

The Southwest Ohio Symphonic Band

Conductor

Chris Brandenburg

Bassoon

Carolyn Watkins

Cello

Courtney Rubio

Clarinet

Amanda Robe
Andrea Van Houten
Barb Kenworthy
Brian Murphy
Dan Nichols
David Cramer
David Hartung
David J. Thomas
Debbie Cattran
Deborah Dornon
Diane Norton
Harriet Richardson
Heather Smith
James E. Gast
Jeremy Rubio
Martha Hewitt

Euphonium

Kurt Stickler
William Tipkemper

Flute

Amanda Elick
Anne Goodell
Danielle Kenworthy
Jean Bradley
Judy Scofield
Kim Birt
Rebecca Bachman
Sandy McGee
Stephanie Watkins
Valeria McMahan

French Horn

Joe Tignor
Paul Mann
Tina Mason

Oboe

Julie Winn

Percussion

Anne Lapham
Ben Dobrozsi
Benjamin Price
Heather Stone
Lawrence Hirth

Saxophone

Aimee Everett
Andrea Smiley
Brian Everett
James C. Reboulet
Liz Hess
Mark Greene
Scott Balmos
Stephanie Neumann
Verolyn M. Hirth

Trombone

Andy Ashworth
Austin Mangum
Charles Bowman
James C. Reboulet
Jerry Lapham
John A. Whittington
Pamela Acker
Sam Ashworth

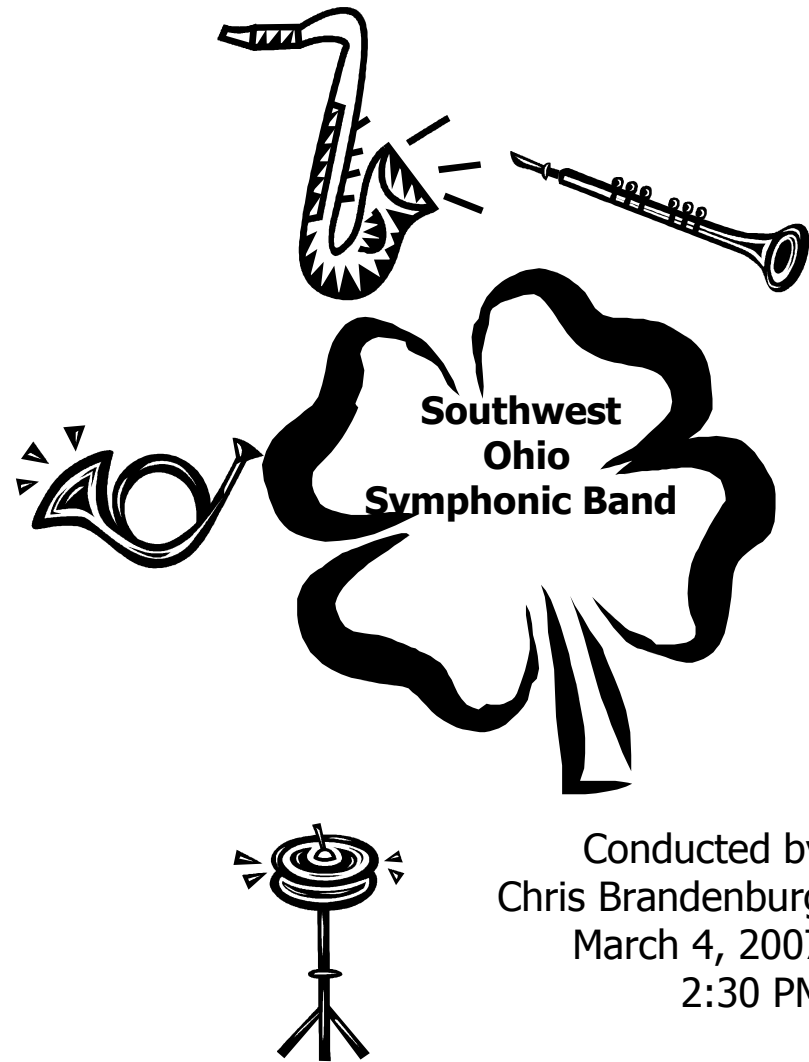
Trumpet

Bob Tyndall
Carolyn J. Stoll
David VanAs
Elaine Borgerding
George Goodell
J. Earl Jones
Jacque Shoemaker
Kelly Claypoole
Kyle Gaston
Larry L. Brookhart
Mark Shoemaker
Matt Buhl
Michael J. Fox

Mike Conn
Molly Shaw
Robert E. Langsdale
Ron Plessinger
Timothy F. Nogle

Tuba

John B Miller
Kenneth D. Dianis
Larry Pursley
Matt Scheidt
Vincent Smith



Conducted by
Chris Brandenburg
March 4, 2007
2:30 PM

Finkelman Auditorium
Miami University
Middletown Campus

About the band

This season marks the band's 39th season. Founded by William Stiehl in 1967, the Southwestern Ohio Symphonic Band was originally associated with Miami University's Middletown Campus. Later, the band was sponsored by various area businesses, prompting the Ohio Senate to pass a special resolution commending the cooperation between supporting businesses and the performing arts.

Today, the band is again affiliated with Miami University's Middletown Campus. The band is a true "community band" with members from the Cincinnati, Hamilton, Middletown, and Dayton areas. Musicians volunteer their time and include professional, amateur, and student musicians. Each year, a few exceptional high school students are chosen to join the band. Since reestablishing its ties to the University, Miami students can also join the band for college credit. A number of professional musicians who still play with the band today began as student members years ago.

Membership in the band is open to adults and high school or college students in Southwestern Ohio. Students must audition each fall. Interested musicians may call Chris Brandenburg at 942-2803.

Our Conductor – Chris Brandenburg

Christopher Brandenburg has conducted the Southwestern Ohio Symphonic Band for 23 years. He has taught instrumental music for 35 years and recently retired as the Lakota District Instrumental Music Coordinator, a position he held for the past 5 years. A graduate of Princeton High School in Cincinnati, Ohio, Mr. Brandenburg attended Ohio University and received a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree with a major in Music Education. He was awarded a Master of Music degree from the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music with a performance major in Orchestral Instruments. A John Phillip Sousa Award winner, Mr. Brandenburg has been a clinician, guest conductor, and chair of several OMEA events. Mr. Brandenburg lives in West Chester with his wife, Dawn, a retired senior counselor at Lakota East High School.

Our Guest Conductor – J. Earl Jones

Earl Jones is a 1957 graduate of Lemon- Monroe High School where he was active in band and choir. He graduated from Miami University with a Bachelor of Science in Music Education and a Master of Music in Trumpet Performance. Mr. Jones studied trumpet in France and for two summer terms with the Boston Symphony. He has also studied voice in New York. Mr. Jones was band director in the Monroe-Middletown schools for 31 years and currently sings with the choir at Christ Church, Glendale. He has been first tenor for the Cincinnati May Festival Chorus for 33 years. Mr. Jones continues to give private trumpet lessons and leads an early music ensemble at Mt. Pleasant Retirement Village in Monroe, Ohio

Program

National Emblem.....Henry Fillmore
Hebrides Suite.....Clare Grundman

The Peat Fire Flame

An Eriskay Love Lilt

Milking Song (Hebridean Game Song)

The Road to the Isles

Ave Maria Para Nossa Mae.....Gary P. Gilroy
Alliance of the Free.....James L. Hosay

10-Minute Intermission

Overture in B \flat Caesar Giovannini

Guest Conductor, J. Earl Jones

New York 1927.....Warren Barker
Billboard March.....John N. Klohr

Thank you...

We would like to express our thanks to the organizations and people who helped make this performance possible:

- ❖ Lakota West High School
- ❖ Miami University, Middletown Campus
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- ❖ James Gast for stage set up
- ❖ George Goodell, SOSB President
- ❖ Jacque Shoemaker, SOSB Treasurer
- ❖ Harriet Richardson, SOSB Librarian
- ❖ You, our audience, for your continuing support

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