The Minnesota Band Directors Association presents

The Second Annual
Minnesota Middle Level Honor Band
Craig Kirchhoff, Conductor

Minnesota Music Educators Association
In-Service Clinic

Saturday, February 14, 1998
Minneapolis Convention Center
The Grande Ballroom
1:00 pm
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Program
(to be selected from the following compositions)

Different Voices ................................................................. Rick Kirby
Fanfare and Ceremonial March ........................................... Rick Kirby
In The Machine ................................................................. Jerry Luckhardt
Mission: Impossible Theme (percussion ensemble) ..... Schiffrin, arr. Rapp
Linden Lea ................................................................. Ralph Vaughan Williams, arr. Stout
Cajun Folk Songs 2 .......................................................... Frank Ticheli
Llwyn Onn ................................................................. Brian Hogg
Circus Bee March .............................................................. Henry Fillmore, arr. Custer
Children of the Regiment .................................................. Julius Fucik, arr. Gore

1998 Middle Level Honor Band Roster

Flute
Kara Anderson 9
Maya Babu 9
Jenny Beck-Esmay 9
Nicole Gronneberg 9
Katie Gustafson 9
Emily Hull 8
Jackie Kim 8
Jennifer Kopinski 8
Anne Kramer 7
Elizabeth Miller 8
Cori Riopel 9
Heidi Schlueeter 9
Jennifer Stromberg 9
Miranda Wardell 9
Kelly Wendler 8

Piccolo
Nicole Millner 8

Oboe
Kirsten Eilertson 8
Becca Stark 9
Juliana Tolles 9

Bassoon
Adam Dagen 9
Heidi Lawson 9
Erik Olson 7
Chelsea Petree 9

Clarinet
Abby Benson 8
Emily Brandel 7
Sarah Carlson 7
Katie Davis 9
Laura Henry 7
Sara Kaminsky 9
Elise Lehn 8
Ken Meyer 8
Jennifer Mochinski 9
Kendra Olsen 6
Ashley Pederson 9
Chelsea Sapa 8
Katie Somers 8

Clarinet
Damarastanley 9
Katie Vang 8
Kristin Wamsley 9
Nick Williams 8

Bass Clarinet
Nikki Anderson 9
Lisa Hentges 7
Sarah Wagone 8
Brian Berseth 7

Alto Saxophone
Liz Hagen 8
Aaron Kim 9
Matt Kopp 8
Kristin Rarick 7
Doug Stone 9

Tenor Saxophone
Jackie Nelson 9
Will Nissen 9
Carl Pickerell 9

Baritone Saxophone
Andy Berg 9
Mike Wiffer 7

Trumpet
Josh Cameron 9
Lisa Carlson 8
Erik Hasselquist 8
Brandon Jacque 9
Paul Jenni 8
Mark Kupferschmidt 9
Carmen Leger 9
Brian Notvedt 9
John Peter 9
Cindy Piekarski 9
Sarah Romnevik 8
Rachel Serber 7
Brian Voerding 9
Janelle Walli 7
Matt Weber 9
Jenny Wheatley 8

French Horn
Lindsay Connolly 9
Julie Cornell 8
Claire Hellweg 9
Kayla Nelson 9
John Nichol 8
Joy Schroeder 6
Kari Sivula 7
Kate Smith 8

Trombone
Brandon Burum 7
Josh Cosens 8
Rachel Dixon 9
Dan Gullickson 8
Richard Humphrey 8
Matt Johnshoy 8
Katie Max 7
Meredith Nielson 9
Patrick Pfister 6

Baritone
Justin Janacek 9
Jenna Landry 7
Heidi Rogozik 9
Eryn Tvele 9

Tuba
Brandee DeJong 6
Alyssa Herzog 7
Matt Kohlmann 8
Shane Trautner 9
Martha White 9

Percussion
Angela Brutger 9
Nafe Burdick 9
Josh Carlson 9
Matt Dockendorf 9
Margaret Jantzen 7
Krislen Kutsche 7
John Reinke 8

Piano
Heidi Schlueeter 9
A Message from the MBDA President

Good afternoon!

On behalf of the Minnesota Band Directors Association, it is my pleasure to welcome you to today's performance of the second annual Middle Level Honor Band. The sixth through ninth grade students participating in this fine band represent 69 schools, and were selected by audition from more than 550 students across the state.

Students have had a busy day and a half -- rehearsing under the guidance of Professor Craig Kirchhoff, working through difficult passages with their section coaches, experiencing three pieces through the eyes of their composers, and making new friends.

Please join me in extending a special thank you to the many people who have had an important part in this Honor Band experience -- parents and family members, school directors and private teachers, MBDA auditioners and section coaches, the staff at Wayzata Central Middle School, the MMEA office staff, Mr. Doug Schmitt of Schmitt Music Centers for donating the printed music, and Mr. Dan Massoth for coordinating this event.

I hope you enjoy the concert this afternoon, and that you will have many more opportunities to applaud the successes of your student musicians!

Wendy Barden, President
Minnesota Band Directors Association

About the Conductor

Craig Kirchhoff is Professor of Conducting and Director of University Bands at the University of Minnesota where he conducts the Symphonic Wind Ensemble. Professor Kirchhoff coordinates the graduate program in Wind Ensemble/Band Conducting and guides all aspects of the University of Minnesota Band Program. Born and educated in Wisconsin, he brings to his position a wide knowledge of both traditional and contemporary literature. He has won critical acclaim from composers Henry Brant, Michael Colgrass, Warren Benson, Karel Husa, George Perle, Vincent Persichetti, Verne Reynolds, Gunther Schuller, Joseph Schwantner, Elliott Schwartz and others.

Prior to his appointment to the faculty of the University of Minnesota, Professor Kirchhoff served in a similar capacity as Director of Bands at The Ohio State University for fourteen years. He was the recipient of The Ohio State University Alumni Distinguished Teaching Award and The Ohio State University School of Music Distinguished Teaching Award. Professor Kirchhoff is past president of the College Band Directors National Band Association and is a member of the World Association of Symphonic Bands and Ensembles, the Music Educators National Conference, and is the founding editor and principal advisor of the College Band Directors National Association Journal.

Professor Kirchhoff has appeared as guest conductor, clinician, and lecturer throughout the United States, Canada, Europe, and Japan. He is a frequent guest conductor of the Tokyo Kosei Wind Orchestra and has recorded with them on the Kosei Publishing Company label.
Participating Directors and Schools

Tim Wege .............................................. Albany High School
John Lace ............................................. Anoka Senior High School
Susan Smith .......................................... Black Hawk Middle School
Brian Olson .......................................... Blake Middle School
Lee Kjesbo ............................................ Buffalo High School
Mark Kusche ......................................... Centennial Middle School
Amy Paider ............................................ Central Jr High School
Barry Fox .............................................. Chaska Middle School East
Jeffrey Cherne ....................................... Cloquet Middle School
Donna Novey .......................................... Cortin Derham Hall
Doug Hart ............................................. Dakota Hills Middle School
Cynthia Shirk ......................................... Dakota Meadows Middle School
Don Donais ............................................ Dassel Cokato High School
Paul Dierkhsing ..................................... Detroit Lakes Middle School
Joel Wood ............................................. Discovery Middle School
Thomas Masek ....................................... Eagan Senior High School
Mike Rounds ........................................... Eagle Ridge Junior High School
Aimee Chalmers ...................................... Ellis Middle School
Kurt Claussen ......................................... Falcon Ridge Middle School
Denise Wiese ......................................... Fergus Falls Middle School
David O'Mara ......................................... Fillmore Central High School
Kathy Warren ......................................... Hastings Middle School
Drew Disher ........................................... Hill-Murray High School
Lenore Karash ........................................ Isanti Middle School
Larry Keifenheim .................................... Kenwood Junior High School
Mary Goheen ......................................... Luverne High School
David Stevens ........................................ Mahtomedi High School
P. Brett Smith ......................................... Mahtomedi Middle School
Jim Kopetzki .......................................... Mankatato East Middle School
Joni Sutton ............................................ Maple Grove Junior High School
Amy Roisum .......................................... McGuire Junior High School
Rolly Rudzitis ......................................... Meadow Creek Christian School
Liz Jackson ............................................ Meadowbrook Elementary School
Cheryl Pikal ........................................... Minnetonka Middle West School
Kip Johnson .......................................... Minnewaska Area High School
David Goedde ........................................ Montgomery-Lonsdale High School
Douglas Engstrom ................................... Moorhead Senior High School
Mary Williams ........................................ Northfield Middle School
Robin Vought ........................................ Oakland Junior High School
Don Donais ............................................ Ortonville Public Schools
Sean Fitzsimmons ................................... Pelican Rapids High School
Barbara Abel .......................................... Plymouth Middle School
Lee Peterson ......................................... Princeton High School
Roger Sandstrom .................................... Rockford Middle School
Amy Powers .......................................... Rosemont Middle School
Pat Moriarty .......................................... Roseville Area High School
Sandra Yunker ........................................ Roseville Area Middle School
Wanda Dagen ......................................... Rothsay Public School
James Siewert ....................................... Saint Peter High School
Gordon Schlichting ................................... Saint Stephen School
Nancy Dostal .......................................... Scott Highlands Middle School
Tami Lyons ............................................ Southwest Jr High School
Lewis Larson ......................................... Springfield Public Schools
James Wilke ........................................... St. Anthony High School
Randy Moore ......................................... St. Louis Park Junior High School
Madeleine Elmhirst ................................... Tech Learning Campus
Regina Zakrajsek ..................................... Valley Middle School
Natalie Olsen .......................................... Valley Middle School
Kim Budde ............................................ Valley View Middle School
Donald Schulz ........................................ Waconia High School
Tom Case ............................................. Wasca Jr High School
Dan Massoth ......................................... Wayzata Central Middle School
Chip Williams ......................................... Wayzata Senior High School
Dave Elmhirst ......................................... Wayzata Senior High School
Kay Hawley ........................................... West Junior High School
Terry Brau ............................................. Willmar Senior High School
Renae Wantock ...................................... Winona Middle School
Tim Gleason ......................................... Winona Senior High School

Middle Level Honor Band
Steering Committee

Wendy Barden ........................................ Maple Grove High School
Dan Massoth ......................................... Wayzata Central Middle School
Pat Moriarty .......................................... Roseville Middle School
Denise Pesola ......................................... Moorhead Junior High School
Teri Svec ............................................. Buffalo Middle School
Bill Webb ............................................. Edina High School
Michael Haht ......................................... MN Center for Arts Education

Audition Judges and Section Coaches

Kirstin Carlson ..................................... Karen Frawley
Linda Niziol Hak ..................................... Maureen Seibert
Susan Smith ......................................... Steve Roemer
Katherine Warren ................................... Amy Roisum
Kimberly Budde ..................................... Leo Bedard
Chip Williams ........................................ Chris Assimacopoulos
Brian Olson ......................................... William Haring
Sean Fitzsimmons ................................... David Peterson
Douglas Bradley ................................... Andy Nelson
Greg DeGier .......................................... Paul Budde
Denise Pesola ......................................... Sue Moran
John Klinger ......................................... Joni Suton

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