Theatre. In 2019, Ms. Huber traveled to Ghana in West Africa to study Ewe drumming, singing, and dance at the Dagbe Cultural Center. Prior to joining the Prairie faculty in 2022, Ms. Huber taught for 2 years at Maquoketa Valley Middle and High School in Delhi, IA. In her free time, Ms. Huber enjoys traveling, baking, and cooking for friends and family.

Vocal Music

Concert Choir, Ad Lucem, Concert Chorale and Chamber Choir are the core ensembles at Prairie High School.

Concert Choir, focuses on music literacy skills, solfège and music theory.

Ad Lucem, our treble choir, membership is selected through an audition process.

Concert Chorale also chosen by audition, members utilize sight-reading and solfège skills to master the advanced literature that is programmed.

Chamber Choir is the most advanced and select choral ensemble performing collegiate-level choral literature. Chamber Choir also explores vocal jazz literature and a cappella pop.

Instrumental Directors



Deron Jimmerson is in his 14th year as a band director in College Community Schools, with prior experience in southwest Iowa and southern Minnesota before moving to Cedar Rapids in 2010. Over the past years, his responsibilities at Prairie High School included directing or co-directing all of the marching, concert, percussion, and jazz ensembles, as well as directing the show choir band and musical pit orchestra. Currently, he co-teaches the 7th-9th grade bands and lessons at Prairie Point Middle School & 9th Grade Academy. Ensembles under his direction have consistently received superior ratings and recognition at the state and regional levels, including performances at the Iowa Jazz Championships, the Northern Iowa Festival of Bands, Bands of America Regional Marching Championships, and national show choir events such as FAME and Heart of America. Outside of teaching, Mr. Jimmerson also enjoys running, dog rescuing, arranging music, performing as a low brass artist or pianist, and spending time at home or outdoors with his family.



Kent Keating was previously the Director of Vocal Music at Jefferson High School in Cedar Rapids, where he directed and assisted with many vocal ensembles. Prior to his position at Jefferson, Keating taught vocal music at City High School in Iowa City and instrumental music at Washington High School in Washington, Iowa. Keating brings to Mount Mercy a diverse background of experience and knowledge. He has directed over 150 community and professional musicals and productions. Besides musicals, Keating has performed twice in Carnegie Hall with the Washington (Iowa) Choral Society. In addition to his teaching adventures, Keating has also served as a composer and arranger for high school and college marching bands, orchestras, and show choirs throughout the Midwest.

Master of Ceremony



Mic Evans is a local actor, director and theatre educator currently serving as the Education Director for Theatre Cedar Rapids. He's been seen onstage over the years in roles such as Quasimodo in Disney's "The Hunchback of Notre Dame", Monty Navarro in "A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder", Renfield in "Dracula" and was most recently onstage in TCR's "Meet Me in St. Louis". Mic studied Theatre Performance and Drama for Youth at the University of Northern Iowa and is a proud Linn-Mar (and 10th Street Edition) alum. As a former show choir performer himself, Mic is excited to share this day with each performing group and celebrate with you all onstage and off!

Judges & Clinicians



Kelsey Legore (*Daytime and Finals Vocals*) is an educator, conductor, and performer based in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. After eight years leading middle and high school choirs in the public schools (most recently, right here at Prairie!), she pivoted to a more eclectic career path. Kelsey teaches piano and voice lessons to 30+ students each week and stays busy with a steady stream of freelance work. Recent projects have included teaching music education coursework at the University of Northern Iowa, music-directing "Meet Me In St. Louis" and "Legally Blonde Jr." at Theatre Cedar Rapids, and singing in the chorus of Verdi's Requiem with Orchestra Iowa. Kelsey sings and conducts regularly with Vocal Artists of Iowa and is looking forward to their invited performance at the Midwest ACDA convention next weekend. She enjoys exploring the world, practicing yoga, cooking/eating good food, and doing puzzles and reading books with her partner, Ben, and kiddos, Simon and Jude.



Charlie Vogl (*Daytime and Finals Visuals*) Charlie is a Cedar Rapids, IA native and co-founded The Dancer's EDGE with his wife, Stephanie, in 2008. In 16 seasons, The Dancer's EDGE has grown to become one of the largest private dance studios in the United States. Charlie has been dancing for over 30 years and instructs Tap, Hip Hop, and Tinies classes in addition to directing the studio's competition team. He graduated from the University of Iowa after having studied Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management and also holds a Minor in Vocal Music Performance from Cornell College. Charlie's choreography has won numerous Grand Championships, Most Entertaining, and Best Choreography honors throughout the country, including a 2016 Industry Dance Award. He has an infectious passion for teaching and feels most at home when he's in the classroom, acting like a big kid amongst his students. When Charlie isn't dancing, he enjoys spending time with his daughter, Leah, playing with his adorable puppies, traveling, and enjoying family time.

Judges & Clinicians



Lynne Rothrock (*Daytime and Finals Vocals*) A graduate of Luther College (B.A. Music/Theatre) and Western Michigan University (M.M. Vocal Performance) Lynne Rothrock is a vocalist/entertainer and arts educator. She has performed as a solo artist at a variety of venues around the United States, including Birdland (NYC), The Bluebird Café (Nashville), Davenport's Cabaret (Chicago), The Dakota and Crooners (Minneapolis), Crown & Anchor (Cape Cod, MA). She has also worked for a variety of theatre companies around the country as actress and/or musical director. Lynne was one of 30 vocalists selected to attend the prestigious International Cabaret Conference at Yale University and works with Michael Feinstein at the Great American Songbook Foundation. She has served on the voice faculty of Western Michigan University, Roosevelt University's Chicago College of the Performing Arts, St. Ambrose University, Coe College and currently teaches musical theatre and applied voice at Luther College in Decorah, IA. Lynne has been a clinician at the Manhattan Concert Productions, Brightleaf Music Workshop, Showchoir Camps of America, Great American Songbook Academy and has adjudicated for Heritage Music Festivals for 30 years – coaching choral ensembles in every major US city. Lynne has led song performance masterclasses for arts organizations, universities and the Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival Conference. She has released three CDs – “This Is Me”, “Christmas”, and “I Love Being Here” which she recorded with her late husband Ron DeWitte, a Blues and Rock & Roll Hall of Fame guitarist. The pair enjoyed a career performing together both at home and around the world as headline entertainers on cruise ships. Follow lynnerothrock.com for information about upcoming events.



Ana-Maria Kraemer (*Daytime Critique and Finals Visuals*) is thrilled to be entering her 24th season of show choir. She began as a performer, and then spent 15 years assisting programs, first her alma mater, Totino-Grace High School, and then adding in Hastings HS and St. Francis HS in Minnesota. Most recently, she spent 4 seasons assisting at Wheaton North HS. She has also been lucky enough to work as a clinician, choreography assistant, and adjudicator for programs throughout the country; additionally, she serves in an unofficial capacity as judge and jury for her husband John Burlace's show designs and arrangements. Ana-Maria lives in Chicago with the above-mentioned husband, and the best dogs in the entire world: their Corgi Fidi and Australian Shepherd Hubert Humphrey Hoover. She works full-time as the Regional Retail Support Coordinator for the Midwest & MidAtlantic Region of Louis Vuitton, and spends her free time shopping, watching hockey, and going on adventures.



Ellie Jordan (*Daytime and Finals Visuals*) is a highly regarded freelance choreographer based in Chicago, Illinois, and a standout figure in the world of dance and performance arts. Ellie laid the foundation for her career at Western Michigan University with a Bachelor of Arts in Dance. Her mastery includes a wide variety of dance disciplines, encompassing Jazz, Ballet, Modern, Tap, and Hip-Hop, blending her technical skills and artistic finesse. Beyond show choir, Ellie's choreography has been seen at Six Flags Great America and numerous acclaimed theatrical productions, including Singin' in the Rain, The Little Mermaid, Phantom of the Opera, Godspell, and West Side Story. Ellie was a member and part of the creative team for the Hip-Hop ConneXion-Michigan Dance Company. Her versatility shines through in these diverse artistic ventures. Ellie's contributions to the show choir art form have been honored with the FAME Aspire award. She further shares her expertise as a clinician and executive adviser at Showchoir Camps of America during the summer, where she loves to inspire the next generation of performers, directors, and choreographers. Ellie maintains a busy schedule choreographing for multiple award-winning high school and middle school show choirs nationwide. She is grateful for her roles as an adjudicator and clinician at various show choir competitions and All State Festivals throughout the year.

Judges & Clinicians



Anita Cracauer (*Daytime Bands/Finals Vocals*) started arranging music for her classmates when she was 16, as the accompanist for the show choir at Kennedy High School in Bloomington, MN. A classically trained pianist who grew up with a love for pop music of all genres, she studied music education at the University of Minnesota School of Music and then returned to Kennedy as a choral director. After three years of teaching and developing her arranging skills, she decided to take the leap into full time freelance arranging. After several years of arranging music for choirs across the nation, she began publishing her work by founding ShowChoirStock.com—the only publisher dedicated exclusively to show choir music. Her recent passion is the craft of songwriting, and she enjoys teaching virtual songwriting workshops as well as in-person songwriting clinics. In her spare time, Anita has stayed busy performing on keys for a number of bands in the Twin Cities over the last 25 years, and currently co-leads the jazz combo “J Train Jazz”. She is married to her show choir sweetheart and her favorite choir kids are their two children, Avery and Axel, who sing with Angelica Cantanti Youth Choirs.



Melanie Dygert (*Daytime Captions/Finals Visuals*) is a graduate of Johnston High School and is currently a student at Drake University. In high school, Mel participated in show choir, sang in the top curricular choir, and danced competitively for eight years. She was a dance captain for the award-winning show choir Innovation, where she helped lead her team to several Grand Championships. Mel is now a freelance choreographer and clinician for several schools around Iowa, such as Johnston, Urbandale, and Cedar Rapids Prairie. She choreographs for both Middle School and Prep level groups. Mel has also worked closely with Johnston Impact in a director role. She choreographs for the Johnston Show Choir Camp and has choreographed audition routines for schools around the Metro area. Mel has assisted choreographers such as Stephen Todd, Erik Hall, and Kevin Chase.



Tony Dam (*Daytime Critique and Finals Vocals*) is in his third year as Associate Director of Vocal Music at Waukee High School, where he directs a mixed choir, two treble clef ensembles, Spirit (show choir), and Soundcheck (jazz choir). Prior to teaching at Waukee, Mr. Dam taught 7-12 Vocal Music at the PCM Community School District in Monroe, Iowa. In addition to his duties at PCM, he served as an assistant director at Waukee High School for the award winning show choirs, Millennium and Nova. Graduating with distinction, Mr. Dam received his bachelor's degree from Iowa State University in 2019, where he studied under Dr. James Rodde. He is currently pursuing a Master's of Music in Choral Conducting from Michigan State University studying with Dr. David Rayl, Dr. Jonathan Reed, Dr. Sandra Snow, and Dr. Derrick Fox. In addition to his duties at Waukee, Tony is an active member of ACDA and ICDA.



John Burlace (*Daytime and Finals Visuals*) is currently a freelance educator and arranger/show designer based in Chicago where he lives with his beautiful wife Ana and their two dogs. He earned his Bachelor of Music in Vocal Music Education from Millikin University and his Master of Science in Education from Northern Illinois University. Prior to his freelance career, John spent 15 years in public education, serving the performing arts department of Carmel High School (IN) from 2014 to 2017 where he directed “The Ambassadors” and assisted with “The Accents” along with producing/directing the school musical and teaching many other courses in a comprehensive program that features 11 performing ensembles. John spent the 12 years before his Carmel tenure teaching at both Wheaton Warrenville South High School and Edison Middle School (Wheaton, IL), where he was the proud director of “The Classics”, “Esprit”, and “Electric Youth” show choirs in addition to many curricular ensembles and non-performance arts courses. His ensembles were consistently recognized for excellence in musicianship, vocal production, choreography, instrumental performance, and show design. As an active arranger, adjudicator, and guest conductor, he has worked with choirs and music educators from coast to coast and maintains a busy schedule presenting workshops across the country. John is also on faculty at Millikin University supervising student teachers and making the occasional appearance on campus to play for a show or guest teach a class or two. He is a proud former Show Choir Repertoire & Standards Co-chair for the Illinois ACDA.

Middle School @ 8:00am

Double Time, *Excelsior MS - Marion, IA*

Directors: Andy Cutler, Jen Rosenberg, Andrew AbouAssaly

Choreographer: Jen Rosenberg



Double Time is an auditioned group of nearly seventy-three 7th and 8th grade performers, instrumentalists, and crew members from Excelsior Middle School. This year's show is titled "Awake" and is all about realization. Being aware of our surroundings and what we can control is the only way we can make the most of any situation, so we hope this inspires you as the audience to do the same, no matter the situation in which you might find yourself. Directed by Andy Cutler, co-directed and choreographed by Jen Rosenberg, and co-directed by Andrew AbouAssaly, THIS IS DOUBLE TIME! Song Titles and Soloist; "Awake and Alive" (1st soloist: Grady Siebels, 2nd soloist: Sophie Berglund); "Virtual Insanity"; "Speechless" (1st soloist: Isaac Schuerman, 2nd soloist: Hadlee Locker); "Alone" (Soloist: Megan Kueper)

Adams, Lucy
Ahmed, Maya
Allen, Erica
Anderson, Grace
Backes, Elayna
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Dobrowolski, Max
Dolezal, Paylin
Dull, Aubrey
Elam, Taylor
Evans, Tori

Foss, Owen
Gilbertson, Vincent
Grimm, Xavier
Guerrero, Lilah
Haas, Stella
Hill, Violet
Hindahl, Colton
Hoagland, Annabelle
Hoke, Daniel
Kelly, Anthony
Konen, Carter
Kriegel, Brady
Kueper, Megan
Laubach, Tiffani
Leatherman, Sadie
Locker, Hadlee
Lovseth, Kara

Lutker, Kennedy
Meier, Ava
Moore, Gracie
Offerman, Elliott
Peet, Tatum
Perez Rivera, Jeremiah
Powers, Jacob
Safavi, Anna
Scharnau, Josephine
Schuerman, Isaac
Schultz, Lyla
Scilley, Olivia
Shaheen, Eirene
Shireman, Zoe
Siebels, Grady
Stein, Makenna

Stiffler, Cael
Stoos, Rylan
Van Auken, Lily
Venkataraman, Rishi
Wassmer, Zachary
Webb, Mari
Witcraft, Robbie
Youngkent, Darby
Anderson, Alina
Cheney, Gavin
Knox, Kohen
Neihart-Thielen, Katherine
Worden, Lily

Middle School @ 8:20am

Classic Edition, *McKinley Steam Academy MS - Cedar Rapids, IA*

Director: Shawndell E. Young

Choreographer: LD Kidd



McKinley Steam Academy premiere competitive performing show choir is composed of 53 singer dancers. They are accompanied by 10 tech crew members and a 6 piece band including students and adult supporters. Under the direction of Shawndell Young and L.D. Kidd, Classic

Edition Show Choir performs to tell stories, encourage listeners, promote thought, dance skillfully, and sing emotionally. CE believes that through focused and efficient rehearsals, hard

work, quality production of vocal sound, and the embodiment of true showmanship, they provide high quality performances that make an impact on every listener with grace and class.

Performing a show surrounding the theme of making the most of time please welcome Classic Edition. Song Titles: Fly Like An Eagle; Moving On; Seasons of Love; Time of Our Lives; Dance

Like Nobody's Watching

Alberty-Cain Oliver
Alberty-Cain Felix
Atkins Mercii
Benning Aurora
Brown-Whatley Science
Butikofer Andrew
Caldwell Malaika
Cervantes Rosemary
Clymer Lilah
Conway Owen
Davenport Jillian
Davis Miles
Davis Zoe
Deklotz Quincey
Denney Amaya
Dixon Myles
Duke Dayanah

Dwyer Neely
Dyer Emily
Facion Emersyn
Fuessley Londyn
Gailushas Keegan
Gonzalez Vada
Gonzalez Bellamae
Hetrick Evelyn
Hicks Emily
Ironsides Gavin
Jacobowitz Eve
Jones Charlotte
Kalala Sharone
Kuniega Teaghan
Kuba Bellamy
Londquist Lilly
Lynxwiler Zack

Masse Drake
Mast Stella
McAtee Jack
Mitchell Jasper
Montgomery Emre
Montgomery Ayla
Nord Raven
Olson Willa
Orr Jatavious
Pease Thomas
Pope Carsen
Prince Phoebe
Rogers Mekhi
Rogers Jack
Roosa Tinley
Schott River
Stanfield Jordan

Steffen Stella
Tamlyn Avery
Tibbott Claire
Townsend Logan
Tyler Samantha
Tyler Callista
Wilcox Payton
Wild Avery
Wright Syrianah
Tristan Grey
August Merschbrock

Middle School @ 8:40am

Neo Classic, Harding MS - Cedar Rapids, IA

Directors: Jody Nekvinda, Anne Ohrt

Choreographers: Damon Brown, Jonathon Neswick



Neo Classic is Cedar Rapids Harding Middle School's premier show choir. It is an auditioned group made up of 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students. With over 40 student performers, crew, and band, Neo Classic continues a tradition of show choir at Harding of nearly four decades. Neo Classic is directed by Jody Nekvinda and Anne Ohrt, collaborating with choreographers Damon Brown and and Jonathan Neswick. Song Titles and Soloists: This is One of Those Moments-Bella Geller; Remember This; Come Rain or Come Shine; Winning Side; Home/Aint no Mountain- Rigley Orht

Archibald Alexis
Bildstein Avery
Black Zach
Bodeker Addison
Caldwell Tate
Christoffersen Hayden
Christofferson Evy
Contreras Delilah
Crandall Olivia
Dalecky Vincent

Dasta Katelyn
Davis Esther
Douglas Sophia
Eaton Lizzie
Fisher Elise
Fuchs Bailey
Funderburk Alex
Gettler Bella
Goff Emmaline
Jordan Milli

Kompella Gayatri
Laufer Kierah
Martin-Trainor Lindsi
McHughs Markin
Mersch Sage
Ohrt Rigley
Popelka Ben
Prahm Addie
Reicks Raegan
Robinson Kinnick

Seegmiller Brooklyn
Spangler Annabelle
Thorne Nat
Turnis Bryson
Velitchkov Jordyn
Whitney-Worcester Emory
Wills Madelyn

Middle School @ 9:00am

Ovation, *Oak Ridge MS - Cedar Rapids, IA*

Director: Liz Fontenot

Choreographer: Megan Callahan



Do you believe in magic? You may just witness some in this next performance! Ovation Show Choir is an auditioned, extracurricular, ensemble of about 80 7th and 8th grade students from Oak Ridge Middle School in Marion, IA. In addition to performing here today, Ovation's 2024 competition season will include performances at Waukee Northwest, Cedar Rapids Washington, Marion, and Cedar Rapids Xavier. This year's show tells the story of a young Wendy, whose belief in magic leads her to an amazing adventure in Neverland! Under the direction of Liz Fontenot, with choreography by Megan Callahan, this is Ovation! Song Titles and Soloist Names: The Second Star to the Right (Sam Shannon); Do You Believe in Magic (Simon Young); Faith (Brooksley McDonald, Simon Young, Sam Shannon); Lost Boy Wings (Brooksley McDonald); It's Goin' Down (Rylan Parcher and Simon Young); Finding Neverland (Sam Shannon and Simon Young); I Lived (Tabi Dahlby, Simon Young, Brooksley McDonald, Sam Shannon)

Achenbach, Noelle
Albers, Abigail
Albers, Lily
Amerman, Jana
Burlage, Lucy
Carter, Nolan
Collins, Aniyah
Dahlby, Tabi
Daugherty, Emma
Dvorsky, Cece
Eady, Emma
Earnest, Drew
Espinosa, Elena
Fireman, Ori
Gadde, Arushi
Gallaway, Marlee
Gansemer, Hattie
Harmer, Bella

Heiserman, Molly
Helle-Turner, Bella
Henning, Katrina
Hill, Avery
Holzwarth, Brianna
Hutchinson, Ava
Jaritz, Bernadeta
Kmetz, Landon
Lehmann, Lucy
Little, Sylvia
Lorenz, Cooper
Mattson, James
McDonald,
Brooksley
McDonald, Elliot
Mieras, Gianna
Nagarajan, Suhani
Oliver, Lexi

Parcher, Rylan
Parsons, Jaxon
Post, Beckett
Prebil, Tess
Reick, Norah
Ruehlow, Molly
Said, Joury
Sarkar, Srija
Scholl, Grace
Shah, Riddhi
Shannon, Sam
Stagg, Kiara
Stagg, Mya
Strimple, Makayla
Thangavel,
Pradanya
Thompson, Taryn
Thomsen, Tate

Toingar, Judith
Vaddi, Roshini
Ward, Alexis
Wesselink, Josie
White, Landon
Willmott, Addy
Wilson, Olivia
Winterhof, Brenna
Winterhof, Carolyn
Young, Simon
Zhao, James
Garms, Eli
Gengler, Erica
Gifford, Sebastien
Lorenz, Cade
Sakolkar, Vasudha
Schoenhard, Lizzie

Middle School @ 9:20am

Adrenaline,

Taft MS - Cedar Rapids, IA
Director: Vicky Muters-Cichoski
Choreographer: Aaron Malec



Greetings from "ADRENALINE"! We are very excited to return for our 4th appearance at Prairie Premiere. ADRENALINE members consist of auditioned 6th, 7th, & 8th Grade students. Our group is very well rounded. They are not only dancers, instrumentalists, and singers - they are involved in band, orchestra, sports, drama, student leadership, Future City, Special Needs Peer Helpers and numerous other extra-curricular activities. ADRENALINE formerly known as KIDS FROM TAIT has been in existence since the early 1980's and continues to provide students with a positive outlet for their excessive energies and talents. Mrs. Muters-Cichoski, ADRENALINE members, and Taft Middle School would like to thank all the people associated with Prairie Premiere for the opportunity to perform, as well as the overall experience of the competition. We wish all the other groups the very best of luck today. Now, Sit back and relax as our show takes you from dreams to nightmares and back again! Song Titles: I Have A Dream; Sweet Dreams; I'm Your Boogie Man; I Dreamed A Dream; Waking Up Dreaming; Awake and Alive

Olivia Allen
Alex Anderson
Jacob Anderson
Maddux Armstrong
Charlotte Beck
Ezrah Benion
Sophia Blankenship
Landon Blevins
Aliana Bolinger
Nevaeh Bolumbu
Kaiser Borchardt
Jema Bruce
Kembry Bushaw
Paityn Clifton
Mary Corizzo
Nevaeh Devos
Josie Dougherty
Izabella Dudley

Audrey Duffy
Jade England
Jamie England
Lilianna Freeman
Elise Goldberg
Mckenzie Heims
Harper Homewood
Jesse Johnson
Chelsea Jones
Luke Kastner
Max Kastner
Bella Keller
Ireland Klein
Kaedence Kopp
Naomi Lehnhardt
Tyler Loesche
Ainsley Mackenzie
Landon Mason

Ayla Matejka
Jacey Mccloud
Tyler Meaney
Daniel Mitchell
Benjamin Moore
Brooklyn Moton
Piper Mussmann
Ainsley Nydle
Ace Nguyen
Christopher Oberembt
Henry O'connell
Maggie O'deen
Maggie Panoch
Collin Phelps
Noah Phillips
Owen Preston
Dixie Ransom
Isabella Ransom

Kyler Schlacke
Symon Stubblefield
Braelyn Sullivan
Carlos Torres
Eva Torres
Violet Healy Welsh
Kelvin Witmar
Josie Ziel
Leah Detert
Vicky Muters-Cichoski
Nate MacKenzie
Morgan Biderman
Kai Hauschildt
Matthew Rosauer
Danny Hammitt
De Asia Montgomery
Lucas Sennett

Treble Prep @ 9:40am

Ovation, Jefferson High School - Cedar Rapids, IA

Director: Jesse Bunge

Choreographers: Matt Watson, Jimmy D



Ovation is the treble show choir from Cedar Rapids Jefferson and is under the direction of Mr. Jesse Bunge, choreographed by Matt Watson and J. Dalton, with band preparation and direction by Mr. Matt Nicholson. Ovation would like to thank all of the parent and student volunteers who put in countless hours to help make this a truly collaborative community. Song Titles and Soloist Names: Black & White/Magic Happens – BMK (Soloist: Tamar Kalembire); Bad Habits - Anita Cracauer (Soloist: DaeLise Fleetwood); Kryptonite - Garret Breeze (Soloist: Sophia Runyan); Crawling in the Dark – BMK (Soloist: Faith Drzycimski); Brand New Day - Kevin A. Duggan

Allen, Alexandria
Baker, Tempe
Burkle, Drew
Butler, Gabby
DeBlois, Jessica
Dodson, Jenna
Downer, Wynema
Drzycimski, Faith
Fleetwood, DaeLise
Hayes, Lilly
Johnson, Elyse
Kalembire, Tamar
Kintumba, Haufaid
Lynas, Averi
Ogle, Teru

Park, Yezi
Petersen, Cora
Petersen, Evaline
Purifoy, Savannah
Runyan, Julia
Runyan, Sophia
Tylee, Kami
Kisling, Bryan
Reynolds, Brock
Collins, Emerson
White, Sophia
Coberly, Amya
Ellis, Ryan
Jensen, Maki
Kirchoff, Mya

Mittelsteadt, Jonathan
Schnell, Darby
Zeeshan, Hina
Morgan, Kelly
Hardy, Ali
Sallee, Keileigh
Fultz, Anna
Deal, Austin
McVeigh, Charlotte
Kinnison, Brynn
Heeren, Joseph
Anderson, Chloe
Warson, Carter
Biwer, Jordan
Morgan, Matthew

Cassady, Tristan
Jones, Elizabeth
Caton, Ethan
Schlotfelt, Killian
Rood, Ayden
Kinney, Mallori
Coberly, Jace
Sutton, Sylvia
Farmer, Kyleigh
Peterson, Thursday
Taylor, Lena

Treble Prep @ 10:05am

Hi-Style, Linn-Mar - Marion, IA

Director: Jack Jorgensen

Choreographer: Lexi Robson



Hi-Style is an auditioned show choir that is open to 9-12th grade treble voices at Linn-Mar High School. Hi-Style consists of 62 singers, 17 instrumentalists, and 10 crew members. This year Hi-Style will attend four competitions in addition to their annual "Get in the Spirit" performance at Linn-Mar High School. Along with 10th Street Edition and In Step, Hi-Style hosts the Linn-Mar Invitational, Supernova. Hi-Style's show is arranged by Steve Shanley, choreographed by Lexi Robson, and directed by Jack Jorgensen. This year's show is set at fictional "Camp Burntsmore" a lakeside summer camp in the north woods. As we follow the campers throughout their Summer, we hear diary entries that capture the humorous, yet wholesome moments at camp. Song Titles and Soloists Names: This Year - Emily King (Soloists: Leah Glew, Rachel Hora); Heave Away from Come From Away - Irene Sankoff, David Hein (Soloist: Layla Breitbach); If You Go Down (I'm Going Down Too) - Kelsea Ballerini (Soloist: Layla Breitbach); Bad to the Bone - George Thorogood, 2WEI (Soloist: Maddy Kramer); Flashlight - Jessie J (Soloists: Layla Breitbach, Maddy Kramer, Leah Glew, Rachel Hora); Remember This - Jonas Brothers (Soloist: Leah Glew)

Arieal Allen
Samantha Bast
Alyssa Cochet
Evelyn Beach
Seijal Bhushan
Emmett Blake
Layla Breitbach
Violet Brentner
Maya Budke
Lily Carlson
Allegra Cosgrove
Zoe Cronin
Giannah Dart
Aveon DeLayo
Ren Dvorsky
Mya Ealy
Ally Ehlts
Jessica Ekse
Annika Elhard
Lanie Furler

Leah Glew
Elena Grimm
Rachel Hora
Madelynn Hunt
Ieva Jaritz
Sasha Kamp
Mackenzie Keith
Lauren Kemp
Cora Kerwin
Madalyn Kramer
Valarey Lentner
Allison Lewis
Kaylin Lightfoot
Claire Lorenz
Evie McInroy
Quinn Mason
Addison McDermott
Maleah Miner
Ella Muirhead
Mia Muters

Maria Neihart Thielen
Rory Nelson
River Newton
Kyras Nitz
Sara Norsworthy
Ava Parsons
Emmaline Petersen
Sarah Pfaff
Lameesha Pickett
Jasmine Pratt
Adalynn Schaldecker
Amelia Schloemer
Kaylee Schwartzhoff
Josie Scilley
Nikayla Sebers
Ellie Siddell
Isabelle Smith
Kylee Smith
Coy Szyszka
Grace Ulmer

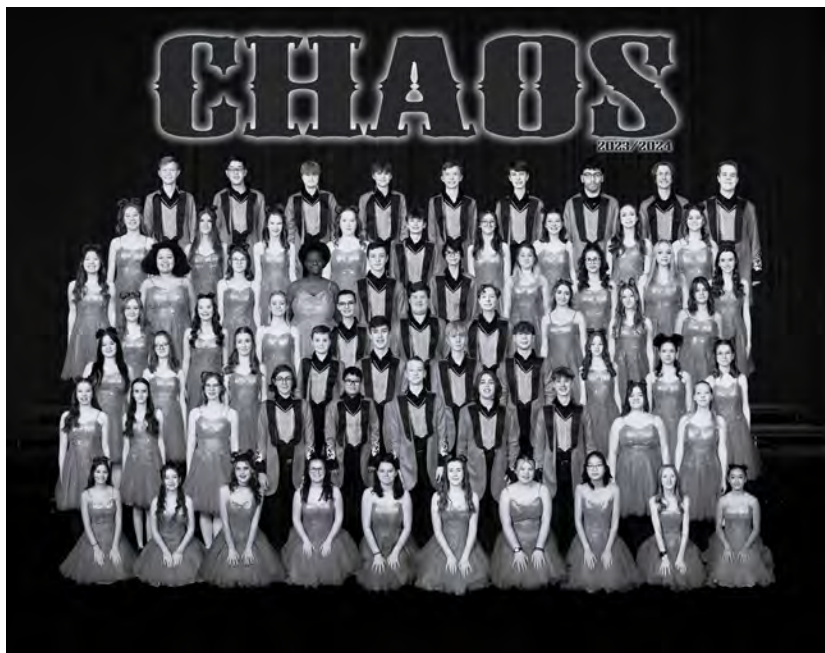
Reagan Vandersee
Emily Zheng
Madeline Zmoos
Will Bahl
Alexander Leubbert
Katherine Bovinet
Reed McCabe
Maddie Barnidge
Anna Schlesinger
Nicole Edaburn
Parker Shadrick
Leo Hackett Ewan
Southwood
Theo Hartwig
Izzy Telisak
Joshua Knapp
Michael Worden
Tessa Laubach
Zach Zieser
Olivia Lee

Mixed Prep @ 10:30am

Chaos, Centennial High School - Ankeny, IA

Director: Grant Becker & Sam Thomas

Choreographer: Nick Quamme



Chaos is one of four show choirs at Ankeny Centennial High School, directed by Grant Becker and Sam Thomas with choreography by Nick Quamme, arrangements by Steve Shanley, and show band directed by Brogan Kearney. Chaos is composed of 67 singers/dancers and 20 band members in grades 9-12. We are supported by the greatest community and want to recognize them for everything they do. Chaos will travel with the rest of the Centennial Show Choir program this season and cannot wait to bring their show to you. Welcome to the Freak Show!

Song Titles and Soloists:

Freakshow; Carousel/Twisted -

Soloist: Avery Kuhl; Clown -

Soloist: Harlie Runnells; Freak Show/Circus

A'Hearn, Avery
Auderer, Jacob
Auge, Carter
Banh, Keira
Banh, Logan
Beard, Alayna
Benoit, Aly
Bentley, Carter
Bernal, Leif
Bohnenkamp, Avery
Boliver, Samantha
Brincks, Cal
Campola, Charlotte
Cateron, Hayla
Clark, Caleb
Collins, Lina
Corron, Isla
Danner, Tessa
De Paula, Rilla
Dekker, Ethan
Forrester, Evelyn
Freeman, Joey

Gonzalez, Georgia
Guddall, Grace
Harris, Shawn
Hay, Isla
He, Noreen
Hedrick, Layla
Hoban, Nora
Houser, Haley
Ishibwami, Nabi
Johnson, Davis
Koesters, Keara
Kuhl, Avery
Landis, Dean
Langholz, Andrew
Larsen, Lucas
Lawler, Tayli
Lentell, McKinlie
Lerberg, Chloe
Love, Alister
Mayrose, Brooklyn
McDougall, Luis
Meyer, Kat

Morris, Tamiah
Munger, Marleigh
Nicoletto, Gabe
Pratt, Cooper
Proesch, Sophia
Randolph, Lexi
Rathbun, Jack
Rodriguez, Daniel
Roush, Jaime
Runnells, Harlie
Smith, Caden
Snyder, Maya
Twitchell, Addie
Van Vark, Ayla
Vander Waal, Mason
VanGinkel, Verin
Vaudt, Abby
Wanzek, Natalie
Watgen, Lincoln
Westercamp, Jessica
Withrow, Astrid (Allison)
Wombacher, Julia

Wood, Sierra
Quinn, Ethan
Patanroi, Rafael
Gerardy, Rylan
Reif, Emma
Reimann, Zach
Ryan, Nic
Tornes, Chris
Sill, Maddy
Pratt, Stone
Bender, Charlee
Platt, Hunter
McBride, Atticus
Lydon, Sean
Hopp, Caleb
Russell, Eve
Wiedenhoff, Nick
Ganesh, Aakansha
Leach, Kayla
Mueller, Jacob
Owusu-Anokye, Cathy

Mixed Prep @ 10:55am

Protégé, Kennedy HS - Cedar Rapids, IA

Director: Ann Brunson

Choreographers: Damon Brown & LD Kidd



Protege is the prep group from John F. Kennedy High School in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. The group consists of 53 singers from grades 9-12. Their show this year features songs from MTV and the 80's. We are excited to perform for you and wish all the performing groups the best of luck! Song Titles and Soloists: 80's Mashup; Hip Hop Medley (soloists: Haile Miller/Brent Becerra); Every Breath You Take (soloist: Christina Gilson); Bad; Let's Go Crazy

Alex Ackerman	Annabelle Fuchs	Sully Reynolds	Griffin Bieber
Mayah Anderson	Cam Funderburk	Brady Sandberg	Andrew Campbell
Ellie Bahl	Christian Gilson	Kaleb Smith	Symon Ender
Brent Becerra	Mazaki Giple	James Sullivan	Reece Fischer
Emily Brandt	Emma Grantham	Alex Trnovac	Liza Fuemmeler
Maclane Bryner	Paris Jackson	Eden Wade	Kieran Glessner
Abby Bunker	Niles Kanetomo	Piper White	Luke Horton
Tatum Butschi	Dallas Keller	Ava Williams	Emerson Mahoney
Avery Campbell	Michel Kibaba	Caden Witter	Camden Neff
Alaina Canney	Blake Kroemer	Elijah Worcester	Joslynn Ovel
Trenton Cantrel	Leila Lahip	Ellie Wray	Grant Pattridge
Emma Clabaugh	Eva Larsen	Christen Zinne	Kaden Peterson
Ari Corella	Helen Mackey	Kaitlyn Dolphin	Jenna Raid
Emily Davis	Owen McLaughlin	Ava Kerns	Delaney Steenblock
Lauren Deiters	Haile Miller	Delaney Mann	Remi Wilcox
Seamus Duggan	Bekah Miller	Izzi Kies	Luke Wedel
Ollie Dusil	Summer Miller	Zara Thephravong	
Mariah Fencil	Kinsey Neely	Eden Lutz	
Claire Frank	Caylee Parks	Troy Mouser	
Isabella Frese	Carson Peterson	River Borgerding	

Mixed Prep @ 12:15pm

Eternal Rush, Centennial High School - Ankeny, IA

Director : Emily Battani

Choreographers: Lexi Robson and Braxton Carr



Ankeny Centennial Eternal Rush 2024 is proud to present their show, Elizabeth. Made up of 57 singers, ER is under the direction of Emily Battani, assisted by Logan Eilers, and choreographed by Lexi Robson and Braxton Carr. They are accompanied by 18 instrumentalists and are thankful for their crew of students and parents who make their show possible! Eternal Rush is excited to share the story of Queen Elizabeth II with audiences across the Midwest and would like to wish good luck to everyone performing today. Song Titles: God Save the King/Royals; Can She (Do It); Castle; Like Breathing; Kings and Queens/Golden Age

Adovor, QK
Anderson, Bella
Anliker, Curran
Ausenhuis, Ben
Belger, AJ
Beneke, Omarion
Berlau, Chloe
Boka, Lauren
Burkhart, Nyah
Crawford, Alana
Evans, Lilly
Fors, Will
Foster, Christa
Frost, Lucy
Graham, Noah
Greer, Madison
Groen, Abe
Halbach, Mason
Hammen, Dawson

Hollenback, Ethan
Huynh, Logan
Johnson, Camryn
Jones, Kyler
Kennedy, Tyler
Konecne, Noah
Lange, MiKayla
Larson, Eeve
Leach, Kayla
Lenig, Edie
Like, Kinnick
Lynam, Keelyn
Mandolfo, Tony
Matson, Abby
May, Michael
McCleary, Anna
McClellan, Julian
Monthei, Tegan
Perkins, Connor

Powers, Sophia
Ringholz, Gus
Riordan, Max
Ryan, Colin
Schafer, Adam
Schomer, Bri
Scroggs, Zeke
Stave, Emily
Swalve, Corrine
Sytsma, Greyson
Walker-Moreno,
Morgandy
Watson, Faith
Weaver, Dylan
Welch, Kenna
Wesner, Alaina
Willardson, Abby
Griffith, Tanner
Goff, Clair

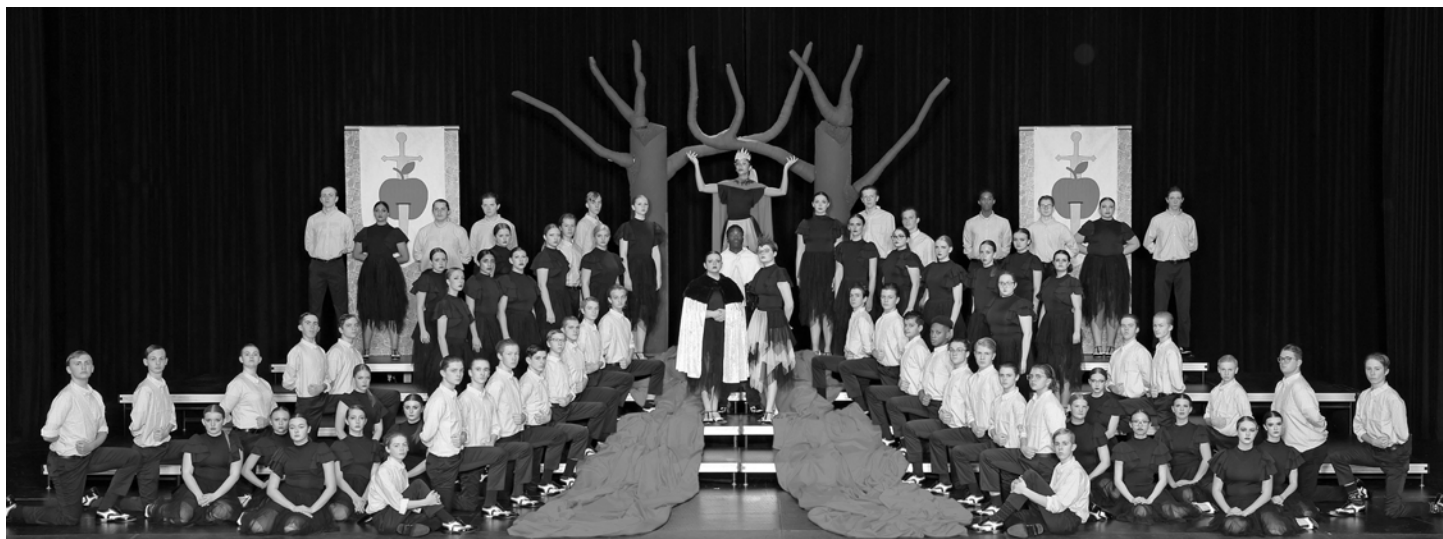
Leaders, Abby
Watgen, Lincoln
Reimann, Zach
Nic, Ryan
Chris, Tornos
Bender, Charlee
Sill, Maddy
Wright, Ben
McBride, Selathial
Miara, Jamie
Pratt, Cooper
Sanders, Kylan
Fickbohm, Bella
Ganesh, Aakansha
Robertson, Birk
Bredice, Maia

Mixed Prep @ 12:40pm

In Step, Linn-Mar - Marion, IA

Director: Sarah Anderson

Choreographers: Lexi Robson Buglewicz & Braxton Carr



In Step is the mixed prep show choir from Linn-Mar High School in Marion, Iowa consisting of 75 singers, 19 instrumentalists, and 9 crew members. This year, they will attend four competitions in addition to Supernova, Linn-Mar High School's Show Choir Invitational. In Step is choreographed by Lexi Robson-Buglewicz and Braxton Carr, arranged by Steve Shanley, and directed by Sarah Anderson. We hope you enjoy this year's show: "Villainous!" Song Titles and Soloist: Everybody Wants To Rule The World (Soloists: Charlie Stevens, Joe Toingar, Jacela Ketcham, & Lin Corner); The Room Where It Happens (Soloists: Jacela Ketcham & Lin Corner); No Time To Die (Soloist: Jacela Ketcham); Angry Too (Soloist: Jacela Ketcham & Lin Corner); Look What You Made Me Do/You Should See Me In A Crown (Soloist: Jacela Ketcham); Darkside

Adams, Cooper
Ager, Camdyn
Arganbright, Lindsey
Asher, Gracie
Asher, Trystan
Blott, Aria
Bryan, Aiden
Burke, Jaydon
Burkett, Logan
Carney, Nick
Carney, Nolan
Carter, Mikayla
Castor, Lauren
Corner, Lin
Dart, Kaissan
Duncan-Porter, Bradley
Eady, Bahia
Elshiekh, Bassil
Fonck, Allison
Getz, Olivea
Guthrie, Kameron
Haas, Jazmin
Hanson, Ryal

Harks, Kelsey
Hartwig, Theodore
Hiscock, Thomas
Hoke, Robbie
Johnson, Kaitlyn
Kallas, Dani
Kennedy, William
Kensinger, Peyton
Ketcham, Jacela
Kirchner, Kallissa
Kramer, Venus
Larson, Emma M
Laubach, Teressa
Lausen, Chayse
Lindblom, Aubree
Lindsay, Christopher
Lovseth, Wesley
Malget, Aaron
Mansoor, Aleena
McDade, Pharaoh
McDonald, Bridger
Modha, Khush
Mueller, Trinity

Neymeyer, Jasper
Niemi, Landon
Norris, Ethan
Norton, Cooper
Paradiso, Dylan
Peery, Brynlie
Phan, Sophia
Philipp, Evie
Platten, Allie
Powers, Gabriel
Reddy, Khushi
Royer, Karson
Ruehlw, Ross
Schaefer, Alexis
Schoenbeck, Inga
Shepherd, Easton
Sieck, Noah
Stanger, Henry
Steichen, Keegan
Stevens, Charlie
Stoddard, Caroline
Telisak, Izzy
Thompson, Mackenzie

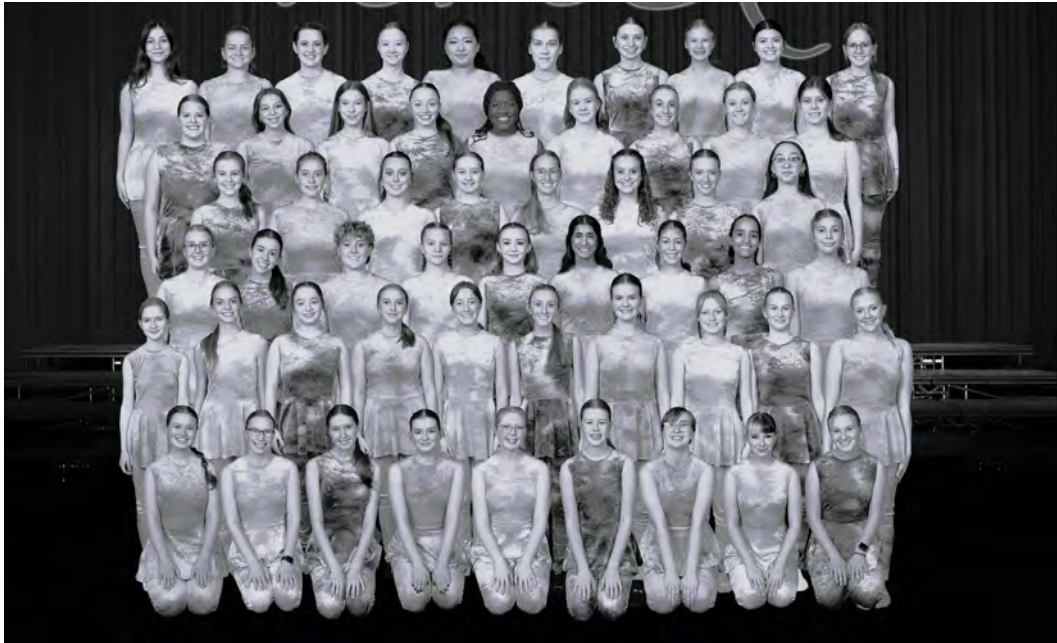
Toingar, Joe
Walderbach, Kaydence
Walker, Coleman
Wells, Braydin
Yetter, Charles
Young, Sydney
Ali, Nassif
Bushlack, Eliah
Dvorsky, Ren
Eubanks, Rianne
Fredin, Ellenor
Gates, Gavin
Huffman, Laurel
Kamp, Sasha
Kendrick, Zach
Ketels, Augie
Langley, Micah
Laubach, Timothy
Miskell, Parker
Rabe, Lucas
Sanz Chulluncuy, Sofia
Shanley, Evan
Stoller, Payton

Open @ 1:30pm

Vortex, *Centennial High School - Ankeny, IA*

Director: Abby Hoshaw

Choreographers: Lexi Robson Buglewicz & Braxton Carr



Ankeny Centennial is proud to introduce their newest addition to their show choir family: Vortex! Vortex is a select varsity treble ensemble consisting of 56 singers and 20 band members. We are so fortunate to have an incredible crew of students and parents that make all the magic happen on stage! Vortex is excited to compete throughout Iowa and Nebraska this year, and we want to wish the best of luck to everyone performing today!

Under the direction of Abby Hoshaw, show band directed by Brogan Kearney, and choreographed by Lexi Robson and Braxton Carr, we are proud to present Vortex 2024: Wild Birds. Song Titles and Soloists: Kuka Nukkuu Tutussasi Rare; Keep Lookin' Up (soloist Claryce Groth); Everything Matters; Flying (soloist Katelyn Henzi); Take Me There

Aponte, Illiana
Auderer, Michaela
Beck, Calista
Bisgard, Emma
Bohnenkamp, Sophie
Bredice, Maia
Bricker, Reese
Brooks, Millie
DeMulder, Addison
Dervesh, Anushka
Digmann, Sophia
Dowell, Madeline
Fickbohm, Bella
Forkah-Musoro, Nadine
Forrester, Audrey
Foster, Carla
Giles, Harmony
Goff, Claire
Gorsh, Madison
Gries, Ellery

Groth, Claryce
Haack, Genevieve
Hake, Greta
Harmon, Lauren
Henzi, Katelyn
Hoffman, Reece
Howieson, Rosie
Huebsch, Charlotte
Hughes, Emmy
Jarr, Katherine
Johnson, Jordan
Krogman, Alyssa
Leaders, Abby
Lee, Whitney
Lor, Mollie
Meier, Iris
Miara, Jamie
Moen, Allie
Myers, Kaitlyn
Nelson, Paige

Paulson, Hilary
Powell, Claudia
Powell, Vivian
Pries, Blue
Royster, Sophia
Salesberry, Cady
Sandbulte, Lucy
Schafer, Allison
Seeber, Isabel
Sprecher, Kaylee
Squier, Bella
Stoermer, Halle
Swartz, Cami
Walton, Kaitlyn
Yashack, Isabella
Zeller, Addyson
Bartlett, Karina
Boka, Lauren
Gerardy, Rylan
Jansen, Harrison

Jones, Kyler
McClellan, Jullian
Miara, Alex
Minter, Justus
Muta, Lucas
Nguyen, Allison
O'Connell, Kennedy
Patanroi, Rafael
Quinn, Ethan
Reif, Emma
Russell, Eve
Ryan, Collin
Saeed, Jannah
Smith, Holden
Stapleton, Collin
Stoltenberg, Erin
Vaudt, Ellie

Open @ 2:00pm



Good Time Company

Iowa City West HS

Iowa City, IA

Director: Luigi Enriquez

*Choreographers: Melissa Eklund,
Matt Watson*

Good Time Company is the varsity show choir from Iowa City West High School! The members of this group participate in a comprehensive choral experience with the mission to develop students' performance and interpersonal skills in an engaging and supportive environment. Since its founding in 1974, GTC has enjoyed a tradition of entertaining audiences throughout the state and across the midwest. The show curated for the 49th season of Good Time Company is titled "Time For Me To Fly."

The show begins with inspiration from memories of our childhood—flying kites in the park, remembering the beautiful blue skies and recalling the vulnerability and innocence of being young. We then take inspiration from soaring through the sky and flying, exploring how life can reflect flying and elevation. GTC is directed by Luigi Enriquez, with band direction by Brandon Burkhardt, and choreography by Ben Eklund, Melissa Eklund, and Matt Watson. Song Titles

and Soloist Names: Let's Go Fly A Kite//Happy Kids (Greta Gromacki, Avanley Jones); Blue Skies/Mr. Blue Skies; The Innocence/Flying (Andreas Warren, Rana Saba); Time For Me To Fly/Goin' Places; Tia Rahmatalla, (Eva Ortega Lopez, Allison Reed, Eli Asper, Nathan Butler); Kiss The Sky/Elevate (Lovella Varner)

Ahmad, Zaira	Stephens, MacBain
Asper, Eli	Stephens, McKenna
Bartlett, Grace	Tisdale, Ethan
Butler, Jonathan	Vakiner, Ella
Chen, Shannon	Varner, Lovella
Connolly, Norah	Verry, Maddie
Cribbs, Addison	Vogel, Benjamin
Douglas, Amelia	Vogt, Lexie
Elsheikh, Ahmed	Vogt, Emily
Gilbertson-White, Henry	Wagner, Emma
Graber, Fiona	Warren, Andreas
Gromacki, Greta	Young, Broderick
Gross, MD	Zimmermann, Tage
Hanna, Maya	Avdonina, Polina
Houchins-Witt, Carter Birch	Ceynar, Isabel
Huynh, Shefali	Ephraim, Carly
Jones, Avanley	Gibson, Thomas
Jordan, Franny	Gonzalez, Gwendoline
Jordan, De'Jah	Houchins-Witt, Waylon
Kimura, Leslie	Kraske, Ian
Kruse, Maile	Lassner, Tyler
Lam, Jane	Lawler, Claire
Lee, Abby	Orhon, Emre
Lubaki, Levine	Owens-Holst, Xion
Luen, Sin	Ray, Genna
Mascher, Aden	Richardson, Miles
Mascher, Cale	Selby, Patrick
Nabhan-Warren, Josie	Shonrock, Michael
Nodia, Katie	
Ortega Lopez, Eva	
Rahmatalla, Tia	
Reed, Allison	
Reimer, Luke	
Rippentrop, Jack	
Saba, Rana	
Schau, Henry	
Scheer, Iona	
Shim, Isun	
Stephens, Lockhart	

Open @ 2:30pm

West Side Delegation, *Jefferson HS - Cedar Rapids, IA*

Director: Jonathan Neswick

Choreographers: Ben Eklund, Matt Watson



West Side Delegation is the varsity show choir at Jefferson High School in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. West Side Delegation is one of eight choral ensembles offered in Jefferson's music program. Its members also participate in Bella Voce, Meistersingers, and Vocal Jazz. West Side Delegation's 2023 competition season includes Des Moines Christian's "Illumination", Linn-Mar's "Supernova", Cedar Rapids Piraire "Premiere," Waukee Northwest's "Nightfall," Davenport Central's "Great River Invitational", and Cedar Rapids Kennedy's "Raise the Roof" West Side Delegation is under the direction of Jonathan Neswick with choreography by Ben Eklund and Matt Watson. The show band is under the direction of Matt Nicholson. West Side Delegation's show is titled, "Work For It", taking you through a journey of working towards something you believe in. Song Titles and Soloist Names: See the Future/The Future's Right in Front of Me - Andrew Jacobsen (Soloist: Hannah Pearson); Relentless/Coming Back Around – BMK Anything Worth Holding On To/Don't Give Up - Anita Cracauer (Soloists: Sophia Parker, Ben Goudy, and Shakerra Brunson); Pressure Off/Work For It – BMK (Soloists: Kaydance Laughridge, Sarah Jungling, and Matthew Henry); The Message/Fire Burning - BMK

Akers, Mason
Aschenbrenner, Alec
Brody, (Addy)
Brunson, Shay
Carnicle, Peyton
Chism, Cade
Coberly, Jace
Felton, McKenna
Fisher, Addie F
(Apollo)
Freeman, Ethan
Fritz, Penelope
Goudy, Ben
Gray-Cottrell, Emilia
Henry, Matthew
Jacobs, Marilena
Jordan, Hayden
Jungling, Grace
Jungling, Sarah

Kelley, Fin
Kimbrough, Tava
Kluth, Presley
Kuennen, Reilly
Laughridge,
Kaydance
Lewis, Keon
Loesche, Caleb
McIlvanie, Lilli
McVay II, William
Miller, Kolby
Mitts, Brylee
Morningstar, Mary
Murray, Avery
O'Shea, Xavier
Olsen, Ava
Parker, Sophia
Patty, Connor
Pearson, Hannah

Pilkington, Cale
Prignitz, Abel
Purifoy, Dietrich
Roberts, Payton
Schooley, Caitlyn
Strain, Lauren
Swartzendruber,
Molly
Ulrich, Haidyn
White, Samantha
Zuercher, Caitlin
Morgan, Kelly
Zeeshan, Hina
Hardy, Ali
Sallee, Keileigh
Fultz, Anna
Deal, Austin
McVeigh, Charlotte
Kinnison, Brynn

Kalembire, Tamar
Heeren, Joseph
Anderson, Chloe
Warson, Carter
Biwer, Jordan
Morgan, Matthew
Cassady, Tristan
Jones, Elizabeth
Caton, Ethan
Schlotfelt, Killian
Rood, Ayden
Bradley, Michael
Sutton, Sylvia
Farmer, Kyleigh
Peterson, Thursday
Taylor, Lena
Kinney, Mallori

Open @ 3:00pm



Spectrum is the varsity show choir from Ankeny Centennial High School in Ankeny, IA.

Composed of 60 singer/dancers, 20 instrumentalists and 22 crew members, students in Spectrum excel in the classroom and in their community. They would like to thank their family members, volunteer organizations, Centennial administrators, rehearsal assistants Logan Eilers and Grant Galloway, accompanist Erin Stoltenberg, and their show band director Brogan Kearney for all they do to support them behind the scenes. Under the direction of Caroline Edgeton, choreographed by Lexi Robson and Braxton Carr with arrangements by Andrew Jacobson, they proudly present: Spectrum Creek! Song Titles and Soloists: Fancy/Non je ne regrette rien/Schitt's Creek theme (soloists, Ethan Quinn, Abby Fickbohm, Lucas Muta, Addie Tullis); On Broadway (Luke Valerio Garson); Lil Mama; No One Will Miss Me (Lucas Muta); Look up (Abby Fickbohm); I Only Wanna Be with You/In Your Light (Ethan Quinn, Rhett Whichman)

Spectrum

*Centennial High School
Ankeny, IA*

Director: Caroline Edgeton

Choreographers:

Lexi Robson and Braxton Carr

Aammin Hassan	Miles Whipple
Aaron Braun	Noah Hook
Abby Fickbohm	Noah Kearney
Addison Tullis	Owen Miller
Aidan Jones	Owen Niemi
Autumn Harris	Piper Robie
Avery Gavin	Quinn Coenen
Avery Minter	Reece Dickinson
Chelsea Muta	Ren Kalitzki
Chloe Bredice	Rhett Wichman
Chrissi Zachariades	Ruby Sprecher
Cole Pieper	Sophie Giles
Corinna Cox	Spencer Carleton
Drew Carter	Styx Sievers
Eli Mwesigwa	Tatum Murphy
Elliana Minter	Taylor Rangen
Ellie Vaudt	Tomy San Martin
Ethan Huynh	Via Bresler
Ethan Quinn	Tanner Griffith
Ezra Mugabi	Kylie Nicklin
Grace Mortale	Sean Caffrey
Harrison Jansen	Karina Bartlett
Holden Smith	Allison Nguyen
Jennah Skelton	Zach Reimann
Jett Lovanh	Collin Stapleton
Jillian Scroggs	Camryn Johnson
Jon Wilson	Justus Minter
Kale Hurd	Kennedy O'Connell
Kam Dikeman	Alli Wiedenhoff
Katie Stewart	Collin Ryan
Kelsey Fornoff	Selathiel McBride
Lexie Busch	Alex Miara
Lizzie Deng	Abe Groen
Lizzy Grams	Nora Hoban
Lucas Muta	Alanna Bredice
Luke VG	Reece Hoffman
Mason Goble	Jamie Miara
Maya Burds	Kyler Jones
Mayci Rasmus	
Melody Urich	

Open @ 3:30pm



Happiness, Inc. Show Ensemble is the varsity show choir at John F. Kennedy High School in Cedar Rapids, IA.

Happiness, Inc. has been producing high energy shows for audiences throughout the country since 1967, making them one of the nation's oldest high school show ensembles.

Happiness, Inc. has been honored with numerous Grand Champion, Best Vocals, and Best Choreography awards over the years, has been named "America's Favorite Show Choir" by Parade Magazine, and was honored by the Iowa State House of

Representatives and State Senate after their Grand Champion finish at Show Choir Nationals. The staff, parents, and students of Happiness, Inc. are excited to see the amazing talent on display today and wish all performing groups the best of luck! Song Titles: Theater Camp/Happy/It's On; Open Call; You Can't Take No For An Answer; Stronger Together/Camp Isn't Home; Welcome To The Show

Happiness, Inc.,

Kennedy HS

Cedar Rapids, IA

Director: Storm Ziegler

Choreographers:

Damon Brown, Randy Sage

Grace Anderson
Abby Arbore
Reagin Christensen
Jenae Cooper
Annie Garsayne
Taryn Gerjets
Maggy Goldberg
Kameron Goldsberry
Onnika Hallam
Lizzy Hawkes
Ren High
Olivia Hubbard
Raiya Hurt
Trisiyah Hurt
Ami Jacobo
McKenna Knock
Srinidhi Kompella
Riana Kraft
Lilly Marchbanks
Kenna McHenry
Annabelle Ovel
Alyssa Peck
Isabel Poggenklass
Abbie Richey
Arianna Rieck
Yuna Song
Shaylee Spicer
Charlotte Thephravong
Kiera Werner
Izzy Westercamp
Sam Bloomquist
Cael Cummins
Jacob Eilders
Ahmed Elsheikh
Saul Ervin
Nathaniel Goff
Jordan Harvey
Johnny Hawkes
Levi Hodge
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Noah Kanetomo
Sumarion Kellum
Owen Kilgore
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Alex Miller
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Ashton Wiederin
Carson Wistrick
Aidan Ziegler
Griffin Bieber
Andrew Campbell
Symon Ender
Reece Fischer
Liza Fuemmeler
Kieran Glessner
Luke Horton
Emerson Mahoney
Camden Neff
Joslynn Ovel
Grant Pattridge
Kaden Peterson
Jenna Raid
Delaney Steenblock
Remi Wilcox
Luke Wedel

Open @ 4:00pm

10th Street Edition, Linn-Mar - Marion, IA

Director: Trent Buglewicz

Choreographers: Lexi Robson, April James, and Braxton Carr. Asst. Megan Callahan



10th Street Edition is an auditioned show choir that is open to 10-12 grade students. The Show Choir consists of 64 singers, 20 instrumentalists and 15 crew members. This year, 10th Street Edition will attend four competitions. Along with Hi-Style and In Step, 10th Street Edition hosts the Linn-Mar Invitational: Supernova. 10th Street Edition is choreographed by April James, Lexi Robson, and Braxton Carr; is arranged by Steve Shanley, and is directed by Trent Buglewicz. This year's show is set in the futuristic 1950's small town of Cedar City. When Samuel Steer comes to town to pitch a new life on the moon, the town is skeptical. But no one has more doubts than local leader Margaret Brown. Song Titles and Soloist Names: Ya Got Trouble from The Music Man- Meredith Willson (Soloists: Jacob Jensen); Let's Go to the Movies- from Annie- Charles Strouse; It's Not All About You- Lawrence (Soloists- Rhylee Larson, Jacob Jensen); Queen of the City- Ripe (Soloist- Jacob Jensen); Golden Hour- JVKE; Dancing in the Street- Stephen Day (Soloists: Jacob Jensen, Rhylee Larson); Goodnight Moon- Eric Whitacre

AbouAssaly, Andrew
Anderson, Julian
Ascher, Dylan
Brown, Lucas
George, Davis
Hagen, Carl
Hanson, Owen
Hilbert, Owen
Hoffman, Freddie
Jensen, Jacob
Kendrick, Zachary
Knatz, James
Labath, Samuel
Langley, Micah
Langston, Kyle
Laubach, Timothy
Liang, Eric
Lorenz, Daniel
Malin, Payton
Morrissey, Brevyn
Nuss, Dale
Potter, Cam
Rabe, Lucas

Raghavendran,
Arjun
Schornhorst, Austin
Silcox, Joel
Wesselink, Kaleb
Whitham, Brock
Whitham, Jace
Whittaker-Smith,
Tate
Zehr, Webber
Biedermann,
Gabbie
Blozovich, Grace
Brandt, Ashley
Budke, Maryn
Dunnwald, Rachel
Egbert, Kacie
Eisenmann, Sydney
Eley, Maddie
Ferlin, Olivia
Fitzsimmons,
Audrey
Frangella, Addi

Hemmes, Malia
Holzwarth, Alexa
Johnson, Sophie
Kehrt, Mara
Koffi, Eunice
Kramer, Addy
Larson, Rhylee
Like, Morgan
Lyons, Claire
McRoberts,
Josephine
Mercure, Gabby
Mercure, Nina
Ohl, Taylor
Schmitt, Lindsey
Sjobakken, Kaia
Southwood, Shea
Steenhoek, Erika
Thompson, Jordan
Toingar, Josianna
Wassmer, Kylie
White, Kamryn
Widdel, Kinsey

Adam Kmetz
Tomina Gerst
Shandin Gilbert
Grant Dupree
Kael Edaburn
Karli Sletteland
Evan Shanley
Kyle Earnest
Sutra Iyer
Marley Fonck
Grace Luo
Graedyn Morrissey
Ivy Schmidt
Landon Niemi
Emily Greiner
Brendan Doty
Ellen Kehrt
Pranav Karthik
Courtney Sinnock
Lucie Scott

Exhibition @ 4:30pm

Voices Electric, *Mount Mercy University - Cedar Rapids, IA*

*Director: Kent Keating
Choreographer: Mike Weaver*



The MMU Show Choir is one of several choral groups at Mt Mercy University – performing this year at Prairie Premier Prairie HS in Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Music in Motion at Mt. Pleasant, Iowa; Cedar Rapids Jefferson Invitational in Cedar Rapids, Iowa; and will host the Fame National Show Choir Contest in Branson, MO in April. The ensemble is made up of mostly non-music majors and for some in the ensemble - this is their first year of performing in a show choir. The group is directed by Kent Keating – asst'd by Houston Hamlet, Issac McNutt and Sam Gorman and choreographed by Mike Weaver. The MMU Show Choir would like to thank Justin Sands and the Prairie Premiere for the opportunity to perform in exhibition and wish all the competing ensembles good luck today. Song Titles: Fast-Paced Life; Back in Time; Think!; It's You I Like; Comin' Back to You

DAYTIME AWARDS

First Place - Middle School Division
Second Place - Middle School Division
Third Place - Middle School Division
Fourth Place - Middle School Division
Fifth Place - Middle School Division
Outstanding Band - Open Division
Outstanding Technical Crew
Outstanding Ballad
Outstanding Costumes
Outstanding Show Design
Outstanding Instrumentalist
Outstanding Soloists (2) - Open Division
Outstanding Vocals - Treble Prep/Mixed Prep Divisions
Outstanding Visuals - Treble Prep/Mixed Prep Divisions
Outstanding Band - Treble Prep/Mixed Prep Divisions
Outstanding Soloists (2) - Treble Prep/Mixed Prep Divisions

First Place - Treble Prep Division
Second Place - Treble Prep Division
First Place - Mixed Prep Division
Second Place - Mixed Prep Division
Third Place - Mixed Prep Division
Fourth Place - Mixed Prep Division

FINAL AWARDS

Outstanding Vocals	2nd Runner-Up
Outstanding Visuals	3rd Runner-Up
Grand Champion	4th Runner-Up
1st Runner-Up	5th Runner-Up

2023

Grand Champion: Linn Mar "10th Street Edition"
 2nd: WDM Valley "Choralation"
 3rd: Waukee "Millennium"
 4th: Kennedy "Happiness, Inc."
 5th: Jefferson "West Side Delegation"
 6th: Iowa City West "The Good Time Company"

2020

Grand Champion: Linn-Mar "10th Street Edition"
 2nd WDM Valley "Choralation"
 3rd: Iowa City West "The Good Time Company"
 4th: Kennedy "Happiness, Inc."
 5th: Jefferson "West Side Delegation"
 6th: WDM Valley "Ignition"

2018

Grand Champion: Johnston "Innovation"
 2nd: Washington "Momentum"
 3rd: Craig "Spotlighters"
 4th: La Crosse Central "Grand Central Station"
 5th: Kennedy "Happiness, Inc."

2016

Grand Champion: Washington "Momentum"
 2nd: Jefferson "West Side Delegation"
 3rd: Mount Zion "Swingsations"
 4th: Iowa City High "4th Avenue Jazz Company"
 5th: Janesville Craig "Spotlighters"
 6th: Fort Atkinson "South High Street Singers"
 7th: Western Dubuque "5th Avenue"

2014

Grand Champion Waukee "Millennium"
 2nd: Buffalo Grove "The Expressions"
 3rd: Johnston "Innovation"
 4th: Iowa City High "4th Avenue Jazz Company"
 5th: Xavier "Xhilaration"
 6th: CR Jefferson "Westside Delegation"
 7th: Norwalk "Sound Revolution"

2022

Grand Champion: Linn-Mar "10th Street Edition"
 2nd: Waukee "Millennium"
 3rd: Kennedy "Happiness, Inc."
 4th: Wahlert "Impulse"
 5th: Linn-Mar "In Step"
 6th: Iowa City West "The Good Time Company"

2019

Grand Champion: Linn-Mar "10th Street Edition"
 2nd Kennedy "Happiness, Inc."
 3rd: Washington "Momentum"
 4th: Dubuque Wahlert "Impulse"
 5th: Iowa City West "The Good Time Company"
 6th: Wichita "Flight"

2017

Grand Champion: Craig "Spotlighters"
 2nd: Washington "Momentum"
 3rd: Jefferson "West Side Delegation"
 4th: Kennedy "Happiness, Inc."
 5th: Indianola "Side One"
 6th: Iowa City High "4th Avenue Jazz Company"
 7th: Fort Atkinson "South High Street Singers"
 8th: Western Dubuque "5th Avenue"

2015

Grand Champion: Johnston "Innovation"
 2nd: Waukee "Millennium"
 3rd: Kennedy "Happiness, Inc."
 4th: Jefferson "West Side Delegation"
 5th: Iowa City High "4th Avenue Jazz Company"
 6th: Xavier "Xhilaration"
 7th: Norwalk "Sound Revolution"

2013

Grand Champion: Iowa City High "4th Avenue Jazz Company"
 2nd CR Jefferson "Westside Delegation"
 3rd: Monona Grove "Silver Connection"
 4th: Xavier "Xhilaration"
 5th: Bettendorf "Surround Sound"
 6th: CR Kennedy "Protege"

*We are so proud of you and
can't wait to see where God
takes you in your next step!
Mom & Dad*



Class of 2024!



Makala Hermanson, Senior



Katy You are
a shining star!

We are so proud
of you!

Love - Mom, Erika,
Grandma & Grandpa
Gerdes, Grandma &
Grandpa Schlung

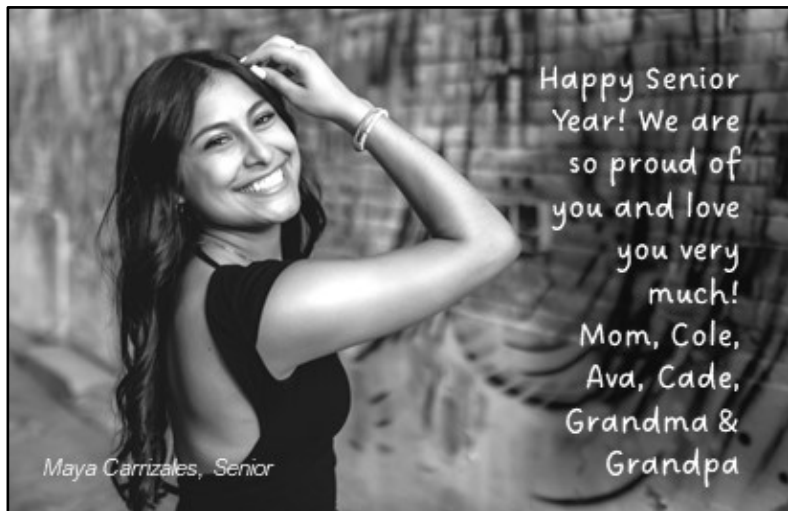
Katy Gerdes, Senior



Aiden, Your dad and I are so proud of you for stepping outside your comfort zone your senior year in joining show choir! You look good up there, kid, keep up the great work and enjoy your senior year!

Love, Mom, Dad, Troy & Isaiah

Aiden Neumann, Senior



Happy Senior Year! We are so proud of you and love you very much!
Mom, Cole, Ava, Cade, Grandma & Grandpa

Maya Carrizales, Senior

Lexi, we are so proud of all that you have accomplished! You have always taken charge in creating your path and there are no limits on what you can do or be! Self-confidence is a superpower, and it makes you shine! We love you MORE x INFINITY!
Love, Mom and Dad (aka "bruh"), Porter, Dalton, Kaylee

Lexi Brink, Senior

"To my show choir family - I love you all like candy! Thanks for always keeping the therapy couch open! Let's kick some butt this season!" - Love Lexi

From the
court to the
stage, you
never
missed a
beat.
Love you!!



Megan Mallicoat, Senior

Wow, you're
actually
good at this!
We love
you!
The Fam



Sawyer Miller, Senior

Millie, we love
watching you
and friends do
what brings
you joy!
Mom and
Doug

*Millie Manternach,
Sophomore*



Emmy Claire,
you are such a
bright light in
this world!
We love you!

Love Mom,
Dad and
Payton

Emersyn Kroymann, Senior



You're a very
talented guy with
a big heart!
Thanks for sharing
your gifts. We're
all super proud of
you!

Love, Dad, Alison,
Sydney, Angela
and Nova

Sawyer Speltz, Junior



Congratulations
on your senior
year in show
choir!

Love, Mom, Dad,
Zoey and
Mackenzie

Natalie Marie Baustian, Senior



Congratulations Pieter!
You make our hearts sing!
Love, Oma and Opa



Pieter Rippentrop, Senior

Pieter Rippentrop, Senior

Arghhhh!
So
proud
of our
pirates
Pieter
and
Jack.



Cannot wait to see what
adventures come next!
Love, Mom, Dad and Gretta

Life is a great adventure.
Live life with no excuses,
travel with no regret. Go
the distance. Dream Big.
You are going to
accomplish incredible
things.

Matthew Urich, Junior



WE LOVE TO WATCH YOUR
PASSION AND ENTHUSIASM
ON STAGE!

Keep letting your light
shine in all you do!
Love, Mom, Dad,
Chase & Quinn



Carlie Robertson, Senior



Mary Lou,
Wishing you the best
show choir season ever!
We love you and we
are so proud of you!

Love Mom, Dad,
Grandma and the
whole family!

Mary Lou Baughan, Senior



Dyllon, you have amazed
us with the growth and
dedication you have
shown this season in Focal
Point! We're so proud of
the musician you are, and
the young man you are
becoming. Keep working
hard and shining your light!

Mom, Dad and Jo

Dyllon Demorest, Sophomore



**KEEP TAKING
RISKS GOING
AFTER NEW
IDEAS, NEW
EXPERIENCES,
AND NEW
ADVENTURES.
PROUD OF YOU!**

Keaton Klekar, Junior



Allison, We are
so proud of you
and all you have
accomplished.
We love
watching you
shine on stage!
Love
Dad & Mom

Allison Jarvela, Senior



*Ellie Doser
Senior*

Ellie and Ella, Prairie Music Association appreciates the
amazing volunteer work and support in this year's
fundraising efforts. We wish you the best in your future
endeavors!

*Ella Borders
Senior*



Congratulations on a
wonderful performance!
We are so proud of you,
the dedication and hard
work you put toward
Focal Point.
Love from all your
family.

Connor Culbertson, Junior

Jules,
We are so excited for
your senior year, and
beyond at Iowa!
"For there is always
light, if only we're
brave enough to see
it, if only we're brave
enough to be it." –
Amanda Gorman.

Jules, you are a
beacon of light, and
we are proud of all
that you are.
Continue to be
unapologetically
yourself and may
your journey be
guided by courage
and love!

Love always,
Mama Bear and Dad

Jules Robinson, Senior



Sarah, we love
to see you shine
on stage! We
are proud
of you!

Mom
& Dad

Sarah Chadima, Senior



Joseph,
You're doing great!
Keep reaching for the
stars. Proud of you.

Mom Dad and
Johnathon

Joseph Endicott, Junior



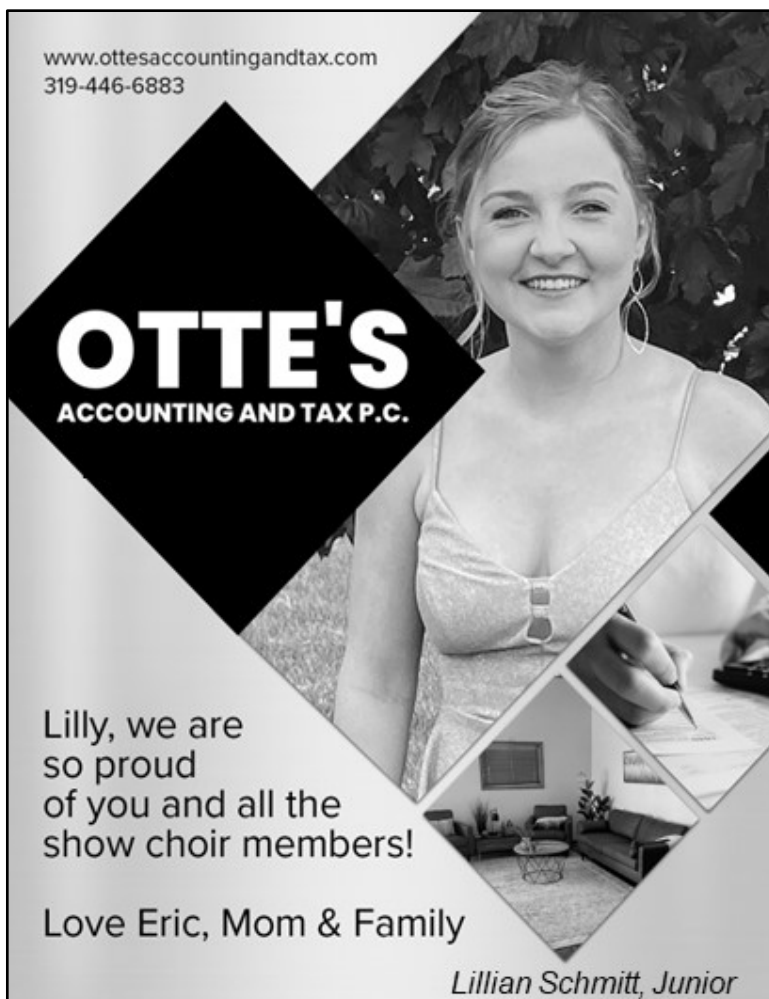
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Lillian Schmitt, Junior



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