

Oklahoma City Symphonic Band

Piccolo

DeLee Francis *
Glenda Gatz *

Flute

Wendy Bersche
Marilyn Bonds
Ann Bowman
Alix Darden
Ivy Douglas
DeLee Francis *
Glenda Gatz *
Sonie Liebler
Vicki Repetto
Courtney Roark
Barbara Roewe
Erika Stevens Olinger *
Cathy Voorhies

Oboe

Marcos Alvarez
Lacey Fisher
Ned Hughes
Bonnie Jump

Clarinet

Alexandra Amidon
Cathie Birchall
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Evie Lee Hall
George R. Jay
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David Purcer
Nan Scott
Tasmin Williams

Bass Clarinet

Frances Ayres
Tom Ayres
Pat Fair
Susan Semrau
Deborah Walls

Contra-Alto Clarinet

Pat Fair

Bassoon

Joan Baird
Kathryn McKinney *
Robert M. Smith

Alto Saxophone

Ed Cantrell
Beki Ervin
Summer Greene
John Hoelscher
John Humphreys

Tenor Saxophone

Faye Sullivan
Robert Westbrook

Baritone Saxophone

Jim McGee *

Trumpet

Mike Banowetz
Gary Childers
Derek Childers
L. Dennis Doan
Henry Dolive
Marshall Douglas
Mike Ford
Bill Gipperich
Dennis Jamison
Joshua D. Smith
Larry Taylor
Kendall Wahpepah

French Horn

Samantha Carlson
LouAnn Dillard
Phyllis Dominguez
Jenny Beth Jones
Mike Luther
Jensen Mecca
Rick Spence

Trombone

Cliff Francis
Louis Hemphill
Stewart McMinimy
Aaron Mitchum
Carl Reno *
Christopher Sambrano
C. J. Smith
Charles Womack *
Duncan Woodliff

Euphonium

Dennis Beringer
Jimmy Neighbors
Dave Rosbach
Phyllis Smith *

Tuba

Sean Gold
Pat Purdy
Gene Smith

Percussion

Seth Adams
McKeever Arnold
Kristen Bradley
Mike Forcina
Michelle Hedges
Patrick McClung
Kenny Taylor



Oklahoma City Symphonic Band

Dr. Mark G. Belcik, Conductor

A Christmas Festival!

Sunday, December 7, 2014
5:30 pm

Cherokee Hills Baptist Church
5700 NW 63rd St
Oklahoma City, OK 73132

www.okcband.org





Dr. Mark G. Belcik is the Associate Dean of the Wanda L Bass School of Music at Oklahoma City University, a position he has held since 2001. He holds degrees in Music Education from The University of Michigan, a Master's in Horn Performance from The University of Oklahoma and the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in Instrumental Conducting from The University of Texas at Austin. Dr. Belcik's teaching experiences include appointments at the University of Texas at Austin, where he was the Associate Director

of the Longhorn Band, the University of New Mexico, Valdosta State University, Bear Creek High School (CO) and Ardmore High School (OK). His high school bands have earned national recognition and won sweepstakes awards in Oklahoma and Colorado. Dr. Belcik is an active clinician, judge and guest conductor. He has conducted All State and Honor Bands in several states and has presented clinics at State, Regional and National Conventions. He currently serves as the Principal Conductor and Music Director of the Oklahoma City Symphonic Band, and is past President of the Oklahoma Association of Music Schools. He is on the board of the Oklahoma Youth Orchestra and Oklahoma Concert Band Foundation.

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to Cherokee Hills Baptist Church
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Merry Christmas



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Santa's Journey Roy W. Kaighin

Holiday Homecoming arr. James Kessler

Fantasia on Greensleeves Setting by Ralph Vaughan Williams
 arr. Douglas E. Wagner

Laughing All the Way James Pierpont
 arr. Larry MacTaggart

The Christmas Song Mel Torme and Robert Wells
 arr. John Higgins
 Dustin Loehrs, soloist

Sleigh Ride Leroy Anderson

Carols of the Season arr. Gary E. Parks

The Polar Express Alan Silvestri and Glen Ballard
 arr. Jerry Brubaker

A Christmas Festival Leroy Anderson

Oklahoma Concert Band Foundation Young Artist Competition 2015

Open to any woodwind, brass or percussion musician in the 11th or 12th grade currently enrolled in a high school or home school music program in the state of Oklahoma. Auditions will be held at Oklahoma City University on Sunday, February 15, 2015.

The winner will receive \$500 and the opportunity to perform his or her solo in concert with the Oklahoma City Symphonic Band in April 2015.

For complete information and application visit our website at www.okcband.org.



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About the Band...

The Oklahoma City Symphonic Band's mission is to provide a challenging and enriching musical experience for its members, to offer quality concerts for the community, and to inspire future generations of musicians.

The Oklahoma City Symphonic Band is comprised of approximately one hundred professional and amateur musicians. This historic band has performed in the Oklahoma City area for decades. The members are a cross-section of the community made up of all different professions. They are musicians who find that the band gives them a chance to grow musically.

Rehearsals are held every Tuesday evening throughout the year with the exception of May and August. The Oklahoma City Symphonic Band performs several concerts at a variety of venues including high schools, universities, churches and area parks and has hosted several talented composers as guest clinicians over the years, including Patrick Sheridan in 2014, Dr. Frank Ticheli in 2008, Dr. Jack Stamp in 2006 and Dr. John Zdechlik in 2003. The organization hosts an annual Young Artist Competition for high school students. The students compete by audition for the opportunity to perform with the band and to win a cash prize.

Members volunteer for many positions in the band and on the board of directors for the Foundation to help make the rehearsals and concerts the best experience possible. Oklahoma City Symphonic Band members have found gratification in having the band as an outlet to perform as well as to develop camaraderie with their peers. It is the perfect example of an opportunity for a lifelong continuing education in music.

We welcome new members. Due to the success and growth of our band, we have limits on instrumentation in each section but if a section is full, we will place your name on a waiting list. Regardless of whether there is an opening or not, we offer the option to sit in with the band as a guest for two rehearsals as long as it is not immediately preceding a concert. Our summer season is open to everyone.

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