

**The Band Section of the
North Carolina Music Educators Association**

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***The 2013 North Carolina
All-State Honor Bands***



Mr. Michael Oare
Middle School Conductor

Mr. David Starnes
High School Conductor

Professor Stephen V. Pratt
Senior High Conductor

Sunday, May 5, 2013
1:00 PM

Aycock Auditorium
University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Greensboro, North Carolina

MIDDLE SCHOOL PROGRAM

To be selected from the following:

Procession of the Nobles	Rimsky-Korsakov, arr. Bocook
Our Kingsland Spring.....	Samuel Hazo
Pathways.....	Michael Oare
To Dream in Brushstrokes.....	Michael Oare
Music from "WEST SIDE STORY"	Bernstein, arr. Sweeney
Uproar	Michael Oare

Mr. Michael Oare - Middle School Conductor

Michael Oare (b. 1960) earned undergraduate degrees in Music Composition and Music Education from Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Virginia. A veteran music educator, Mr. Oare remains active as a composer, arranger, performer, conductor and adjudicator. As a published composer, he has written numerous arrangements and compositions, with a special interest in music for the young band. One of his works, *To Dream in Brushstrokes*, is included in the acclaimed *Teaching Music Through Performance* series by GIA publications. His compositions are included in the catalogues of several major publishing companies, with all of his most recent works published by Hal Leonard.

Since 1991, he has been the Director of Bands at Great Bridge Middle School in Chesapeake, Virginia. His Great Bridge Middle School Bands have consistently received superior ratings in the annual Virginia Concert Band Performance Assessment and have performed for the Virginia Music Educators Association Conference on three occasions. He maintains State and National professional memberships, is a member of ASCAP and the international bandmasters fraternity *Phi Beta Mu*. He is a recipient of the National Band Association's *Citation of Excellence*, and is a multiple year honoree in *Who's Who Among America's Teachers*. Mr. Oare plays Eb Clarinet with *The Virginia Wind Symphony*, and remains active serving as an adjudicator and clinician for marching and concert band clinics, festivals and contests. Mr. Oare resides in Chesapeake with his wife Chris and daughter Devin.

Middle School Honors Band Personnel

Flute

Lucy Wu - *Smith MS*
Michelle Yin - *East Cary MS*
Tamiyah Braswell - *Red Oak MS*
Katie Grischow - *Red Oak MS*
Katie Huang - *Smith MS*
Nolan Miranda - *F. J. Carnage MS*
Grace Sloan - *A. C. Reynolds MS*
Amanda Lin - *Cape Fear Academy*
Lisa Walter - *Marvin Ridge MS*
Abbey Roper - *Holy Trinity Catholic MS*

Oboe

Amy Kim - *Northwood Temple Academy*
Alex Stewart - *Valley Springs MS*

Bassoon

Julia Klauss - *Morehead City MS*
Katie Barlowe - *Cane Creek MS*

Clarinet

Jay Shin - *Davis Drive MS*
Justin Takamiya - *Guy B. Phillips MS*
Stephen Li - *F. J. Carnage MS*
Kellie Joyner - *North Lincoln MS*
Pranay Tankala - *Cary Academy*
Jacob Hardison - *Myrtle Grove MS*
Addie Pitts - *Asheville MS*
Bella Hatch - *North Buncombe MS*
Katie Kayser - *Asheville MS*
Megan Zhang - *Marvin Ridge MS*
Kristen Hatcher - *McGee's Crossroads MS*
Ramiro Soto - *River Bend MS*
Rebecca Nelson - *Gravelly Hill MS*
Kayla Guilliams - *North Buncombe MS*
Zachary Richardson - *J.W. Parker MS*
Gehao Leo Pang - *Hanes Magnet MS*
Lauren Howell - *West Pine MS*
Kelly Eakes - *Quail Hollow MS*
Bryan Kirk - *Alexander Graham MS*
Jacob Eastby - *Community House MS*

Bass Clarinet

Jeremy Jeon - *Northwood Temple Acad.*
Nick Bowen - *Salem MS*
Erin Corliss - *Asheville MS*
Robert Moss - *The Academy at Lincoln*

Contra-Bass Clarinet

Jackson Boatwright - *Jay M. Robinson MS*

Alto Saxophone

Jake Simons - *Central Davidson MS*
Veronica Leahy - *Charlotte Latin School*
Stuart Whitehead - *Red Oak MS*
Rebecca Williams - *Cane Creek MS*

Tenor Saxophone

Daniel Krusch - *Valley Springs MS*
Dakota Nyman - *Beaufort MS*

Baritone Saxophone

Kameron Turlington - *Sampson MS*

Trumpet

Ryan Stikeleather - *Cary Christian*
Matthew Bishop - *Cuthbertson MS*
Michael Goldfarb - *Cane Creek MS*
Justin Kerr - *The Academy at Lincoln*
Mason Krusch - *Northern Guilford MS*
Matthew Schriefer - *Cane Creek MS*
Jasmine Leahy - *Charlotte Latin School*
Robert Dubman - *Randolph MS*
Tyler Hutchins - *Brevard MS*
Bennett Dean - *Alexander Graham MS*
Connor Parker - *F. J. Carnage MS*
Daniel Parrish - *Rockingham County MS*

F Horn

Drew Smith - *Mac Williams MS*
Kimberly Schuh - *Salem MS*
Mary Wardrop - *Durant Road MS*
Daniel Winkelman - *Hanes Magnet MS*
Steven Campos - *Central Davidson MS*
Elaine Powell - *Davis Drive MS*
Victoria Wright - *Falls Road Baptist Church School*
John Grady Hall - *Jay M. Robinson MS*

Trombone

David Choi - *Northwood Temple Acad.*
Kevin Jeong - *Northwood Temple Acad.*
Charles Sothcott - *Reedy Creek MS*
Andrew T. Looker - *Charlotte Christian*
Sam Zhang - *Guy B. Phillips MS*
Tristan Sallin - *A. C. Reynolds MS*
Thane Stiles - *New Bridge MS*
Mary Shannon - *Randolph MS*
Jamie McFadyen - *Mac Williams MS*

Euphonium

Zyon Perkins - *Holly Shelter MS*
Tucker Owens - *Guy B. Phillips MS*
Matthew Guo - *Hanes Magnet MS*
Connor Larmore - *Liberty MS*

Tuba

Justin Bare - *G. C. Hawley MS*
Aaron Ott - *West Pine MS*
Michael Storey - *Lincolnton MS*
Sergio Zaldivar-Carrillo - *Newport MS*
Caleb Kendrick - *Red Oak MS*
Elizabeth Kronebusch - *South Brunswick MS*

String Bass

Sarah Bryant - *Tyro MS*

Percussion

Aidan Batalia - *Meadowlark MS*
Kenton Morgan - *Red Oak MS*
Max Featheringill - *H.M. Arndt MS*
Will Dock - *South Brunswick MS*

Mallet

Anne Jakubek - *Northern Guilford MS*
Gianella Figallo - *Quail Hollow MS*

Timpani

Jack Rorie - *Parkwood MS*

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

To be selected from the following:

Star Spangled Banner.....	Jack Stamp
Fantasies on A Theme By Haydn.....	Norman Dello Joio
Pageant.....	Vincent Persichetti
Paris Sketches.....	Martin Ellerby
American Elegy.....	Frank Ticheli
O Waly, Waly.....	Jay Bocook
Go Galop.....	Henry Fillmore/arr. Contorno

Mr. David Starnes - High School Conductor

Mr. David Starnes joined the School of Music faculty at Western Carolina University in the spring of 2011, when he was named Assistant Professor in The School of Music and appointed the Director of Athletic Bands. During his short time at Western Carolina University, The "Pride of the Mountains" Marching Band has performed as the halftime entertainment for the Carolina Panthers (2011), the exhibition band at The Bands of America Southeast Regional in Atlanta, Georgia (2011), and as the exhibition band at The Bands of America Grand National Championships in Indianapolis, Indiana (2012). Prior to this appointment he served as the Director of Bands at Kennesaw Mountain High School in Kennesaw, Georgia for ten years. As the founding Director of Bands at Kennesaw Mountain High School (2000), the band program grew from its initial 85 students to over 250 members. Under his direction, Kennesaw Mountain High School has been recognized in all areas of performance for their achievements at local, state and national levels including concert band, jazz band, marching band, winter guard and winter percussion. They are a six-time national finalist at the Bands of America Grand National Championships, being named the 2004 Bands of America AAA National Champion and a four-time Regional Champion in Bands of America events. In December of 2003, the John Philip Sousa Foundation presented the Kennesaw Mountain High School Band the prestigious Sudler Shield of Excellence for outstanding achievement in marching band. In 2005, the band appeared in the 79th Annual Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in New York City. The Kennesaw Mountain High School Wind Symphony performed at the 60th Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic held in Chicago, Illinois in December of 2006.

Mr. Starnes is sought out nationally and internationally as an adjudicator, clinician, guest conductor and creative designer. He serves as an adjudicator for several state, national, and international organizations including Bands of America, Winter Guard International, and Drum Corps International, where he served as an adjudicator from 1994-2012. He currently is a member of the design team for Carolina Crown Drum and Bugle Corps, where he serves as a music and design consultant. Mr. Starnes is a member of the Yamaha Educational Artist program as well as an educational artist for Innovative Percussion and Evans Drumheads. In addition to his position at Western Carolina University, he serves as an Education Consultant at Music For All in Indianapolis, Indiana. While serving this role, he was appointed the program director for The Honor Band of America, who appeared in the Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena, California (2005, 2009, and 2013).

As a native of Chattanooga, Tennessee, Mr. Starnes graduated magna cum laude from The University of Tennessee, Knoxville in 1988 where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Music Education. He is married to Rhea Jeanne Starnes, an architect, and has an eighteen year-old daughter, Hannah.

High School Honors Band Personnel

Flute

Yusheng Zhang - *East Chapel Hill HS*
Jade Wu - *Apex HS*
Dakota Galley - *Union Pines HS*
Therese Mendoza - *Myers Park HS*
Katherine Combs - *Cardinal Gibbons*
Reid Herrera - *Hickory Ridge HS*
Jen Heiden - *Green Hope HS*
Kayla Cooney - *White Oak HS*
Madelyn Sealey - *Fairmont HS*
Celina Lin - *Cape Fear Academy*

Oboe

Sydney Curtiss - *Durham School
of the Arts*
Kevin Carney - *Ardrey Kell HS*

Bassoon

Bridget Piccirilli - *Lake Norman Charter*
Evan Lowrance - *Ronald Reagan HS*

Clarinet

Molly Lowder - *Millbrook HS*
Neel Prabhu - *Green Hope HS*
Melissa Fu - *Marvin Ridge HS*
Chad Thomas - *Croatan HS*
Christie Song - *Grimsley HS*
Lydia Stocks - *Nash Central HS*
Alberto Cruz - *Ashley HS*
Joshua Scarborough - *Athens Drive HS*
Greg Watts - *Enloe HS*
Ashley Spillane - *Topsail HS*
Madeline Downs - *Leesville Road HS*
Lauren McCarthy - *Porter Ridge HS*
Kyrsten Rudock - *Sun Valley HS*
Ben David Knoble - *Ardrey Kell HS*
Margaret Bertoni - *Atkins HS*
Kirsten Steininger - *Cape Fear HS*
Lauren Miller - *West Forsyth HS*
Emily Labbate - *West Henderson HS*
Adrien Calloway - *North Buncombe HS*
Clair Williams - *West Johnston HS*

Bass Clarinet

Aaron Hougui - *Marvin Ridge HS*
Andrew Wassel - *Apex High School*
Brett Levi - *East Henderson HS*
Sabine Rekeibe - *Northern Nash HS*

Contra-Bass Clarinet

Adam Kull - *North Buncombe HS*

Alto Saxophone

Nathan Graybeal - *Douglas Byrd HS*
Perry Currin - *Nash Central HS*
Ian Boyer - *North Buncombe HS*
Dongjin Kim - *Green Hope HS*

Tenor Saxophone

Sope Eweje - *Croatan HS*
Jason Chrisman - *North Buncombe HS*

Baritone Saxophone

Gino Cecchi - *Fuquay-Varina HS*

Trumpet

Lily Hunter - *Myers Park HS*
Claire Hendrickson - *Grimsley HS*
Kyle Johnson - *Central Academy of
Technology and Art*
Michael Brotherton - *NW Guilford HS*
Isaac Boulter - *Mountain Heritage HS*
Austin Humphries - *Hayesville HS*
Anna Hoyt - *Gray's Creek HS*
Loren Melton - *West Forsyth HS*
Andrew Cheng - *Apex HS*
Keith Williams - *Smithfield-Selma HS*
Erica Gooch - *West Johnston HS*
Christopher Suggs - *Knightdale HS*

F Horn

Thomas Lee - *New Hanover HS*
Philips Clarke - *Cuthbertson HS*
Philip Norris - *Wake Forest - Rolesville HS*
Sean Krusch - *T. C. Roberson HS*
Ian Blegen - *Jack Britt HS*
Clara Hare-Grogg - *Ashley HS*
Gavin Combs - *North Iredell HS*
Samantha Newcomb - *Terry Sanford HS*

Trombone

Melissa Hagstedt - *Marvin Ridge HS*
Robert West - *Alexander Central HS*
Daniel Ren - *Green Hope HS*
Wesley Warren - *North Davidson HS*
Macguyver Nethercutt - *Northern Nash HS*
Katie Hand - *Carrboro HS*
Maggie Sellers - *Davidson Day*
Jessica Butterfield - *Ronald Reagan HS*
Alex Carter - *North Buncombe HS*

Euphonium

Stephen Mayo - *Freedom HS*
Rubens Fernandes - *Cox Mill HS*
Daniel Jeffries - *Dalton L. McMichael HS*
Liam Pulsifer - *Christ School*

Tuba

Matthew Baker - *Athens Drive HS*
Dalton Melvin - *Cape Fear HS*
Raymond Benitez - *Northern Nash HS*
Philip Sandoval - *West Forsyth HS*
Ben Laramie - *Cuthbertson HS*
Scott McKenzie - *Cape Fear HS*

String Bass

Andy Cook - *Watauga HS*

Percussion

Marquis Nelson - *Cape Fear HS*
Dorien Dotson - *Northside HS*
Chris Domel - *West Carteret HS*
Erick Starling - *Cape Fear HS*

Mallet

Walker Austell - *David W. Butler HS*
Morgan Phillips - *West Carteret HS*

Timpani

Nick Scott - *New Bern HS*

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

To be selected from the following:

Hands Across the Sea..... John Philip Sousa, ed. Frederick Fennell
Suite Dreams.....Steven Bryant
Near Woodstock Town.....Percy Aldridge Grainger, arr. Ray Cramer
Fantasia in G Major.....Johann Sebastian Bach,
transcribed by R.F. Goldman and Robert L. Leist
Danzon No.2.....Arturo Marquez, transcribed by Oliver Nickel

Professor Stephen V. Pratt - Senior High Conductor

Stephen W. Pratt is Professor of Music in the Jacobs School of Music, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, where he teaches graduate courses in wind conducting and wind band history. Currently in his twenty-ninth year on the faculty of the Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, he serves as chairman of the Department of Bands/Wind Conducting, personally conducting the internationally acclaimed Wind Ensemble. His appearances with the IU Wind Ensemble in the past several years include the College Band Directors National Association divisional convention in Normal, Illinois, the CBDNA national convention in Ann Arbor, Michigan and the Music Educators National Conference (now NAFME) national convention in Milwaukee, Wisconsin and the American Bandmasters Association national convention in Indianapolis.

He is in constant demand as a clinician, guest conductor and adjudicator across the nation and internationally. Recent appearances have included guest conducting the US Army Field Band, all state orchestras and/or bands in West Virginia, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, New Jersey, Indiana, Illinois and Nevada, as well as at the International School in Beijing, China.

An advocate for new music as well as a specialist in standard works from the wind band repertoire, he has received praise from many contemporary composers for his interpretive conducting of their compositions. His wind band conducting students hold prominent positions at some of the leading colleges and universities as well as outstanding high schools.

Senior High School Honors Band Personnel

Flute

Koya Osada - *East Chapel Hill HS*
Christy Van Nostrand - *Forsyth Country Day*

Alison Chang - *NCSSM*
Erina Fujino - *Early College at Guilford*
Grace Kim - *Asheville HS*
Stephen Walker - *A. C. Reynolds HS*
David Cho - *Mount Tabor HS*
Iolinda Hodell - *Topsail HS*
Priscilla Boyer - *C. A. Erwin HS*
Caroline Tobin - *Topsail HS*

Oboe

Emmi Hodges - *Green Hope HS*
John Skinner - *Broughton HS*
Colby Hathaway - *Cuthbertson HS*

Bassoon

Corinne Crowley - *Athens Drive HS*
Michael Fourre - *Marvin Ridge HS*

Clarinet

Alex Whitehead - *Nash Central HS*
Allison Flowers - *John T. Hoggard HS*
Samantha Frenuto - *Cedar Ridge HS*
Kevin Wang - *South Mecklenburg HS*
Jordan Laird - *Marvin Ridge HS*
Rose Kim - *Green Hope HS*
Ian McKenzie - *Fuquay-Varina HS*
Michael Huang - *Chapel Hill HS*
Rebecca Mulligan - *Parkwood HS*
Steven Lease - *Ashley HS*
Olivia Jones - *Sun Valley HS*
Alex Burnette - *A. C. Reynolds HS*
William Larsen - *Charlotte Catholic HS*
Julia Shen - *Panther Creek HS*
Rachael Reyna - *Ashley HS*
Lisa Kolpin - *South Caldwell HS*
Ryan Hardison - *John T. Hoggard HS*
Rae-Ling Lee - *Ronald Reagan HS*
Andrew Paluszak - *East Gaston HS*
Danny Mossburg - *RS Central HS*

Bass Clarinet

Michael Richards - *WF Rolesville HS*
Stephen Oakley - *Raleigh Charter*
Lindsay Russell - *Charlotte Catholic HS*
Matt Westmoreland - *T.C. Roberson HS*

Contra-Bass Clarinet

Saif Hassan - *Apex HS*

Alto Saxophone

Caleb Carpenter - *Hickory Ridge HS*
Andrew Jenkins - *T.C. Roberson HS*
Mitchel Powers - *North Davidson HS*
Michaela Hinks - *Apex HS*

Tenor Saxophone

Jessica Mohr - *Apex HS*
Rhiannon Dewey - *Marvin Ridge HS*

Baritone Saxophone

Matt Herman - *Bessemer City HS*

Trumpet

Lauren Chisdock - *A. C. Reynolds HS*
Jeremy Sexton - *R. J. Reynolds HS*
Matthew Rhodes - *Terry Sanford HS*
Nick Nusser - *West Forsyth HS*
Dustin Sneed - *R. J. Reynolds HS*
Blake Targonski - *Marvin Ridge HS*
Grant Shoaf - *North Davidson HS*
Tyler Clowes - *East Mecklenburg HS*
Daniel Tucker - *Piedmont HS*
Alex Smith - *Sanderson HS*
Andrew Sanchez - *First Flight HS*
Brian Lee - *West Lincoln HS*

F Horn

Rachel Knierim - *Athens Drive HS*
Tanner West - *Cox Mill HS*
Dylan Gooch - *West Johnston HS*
Greg Larson - *Hickory Ridge HS*
Addison Cook - *A. C. Reynolds HS*
Morgan Brazeau - *A. C. Reynolds HS*
Brady Catlett - *Terry Sanford HS*
Mark Reed - *J. H. Rose HS*

Trombone

Baker Lawrimore - *A. C. Reynolds HS*
Daniel Kane - *David W. Butler HS*
Connor Barnette - *Providence HS*
Jonathan Thompson - *Hickory Ridge HS*
Caleb McMahon - *A. C. Reynolds HS*
Michael Mattocks - *Clayton HS*
Jasmine McMillan - *Brevard HS*
Nathan Tilley - *Orange HS*
Elijah Andrews - *North Davidson HS*

Euphonium

Adam Caldwell - *Providence HS*
Jaden Parrell - *West Johnston HS*
Christopher Jackson - *Olympic HS*
Jacob Bruner - *Green Hope HS*

Tuba

Jesse Garcia - *Cape Fear HS*
Brady Blackburn - *Asheville HS*
Matthew Warner - *Marvin Ridge HS*
Paul Haarala - *R.L. Patton HS*
Chris Moore - *East Davidson HS*
David Barker - *Tuscola HS*

String Bass

Justin Cheesman - *South Mecklenburg HS*

Percussion

Solomon Starling - *Cape Fear HS*
Alex Kim - *Charlotte Country Day*
Avery Linderman - *Panther Creek HS*
Daniel Hardy - *West Carteret HS*

Mallet

Elise Jaffe - *Apex HS*
Jesse Lloyd - *Pisgah HS*

Timpani

Taylor Hampton - *Forestview HS*

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