

2018 NMAA STATE CONCERT BAND CONTEST



PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE



Day	Warm-Up	Performance	Class	School
Friday, 4/20/18	9:55 AM	10:20 AM	4A	St. Michael's High School 7th-12th Grade Concert Band
Friday, 4/20/18	10:20 AM	10:45 AM	A-3A	Rehoboth Christian School Band
Friday, 4/20/18	10:45 AM	11:10 AM	A-3A	Tucumcari High School 7th-12th Grade Band
Friday, 4/20/18	11:10 AM	11:35 AM	A-3A	Capitan Schools 8th-12th Grade Concert Band
Friday, 4/20/18	11:35 AM	12:00 PM	A-3A	Cloudcroft Municipal Schools 7th-12th Grade Band
Friday, 4/20/18	12:00 PM	12:25 PM	A-3A	Cimarron High School Wind Ensemble
Friday, 4/20/18	1:15 PM	1:45 PM	5A	Alamogordo High School Wind Ensemble
Friday, 4/20/18	1:45 PM	2:15 PM	5A	Los Alamos High School Wind Ensemble
Friday, 4/20/18	2:15 PM	2:45 PM	5A	Grants High School Concert Band
Friday, 4/20/18	2:45 PM	3:15 PM	5A	Deming High School Symphonic Band
Friday, 4/20/18	3:15 PM	3:45 PM	5A	Artesia High School Concert Band
Friday, 4/20/18	3:45 PM	4:15 PM	5A	Chaparral High School Wind Ensemble
Friday, 4/20/18	4:30 PM	5:00 PM	6A	Santa Fe High School Wind Ensemble
Friday, 4/20/18	5:00 PM	5:30 PM	6A	Manzano High School Wind Ensemble
Friday, 4/20/18	5:30 PM	6:00 PM	6A	Piedra Vista High School Concert Band
Friday, 4/20/18	6:00 PM	6:30 PM	6A	Clovis High School Wind Symphony
Friday, 4/20/18	6:30 PM	7:00 PM	6A	Volcano Vista High School Symphonic Band
Friday, 4/20/18	7:00 PM	7:30 PM	6A	V. Sue Cleveland High School Wind Symphony
Friday, 4/20/18	7:30 PM	8:00 PM	6A	La Cueva High School Wind Symphony
Day	Warm-Up	Performance	Class	School
Saturday, 4/21/18	9:55 AM	10:25 AM	5A	Santa Teresa High School Symphonic Band
Saturday, 4/21/18	10:30 AM	10:55 AM	4A	Silver High School Band
Saturday, 4/21/18	10:55 AM	11:20 AM	4A	Cobre High School Concert Band
Saturday, 4/21/18	11:20 AM	11:55 AM	4A	Robertson High School Red Wave Band
Saturday, 4/21/18	12:45 PM	1:15 PM	5A	St. Pius X High School Concert Band
Saturday, 4/21/18	1:15 PM	1:45 PM	5A	Belen High School Intensity Concert Band
Saturday, 4/21/18	1:45 PM	2:15 PM	5A	Los Lunas High School Wind Ensemble
Saturday, 4/21/18	2:15 PM	2:45 PM	5A	Kirtland Central High School Wind Ensemble
Saturday, 4/21/18	3:30 PM	4:00 PM	5A	Lovington High School Symphonic Band
Saturday, 4/21/18	4:00 PM	4:30 PM	5A	Valencia High School Wind Symphony
Saturday, 4/21/18	4:45 PM	5:15 PM	6A	Sandia High School Wind Ensemble
Saturday, 4/21/18	5:15 PM	5:45 PM	6A	Las Cruces High School Wind Symphony

Awards Ceremony to take place upon conclusion of the last ensemble's performance; approximate start time of 6:30 PM



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Performing Ensembles by Classification

Class A-3A Bands

Capitan Schools 8th-12th Grade Concert Band

Director: DuWayne Shaver

Music Selections:

- March of the Buccaneers – Victor Flowers
- The Rowan Tree – Randall D. Standridge
- Amber Moon – Naoya Wada

Cimarron High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Pamela Towry

Music Selections:

- Declaration Overture – Claude T. Smith
- A Hymn for Band – Hugh Stuart
- Rio Bravo Concert March – John Edmondson

Cloudcroft Municipal Schools 7th-12th Grade Band

Director: Pat Gaskill

Music Selections:

- Under the Double Eagle – arr. Swearingen
- Danny Boy – arr. Balent
- Drammatico – Daehn

Rehoboth Christian School Band

Director: Kevin Zwiers

Music Selections:

- Red From Krisanna's Colors – Robert W. Smith
- Blue From Krisanna's Colors – Robert W. Smith
- The Red Cape – James Meredith

Tucumcari High School 7th-12th Grade Band

Director: Paul Gibson

Music Selections:

- The High School Cadets – John Philip Sousa/Harold Gore
- An Irish Air – Robert Sheldon
- Portrait of a Clown – Frank Ticheli

Class 4A Bands

Cobre High School Concert Band

Director: Chuck Gerheart

Music Selections:

- Chimes of Liberty – Goldman/Custer
- Falling Leaves – John Fannin
- Anthem for Winds and Percussion – Claude T. Smith

Robertson High School Red Wave Band

Director: Martin Sena

Music Selections:

- Flying Cadets (March) – Karl King/James Swearingen
- Celtic Lullaby – Todd Phillips
- Pilatus: Mountain of Dragons – Steven Reineke/Matt Conaway

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Silver High School Band

Director: Jonathan Wheatley

Music Selections:

- Celebration – Standridge
- Down a Country Lane – Copland
- Festivo – Gregson

St. Michael's Middle/High School 7th-12th Grade Concert Band

Director: Dorothy Kincaid

Music Selections:

- Darklands March – Randall Standridge
- Highlander Lullaby – arr. David Myers
- Blind Brook Celebration – Michael Story

Class 5A Bands

Alamogordo High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Shamlan Al-Masoud

Music Selections:

- Ecstatic Fanfare – Steven Bryant
- Seal Lullaby – Eric Whitacre
- Vesuvius – Frank Ticheli

Artesia High School Concert Band

Director: Lisa Dillon

Music Selections:

- Pepita Greus – Chovil Gore
- Shenandoah – Frank Ticheli
- The Hounds of Spring – Reed

Belen High School "Intensity" Concert Band

Director: Robert A. Schulz

Music Selections:

- Alamo March – Karl L. King/arr. James Swearingen
- Joy Revisited – Frank Ticheli
- Sinfonia VI (The Four Elements) – Timothy Broege

Chaparral High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Adrian Rios

Music Selections:

- Big Circus March – Robert Foster
- In the Shining of the Stars – Robert Sheldon
- Abracadabra – Frank Ticheli

Deming High School Symphonic Band

Director: Sam Villarreal

Music Selections:

- Rephygeration – Todd Stalter
- Walls of Zion – Greg Danner
- First Suite for Bands: Mvts. I, III, IV – Alfred Reed

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Grants High School Concert Band

Director: William Griner

Music Selections:

- In A New Light – Chris Bernotas
- In Endless Song – Robert Lowry, arr. Randall Standridge
- Cincinnatus March – H.A. Vandercook, arr. Mark Grauer

Kirtland Central High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Deanna Stevens

Music Selections:

- Coast Guard's March – Karl King, arr. James Swearingen
- Southern Hymn – Samuel Hazo
- Sun Cycles – Brian Balmages

Los Alamos High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Zane Meek

Music Selections:

- Emperata Overture – Claude T. Smith
- Song for Lyndsay – Andrew Boysen Jr.
- Chorale and Shaker Dance – John Zdechlik

Los Lunas High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Mariko McWhorter

Music Selections:

- Amparito Roca – Jaime Texidor, arr. Aubrey Winter
- Afterlife – Rossano Galante
- Arabesque – Samuel Hazo

Lovington High School Symphonic Band

Director: Adam Bryant

Music Selections:

- Rat Race – Weirich
- From Russia With Music – arr. James K. Taylor
- Brighton Camp March – Standridge

Santa Teresa High School Symphonic Band

Director: Daniel Lozano

Music Selections:

- Rough Riders – Karl King, arr. James Swearingen
- Lux Aurumque – Eric Whitacre
- Abracadabra – Frank Ticheli

St. Pius X High School Concert Band

Director: Keith Jordan

Music Selections:

- March of the Belgian Paratroopers – Leeman/Story
- Risk Everything for a Dream – Richard Saucedo
- Venom – Randall Standridge

Valencia High School Wind Symphony

Director: Anthony Baca

Music Selections:

- March from Symphonic Metamorphosis – Paul Hindemith, arr. Keith Wilson
- Into Moonlight's Mist – Richard Saucedo
- Danzas Cubanas – Robert Sheldon

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Class 6A Bands

Clovis High School Wind Symphony

Director: Bill Allred

Music Selections:

- Black Horse Troop - John Philip Sousa, ed. Fennell
- Symphonic Metamorphosis of Themes by Carl Maria von Weber - Paul Hindeueth, arr. Keith Wilson
1. Allegro 2. Turandot 3. Andantino 4. Marsch

La Cueva High School Wind Symphony

Director: John Converse

Music Selections:

- The Pines of Rome – Ottorino Respighi, trans. Ducker
 - Pines of Villa Borghese
 - Pines Near a Catacomb
 - Pines of the Janiculum
 - Pines of the Appian Way

Las Cruces High School Wind Symphony

Director: Joseph Flores

Music Selections:

- Pas Redouble – Camille Saint-Saens, trans. Arthur Frackenpohl
- Song for Lyndsay – Andrew Boysen Jr.
- Shepherd's Hey – Percy Grainger, ed. Mark Rogers

Manzano High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Phil Perez

Music Selections:

- Choreography – Robert Sheldon
- Sheltering Sky – John Mackey
- River of Life – Steve Reineke

Piedra Vista High School Concert Band

Director: Philip Meda and Alexander Olivas

Music Selections:

- The Fairest of The Fair – John Philip Sousa
- Fantasy on a Japanese Folk Song – Samuel Hazo
- Flashing Winds – Jan Von Der Roost

Sandia High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Tyler North

Music Selections:

- Emblem of Unity – J.J. Richards
- Tears of St. Lawrence – Aaron Perrine
- Baron Piquant on Pointe – Donald Grantham Color/Bob Margolis

Santa Fe High School Wind Ensemble

Director: Robert Chrisman

Music Selections:

- Prestissimo – Karl A. King/James Swearingen
- Here, Take This Lovely Flower – Frank Ticheli
- Scramble – Todd Stalter

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V. Sue Cleveland High School Wind Symphony

Director: Daniel Holmes

Music Selections:

- Invercargill March – Lithgow/Glover
- Song for Lyndsay – Boysen Jr.
- Shadow Rituals – Michael Markowski

Volcano Vista High School Symphonic Band

Director: Paul Blakey

Music Selections:

- Symphony No. 1 “The Lord of the Rings” I. Gandalf – Johan de Meij
- Hold this Boy and Listen – Carter Pann
- Four Scottish Dances – Malcolm Arnold, arr. John P. Paynter

Adjudicators’ Biographies



Preston Hazzard (Texas) – Mr. Preston Hazzard received his academic training at Howard Payne University and the University of North Texas respectively. He currently serves as the Assistant Director of Fine Arts for the Frisco Independent School District. A native of Euless, Texas, Mr. Hazzard grew up under the tutelage of Tom Neugent at Trinity High School. While at HPU, Mr. Hazzard studied conducting with Dr. Robert Tucker and Dr. Tom Webster. He completed his graduate degree in wind conducting at the University of North Texas with Mr. Dennis Fisher and Mr. Eugene Migliaro Corporon in 2006. Prior to coming to becoming an administrator, Mr. Hazzard served as an assistant director at both Hedrick Middle School and Marcus High School (Lewisville Independent School District) and as the director of bands at Denton High School, Frisco High School, Creekview High School, and Liberty High School. As an active member of TMEA, Mr. Hazzard has served as the band division chair, region vice president, and president. In 2003, the Denton High School Wind Ensemble was selected to perform at the Bands of America National Concert Band Festival in Indianapolis, Indiana and in 2005 was selected as a state finalist in the Texas Music Educators Association Honor Band competition. The Creekview High School Wind Symphony was also recognized as the Texas Music Educators Association Honor Band finalist for 2010-2011. The Creekview Wind Symphony also performed at the 65th Annual Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic in 2011. In addition, the Creekview High School Wind Symphony was recognized as a National Winner in the Wind Band Honors Mark of Excellence program in 2009. Under Mr. Hazzard’s direction, the Liberty High School Wind Ensemble was also recognized as the Texas Music Educators Association honor Band finalist for 2012-2013. Mr. Hazzard is an active clinician and adjudicator throughout Texas. In addition, Mr. Hazzard is a composer and arranger. Performances of his marching band arrangements and original compositions are performed by some of the top bands throughout the state of Texas. His newest works *O Nata Lux* (2010), *Ave Mara* (2011), and *Zanzibar Boat-Song* (2014) have recently been published by the Hal Leonard Corporation. Throughout the year, Mr. Hazzard stays very active as a team building and leadership consultant and writer. Mr. Hazzard’s professional affiliations include the Texas Music Adjudicators Association, Texas Music Administrators Conference, Texas Music Educators Association, Texas Bandmasters Association, and Phi Beta Mu. He is married to Whitney, a saxophone private teacher in the DFW area. They have two daughters, Caitlyn and Lauren and a son, Cameron.

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Adam Kehl (North Carolina) – Dr. Adam Kehl currently serves as Director of Bands, Assistant Professor of Music at Elon University in Elon, NC, where he conducts the wind ensemble and chamber winds, directs the athletic bands and teaches courses in music education. Originally from the Pacific Northwest, Dr. Kehl holds Bachelor of Music degrees in Music Education and Percussion Performance from the University of Oregon, a Master of Music in conducting from the University of New Mexico, and a Doctorate of Musical Arts in conducting from the University of South Carolina. He previously served as a high school band director in the public schools of California and is active as a clinician, adjudicator, guest conductor and music arranger around the United States. Dr. Kehl has completed three musical tours abroad, including tours in China and Italy, and served as an Associate Producer on the USC Wind Ensemble’s critically acclaimed “Bernstein: The Transcriptions for Wind Band” for Naxos Records. He maintains an active research agenda focusing on the study and creation of historically accurate critical editions of the wind music of the French Revolution, as well as Laban Movement Analysis and its usage in conducting pedagogy, score study and ensemble rehearsals. A keen advocate for new music and creative programming, as well as inter-arts collaboration, his recent projects include, "A Little Song and Dance," a collaboration with the Elon Dance Program, and “Mozart in Popular Culture,” an exploration of the use of Mozart’s “Gran Partita” in television and film. He is actively involved in bringing new works to life through commissioning and conducting premieres, including works by Adrienne Albert, Donald Grantham, Kevin Walczyk, David Clay Mettens, Carter Pann, Todd Coleman, Ted King-Smith, David Garner, Nick Omiccioli and Aaron Perrine. Dr. Kehl holds memberships in the College Band Directors National Association, National Band Association, North Carolina Music Educators Association, North Carolina Band Director’s Association, and NAFME.



Todd Zimbelman (Oregon) – Mr. Zimbelman is the Director of Bands and Co-Director of the Symphony Orchestra at West Salem High School in the Salem-Keizer School District (OR). Mr. Zimbelman has held Director of Bands and Associate Director of Bands positions at the high school and college levels in Oregon and Texas. He holds bachelor and master of music degrees from the University of Oregon. Mr. Zimbelman has been recognized for the School Band and Orchestra magazine’s Top 50 directors that make a difference, the Claes Nobel’s Educator of Distinction, and the Oregon Symphony’s Music Educator of the Year. The West Salem Wind Ensemble has performed at several national and international music festivals and conferences. Some highlights include the Oregon Music Education Association State Conference, NAFME Northwest Convention, Western International Band Clinic, and the Pacific Basin International Music Festival in Honolulu, HI. The West Salem Wind Ensemble placed 1st at the OSAA State 6A Concert Band Championships the past eight years; Jazz Bands and Marching Band have also placed among the top in their divisions. The West Salem Marching Band is the NWAPA Grand Champion the past six years and is the 2017 Bands of America Northern California Regional Champion. Students under his direction are regularly selected for honor bands at All-City, All-State, All-Northwest, and the state OMEA Chamber Ensemble and OSAA State Solo contests. Arrangements and compositions by Mr. Zimbelman have been performed internationally. His Winds Technique Books I and II are used by several programs across the United States. He is an active adjudicator and clinician. He is a member of the American Bandmasters Association, College Band Directors National Association, National Association for Music Educators, National Band Association, Oregon Band Director’s Association, Oregon Music Education Association, and Phi Beta Mu. Mr. Zimbelman is currently the President of the Oregon Music Education Association.

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NMAA State Concert Band Contest Past Champions

Year	Host	Class	Champions
2005	Los Lunas High School	1A/2A	Cloudcroft High School
		3A	Cobre High School
		4A	Deming High School
		5A	Eldorado High School
2006	Los Lunas High School	MH/JH	Rio Rancho Mid High
		MS	Manzano Vista Middle School
		1A/2A	Cloudcroft High School
		3A	Cobre High School
		4A	Deming High School
2007	Cibola High School	5A	Eldorado High School
		MH/JH	Yucca Junior High
		MS	Madison Middle School
		1A/2A	Cimarron High School
		3A	Cobre High School
2008	Cibola High School	4A	Kirtland Central High School
		5A	Cibola High School
		MH/JH	Clovis 9th Grade
		MS	Madison Middle School
		1A/2A	Cimarron High School
2009	Los Lunas High School	3A	Cobre High School
		4A	Deming High School & Los Alamos High School (tie)
		5A	Eldorado High School
		MH/JH	St. Michael's Junior High
		MS	Manzano Vista Middle School
2010	Los Lunas High School	1A/2A	Cimarron High School
		3A	St. Michael's High School
		4A	Los Alamos High School
		5A	Oñate High School
		MH/JH	St. Michael's Junior High
2011	Cleveland High School	MS	Eisenhower Middle School
		A-AA	Cimarron High School
		AAA	Cobre High School
		AAAA	Los Alamos High School
		AAAAA	La Cueva High School
2012	Cleveland High School	MS	Eisenhower Middle School
		A-AA	Cimarron High School
		AAA	Cobre High School
		AAAA	Deming High School
		AAAAA	Sandia High School
2013	Cleveland High School	MS	Eisenhower Middle School
		A-AA	Capitan High School & Rehoboth Christian School
		AAA	Cobre High School
		AAAA	Deming High School
		AAAAA	Eldorado High School
2014	Atrisco Heritage Academy	MS	LBJ Middle School
		A-AA	Cimarron High School
		AAA	Cobre High School
		AAAA	Deming High School
		AAAAA	Clovis High School

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Year	Host	Class	Champions		
2015	Cleveland High School	MS	Eisenhower Middle School		
		A-3A	Cimarron High School		
		4A	Cobre High School		
		5A	Valencia High School		
		6A	Deming High School		
		2016	Cleveland High School	MS	Eisenhower Middle School
2016	Cleveland High School	A-3A	Rehoboth Christian School		
		4A	Cobre High School & Silver High School (tie)		
		5A	Centennial High School		
		6A	Deming High School		
		2017	Cleveland High School	MS	Eisenhower Middle School
		2017	Cleveland High School	A-3A	Cloudcroft High School
4A	Silver High School				
5A	Deming High School				
6A	La Cueva High School				

State Concert Band Contest Thank-You's

The New Mexico Activities Association would like to thank the host of the 2018 State Concert Band Contest, V. Sue Cleveland High School and Rio Rancho Public Schools. We thank you for your willingness to work with us and to provide a wonderful venue for the State Concert Band Contest participants in our state. A special thanks to:

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Dr. Sue Cleveland, Superintendent – Rio Rancho Public Schools

Debbie Fleming, Director of Fine Arts for Rio Rancho Public Schools

Mr. Daniel Holmes, Band Director – Cleveland High School

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