

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION!

LYRICS TO:

“Christmas Sing-A-Long”

Hark, the Herald Angels Sing

Hark, the Herald Angels Sing, “Glory to the new-born King!”
Peace on Earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled.
Joyful, all ye nations rise, Join the triumph of the skies
With angelic host proclaim, “Christ is born in Bethlehem.”
Hark, the Herald Angels Sing, “Glory to the new-born King!”

O Come, All Ye Faithful

O come, all ye faithful, Joyful and triumphant;
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem.
Come and behold Him, Born the King of angels:
O come let us adore Him, O come let us adore Him,
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

Deck the Halls

Deck the halls with boughs of holly,
Fa, la, la, la, la, la, la, la, la.
‘Tis the season to be jolly,
Fa, la, la, la, la, la, la, la, la.
Don we now our gay apparel,
Fa, la, la, la, la, la, la.
Troll the ancient Yuletide carol,
Fa, la, la, la, la, la, la, la, la.

Silent Night

Silent night, holy night,
All is calm, all is bright,
Round yon Virgin Mother and Child,
Holy Infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace,
Sleep in heavenly peace.

The First Noel

The first Noel, the angels did say,
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay:
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep,
On a cold winter’s night that was so deep.
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel; Born is the King of Israel.

We Wish You a Merry Christmas

We wish you a merry Christmas, We wish you a merry Christmas,
We wish you a merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year!
Good tidings we bring for you and your kin:
We wish you a merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year!

UPCOMING MUSICAL EVENTS BY THE FSU MUSIC CENTER ENSEMBLES 2009-10

FEBRUARY 14 (SU)

4:00 p.m. FSU G. Mennen Williams Auditorium
in conjunction with the
2010 Festival of the Arts

FESTIVAL WINTER CONCERT

FSU Symphony Band
FSU West Central Concert Band
FSU West Central Chamber Orchestra

MARCH 3 (WE)

8:00 p.m. FSU Rankin Center Dome Room

JAZZ BAND CONCERT

FSU Jazz Band

APRIL 6 (TU)

8:00 p.m. FSU Rankin Center Dome Room

CHOIR CONCERT

FSU Concert Choir

APRIL 21 (WE)

4:00 p.m. FSU G. Mennen Williams Auditorium

FSU 125TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT

FSU Symphony Band
FSU West Central Concert Band
FSU West Central Chamber Orchestra

APRIL 24 (SA)

8:00 p.m. FSU G. Mennen Williams Auditorium

CHORAL & JAZZ CONCERT WITH ALUMNI

FSU Concert Choir & Alumni Choir
FSU Jazz Band & Alumni Jazz Band

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A SYMPHONIC SANTA SUNDAY!



A Holiday Concert Featuring

The FSU Symphony Band

The FSU West Central Concert Band

The FSU West Central Chamber Orchestra

Dr. Richard Scott Cohen, Musical Director & Conductor



Assisted by

Dale Skornia

Donna Smith

Dynamite the Clown

Holiday Chamber Ensembles

and

Santa Claus!



4:00 p.m.

Sunday • December 13, 2009

G. Mennen Williams Auditorium

PROGRAM

Pre-Concert Christmas Carols in the Lobby
Holiday Combined Concert Band's Flute Ensemble

A Christmas Festival **arr. Leroy Anderson**
Holiday Combined Concert Band & West Central Chamber Orchestra

A Charlie Brown Christmas **Vince Guaraldi & Lee Mendelson**
Holiday Combined Concert Band

Bring a Torch, Jeannette, Isabella **arr. Chip Davis & Robert Longfield**
West Central Chamber Orchestra

Come, All Ye Shepherds **arr. Jerry Allen**
Holiday Combined Concert Band's Trumpet Ensemble

Suite from "The Nutcracker" **Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky**
March • Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy • "Trepak" Russian Dance
Holiday Combined Concert Band & West Central Chamber Orchestra

Adagio from the "Christmas Concerto in G Minor" **Arcangelo Corelli**
West Central Chamber Orchestra

Born Is He, This Holy Child / The Holly and the Ivy **arr. Robert Garrels**
WCCB Clarinet Sextet

Who Can Retell from "Three Songs for Chanukah" **arr. Marsha C. Shapiro**
West Central Chamber Orchestra

Santa Songs **arr. Ralph Ford**
Santa Claus is Coming to Town • Here Comes Santa Claus
Holiday Combined Concert Band, West Central Chamber Orchestra, Dynamite the Clown & Santa Claus

Christmas Concerto **arr. Robert W. Smith**
Joy to the World: Dale Skornia, alto saxophone
Silent Night: Logan May, trumpet • Nedra Neumann, clarinet • Emily Wood, flute
Deck the Halls: T. Patrick Billig, tuba
Holiday Combined Concert Band

Hallelujah Chorus Excerpts from "The Messiah" **George Frideric Handel**
West Central Chamber Orchestra

Jingle Bells **arr. Alec Wilder**
Holiday Combined Concert Band's Tuba-Euphonium Ensemble

The Polar Express **Glen Ballard & Alan Silvestri**
Holiday Combined Concert Band

Wizards in Winter **Paul O'Neill & Robert Kinkel**
West Central Chamber Orchestra

Away in a Manger **John McFarland & James Murray**
Denise Smith, E^b Contralto Clarinet

Sleigh Ride **Leroy Anderson**
Holiday Combined Concert Band

Christmas Sing-A-Long **arr. James D. Poyhar**
Holiday Combined Concert Band, & West Central Chamber Orchestra

Please see the lyrics on the back of this program . . . and sing along!

THE HOLIDAY COMBINED CONCERT BAND

featuring the members of

The FSU Symphony Band and The FSU West Central Concert Band

FLUTE/PICCOLO

Valerie Ferrara FSU Student: Criminal Justice St. Clair Shores
Courtney Green FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Perry
Meegan Miller FSU Student: Pre-Nursing & Psychology Bay City
Linda Peek Math Teacher, retired Big Rapids
Desiree Rodriguez FSU Student: Biology / Pre-Dentistry Alpena
Aqueelah Seifullah FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Grand Rapids
Diane Simaz Kindergarten Teacher, White Cloud Big Rapids
Angelina White FSU Student: Social Work White Cloud
Emily Anne Wood FSU Student: Sonography & Health Care Systems Administration Escanaba

OBOE

Ellen Raymond Student: Big Rapids High School Paris

BASSOON

Paul Heidemann Network Technician, FSU Big Rapids
Art Sherwood Mathematics Professor, FSU retired Remus
Labon Wolgamott FSU Student: Plastics Engineering Technology Bitely

CLARINET

Frieda Anderson Administrative Assistant, Retired Mecosta
Danielle Boyer FSU Student: Health Care Systems Administration Marquette
Christina Cook FSU Student: Elementary Education Three Rivers
Ashley Erskin FSU Student: Elementary Education Vestaburg
Martina Esterle Hair Dresser Reed City
Robert Garrels Lutheran Pastor, retired Big Rapids
Megan Grabenstetter FSU Student: Elementary Education Whitehall
Kayla Grillo FSU Student: History Hersey
Tiffany Jones FSU Student: Biology / Pre-Veterinary Medicine Falmouth
Kaitlin Klemp Student: Fremont High School Fremont
Nedra Neumann Insurance Accounting & Technology Big Rapids
Sherry Rosser FSU Student: Accounting Winter Park, FL
Stephanie Thomson Communication Professor, FSU Big Rapids
Megan Womersley FSU Student: Applied Mathematics Grand Rapids
Jason Workman FSU Student: Biotechnology Bridgman

BASS CLARINET

Don Flickinger Associate Provost, FSU Big Rapids
Sarah Raymond Leisure Studies & Wellness Professor, FSU Paris
Vicky Scott Registered Nurse Big Rapids
Jessica Slattery FSU Student: Marketing Marquette

E^b CONTRABASS CLARINET

Denise Smith FSU Student: Early Childhood Education & Radiography White Cloud

ALTO SAXOPHONE

Gregory Beers FSU Student: Criminal Justice Canton
Brittany Clark FSU Student: Early Childhood Education Sand Creek
Tyler B. Cook FSU Graduate Student: Optometry Big Rapids
Brandon McKenzie FSU Student: Elementary Education Rodney
Dale Skornia Music Professor, FSU Big Rapids
Sarah Thompson FSU Student: Biotechnology Alpena
Andrea Wood FSU Student: Secondary Education Cadillac

TENOR SAXOPHONE

Eric Watson FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Clarkston
Marie Williams FSU Student: Music Industry Management Reed City

BARITONE SAXOPHONE

Steven Solinski FSU Student: Psychology Bay City
Jack Wellnitz GMAC, retired Paris

TRUMPET

Jerry Allen Band Director, retired Cadillac
Bob Clark Clark & Sons Residential Furniture Delivery Big Rapids
Jeff Gabalis Digital Media Specialist, FSU Mecosta
Brittany Lynn FSU Student: Radiography Muskegon
Logan May FSU Student: Professional Golf Management Fairview Park, OH
Jack McKindley Band Director, retired Stanwood
Chris Nesbit FSU Student: Computer Networks & Systems Mears
Monica Socia FSU Student: Pre- Criminal Justice Durand
Jacob Sonier FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Dewitt
Ashley Walters FSU Student: Pre-Nursing Zeeland
Adam Wiesen FSU Student: Secondary Education - Biology Schaumburg, IL

FRENCH HORN

Alan Anderson Accountant, retired Mecosta
Gail Salinger Jacobson Tutor, Chippewa Hills Schools Remus
Deborah Jordan Registered Nurse Blanchard
Samantha Jordan FSU Student: Biochemistry Blanchard
Emily Mitchell Librarian, FSU Big Rapids
Nathan Williams FSU Student: Heavy Equipment Service Engineering Technology Hamel

TROMBONE

Macie Bonham FSU Student: Medical Laboratory Technology Tustin
Kyle Lilly FSU Student: Radiography Manton
Kyle Maneke FSU Student: History Education Big Rapids
Jim Mehl Administrative Law Judge, retired Big Rapids

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TROMBONE, cont.

Zachary Potter FSU Student: Music Industry Management Big Rapids
Robert Reed FSU Student: CAD Drafting & Tool Design Gladwin
Robert Ross FSU Student: Facility Management Tawas City
Scott Whitney Pharmacist, retired Big Rapids

EUPHONIUM

Jeriel Beard Surgeon & Campus Physician, FSU Big Rapids
Jason Dunk FSU Student: Forensic Biology Hometown, IL
Drew Heath FSU Graduate Student: Pharmacy Tekonsha
Jeff Jernstadt Dairy Farmer & Substitute Teacher Big Rapids
A. Alan Metcalf Technology Director, retired Mecosta
Ian Nagy FSU Graduate Student: Pharmacy Iron Mountain

TUBA

T. Patrick Billig Band Director, retired White Cloud
James Joesten FSU Student: Graphic Design Temperance

PERCUSSION

Jeffrey Ackroyd FSU Student: Biotechnology Big Rapids
Jared Beyer FSU Student: Applied Mathematics Ludington
Garrett DeJongh FSU Student: Medical Engineering Technology Three Rivers
Courtney Hass FSU Student: Construction Management Bellflower, CA
Ryan Johnson FSU Student: Graphic Design Kingsford
Joshua Miles FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Grand Rapids
Kenn Stine FSU Student: History Fairbanks, AK
Krista Testolin FSU Student: Career Exploration Iron Mountain

THE FSU WEST CENTRAL CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

VIOLIN

Moriah Burke FSU Student: General Studies Lansing
Alissa Cho FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Sterling Heights
Corrine English FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Sturgis
Samantha Jordan FSU Student: Biochemistry Blanchard
Matt Kammeraad FSU Student: Product Design Engineering Technology Holland
Tiffany Keller FSU Student: New Print Media & Publishing Holland
Catherine Kemian FSU Student: Forensic Biology Dearborn
Aaron Kuhns Student: White Cloud High School White Cloud
Katrina Lane FSU Student: Criminal Justice Saginaw
Lauren Moore FSU Student: Marketing Temperance
Caitlin Ringey FSU Student: Human Resource Management Ferndale
DeAnna Wolgast FSU Student: Medical Technology Three Rivers

VIOLA

Tabitha Herman Mom Evert
Hannah Janzen FSU Student: Biology/Pre-Veterinary Medicine Greenville
Maria Kuhns Student: White Cloud Middle School White Cloud
Ashley Ratcliffe FSU Student: Plastics Engineering Technology Midland
Beth Storey Mom & Co-Owner, Gravel Ridge Farm Remus
Zachary Wolf FSU Student: Chemistry Zeeland

CELLO

Shawn Andrus FSU Doctoral Student: Optometry Rexburg, ID
Bobbie Anger Medical Assistant Stanwood
Jack Herman FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Chelsea
Andrika Lyons FSU Student: Journalism & TV/Digital Media Production Muskegon
Kailey McKenzie Student: Crossroads Charter Academy Rodney
Sheryl Meriam Bus Driver, Reed City Public Schools Chase
Caren Parker FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Traverse City
Laura Taylor Mom & Wedding Cellist Big Rapids
Dwayne Williams FSU Student: Criminal Justice Saginaw
Julie Wilson Mom Stanwood

STRING/ELECTRIC BASS

Steven Haller FSU Student: Biology/Pre-Medicine Walled Lake
Janet Mallett Free-Lance Musician Big Rapids

GUITAR

Jordan Cyr FSU Student: Business Management Kalamazoo

DRUM SET

Joshua Miles FSU Student: Pre-Pharmacy Grand Rapids

KEYBOARD

Paul Heidemann Network Technician, FSU Big Rapids

WCCB CLARINET SEXTET OTHER ARTISTS & GUESTS

Frieda Anderson, *clarinet* ❄️❄️❄️❄️
Don Flickinger, *clarinet* ❄️❄️❄️❄️
Robert Garrels, *clarinet*
Nedra Neumann, *clarinet*
Vicky Scott, *bass clarinet*
Megan Womersley, *clarinet*
Bruce Dilg, *Santa Claus*
Donna Smith, *announcer*
Dale Skornia, *assisting conductor*
Rudy Grahek, *Dynamite the Clown*